

Stonewall

ABOUT THIS RESOURCE

This resource is produced by Stonewall, a UK-based charity that stands for the freedom, equity and potential of all lesbian, gay, bi, trans, queer, questioning and ace (LGBTQ+) people.

At Stonewall, we imagine a world where LGBTQ+ people everywhere can live our lives to the full.

Founded in London in 1989, we now work in each nation of the UK and have established partnerships across the globe. Over the last three decades, we have created transformative change in the lives of LGBTQ+ people in the UK, helping win equal rights around marriage, having children and inclusive education.

Our campaigns drive positive change for our communities, and our sustained change and empowerment programmes ensure that LGBTQ+ people can thrive throughout our lives. We make sure that the world hears and learns from our communities, and our work is grounded in evidence and expertise.

To find out more about our work, visit us at www.stonewall.org.uk

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LGBT History Month 2016 - QUIZ

General Knowledge

1. What is the name of the landmark event that happened in New York, 1969, that was a catalyst for the gay and civil rights movement?
Answer: The Stonewall Riots
2. Britain's first openly gay MP Lord Chris Smith was elected to parliament in 1983. Which political party was he a member of?
Answer: The Labour Party
3. Which Rugby League Player came out as gay last year?
Answer: Keegan Hirst
4. During the Second World War, the Nazis deported up to 15,000 gay men to concentration camps. What symbol were they forced to wear to identify them as homosexual?
Answer: Pink Triangle
5. Who was the real life WWII hero that the film 'The Imitation Game' featuring Benedict Cumberbatch was based on?
Answer: Alan Turing
6. Which popular singer set up the charity 'The Happy Hippy Foundation' in 2015 to benefit LGBT homeless and at-risk youth?
Answer: Miley Cyrus
7. Which former boxing promoter transitioned before going on to appear in Celebrity Big Brother?
Answer: Kellie Maloney
8. Hephaestion was the male lover of which famous ancient King and conqueror?
Answer: Alexander the Great
9. Who of the following is a member of the US Supreme Court that voted to make same-sex marriage legal in the United States in 2015? a) Stephen Anthony Sotomayer b) Elena Day O'Connor c) Ruth Bader Ginsberg
Answer: c) Ruth Bader Ginsberg
10. Schools have the duty to prevent and tackle all forms of bullying; including homophobic, biphobic and transphobic bullying and they cannot discriminate on grounds of sexual orientation or perceived sexual orientation against a student or teacher. True or False?
Answer: True

Faith and the LGBT community

1. Which contemporary Christian rock singer came out as gay in 2014?
Answer: Vicky Beeching
2. How many people of faith do Stonewall work with through their Role Model programme?
Answer: 21
3. What per cent of lesbian, gay and bisexual young people attending faith schools report to have experienced direct homophobic bullying? Is it a) 65% b) 75% c) 80%
Answer: 75%
4. How many faith schools are Stonewall currently working with through their School Champions Programme?
Answer: 256
5. What percent of people of faith disagreed with the statement 'homosexuality is morally unacceptable in all circumstances?' Is it: a) 50% b) 68% c) 84%
Answer: 84%
6. Which of these is a group of Muslim organisations working towards sexual and gender diversity within Islam? a) CALEM b) Sarbat c) Quest
Answer: CALEM
7. Which country became the first in the world to allow gay marriages in 2001?
Answer: The Netherlands
8. What date did same-sex marriages become legal in the UK? Is it: a) 30 September 2013 b) 29 March 2014 c) 20 July 2014
Answer: 29 March 2014.