

International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust Quiz

1. When is the International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust observed?

- a) January 26
- b) January 27
- c) February 21
- d) March 8

(Answer: b) January 27)

2. Which organization designated January 27 as the Holocaust Remembrance Day?

- a) UNESCO
- b) European Union
- c) United Nations
- d) International Red Cross

(Answer: c) United Nations)

3. What historical event does January 27 mark?

- a) End of World War II
- b) Signing of the UN Charter
- c) Liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau
- d) Fall of Nazi Germany

(Answer: c) Liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau)

4. What does the term “Holocaust” refer to?

- a) A political movement
- b) A peace treaty
- c) Genocide during World War II
- d) A military campaign

(Answer: c) Genocide during World War II)

5. Approximately how many Jewish people were killed during the Holocaust?

- a) 3 million
- b) 4 million
- c) 6 million
- d) 10 million

(Answer: c) 6 million)

6. Which group was the primary target of the Holocaust?

- a) Political leaders

b) Jewish people

c) Military prisoners

d) Refugees

(Answer: b) Jewish people)

7. Which Nazi regime leader was responsible for planning the Holocaust?

a) Joseph Goebbels

b) Heinrich Himmler

c) Adolf Hitler

d) Hermann Göring

(Answer: c) Adolf Hitler)

8. Auschwitz-Birkenau was primarily known as a:

a) Labor camp

b) Prison camp

c) Concentration and extermination camp

d) Refugee camp

(Answer: c) Concentration and extermination camp)

9. Besides Jewish people, which group was also persecuted during the Holocaust?

a) Scientists

b) Journalists

c) Roma people

d) Industrial workers

(Answer: c) Roma people)

10. What symbol is commonly associated with Holocaust remembrance?

a) Olive branch

b) Yellow Star of David

c) White poppy

d) Broken chain

(Answer: b) Yellow Star of David)

11. Which war provided the historical context for the Holocaust?

a) World War I

b) Cold War

c) World War II

d) Balkan War

(Answer: c) World War II)

12. What was a “ghetto” during the Holocaust period?

a) Military base

b) Secret resistance camp

c) Area where Jews were forcibly confined

- d) Refugee shelter

(Answer: c) Area where Jews were forcibly confined)

13. Which continent was most affected by Holocaust events?

- a) Asia
- b) Europe
- c) Africa
- d) North America

(Answer: b) Europe)

14. What is the main purpose of observing this international day?

- a) To celebrate victory in war
- b) To promote tourism
- c) To remember victims and prevent genocide
- d) To honor military leaders

(Answer: c) To remember victims and prevent genocide)

15. Which value is most strongly promoted through Holocaust remembrance?

- a) Economic growth
- b) Technological progress
- c) Human rights and dignity
- d) Nationalism

(Answer: c) Human rights and dignity)

