

MoNdAy FuNnIeS

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Monday was made for wisdom. That is the only way some people can make it through the week. RIGHT? If my message did not come they would be a mess all week. Ha ha ha ha.

HERE IS WISDOM:

There is very little difference in people but that little difference makes a big difference. This difference is attitude. The big difference is whether it is positive or negative.

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**JUST TO MAKE SURE YOU SMILE A WHILE:**

**Definitive proof that our system of elementary science education is the best in the world.**

**The following are all quotes from 11 year olds' science exams:**

- 1. "Water is composed of two gins, Oxygen and Hydrogin. Oxygen is pure gin. Hydrogin is gin and water. H2O is hot water, and CO2 is cold water"**
- 2. "When you breathe, you inspire. When you do not breathe, you expire."**
- 3. "To collect fumes of sulfur, hold a deacon over a flame in a test tube"**
- 4. "When you smell an odorless gas, it is probably carbon monoxide"**
- 5. "Nitrogen is not found in Ireland because it is not found in a free state"**
- 6. "Three kinds of blood vessels are arteries, vanes and caterpillars."**
- 7. "Blood flows down one leg and up the other."**

8. "Respiration is composed of two acts, first inspiration, and then expectoration."
9. "The moon is a planet just like the earth, only it is even deader."
10. "Dew is formed on leaves when the sun shines down on them and makes them perspire."
11. "A super-saturated solution is one that holds more than it can hold."
12. "Mushrooms always grow in damp places and so they look like umbrellas."
- 13 "The body consists of three parts- the brainium, the borax and the abominable cavity. The brainium contains the brain, the borax contains the heart and lungs, and the ominable cavity contains the bowels, of which there are five - a, e, i, o, and u."
14. "The pistol of a flower is its only protection against insects."
15. "The alimentary canal is located in the northern part of Indiana."
16. "The skeleton is what is left after the insides have been taken out and the outsides have been taken off. The purpose of the skeleton is something to hitch meat to."
17. "The tides are a fight between the Earth and moon. All water tends towards the moon, because there is no water in the moon, and nature abhors a vacuum. I forget where the sun joins in this fight."
18. "A fossil is an extinct animal. The older it is, the more extinct it is."
19. "Equator: A managerie lion running around the Earth through Africa."
20. "Germinate: To become a naturalized German."
21. "Liter: A nest of young puppies."
22. "Magnet: Something you find crawling all over a dead cat."
23. "Momentum: What you give a person when they are going away."

24. **"Planet: A body of Earth surrounded by sky."**
25. **"Rhubarb: A kind of celery gone bloodshot."**
26. **"Vacuum: A large, empty space where the pope lives."**
27. **"Before giving a blood transfusion, find out if the blood is affirmative or negative."**
28. **"To remove dust from the eye, pull the eye down over the nose."**
29. **"For a nosebleed: Put the nose much lower than the body until the heart stops."**
30. **"For drowning: Climb on top of the person and move up and down to make Artificial perspiration."**
31. **"For fainting: Rub the person's chest or, if a lady, rub her arm above the hand instead. Or put the head between the knees of the nearest medical doctor."**
32. **"For dog bite: put the dog away for several days. If he has not recovered, then kill it."**
33. **"For asphyxiation: Apply artificial respiration until the patient is dead."**
35. **"For head cold: use an agonizer to spray the nose until it drops in your throat."**
36. **"To keep milk from turning sour: Keep it in the cow."**
37. **"A permanent set of teeth consists of eight canines, eight cuspids, two molars, and eight cuspidors."**

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**The world's easiest quiz (or is it?)**

1. How long did the Hundred Years War last?
2. Which country makes Panama hats?
3. From which animal do we get catgut? 4. In which month do Russians celebrate the October Revolution?
5. What is a camel's hair brush made of?
6. The Canary Islands in the Pacific are named after what animal?
7. What was King George VI's first name?
8. What color is a purple finch?
9. Where are Chinese gooseberries from?
10. How long did the Thirty Years War last?

Answers:

1. 116 years, from 1337 to 1453.
2. Ecuador.
3. From sheep and horses.
4. November. The Russian calendar was 13 days behind ours.
5. Squirrel fur.
6. The Latin name was Insularia Canaria - Island of the Dogs.
7. Albert. When he came to the throne in 1936 he respected the wish of Queen Victoria that no future king should ever be called Albert.
8. Distinctively crimson.
9. New Zealand.
10. Thirty years, of course. From 1618 to 1648.

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**Make it a wonderful and happy week!!!!**  
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**Cordell & Janice Vail**



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