

Tudor Fact Run – Plenary

1. Water was so filled with disease that Tudors mostly drank what instead?

- A. cough syrup
- B. light beer and wine
- C. water – it was all they could afford!
- D. rola cola

2. The Tudor family ruled during which dates?

- A. 1400 – 1455
- B. 1623 – 1776
- C. 1485 – 1603
- D. 1500 – 1711

3. Which of the following were common Tudor punishments for crime?

- A. hung, drawn and quartered
- B. beheading
- C. locked in the stocks
- D. all of the above!

4. Which of the following was not one of Henry VIII's wives?

- A. Anne Boleyn
- B. Catherine Howard
- C. Anne of Cleves
- D. Jane Seeless

5. What was the name of the fleet of ships that attacked England?

- A. the French Squadron
- B. the Spanish Armada
- C. the Moroccan Navy
- D. the Scottish Fleet

6. Where was King Richard III's body found?

- A. a supermarket in Brighton
- B. a car park in Leicester
- C. a post office in Birkenhead
- D. a skate park in Grimsby

7. What sort of items did a Tudor merchant trade?

- A. bricks
- B. ink
- C. salt and spices
- D. sand

8. How did many Tudor doctors first diagnose illnesses?

- A. sniffing and tasting the patient's urine
- B. looking at blood with a magnifying glass
- C. wiping the patient's snot on a bandage
- D. staring at the patient's wound

9. Which of these sports was Henry VIII particularly talented at?

- A. football
- B. merrills
- C. jousting
- D. tiddlywinks

10. At which battle did the Tudor family rise to power?

- A. The Battle of Plymouth Harbour
- B. The Battle of Carlisle Bridge
- C. The Battle of Bosworth Field
- D. The Battle of Cardiff Castle

11. Which family ruled before the Tudors?

- A. The Plantagenets
- B. The Foresters
- C. The Bushells
- D. The Treemaines

12. What was the Mary Rose?

- A. One of Henry VIII's wives
- B. A church in London
- C. A ship
- D. Shakespeare's theatre

13. What was Sir Francis Drake famous for?

- A. Flying around the globe in a hot-air balloon
- B. Running really, really fast
- C. Climbing the world's highest mountain
- D. Travelling around the world on a ship

14. What was a Tudor football made out of?

- A. A pig's bladder
- B. A horse's mane
- C. A human's hair
- D. A cow's stomach

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15. How long did the majority of Tudors live for?

- A. 12 years
- B. 85 years
- C. 60 years
- D. 35 – 40 years

16. Which church did Henry VIII create?

- A. The Catholic Church
- B. The Church of England
- C. The Protestant Church
- D. The Church of Henry

17. Which of these is *not* a Tudor cure?

- A. Drinking lice in ale
- B. Holding rope to your head
- C. Draining blood with leeches
- D. Sitting in a hen coop

18. Where is the Mary Rose now?

- A. In a museum
- B. Rebuilt and sailing
- C. At the bottom of the sea
- D. It no longer exists

19. Who did Elizabeth I behead to keep power?

- A. Mary, Queen of Scots
- B. Sir Francis Drake
- C. William Shakespeare
- D. Henry VIII

20. What is pottage?

- A. A misspelled cottage
- B. A kind of thick soup or stew
- C. A small pot
- D. A bowl of porridge

21. What was the punishment for high treason (speaking ill of the monarchy)?

- A. The whipping post
- B. No punishment – it's no big deal!
- C. The rack
- D. Hung, drawn and quartered

22. What did Tudors believe caused illness?

- A. The movement of stars and planets
- B. Doing bad things
- C. Bad smells
- D. All of the above

23. What was a benefit of being Groom of the King's Close Stool?

- A. Receiving the King's clothes
- B. Being close to the King on the toilet
- C. Living in small quarters
- D. Receiving a small wage

24. Which region was considered the 'New World' by the Tudors?

- A. Spain and Portugal
- B. Asia
- C. The Americas
- D. Africa

25. What was the main purpose of a Sunday?

- A. To stay at home and relax
- B. To go to church
- C. To play sports
- D. To go to work

26. How long did Elizabeth I reign?

- A. 5 years
- B. 20 years
- C. 80 years
- D. 45 years

27. How many wives did King Henry VIII have?

- A. Six
- B. None
- C. Four
- D. Eight

28. Which ruling family followed the Tudors?

- A. The Chesters
- B. The Stuarts
- C. The Moors
- D. The Percivals

Tudor Fact Run – Answer card



“Let’s see what the kids have learnt! Cut up the question cards and place them on tables, one per child. Provide each child with an answer card. Select a given amount of time (10 seconds, for example) for children to answer the multiple-choice question on the answer card in the correct question number, and then move round the table on to the next question.”

Answers		1. B	2. C	3. D	4. D	5. B	6. B	7. C	8. A
9. C	10. C	11. A	12. C	13. D	14. A	15. D	16. B	17. D	18. A
19. A	20. B	21. D	22. D	23. A	24. C	25. B	26. D	27. A	28. B

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