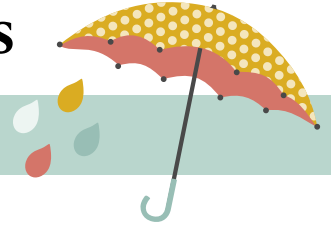


April Trivia Questions & Answers



General April Trivia Questions

- 1 What are April showers said to bring?
- 2 April may be the 4th month of the year now. But what month was it in the early Julian calendar?
- 3 How many days did April have in the early Julian calendar?
- 4 What did the Romans call April?
- 5 What are April's two zodiac signs?
- 6 What is April's birthstone?
- 7 What are April's two birth flowers?
- 8 April is the first full month of what in the Northern Hemisphere?
- 9 What meteor shower happens over 10 days in April running from approximately April 16-26?
- 10 Who wrote the poem that gave us the phrase April showers bring May flowers?
- 11 In France, April 1 is called *Poisson d'Avril*. What trick do people play on each other?

April History Questions

- 1 What happened in the North Atlantic on April 14, 1912?
- 2 "Houston we have a problem" is a misquote from Apollo 13. What was really said on April 11, 1970?
- 3 What happened in the Soviet Union on April 26, 1986?
- 4 What famous car did Ford unveil in April of 1964?
- 5 What began on April 19, 1775?
- 6 Which US president was inaugurated on April 30, 1789?
- 7 In April 1998, a federal judge dismissed a sexual harassment case against this American politician. Who was it?
- 8 Who claimed Florida for the Spanish in April of 1513?
- 9 Which US Mint was established in April of 1792?
- 10 Argentinian troops invaded what British colony on April 2, 1882?
- 11 The Pony Express started in the American West in April of 1860. How long did it last?

- 12 The European Recovery Program was signed on April 3, 1948 by President Harry Truman. What was it better known as?
- 13 Who was shot and killed in Memphis, TN on April 4, 1968?
- 14 What significant event in world history occurred on April 6, 1917?
- 15 The 17th Amendment was ratified in April of 1913. What did it grant?
- 16 This event officially ended the Civil War on April 8, 1865. What was it?
- 17 The Civil Rights bill passed by Congress in April of 1866 granted what?
- 18 April 12, 1861 marked the start of what?
- 19 The first man went into space on April 12, 1961. What was his name?
- 20 What military fiasco occurred in April of 1961?
- 21 On April 18, 1775, the infamous Midnight Ride occurred. One of the riders was Paul Revere. Who was the other?
- 22 What jolted people in the Bay Area awake on April 18, 1906?
- 23 What burned to the ground in Waco, TX on April 19, 1993?
- 24 Who was elected president in South Africa in April of 1994?
- 25 What was the name of the ship that, on April 28, 1789, the crew committed mutiny against Captain William Bligh?
- 26 On April 29, 1992, a not guilty verdict led to this widespread event. What was it?
- 27 What boxer was stripped of his world heavyweight title in April of 1967 because he refused to be inducted in the American military due to religious exemption?

Special Days/Events in April Questions

- 1 What happens every year on April 22?
- 2 What tree-themed holiday occurs every April?
- 3 What PGA major is played every April?
- 4 April 8 is widely celebrated around the world as the birthdate of what religious figure?
- 5 April 9 is a holiday dedicated to celebrating what sparkly mythological creature?
- 6 What professional sport begins its season in April in the US and Canada?
- 7 What year was the first Earth Day celebrated?
- 8 What flowery festival occurs in Washington, D.C. every April?

- 9 April 6 celebrates a fluffy fight we can get behind. What day is it?
- 10 Passover is traditionally celebrated in April. What does it celebrate?

Questions About Famous People Born in April

- 1 What Harry Potter star was born in April of 1990?
- 2 Which famous Danish fairy tale author was born in April of 1805?
- 3 Which of America's founding fathers was born on April 13, 1743?
- 4 Which famous bird illustrator was born in Haiti on April 26, 1785?
- 5 Which late-night funny man was born on April 12, 1947?
- 6 What famous writer, also known as The Bard of Avon, was born in April 1564?
- 7 Which *Almost Famous* actor, who was born on April 19, 1979, has two famous parents?

April Trivia Answer Key

General April Trivia Answers

- 1 May flowers
- 2 The fifth month
- 3 29
- 4 Aprillis
- 5 Aries and Taurus
- 6 Diamond
- 7 Daisy & sweet pea
- 8 Spring
- 9 The Leonids
- 10 Thomas Tusser
- 11 They pin a paper fish to each other's backs.

April History Answers

- 1 The sinking of the Titanic
- 2 "Houston, we've had a problem here."
- 3 The Chernobyl nuclear explosion
- 4 The Mustang
- 5 The American Revolutionary War
- 6 George Washington
- 7 William Jefferson Clinton
- 8 Ponce De Leon
- 9 Philadelphia
- 10 The Falkland Islands
- 11 2 years
- 12 The Marshall Plan

- 13 Martin Luther King, Jr.
- 14 The US Entered WWI in Europe
- 15 Direct popular election of senators
- 16 Robert E. Lee surrendered to Ulysses S. Grant at the Appotomax courthouse.
- 17 It granted Black people the rights and privileges of US citizenship.
- 18 The American Civil War
- 19 Yuri Gagarin
- 20 The Bay of Pigs Invasion
- 21 William Dawes
- 22 The San Francisco Earthquake
- 23 The Branch Davidian compound
- 24 Nelson Mandela
- 25 The Bounty
- 26 The LA Riots
- 27 Muhammed All

Special Days/Events in April Answers

- 1 Earth Day
- 2 Arbor Day
- 3 The Master's Tournament
- 4 Buddha
- 5 Unicorns
- 6 Baseball
- 7 1970
- 8 The Cherry Blossom Festival
- 9 National Pillow Fight Day
- 10 The Jews' exodus from slavery to freedom

Famous People Born in April Answers

- 1 Emma Watson
- 2 Hans Christian Andersen
- 3 Thomas Jefferson
- 4 John J. Audubon
- 5 David Letterman
- 6 William Shakespeare
- 7 Kate Hudson