

International Day for the Eradication of Poverty Quiz

1. When is the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty celebrated?

- ☐ a) October 17
- ☐ b) September 21
- ☐ c) December 10
- ☐ d) November 14

(Answer: a) October 17)

2. Which organization established the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty?

- ☐ a) UNESCO
- ☐ b) United Nations
- ☐ c) WHO
- ☐ d) IMF

(Answer: b) United Nations)

3. In which year was the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty officially recognized by the UN?

- ☐ a) 1987
- ☐ b) 1990
- ☐ c) 1992
- ☐ d) 1995

(Answer: c) 1992)

4. Where was the first observance of the day held in 1987?

- ☐ a) Geneva, Switzerland
- ☐ b) Paris, France
- ☐ c) New York, USA
- ☐ d) Tokyo, Japan

(Answer: b) Paris, France)

5. Who initiated the first event that inspired this observance?

- ☐ a) Joseph Wresinski
- ☐ b) Nelson Mandela
- ☐ c) Mahatma Gandhi
- ☐ d) Kofi Annan

(Answer: a) Joseph Wresinski)

6. Which UN goal aims to end poverty in all its forms everywhere?

- ☐ a) Goal 1
- ☐ b) Goal 2
- ☐ c) Goal 3

o d) Goal 4

(Answer: a) Goal 1)

7. What is the primary aim of observing this day worldwide?

o a) To promote peace

o b) To raise awareness about poverty

o c) To protect the environment

o d) To celebrate economic growth

(Answer: b) To raise awareness about poverty)

8. What is the international poverty line set by the World Bank?

o a) \$1.25 per day

o b) \$1.90 per day

o c) \$2.50 per day

o d) \$3.00 per day

(Answer: b) \$1.90 per day)

9. Which region has the highest rate of extreme poverty?

o a) South Asia

o b) Sub-Saharan Africa

o c) Latin America

o d) Europe

(Answer: b) Sub-Saharan Africa)

10. What is the main reason behind global poverty according to the UN?

o a) Lack of education

o b) Conflict and inequality

o c) Natural disasters

o d) All of the above

(Answer: d) All of the above)

11. Which group is most affected by extreme poverty globally?

o a) Elderly

o b) Children

o c) Students

o d) Working professionals

(Answer: b) Children)

12. Which international initiative supports the fight against global poverty?

o a) UNICEF Programme

o b) UNDP Sustainable Development Goals

o c) WHO Health for All

o d) UNESCO Global Education Drive

(Answer: b) UNDP Sustainable Development Goals)

13. What percentage of the world lived in extreme poverty in 1990?

- ☐ a) 25%
- ☐ b) 35%
- ☐ c) 36%
- ☐ d) 40%

(Answer: c) 36%)

14. Which event inspired the creation of the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty?

- ☐ a) A rally for human rights in Paris
 - ☐ b) UN Conference on Poverty
 - ☐ c) Millennium Summit
 - ☐ d) Global Development Forum
- (Answer: a) A rally for human rights in Paris)

15. Which phrase is often associated with the message of this day?

- ☐ a) "End poverty to end inequality."
 - ☐ b) "Stand together for dignity."
 - ☐ c) "Education for all."
 - ☐ d) "Save our planet."
- (Answer: b) "Stand together for dignity.")

