

# Primary School Quiz Answers

Children 10-11 years old

**By the end of the lesson, students should be able to answer the quiz about St. George, his significance, and St. George's Day traditions.**

## **Introduction (15 minutes)**

Briefly discuss the real Saint George as well as the myth that slayed a dragon. Explain his role as the patron saint of England.

Discuss his global popularity, mentioning he is patron saint of Portugal, Georgia, and Greece as an example.

Show how easy it is to remember St. George's Day (1,2,3,4 - there is 1 St. George's Day on the 23rd day of the 4th month).

Learn more; [www.stgeorgholiday.com/about-us/saint-george](http://www.stgeorgholiday.com/about-us/saint-george)

## **Historical Context (15 minutes)**

Provide a brief overview of the 3rd century and St. George's life. Explain King Edward III's decision to make St. George the patron saint of England.

Talk about how the dragon represented evil in medieval England, and that the dragon had no name (possibly ask the children to suggest a name for the dragon).

Learn more; [www.stgeorgholiday.com/wp-content/uploads/History\\_St\\_George\\_2025.pdf](http://www.stgeorgholiday.com/wp-content/uploads/History_St_George_2025.pdf)

## **Legend and Symbolism (15 minutes)**

Share the story of St. George defeating the dragon and discuss its moral: standing up for what is right. Show examples of the St. George's Cross and discuss its meaning. Link the red rose to love and bravery.

Download a St. George story from 1596 and posters or bunting;  
[www.stgeorgholiday.com/shop-free-downloads/free-downloads](http://www.stgeorgholiday.com/shop-free-downloads/free-downloads)

## **Shakespeare Connection (5 minutes)**

Read the famous line from Henry V: "Cry God for Harry, England, and St. George!" and explain its context. Mention that William Shakespeare was born and died on 23 April (St. George's Day).

## **Quiz (10 minutes)**

Conduct the quiz orally or as a written activity. Celebrate correct answers to reinforce learning.

## **Materials needed**

English flag image, storybook, quiz sheets, St. George posters and bunting.

## **Assessment**

Gauge understanding through quiz results and class participation.

## Notes

Print as many copies of the Quiz sheet as needed, ask each child to write their name at the top of the page.

The quiz sheet for 10-11 year-olds is here; [www.stgeorgholiday.com/wp-content/uploads/st-george-quiz-10-11-year-olds.pdf](http://www.stgeorgholiday.com/wp-content/uploads/st-george-quiz-10-11-year-olds.pdf)

## Answers

These are the answers to the 10-11 year-olds quiz:

**Q1. St. George is patron saint of which country?**

A1. England

**Q2. In which century did St. George live?**

Q2. 3rd Century

**Q3. What is the main symbol of St. George?**

A3. A red cross on a white background

**Q4. Which profession does St. George protect?**

A4. Soldiers

**Q5. What does the story of St. George defeating the dragon teach us?**

A5. To stand up for what is right

**Q6. Which other countries celebrate Saint George?**

A6. Portugal, Georgia, and Greece

**Q7. Why is the red rose a symbol of St. George's Day?**

A7. It represents love and bravery

**Q8. Which English King made St. George the country's patron saint?**

A8. King Edward III

**Q9. Which Shakespeare play has St. George?**

A9. Henry V

**Q10. How can you remember the date of St. George's Day**

A10. 1,2,3,4



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