International Day of the Older People Quiz

1.	When is the International Day of Older Persons celebrated? o a) September 30 o b) October 1 o c) October 5 o d) November 1 (Answer: b) October 1)
2.	Which organization established the International Day of Older Persons? o a) WHO o b) UNDP o c) United Nations o d) UNESCO (Answer: c) United Nations)
3.	In which year was the International Day of Older Persons first observed? o a) 1990 o b) 1991 o c) 1992 o d) 1993 (Answer: b) 1991)
4.	Which UN body is responsible for issues related to ageing? o a) UN Women o b) UNDESA o c) UNEP o d) UNICEF (Answer: b) UNDESA)
5.	Which global health organization focuses on healthy ageing and elder care? o a) WHO o b) FAO o c) WTO o d) ILO (Answer: a) WHO)
6.	Which age is commonly considered the beginning of 'old age' by the UN? o a) 55 years o b) 60 years o c) 65 years

od) 70 years

(Answer: b) 60 years)

7. Which region of the world has the fastest-growing ageing population?

- o a) Africa
- o b) Asia
- o c) Europe
- o d) South America

(Answer: b) Asia)

8. What is the main goal of celebrating the International Day of Older Persons?

- o a) To promote youth leadership
- o b) To honor senior citizens and their contributions
- o c) To raise awareness about children's rights
- o d) To promote sports among elders

(Answer: b) To honor senior citizens and their contributions)

9. Which decade is recognized as the United Nations Decade of Healthy Ageing?

- o a) 2010-2020
- o b) 2021-2030
- o c) 2022–2032
- o d) 2015-2025

(Answer: b) 2021–2030)

10. Which of the following is a major issue faced by older persons worldwide?

- o a) Internet addiction
- o b) Age discrimination
- o c) Lack of education
- o d) Overpopulation

(Answer: b) Age discrimination)

11. What is the average global life expectancy for people born today?

- o a) Around 55 years
- o b) Around 65 years
- o c) Around 73 years
- o d) Around 80 years

(Answer: c) Around 73 years)

12. Which country has one of the world's highest proportions of elderly citizens?

- o a) Japan
- o b) India
- o c) Brazil
- o d) Canada

(Answer: a) Japan)

13. What type of abuse is commonly reported among older persons?

- o a) Financial and emotional abuse
- o b) Political abuse
- o c) Environmental abuse
- o d) Cultural abuse

(Answer: a) Financial and emotional abuse)

14. Which initiative encourages communities to become more age-friendly?

- o a) WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities
- o b) UN Sustainable Travel Program
- o c) International Labour Movement
- o d) Global Youth Development Network

(Answer: a) WHO Global Network for Age-friendly Cities and Communities)

15. Which international document highlights the rights of older persons?

- o a) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing
- o b) Paris Agreement
- o c) Kyoto Protocol
- o d) Geneva Convention

(Answer: a) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing)