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# **Everyday Science One Liner** Questions and Answers

- The theory of relativity was propounded by? Albert Einstein
- The principal metal used in manufacturing steel is? Iron
- An Alimeter is used for measuring? Altitude
- Study of birds eggs? Oology
- Radioactivity was discovered by? Henry Bacquerel
- The metal used in storage batteries is? lead
- The instrument used to measure the relative humidity of air is? Hygrometer
- Barometer was invented by? Torricelli
- The unit of power is? watt
- Radium was discovered by? Marie and Pierrie Curie
- The existence of isotopes was discovered by? Frederick Soddy
- Dynamo was invented by? Michael Faraday
- The nuclear reactor was invented by? Enrico Ferni
- The law of gravitation was propounded by? Sir Isaac Newton
- Crescograph was invented by? J.C.Bose
- Crescograph is used to measure the Rate of growth of a? plant
- Galileo's first scientific discovery was? **Pendulum**
- Microscope was invented by? Aaton Van Leewen Hock
- The scientist who is known as father of modern biology is? Aristotle
- The first person to see a cell under microscope was? Robert Hooke
- The smallest flowering plant is? Worffia
- The four blood groups were discovered by? Karl Landsteiner
- Sodium was discovered by? Sir Humphry Davy
- The atomic number of oxygen is? eight
- The basic building blocks of proteins are:? Amino acids
- The botanical name of the cotton plant is? Gossipium Hirsutum
- \_\_\_\_\_ is used to detect charges on a body? **Electroscope**

- The unit of loudness is? Phon
- An ammeter is used to measure? Electric current
- Plant that eat insects are called? Insectivorous plants

- Fruits that are formed without fertilization are called?
  Parthenocarpic
- Plants that flower only once in their lifetime are called? Mono carpic
- The botanical name for rice is? Oryza Sativa
- Penicillin is obtained from? mold
- The largest tree in the world is? Seguoia Gigantica
- Herpetology is the study of? reptiles
- Entomology is the study of? insects
- Ornithology is the study of? birds
- Ichtyology is the study of? fishes
- Osteology is the study of? bones
- The botanical name for brinjal is? Solanum melongenal
- The botanical name for onion is? Allium Cepa
- The study of sound is called? Acoustics
- The study of heavenly bodies is called? Astronomy
- The study of tissues is called? Histology
- The Lamp was invented by? Thomas Edison
- The fear of crowd is called? Ochlophobia
- The fear of books is called? Bibliophobia
- The fear of going to bed is called? Clinophobia
- The symbol of gold is? Au
- The symbol of sodium is? Na
- What does the symbol of Sr stand for? Strontium
- What does the symbol Rb stand for? Rubidium
- The symbol Md stands for? Mendelevium
- Calcium sulphate is commonly called? Plaster of Paris
- Sodium carbonate is commonly called? Washing Soda



## • Sodium chloride is commonly known as? common Salt

- The chemical name of chloroform is? Trichloromethane
- The chemical name of baking powder is? Sodium bicarbonate

- The chemical name of bleaching powder is? Calcium hypochlorite
- The formula HCL stands for? Hydrochloric Acid
- The formula H2SO4 stands for? Sulphuric Acid
- The formula CHCI3 stands for? Trichloromethane
- The formula H2O2 stands for? Hydrogen peroxide
- A fungus which can only survive on other living organisms is called? Obligate
  Parasite
- A plant which lives in the dark is called? Scotophyte
- A plant adapted to live in dry places is called a? Xerophyte
- A plant adapted for growth in water is called a? Hydrophyte
- Bifocal lens was invented by? Benjamin Franklin
- Cement was invented by? Joseph Aspdin
- 71 Laser was invented by? Dr. Charles H.Townes
- Electromagnet was invented by? William Sturgeon
- Rayon was invented by? Sir Joseph Swann
- Which is the hardest substance in the human body? The enamel that covers teeth.
- What is a bone made up of? Two-thirds of the bone is calcium phosphate. The other one-third is gelatin.
- What are sweat glands? Sweat glands are located under the skin of mammals. They are coils of soft, tiny tubes. The tube ends at openings in the skin called pores. Sweat glands carry moisture and waste material to the surface of the skin. When the water is brought to the surface of the skin, it evaporates there and keeps the body cool.
- What is the lead of a pencil made of? Graphite, whose main constituent is carbon
- Who discovered radioactivity? A.M. Becquerel
- Who produced the first synthetic dye? William Perkin
- The fear of women is known as? **Gynophobia**
- The fear of men is known as? Androphobia
- The steam engine was invented by? James Watt

