

7A COMMUNICATIVE History quiz

Student A

- a** Complete the questions with *was / were*. **b** Ask B your questions.

- 1 What _____ the old name for New York?
a New Copenhagen **b** New Rotterdam **c** New Amsterdam
- 2 Where _____ the 2010 Winter Olympics?
a Austria **b** Canada **c** Japan
- 3 Who _____ the Marx brothers?
a actors **b** musicians **c** film directors
- 4 Who _____ the composer of *Tosca* and *Madame Butterfly*?
a Verdi **b** Puccini **c** Rossini
- 5 How old _____ Marilyn Monroe when she died?
a 28 **b** 36 **c** 42
- 6 When _____ the attacks on the Twin Towers on 9/11?
a 2000 **b** 2001 **c** 2003
- 7 Where _____ Sigmund Freud born?
a Germany **b** Switzerland **c** Austria
- 8 What _____ the *Titanic's* first (and last) voyage?
a from England to the USA **b** from the USA to England **c** from England to Australia
- 9 How many countries _____ in the European Union in 2010?
a 17 **b** 27 **c** 37
- 10 What _____ the name of the first Apple computer?
a Apple I **b** iMac **c** Mac Classic

- c** Now answer B's questions.
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Student B

- a** Complete the questions with *was / were*. **b** Answer A's questions.

- 11 Who _____ Apollo, Zeus, and Pluto?
a Egyptian gods **b** Roman gods **c** Greek gods
- 12 Where _____ the Incas from?
a Peru **b** Brazil **c** Venezuela
- 13 What country _____ the first to use paper money?
a Japan **b** Nepal **c** China
- 14 What _____ the name of Michael Jackson's house?
a Graceland **b** Neverland **c** Prairie Chapel
- 15 Who _____ the last Tsar of Russia?
a Alexander III **b** Ivan the Terrible **c** Nicholas II
- 16 What nationality _____ the writers Oscar Wilde and James Joyce?
a Irish **b** Scottish **c** English
- 17 When _____ the Beijing Olympics?
a 2000 **b** 2008 **c** 2004
- 18 Which of these men _____ President of the USA in 2008?
a George W Bush **b** Bill Clinton **c** Barack Obama
- 19 Who was _____ Henry VIII's first wife?
a Jane Seymour **b** Catherine of Aragon **c** Anne Boleyn
- 20 Which _____ the first country to win the Football World Cup?
a Colombia **b** Chile **c** Uruguay

- c** Ask A your questions.

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