



Guide
Dogs

90
Years

In 1948, the then, Princess Elizabeth personally presented a guide dog to a blind South African soldier, the first guide dog ever in that country.

Guide Dogs 90 Year Anniversary Quiz



- Who were the two innovative women who started training dogs to support servicemen who had lost their sight in the First World War?
a. Muriel Cooke and Rosamund Bond - Answer
b. Marianne Clarke and Rosemary Bond
c. Muriel Cooper and Rosamund Brand
d. Marianne Cooke and Rosemary Brand
- Where were the first guide dogs trained in the UK?
a. Leamington Spa
b. Redbridge
c. Merseyside - Answer
d. Manchester
- What were the names of the first four guide dogs?
a. Flash, Filly, Mesa and Josy
b. Flash, Folly, Meta and Judy - Answer
c. Flash, Fraser, Monty and Judy
d. Flash, Folly, Max and Josy
- What was the name of the guide dog puppy who appeared on Blue Peter in 1965?
a. Harry
b. Harriet
c. Honey - Answer
d. Hailey
- Which breed of dog was the first to be trained as a guide dog?
a. Labrador Retriever
b. German Shepherd - Answer
c. Golden Retriever
d. Swiss Mountain Dog
- In 1941, the 'Guide Dogs for the Blind Association' moved home for the first time. Where did they move to?
a. Leamington Spa - Answer
b. Forfar
c. Redbridge
d. Exeter
- During the war years, special arrangements were made for guide dogs. Which of the following is the only arrangement listed that was sanctioned by the government?
a. Special gas masks
b. Entry to air raid shelters - Answer
c. Evacuation
d. Extra meat ration
- In 1956, 'Guide Dogs for the Blind' made a decision to do something that was to lay the foundations of their future success. What did they institute for the first time in this year?
a. Breeding our own dogs
b. Introduce puppy raisers - Answer
c. Bring in dogs from other service dog charities
d. Changed to using just Labradors
- In 1954, 'Guide Dogs for the Blind' received their first Royal President, someone who later went on to become 'Patron'. Which member of the Royal Family was it?
a. Princess Alexandra - Answer
b. Duke of Kent
c. Princess Margaret
d. The Queen

- 10.** What was the name of Guide Dogs first magazine published in 1943, containing news, events and stories about our life-changing dogs and people?
- The Guide
 - Forward Magazine - Answer**
 - Guide Dogs Magazine
 - Guiding Today
- 11.** What year did Guide Dogs begin offering maintenance allowances to help guide dog owners with the cost of feeding their guide dogs?
- 1980
 - 1989
 - 1977
 - 1972 - Answer**
- 12.** What sight loss organisation did Guide Dogs merge with in 2017?
- RNIB
 - Blind Children UK - Answer**
 - The Partially Sighted Society
 - Visionary
- 13.** How many tailor-made books, enabling children with sight loss to enjoy reading just like their friends did Guide Dogs create in 2019?
- 850
 - 1500
 - 2800
 - 4000 - Answer**
- 14.** What volunteer led service was launched in 2013 to directly assist people living with sight loss?
- My Sighted Guide - Answer**
 - My Eyes
 - My Helper
 - My Volunteer
- 15.** What's the name of the canine service re-launched in 2020 to provide dogs to children with visual impairment?
- My Best Friend
 - Companion Dog
 - Buddy Dog - Answer**
 - Children's Guide Dog
- 16.** How many volunteers are there in Guide Dogs in 2021?
- Over 5,000
 - Over 7,000
 - Over 10,000
 - Over 14,000 - Answer**
- 17.** What breed of dog does Guide Dogs use the most for its guide dog service?
- German Shepherd
 - Golden Retriever
 - Labrador-Retriever Cross - Answer**
 - Labrador
- 18.** What is the name of the new Guide Dogs 24/7 telephone line to support anyone living with sight loss find the help they need?
- Help 24/7
 - Guide Dog 24/7
 - Guide Line - Answer**
 - Guide Dogs Help
- 19.** How many people in the UK are living with sight loss today?
- 875,000
 - 1.15 million
 - 1.75 million
 - 2.14 million - Answer**
- 20.** What is the percentage of people who will experience significant sight loss in their lifetime?
- 1 in 100
 - 1 in 250
 - 1 in 10
 - 1 in 5 - Answer**

80% of a child's learning takes place using vision, and every day they go without support can affect their development.



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