



# David Walliams

## THE ICE MONSTER



## MULTIPLE CHOICE QUIZ

**TASK:** Can you score top marks in this quiz about The Ice Monster?

1. When was the story set?

- A. 1883
- B. 1889
- C. 1899
- D. 1998

2. In which city is the story set?

- A. London
- B. Paris
- C. New York
- D. Birmingham

3. How many orphans, including Elsie, lived at Wormly Hall?

- A. Six
- B. Twelve
- C. Sixty-two
- D. Twenty-six

4. How did Elsie escape from Wormly Hall?

- A. She climbed through an air vent
- B. She scraped a hole in the wall with her fingernails
- C. She sneaked through an unlocked door
- D. She hid in a pile of washing

5. How did Elsie find out about the Ice Monster?

- A. She read a story about it in the newspaper
- B. She heard Mrs Curdle telling her friend about it
- C. She heard the newspaper sellers holler the headlines
- D. She heard it on the radio





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6. What type of animal is the Ice Monster?

- A. A woolly mammoth
- B. A sabre-toothed tiger
- C. A Teratornis bird
- D. A pre-historic sloth

7. Who was the monarch during the story?

- A. Queen Elizabeth
- B. Queen Victoria
- C. King George
- D. King Charles

8. How did Dotty fly into the heart of the storm?

- A. Clinging to a kite
- B. On the back of an eagle
- C. With a rocket-fuelled jet-pack
- D. In a hot-air balloon

9. What noise does the mammoth make?

- A. Boo!
- B. Hoo!
- C. Shoo!
- D. Doo be doo!

10. What did Elsie name the mammoth?

- A. Woolly
- B. Malcolm
- C. Wendy
- D. Fluffy



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11. Where does Titch live?

- A. At the Natural History Museum
- B. At the Rainthorpe Hospital
- C. At the Royal Hotel
- D. At the Royal Hospital

12. Where did Elsie take the mammoth?

- A. The East Pole
- B. The South Pole
- C. The North Pole
- D. The West Pole

13. What is the name of the ship used to get the mammoth out of London?

- A. HMS Victory
- B. HMS Victoria
- C. HMS Victor
- D. HMS Verity

14. What is a Zeppelin?

- A. A German airship
- B. A 19th century boat
- C. A monster truck
- D. A pop band

15. What did Lady Buckshot arrive at the North Pole in?

- A. A Zeppelin
- B. A submarine
- C. A helicopter
- D. HMS Vivien





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16. Who or what did Elsie find at the North Pole?

- A. Her long-lost family
- B. A chest filled with treasure
- C. A herd of reindeer
- D. A herd of mammoths

17. What happened when the old soldiers returned to London after their adventure?

- A. Queen Victoria gave them gift vouchers
- B. Queen Victoria shouted 'Off with their heads'
- C. Queen Victoria awarded them medals
- D. Queen Victoria put them in prison



Answers: 1B, 2A, 3D, 4B, 5C, 6A, 7B, 8D, 9B, 10A, 11D, 12C, 13A, 14A, 15B, 16D, 17C

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*Understand what they read, in books they can read independently, by:*

- Asking questions to improve their understanding of a text