

Malaysia Independence Day Quiz

1. When is Malaysia's Independence Day celebrated?

- ☐ a) August 17
- ☐ b) August 31
- ☐ c) September 16
- ☐ d) July 31

(Answer: b) August 31)

2. What is Malaysia's Independence Day called in Malay?

- ☐ a) Hari Malaysia
- ☐ b) Hari Kebangsaan
- ☐ c) Hari Merdeka
- ☐ d) Hari Bangsa

(Answer: c) Hari Merdeka)

3. In which year did Malaysia gain independence from British rule?

- ☐ a) 1945
- ☐ b) 1957
- ☐ c) 1963
- ☐ d) 1965

(Answer: b) 1957)

4. Where was the official declaration of independence made?

- ☐ a) Merdeka Square, Kuala Lumpur
- ☐ b) Putrajaya Square
- ☐ c) Penang Field
- ☐ d) Johor Bahru Stadium

(Answer: a) Merdeka Square, Kuala Lumpur)

5. Who was the first Prime Minister of independent Malaysia?

- ☐ a) Tunku Abdul Rahman
- ☐ b) Tun Abdul Razak
- ☐ c) Hussein Onn
- ☐ d) Mahathir Mohamad

(Answer: a) Tunku Abdul Rahman)

6. What famous phrase did Tunku Abdul Rahman shout on Independence Day?

- ☐ a) Hidup Malaysia!
- ☐ b) Merdeka!
- ☐ c) Malaysia Boleh!

☐ d) Bebas!

(Answer: b) Merdeka!)

7. Which flag was hoisted for the first time on August 31, 1957?

☐ a) Union Jack

☐ b) Jalur Gemilang

☐ c) Sang Saka Malaya

☐ d) Bendera Rakyat

(Answer: b) Jalur Gemilang)

8. How many times did Tunku Abdul Rahman shout “Merdeka!” during the ceremony?

☐ a) Three

☐ b) Five

☐ c) Seven

☐ d) Nine

(Answer: c) Seven)

9. Which stadium hosted the official independence ceremony in 1957?

☐ a) Bukit Jalil National Stadium

☐ b) Merdeka Stadium

☐ c) Shah Alam Stadium

☐ d) Penang Stadium

(Answer: b) Merdeka Stadium)

10. What does the word “Merdeka” mean in English?

☐ a) Freedom

☐ b) Unity

☐ c) Peace

☐ d) Glory

(Answer: a) Freedom)

11. Which monarch was present at the 1957 independence declaration?

☐ a) Sultan of Selangor

☐ b) King George VI

☐ c) Queen Elizabeth II

☐ d) Yang di-Pertuan Agong

(Answer: d) Yang di-Pertuan Agong)

12. What is the name of Malaysia’s national anthem?

☐ a) Malaysia Boleh

☐ b) Negaraku

☐ c) Tanah Airku

☐ d) Jalur Gemilang

(Answer: b) Negaraku)

13. Which colonial power ruled Malaya before independence?

- ☐ a) Dutch
- ☐ b) Spanish
- ☐ c) British
- ☐ d) Portuguese

(Answer: c) British)

14. Which state in Malaysia was the first to be colonized by the British?

- ☐ a) Selangor
- ☐ b) Penang
- ☐ c) Malacca
- ☐ d) Perak

(Answer: b) Penang)

15. When is Malaysia Day celebrated, marking the formation of Malaysia?

- ☐ a) September 16
- ☐ b) August 31
- ☐ c) October 1
- ☐ d) July 4

(Answer: a) September 16)

