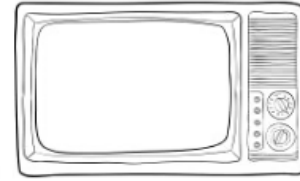


# Trivia for Seniors



Select the best answer for each of the following questions.

1. According to legend, tea was first discovered by whom?
  - a. by Tutankhamun, Pharaoh of Egypt
  - b. by Shennong, Emperor of China
  - c. by Charles Grey, Earl of Bergamot
  - d. by Fiacre, patron saint of medicinal herbs
2. Herbal, spice, and floral ☐teas☐ are more accurately known as tisanes, infusions, and decoctions. All *true* teas come from the plant *Camellia sinensis*. They include black, green, white, and all but which of the following?
  - a. yellow
  - b. Chamomile
  - c. Oolong
  - d. Pu-erh
3. In 1773, a group of American patriots dressed as Native Americans threw 342 chests of tea into the Boston Harbor. Why?
  - a. to protest the poor quality of tea
  - b. to celebrate God's bountiful blessings
  - c. to protest the British tea tax
  - d. to counteract an algae bloom in the bay
4. American Thomas Sullivan invented the tea bag in 1908. Of what were those original tea bags made?
  - a. rice paper
  - b. cotton muslin
  - c. waxed parchment
  - d. hand-sewn silk
5. In 1930, William McKerchor introduced the CTC manufacturing method, which made tea more affordable by speeding up the production process. What does CTC refer to?
  - a. Crush, Tear, Curl
  - b. Controlled Toasting Conveyer
  - c. Cold Tea Compress
  - d. Cut, Trim, Crate
6. Tea is the second most consumed beverage on earth. What's the first?
  - a. milk
  - b. beer
  - c. Coca Cola
  - d. water
7. China is the top tea growing country by weight. What is the top tea exporting country by value?
  - a. United Kingdom
  - b. India
  - c. Kenya
  - d. Sri Lanka
8. On average, US citizens use ½ lb. of tea annually as opposed to the 7 lbs. of tea a year consumed by natives of the country with the highest per capita consumption rate:
  - a. Turkey
  - b. United Kingdom
  - c. Morocco
  - d. Russia
9. In Morocco, it is customary to offer guests at least three cups of tea per visit. What do these three cups symbolize?
  - a. life, love, and death
  - b. laughter, luxury, and longevity
  - c. eating, drinking, and merrymaking
  - d. sun, moon, and stars
10. In Tibet, black tea is traditionally served with what mixed into it?
  - a. cinnamon and sugar
  - b. yak butter and salt
  - c. turmeric and lemon
  - d. sweetened condensed milk
11. Pu-erh tea is grown in the Yunnan province of China and sold in brick-like cakes. Ounce for ounce, some pu-erh is even more expensive than gold. Why?
  - a. it's wrapped in 14-ct gold foil
  - b. its scarcity drives the price up
  - c. aging/fermenting process takes so long
  - d. all of the above

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