GOLDEN PLAYBOX

Rivers and Lakes Trivia



Questions 1-4 | Circle one answer

1. Which river runs through London?

A. Seine
B. Tiber
C. Thames

2. Which river runs through Paris?

A. Rhine
B. Seine
C. Danube

3. Which river runs through Rome?

A. Loire
B. Tiber
C. Volga

4. Which river runs through Budapest?

A. Nile
B. Danube
C. Thames

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Questions 5-8 | Circle one answer

5. Which major river is closely associated with Egypt?

A. Nile
B. Amazon
C. Mekong

6. Which great river flows through the Amazon rainforest?

A. Rhine
B. Murray
C. Amazon

7. Which river is associated with the Grand Canyon?

A. Colorado
B. Hudson
C. Potomac

8. Which river runs through Washington, D.C.?

A. Potomac
B. Seine
C. Po

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Questions 9-12 | Circle one answer

9. Which lake is one of North America's Great Lakes?

A. Lake Titicaca
B. Lake Como
C. Lake Superior

10. Lake Titicaca lies between Peru and which other country?

A. Canada
B. Spain
C. Bolivia

11. Which lake is well known in northern Italy?

A. Lake Baikal
B. Lake Como
C. Lake Victoria

12. Which Russian lake is famous for being the world's deepest freshwater lake?

A. Lake Baikal
B. Lake Erie
C. Lake Geneva

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Answer guide 1-4 | Keep with host

1. C. Thames

The Thames runs through London. It links many familiar city views, making the answer accessible through photographs and stories as well as personal travel.

2. B. Seine

The Seine runs through Paris. Its relationship to the city is the key clue, rather than its total length or the number of bridges across it.

3. B. Tiber

The Tiber runs through Rome. Matching a river to a city creates a manageable geographical connection without asking participants to trace the entire drainage basin.

4. B. Danube

The Danube runs through Budapest and many other European places. The question names one recognizable city rather than suggesting that the river belongs to a single country.

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Answer guide 5-8 | Keep with host

5. A. Nile

The Nile is closely associated with Egypt and also flows through or draws water from other countries. Avoid reducing a multinational river system to only one place.

6. C. Amazon

The Amazon flows through the rainforest region that shares its name. Its tributaries form a large river system, which is different from considering only the main channel.

7. A. Colorado

The Colorado River runs through the Grand Canyon. This link connects the river round with a national parks theme without requiring knowledge of present flow management.

8. A. Potomac

The Potomac borders and runs alongside Washington, D.C. The city-river association is a broad geographical clue rather than a question about exact municipal boundaries.

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Answer guide 9-12 | Keep with host

9. C. Lake Superior

Lake Superior is one of the Great Lakes. The alternatives are real lakes elsewhere, making the task one of regional recognition rather than invented-name elimination.

10. C. Bolivia

Lake Titicaca is shared by Peru and Bolivia. The question highlights a cross-border lake, complementing the round's examples of rivers that connect multiple places.

11. B. Lake Como

Lake Como is in northern Italy. Its familiar name offers a European lake example without asking participants to recall tourist towns or current travel arrangements.

12. A. Lake Baikal

Lake Baikal is the deepest freshwater lake. Depth is the specific distinction here; largest surface area and greatest volume are separate comparisons with different meanings.