



Presidents Day 2021 is coming up! How well – and how much – do you know about the U.S. Presidents? Test your knowledge with these fun trivia questions ...

1. Who was the first U.S. president to be born an American citizen?
a. Martin Van Buren b. Andrew Jackson c. John Quincy Adams d. William Henry Harrison
2. How many presidents have died on the Fourth of July?
a. 3 b. 0 c. 2 d. 1
3. Who was the first president to have a state car custom built to Secret Service standards?
a. Lyndon Johnson b. John F. Kennedy. c. Harry Truman d. Franklin D. Roosevelt
4. Which president was the first to call his residence in Washington, D.C. the "White House"?
a. Theodore Roosevelt b. Franklin Pierce c. James Madison d. William McKinley
5. Which president served the shortest amount of time?
a. William Taft b. William Henry Harrison c. Calvin Coolidge d. Zachary Taylor
6. Who was the first president born in a hospital?
a. Lyndon Johnson b. John F. Kennedy c. Herbert Hoover d. Jimmy Carter
7. Who was the first president to speak over the radio?
a. Warren G. Harding b. Woodrow Wilson c. Calvin Coolidge d. William McKinley
8. Who was the first president whose mother was eligible to vote and voted for him?
a. William McKinley b. William H. Taft c. Franklin D. Roosevelt d. Herbert Hoover
9. Which president had a pet mockingbird named "Dick"?
a. Dwight D. Eisenhower b. Thomas Jefferson c. Richard Nixon d. Millard Fillmore
10. This president is the only president to have won a Pulitzer Prize for his autobiography.
a. Andrew Johnson b. Abraham Lincoln c. Ronald Reagan d. John F. Kennedy

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Answers:

1. a. Martin Van Buren, born in Kinderhook, New York in 1782. He was the first president to be born a citizen of the United States and not a British subject.
2. a. Three. John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died within a few hours of each other on July 4, 1826 and James Monroe died on July 4, 1831.
3. d. Franklin D. Roosevelt. Prior to his administration, presidents rode in stock, unmodified cars. His custom car was built with armor plating, inch-thick doors and storage areas for pistols and sub-machine guns.
4. a. Theodore Roosevelt. Prior to his term, it had been called the Executive Mansion or the President's House.
5. b. William Henry Harrison, who died just 32 days after taking office
6. d. Jimmy Carter, born at the Wise Sanitarium in Plains, Georgia
7. a. Warren G. Harding on June 14, 1922
8. c. Franklin D. Roosevelt
9. b. Thomas Jefferson, and the bird often rode on his shoulder
10. d. John F. Kennedy for "Profiles in Courage"

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