General Knowledge Questions Answers <u>Topic: Inventions and Discoveries</u>

- 1. Who invented the telephone? Alexander Graham Bell
- What did Thomas Edison invent in 1879?
 The electric light bulb
- Who discovered gravity when an apple fell on his head?
 Sir Isaac Newton
- Which invention allows us to see tiny objects like germs?
 Microscope
- Who invented the first successful airplane?
 The Wright Brothers (Orville and Wilbur Wright)
- What did Johannes Gutenberg invent in the 15th century?
 The printing press
- Which scientist discovered penicillin, the first antibiotic?
 Alexander Fleming
- What invention helps us talk to people far away instantly?
 Telephone or Mobile Phone
- 9. Who invented the computer? (*Hint: Considered the "Father of the Computer"*)

Charles Babbage

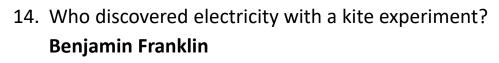
- What did Galileo Galilei invent to observe stars and planets?
 Telescope
- 11. Who discovered America? Christopher Columbus
- 12. Which country invented paper? China

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13. Which invention helps us keep food fresh for a long time?Refrigerator



- 15. What did the ancient Chinese invent that helps us find direction?Compass
- 16. Which invention allows us to watch movies and cartoons at home?Television (TV)
- 17. Who invented the World Wide Web (WWW)? Tim Berners-Lee
- What did Louis Pasteur discover that helps keep milk safe?
 Pasteurization
- 19. Which invention helps us travel underwater?Submarine
- 20. Who invented the first modern car? Karl Benz
- 21. What did Albert Einstein discover that changed our understanding of space and time?

Theory of Relativity

- 22. Which invention helps us take pictures instantly? Camera
- 23. Who invented the radio? Guglielmo Marconi
- 24. Who invented television? John Logie Baird

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