



# Burns Night Quiz

How much do you know about Burns Night?

Do the quiz with a friend. Take turns to ask the questions. Start at number one.

When you know the answers, you can write a story about Burns Night.

<b>one</b> Is Burns Night an English or a Scottish festival?  <b>English</b> (go to 15)  <b>Scottish</b> (go to 6)	<b>two</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 14 and try again.       </div>	<b>three</b> <div> <b>Correct.</b>          Go to 20.       </div>	<b>four</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 11 and try again.       </div>
<b>five</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 16 and try again.       </div>	<b>six</b> <b>Correct.</b> Burns Night is the birthday of Robert Burns. When was he born? <b>25 January 1759</b> (go to 19) <b>25 August 1959</b> (go to 13)	<b>seven</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 9 and try again.       </div>	<b>eight</b> <b>Correct.</b> When do people celebrate Burns Night?  <b>in the morning</b> (go to 18) <b>in the evening</b> (go to 14)
<b>nine</b> <b>Correct.</b> What do men wear on Burns Night?  <b>a kilt</b> (go to 16) <b>a big hat</b> (go to 7)	<b>ten</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 19 and try again.       </div>	<b>eleven</b> <b>Correct.</b> What do people eat with haggis? <b>peas and carrots</b> (go to 4) <b>potatoes and turnips</b> (go to 17)	<b>twelve</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 17 and try again.       </div>
<b>thirteen</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 6 and try again.       </div>	<b>fourteen</b> <b>Correct.</b> On Burns Night people eat haggis. What is haggis? <b>a pie made of salmon and eggs</b> (go to 2) <b>a pudding made of meat, oats and spices</b> (go to 11)	<b>fifteen</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 1 and try again.       </div>	<b>sixteen</b> <b>Correct.</b> After the Burns dinner there is a big dance. What is it called? <b>a waltz</b> (go to 5) <b>a ceilidh</b> (go to 3)
<b>seventeen</b> <b>Correct.</b> Which musical instrument do people play on Burns Night? <b>the bagpipes</b> (go to 9) <b>the flute</b> (go to 12)	<b>eighteen</b> <div> <b>Wrong.</b>          Go back to 8 and try again.       </div>	<b>nineteen</b> <b>Correct.</b> Who is Robert Burns? <b>He is a famous poet.</b> (go to 8) <b>He is a famous dancer.</b> (go to 10)	<b>twenty</b> <div> <b>Finish</b>          Well done!          You know a lot about Burns Night.       </div>



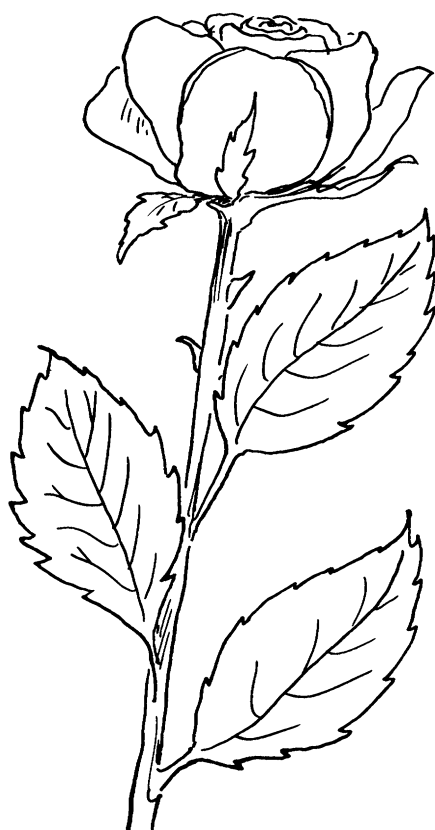
## Poem

Robert Burns wrote all his poems and songs in Scottish dialect. Scottish people read his poem 'To a Haggis' on Burns Night and they sing his song 'Auld Lang Syne' on New Year's Eve.

Here is a poem that you could write in a Valentine's card. A lot of the words are old Scottish words. What do these words mean in modern English? Find the words in the box.

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played      pretty      though      with      you      you are so beautiful

### My Love is Like a Red Red Rose



My love is like a red, red rose  
That's newly sprung in June;  
My love is like the (1) *melodie*  
That's sweetly (2) *play'd* in tune.



(3) *So fair art thou*, my (4) *bonnie* (5) *lass*,  
So deep in love am I:  
And I will love (6) *thee* still, my dear,  
Till (7) *a'* the seas (8) *gang* dry.



Till a' the seas gang dry, my dear,  
And the rocks melt (9) *wi'* the sun:  
And I will love thee still, my dear,  
While the sands (10) *o'* life shall run.



And (11) *fare thee weel*, my only love,  
And fare thee weel (12) *awhile*!  
And I will come again, my love,  
(13) *Tho'* it were ten thousand mile.



Find the picture that goes with each verse of the poem.

