

Phobia Sampler Follow-Up Games

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Phobia Quiz

Try these ten questions about phobias *not* mentioned in the Sampler (answers on final page).

1. Vampires are said to suffer from *Alliumphobia*, fear of _____.
2. People in traffic accidents may develop *Amaxophobia*, the fear of _____.
3. Circuses are avoided by people with *Coulrophobia*, the fear of _____.
4. Brides and their little helpers better not have *Anthophobia*, fear of _____.
5. Edgar Allen Poe wrote short stories involving *Taphophobia*, the fear of _____.
6. Around exam time, students might get *Didaskaleinophobia*, the fear of _____.
7. Students caught skipping school may suffer *Mastigophobia*, fear of _____.
8. The chicken from an ancient joke did not have *Dromophobia*, the fear of _____.
9. Commonly suffered in front of the class is *Glossophobia*, the fear of _____.
10. Many children at dinnertime are stricken by *Lachanophobia*, the fear of _____.

Phobia Greek/Latin-English Name Match-Up

See if you can match the scientific names of the following phobias with their English counterparts. Most of these *are* mentioned in the Sampler. (Answers on next page.)

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| 1. Ablutophobia | A. Fear of dogs |
| 2. Aviophobia | B. Fear of bats |
| 3. Bacteriophobia | C. Fear of water |
| 4. Chiroptophobia | D. Fear of flying |
| 5. Chronophobia | E. Fear of mice |
| 6. Claustrophobia | F. Fear of bathing |
| 7. Cynophobia | G. Fear of confining spaces |
| 8. Galeophobia | H. Fear of skunks |
| 9. Gerontophobia | I. Fear of time |
| 10. Hydrophobia | J. Fear of darkness |
| 11. Hippophobia | K. Fear of growing old |
| 12. Entomophobia | L. Fear of teenagers |
| 13. Murophobia | M. Fear of horses |
| 14. Ephebiphobia | N. Fear of insects |
| 15. Nyctophobia | O. Fear of bacteria |

Phobia Games: Answers

Answers to the Phobia Quiz:

1. Garlic
2. Riding in a car
3. Clowns
4. Flowers
5. Being buried alive
6. Going to school
7. Punishment
8. Crossing streets
9. Public speaking
10. Vegetables

Answers to the Name Match-Up:

1. F
2. D
3. G
4. B
5. I
6. O
7. A
8. H
9. K
10. C
11. M
12. N
13. E
14. L
15. J