

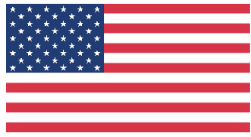


WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT MONTENEGRO?¹

Question cards and answers:

1. What is the highest peak in Montenegro? (*Zla Kolata in Prokletije mountains, 2,534 metres*)
2. Which town was related to Miguel de Cervantes? (*Ulcinj. According to legend, he was a slave and a son-in-law of pirates from Ulcinj. His statue was erected due to the big influence that his stay in Ulcinj had on his work and his most famous masterpiece in the world "Don Quixote".*)
3. Which countries does Montenegro border with? (*Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Albania and Croatia*)
4. What was Princess Ksenija famous for? (*She was the first woman in the Balkans who drove a car. She was an extremely educated and courageous woman.*)
5. What is the name of the only rainforest in Montenegro? (*Biogradska gora*)
6. What does the word Montenegro mean? (*The country's English name derives from a Venetian calque of the Slavic "Crna Gora," meaning "Black Mountain," due to the appearance of Mount Lovćen which was covered in dense evergreen forests.*)
7. What are ski resorts in Montenegro? (*Kolašin 1600, Savin kuk Žabljak, Cmiljača Bjelasica, Hajla Rožaje, Vučje, Ivanova korita, Javorovača*)
8. What is the name of the oldest school in Montenegro? (*Primary school "Njegoš" – Cetinje*)
9. What is the longest sand beach in Montenegro? (*Velika plaza Ulcinj*)

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Challenge cards and answers:

1. Name at least three towns in the north/south/central part of Montenegro. *(Possible answers: north – Pljevlja, Berane, Rožaje; south - Bar, Ulcinj, Budva; central - Podgorica, Nikšić, Cetinje)*
2. The river Bojana differs from other rivers in the world. How? *(It flows from Skadar Lake and into the Adriatic Sea, and it has fresh and salty water. It flows upstream and not downstream, like other rivers.)*
3. Name at least three rare species of birds/animals/plants. *(Birds – Dalmatian pelican (kudravi pelikan), peregrine falcon (sivi soko), and stork (roda); Animals – wild cat (ris), salamander (čovječija ribica), and black salamander (crni daždevnjak); Plants – Pančić spuce (Pančićeva omorika), Balkan pine (molika), and yew (tisa).)*
4. Name some typical characteristics / personality traits of Montenegrins. *(Possible answers: proud, brave, tall, have a very relaxed attitude towards life...)*
5. Name five slang words used only in Montenegro. *(Possible answers: makse, čoče, oli, ada nego, časti mi)*
6. Name the towns which lie on two coasts – lake and the sea. *(Bar and Ulcinj)*
7. Name the oldest theatre in Montenegro. *(The Royal Theatre "Zetski dom" is the oldest theatre institution in Montenegro.)*
8. Explain Billiard Palace's origins. *(It got its name 'Biljarda' (Billiard House) after the central room on the first floor which contained a billiard table, the favorite game of Petar II Petrović Njegoš.)*
9. Explain why postal service in Montenegro is famous in Europe. *(Montenegro is one of the first countries in Europe to introduce car transport of passengers and mail under its own management. In other countries private companies were hired for this work.)*