



Mexican Quiz



1	In which year were the Olympic Games held in Mexico?	1968
2	Which old Mexican civilization rose during the 14th century?	The Aztecs
3	What is the capital of Mexico?	Mexico City
4	During the First World War, which side did Mexico support?	It was neutral
5	Which spicy sauce is named after a place in Mexico?	Tabasco
6	Which Mexican leader was assassinated in 1923?	Pancho Villa
7	In which century did Mexico become a Spanish colony?	16th Century
8	Which Archduke of Austria was also Emperor of Mexico?	Maximillian in 1864
9	Which traditional Mexican dish consists of flat pancakes made with corn meal?	Tortilla
10	What is the principal religion of Mexico?	Roman Catholic
11	What are the three colours of the Mexican Flag?	Green, White, & Red
12	What is a Sombrero made of?	Palm or Felt
13	When and where did the Mexican wave originate?	During the 1968 Football World Cup
14	What was Mexico originally known as?	New Spain
15	Pronounce Mexico the Mexican way!	Me-Hee-Ho
16	What breed of dog is named after a Mexican state?	Chihuahua
17	What Mexican plant is hot to the tongue, but cold to the ear?	Chilli
18	What is the Mexican currency?	Mexican Peso
19	What Mexican food shares a name with an instrument used to record vehicle speed?	Taco or Tacho
20	Which leading Russian revolutionary was murdered in Mexico with an ice-pick	Leon Trotsky
21	What is the official language of Mexico?	Spanish
22	What is the name of the rapid rodent featured in humorous cartoon?	Speedy Gonzales
23	Name two of the four U.S. states border Mexico?	Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, California
24	What Mexican Mind-Blower consists of Tequila submerged in a glass of beer?	A Submarine
25	To which Mexican town did Phil Collins retire in the film "Buster"?	Acapulco
26	How many states does Mexico have?	Twenty-nine
27	What product can be harvested from a Sisal tree?	Hemp
28	What is the national Mexican alcoholic drink?	Pulque
29	What is the main export of Mexico?	Cotton

Tiebreaker question: An anagram of RIPPLY CREAK

Name a common cactus found in Mexico

Prickly Pear