



*Australian Teacher*

Quizzes  
Years 7-10

Quizzes may be presented orally with students either raising hands or writing down answers.

Alternatively the quizzes could serve as short research tasks with a 2-3 minute talk to be given on any one of the topics.

*Solutions are in **red** on page immediately following quiz.*

# Years 7-10 Quiz 1

1. The Himalaya Mountains are in  
*South America/ Africa/ Asia*
2. Napoleon was a famous  
*general/ artist/ composer*
3. The world's largest ocean is the  
*Pacific/ Indian/ Atlantic*
4. The capital city of Italy is  
*Milan/ Paris/ Rome*
5. Marco Polo went on a long journey  
*by ship/ on foot/ by sled*
6. Tigers are native to  
*Africa/ Asia/ both Africa and Asia*
7. Picasso was a famous  
*artist/ musician/ writer*
8. Which of these has a coastline?  
*Sweden/ Switzerland/ both*
9. Which of these has a coastline?  
*Uganda/ Zimbabwe/ neither*
10. Tectonic plates are  
*in valleys/ in mountain ranges/ below the ground*

# ***Solutions to Years 7-10 Quiz 1***

- 1.** Asia
- 2.** general
- 3.** Pacific
- 4.** Rome
- 5.** on foot
- 6.** Asia
- 7.** artist
- 8.** Sweden
- 9.** neither
- 10.** below the ground

# Years 7-10 Quiz 2

1. You might see a mirage in a  
*mirror/ desert/ volcano's crater*
2. The three primary colours are red, blue and  
*brown/ white/ yellow*
3. Crabs are  
*crustaceans/ molluscs/ sea anemones*
4. The first man on the moon was Neil  
*Armstrong/ Diamond/ Thomas*
5. Igneous refers to a type of  
*animal/ vegetable/ rock*
6. Cellos are musical  
*notes/ compositions/ instruments*
7. Black holes have no  
*gravity/ light/ mass*
8. Rembrandt was a famous  
*dancer/ artist/ writer*
9. Our voice box is called the  
*larynx/ coccyx/ sternum*
10. The age of a tree may be found by counting its  
*leaves/ branches/ rings*

# ***Solutions to Yrs 7-10 Quiz 2***

- 1. desert**
- 2. yellow**
- 3. crustaceans**
- 4. Armstrong**
- 5. rock**
- 6. instruments**
- 7. light**
- 8. artist**
- 9. larynx**
- 10. rings**

# Years 7-10 Quiz 3

1. London Bobbies are  
*soldiers/ policemen/ firemen*
2. A light year is a  
*distance/ period of time/ speed*
3. Compared to  $\frac{3}{5}$ , 40% is  
*less/ greater/ equal*
4. Hesitant means  
*careful/ impatient/ six-sided*
5. 'Pyro' has to do with  
*snakes/ fire/ pyramids*
6. Full moons occur approximately every  
*2 weeks/ 4 weeks/ 2 months*
7. Switzerland is well-known for producing  
*computers/ clocks and watches/ automobiles*
8. Moscow is a city in  
*Mongolia/ Russia/ Poland*
9. The capital city of India is  
*New Delhi/ Mumbai/ Chennai*
10. A medieval plague was the  
*White Death/ Grey Death/ Black Death*

# ***Solutions to Yrs 7-10 Quiz 3***

- 1. policemen**
- 2. distance**
- 3. less**
- 4. careful**
- 5. fire**
- 6. 4 weeks**
- 7. clocks and watches**
- 8. Russia**
- 9. New Delhi**
- 10. Black Death**