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Fun Family Christmas Quiz!

1. If tradition is to be believed, what should you eat one of every day for the 12 days of Christmas?

- a. A fig b. A mince pie c. A carrot

Santa wears a red suit. But over the years he has been illustrated wearing a number of different colours!

2. Which popular brand used Santa in a red suit to advertise their product in the 1930's- adding to the popularity of this image?

3. 100 people were asked to: "Name a gift from the 12 days of Christmas- apart from the partridge". What were the top 5 answers?

4. Jingle Bells was originally a Thanksgiving song. **True** or **False**?

5. What is the chemical formula of snow?

6. How fast does Santa have to travel to visit every home in the world? (This was calculated by scientists in the U.S.)

- a. **50 miles a second** b. **650 miles a second** c. **900 miles a second**

7. Name all 8 reindeer! (From the Twas the Night Before Christmas poem!)

8. Donner and Blitzen are German Words. Dunder and Blixem are Dutch. What do they mean in English?

9. Which 7 letter word can come **after...** **CREAM** **FIRE** **CHRISTMAS**

10. In the UK Christmas trees sell at a 3:1. Which sells more, artificial or natural.

The definition that the Met Office uses to define a white Christmas is for one snowflake to be observed falling in the 24 hours of 25 December somewhere in the UK.

11. Guess the year! When was the last 'White Christmas' in the UK?

- a. **2010** b. **2012** c. **2014**

12. What Christmas item takes its name from the old French word meaning 'Spark'?

Carol means 'dance or song'.

13. **TRUE** or **FALSE**: Carols used to be sung during all 4 seasons. It's just that Christmas carols are the main tradition which survived.

14. Anagrams: Unscramble these seasonal words: **MOWNNAS** **WELFSKANO** **ICEPEMNI**