

World Wildlife Day (3 March)

Earth is home to countless species of living creatures and plants, each of which is important for our planet. On 20 December 2013, the United Nations General Assembly declared 3 March World Wildlife Day so that people will take time to consider the importance of the wildlife around them. Scientists are always searching for life on other planets but as of yet have not found complex life outside of Earth.

**Solve each question below. Then use the key to find the answer to the joke. Letters can be used more than once.**

1.  $\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{15} =$

2. Which is the largest of these fractions:  $\frac{2}{5}$   $\frac{3}{10}$   $\frac{3}{4}$   $\frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{13}{20}$

3. Write  $\frac{4}{16}$  in quarters.

4.  $\frac{1}{5} \times 4 =$

5.  $\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{3} =$

**Did you know?**  
The Earth is in 'The Goldilocks Zone' in our solar system. This refers to the area around a star where the temperature is just right for liquid water and possible life.

6. What is double one third?

7. Write  $\frac{3}{2}$  as a mixed number.

8.  $\frac{3}{7} \times 2 =$

9. Which is smaller:  $\frac{1}{4}$  or  $\frac{2}{5}$ ?

10.  $1\frac{3}{4} \times 2 =$

11.  $12 = \frac{?}{7}$  of 36

12.  $\frac{11}{12} - \frac{1}{4} =$

13.  $2\frac{1}{3} - \frac{5}{6} =$

14. Write  $1\frac{1}{3}$  as an improper fraction.

15.  $5 = \frac{?}{7}$  of 20

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>M</b>
$3\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$2\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{5}{6}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{7}$	$2\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{10}$	$\frac{1}{3}$
<b>N</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Z</b>
$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{5}$	$\frac{3}{5}$	$\frac{6}{7}$	$\frac{4}{3}$	$1\frac{3}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{2}{7}$	$\frac{13}{15}$	$1\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{13}{21}$	$\frac{5}{23}$

**When is it bad luck to see a black cat?**

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| 1.  | $\frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{15} =$  | $\frac{13}{15}$ | <b>W</b> |
| 2.  | Which is the largest of these fractions: $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{3}{10}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{13}{20}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$   | <b>H</b> |
| 3.  | Write $\frac{4}{16}$ in quarters.   | $\frac{1}{4}$   | <b>E</b> |
| 4.  | $\frac{1}{5} \times 4 =$  | $\frac{4}{5}$   | <b>N</b> |
| 5.  | $\frac{2}{7} + \frac{1}{3} =$   | $\frac{13}{21}$ | <b>Y</b> |
| 6.  | What is double one third?   | $\frac{2}{3}$   | <b>O</b> |
| 7.  | Write $\frac{3}{2}$ as a mixed number.  | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ | <b>U</b> |
| 8.  | $\frac{3}{7} \times 2 =$  | $\frac{6}{7}$   | <b>R</b> |
| 9.  | Which is smaller: $\frac{1}{4}$ or $\frac{2}{5}$ ?  | $\frac{1}{4}$   | <b>E</b> |
| 10. | $1 \frac{3}{4} \times 2 =$  | $3 \frac{1}{2}$ | <b>A</b> |
| 11. | $12 = \frac{?}{7}$ of 36  | $\frac{1}{3}$   | <b>M</b> |
| 12. | $\frac{11}{12} - \frac{1}{4} =$   | $\frac{2}{3}$   | <b>O</b> |
| 13. | $2 \frac{1}{3} - \frac{5}{6} =$   | $1 \frac{1}{2}$ | <b>U</b> |
| 14. | Write $1 \frac{1}{3}$ as an improper fraction.  | $\frac{4}{3}$   | <b>S</b> |
| 15. | $5 = \frac{?}{7}$ of 20   | $\frac{1}{4}$   | <b>E</b> |

When is it bad luck to see a black cat?

When you're a mouse.