# E3 Christmaths quiz

## Answers

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- 1. Santa has 207 elves working for him all year round. At Christmas he employs 156 more. How many elves does he have in total? 207 + 156 = 363 elves
- 2. 57 elves get swine flu. How many are left? 363 57 = 306
- 3. Round this number to the nearest 100 elves. 300
- 4. There are 12 reindeer. Round this to the nearest 10. 10
- 5. Estimate how many working staff Father Christmas has. 300 + 10 = 310
- 6. Calculate how many staff Father Christmas has. (Elves and reindeer) 306 + 12 = 318
- 7. 3 elves pack 87 bars of soap into gift boxes. How many bars does each elf pack?  $87 \div 3 = 29$  bars
- 8. He gets £5.80 per hour plus 45p overtime. How much is this in total per hour? £5.80 + £0.45 = £6.25
- 9. Round this to the nearest pound. £6.00
- **10.** In one week the same elf works for 10 hours, plus 2 hours overtime. How much is this?  $\pounds 58 + \pounds 12.50 = \pounds 70.50$

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- **11.** Auntie Mabel drinks ½ a bottle of sherry before Christmas dinner. Which of these fractions are equivalent to ½? 2/4 7/12 3/6 1/6 6/12 2/3 ¾ 5/10 6/16 4/8 2/6
- **12.** Julie has bought a Christmas pizza. She eats 6/8 of it. Shade in 6/8 6 slices to be shaded
- **13.** Little Billy eats 8/10 of his giant Dairy Milk. Shade in 8/10.
- 14. The first garage you come to sells a litre of petrol for £1.34. 10 litres of petrol would that cost you £1.34 x 10 = £13.40
- 15. Bob gets a new tape measure for Christmas. How many millimetres are there in 1 centimetre? 10
- 16. The tape is 3 metres long. How many centimetres is that? 300
- 17. This is Jim's present: The height is 10cm, the length is 25cm and the width is 15cm. Mark these on the picture. To be labelled correctly – check with your tutor if needed.
- **18.** There are 2 spaces under the Christmas tree.
  - a) H 12cm, W 23cm, D 15cm
  - b) H 12cm, W 27cm, D 16cm.

Will Jim's present fit into either of these spaces? Yes - space b

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**19.** These are the presents received by a class of students:

Record the numbers of presents in this tally chart.

Gifts	Tally	Total
Chocolates	₩ ₩	9
Socks (pairs)	+++ +++ III	13
Toiletries	₩ 1	6
Diary	+++ III	9

20. What was the most popular present? Socks

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**21.** Calculate the total number of <u>individual</u> socks given as presents  $14 x^2 = 28$  socks

$10^{\text{th}}$ December 3 x5 = 15 trees	
11 <sup>th</sup> December 5 x 5 = 25 trees	
12 <sup>th</sup> December 4 x 5 = 20 trees	
13 <sup>th</sup> December 7 x 5 = 35 trees	
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22. How many trees were sold on 10<sup>th</sup> December? 15

- 23. How many more trees were sold on 13<sup>th</sup> December than 12<sup>th</sup> December? 35-20=15
- **24.** How many presents should I get altogether? 1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11+12=78
- 25. The 9 ladies dancing got lost in the post. How many did I actually receive? 78-9=69