- The botanical name of tea is? Camellia Sinensis
- Logarithms were devised by? John Napier
- The acid used in a car battery is? Sulphuric acid
- The system for writing by blind people was invented by? Louis Braille

- The parachute was used for the first time by? J.P.Blanchard
- The German physicist who first demonstrated the existence of Radio waves was? Henrich Hertz
- The instrument that records the intensity of earthquakes is? Seismograph
- The laws of floating bodies was discovered by? Archimedes
- The density of milk is measured by a lactometer
- Fountain pen was invented by? L.E.Waterman
- The instrument used to measure the pressure of gases is? **Monometer**
- The role of heredity was demonstrated by? Mendel
- The instrument used to measure the concentration of salt water is? **Salinometer**
- Dactylography is the study of? finger Prints
- A tangent galvanometer is used to study? Strength of direct current
- The fruit of Oak is called? Acron
- What does ZETA stand for? Zero Energy Thermonuclear Assembly
- The formula C6H5OH stands for? Phenol
- \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the study of forces acting rest? Statics
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of forces acting? Mechanics
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of Animal life? Zoology
- Botany is the study of? Plant life
- Psychology is the study of? human mind
- Michael Faraday worked as an assistant under scientist whose name was?
  Sir Humphry Davy
- Vulcanised rubber was invented by? Charles Goodyear
- The symbol Zn stands for? Zinc
- The symbol He stands for? Helium



#### Celluloid was invented by? A.Parker

- Glider was invented by? Sir George Caley
- Safety matches was invented by? **J.E.Lundstrom**

- Radio valve was invented by? Sir J.A.Fleming
- Dynamics is the study of? Movements of bodies
- The first American to orbit earth was? **John H.Glen**
- The electro-cardiograph was invented by? William Einthoven
- The molecular formula of cane sugar is? C12H22O11
- A compound that contains only hydrogen and carbon is called?
  Hydrocarbon
- The liquid used to preserve specimens of plants and animals is?
  Formalin
- The law of segregation was propounded by? Mendel
- A uriscope is used to detect? **Ear disorders**
- The three states of matter are? Solid, liquid and gas
- The scientific name for blood platelets is? Thrombocytes
- The response of a plant to heat is called? **Thermotropism**
- The response of a plant to touch is called? **Trigmotropism**
- What does the symbol z stand for? **Zirconium**
- Nickel was discovered by? **Cronstled**
- Manganese was discovered by? Gahn
- The common name for potassium carbonate is? Potash
- Bismuth was discovered by? Valentine
- The biggest plant seed is? **Cocodemer**
- Toxicology is the study of? poisons
- Virology is the study of? viruses
- Paleontology is the study of? fossils
- Calorimeter is used to measure? Quantity of heat
- Chronometer was invented by? **John Harrison**
- Stethoscope was invented by? William Stockes
- spinning frame was invented by? Sir Richard Arkwright

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#### Al stands for? Aluminium

- · Gd stands for? Gadolinium
- · IR stands for? Iridium
- · Bi stands for? Bismuth
- The Chemical formula of sodium bicarbonate is? NaHCO3

- · The chemical formula of common salt is? Nacl
- The chemical formula of washing soda is? Na2CO3, IOH2O
- The chemical formula of lime soda is? CaCO3
- · The chemical formula of chloroform is? CHcl3
- · The study of grasses is known as? Agrostology
- · The study of antiquities is known as? Archaeology
- The study of the duration of life is known as? Chronobiology
- The study of bacteria is known as? Bacteriology
- Nylon was invented by? Dr.Wallace H.Carothers
- · Electric razor was invented by? Jacob Schick
- The symbol of silver is? Ag
- The symbol of silicon is? Si
- · The symbol of titanium is? Ti
- Calcium oxide is commonly known as? Quick lime
- · A deviation of light passing from one medium to another is known as? Refraction
- · An apparatus for generation of atomic energy is called? Reactor
- A machine used for converting mechanical energy into electrical energy is c aGlelende raa?
- · The revolver was invented by? Samuel Colt
- The refrigerator was invented by? J.Perkins
- · Which is the only common metal that is liquid at room temperature? Mercury
- · Water is a goodconductor of? Electricity.
- Light travels
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- · Which planet is the closest to the Sun? Mercury
- . Which is the hottest planet? Venus

### **Science Quiz Questions**



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- What is bronze? An alloy of copper and tin.
- What is the meaning of the word "DINOSAUR"? Terrible lizard.
- What is Brass? An alloy of copper and zinc.
- Which element is important for the health of bones? Calcium.
- Which vitamin helps in preventing rickets? Vitamin D.
- What is the name for the position of the moon, an earth satellite, when it is at the greatest distance from the earth? **Apogee.**

Thank you!

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