



# History



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4. Which new tax was first levied in the UK in 1975?
5. Which waterway, that connects the Atlantic Ocean with the Pacific Ocean, was completed in 1914?
6. Who governed the Republic of Cuba from 1959 to 2008?
7. Who described Mahatma Gandhi as a 'half-naked fakir'?
8. The remains of which buried Roman city were discovered in 1748?
9. What nationality was the explorer Vasco da Gama?
10. What was the name of the tax raised by the Anglo-Saxons to pay to Viking raiders to avoid their land being ravaged?
11. In what year was Britain's 'Great Storm'; at the time the country's worst storm since records began?
12. Which Spanish Conquistador led an expedition that resulted in the fall of the Aztec Empire?

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## Quizmaster Answers



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| 1. Thomas Jefferson      | 7. Winston Churchill |
| 2. Australia             | 8. Pompeii           |
| 3. Jamestown             | 9. Portuguese        |
| 4. VAT / Value Added Tax | 10. Danegeld         |
| 5. Panama Canal          | 11. 1987             |
| 6. Fidel Castro          | 12. Hernán Cortés    |