

Island Explorers 2020 – 75 for 75



- Explore some of Guernsey's fantastic historic sites
- 75 questions & suggestions for all the family
- No need to pay any admission charges
- Return your entry to Guernsey Museum at Candie to enter a prize draw
- Stay safe and good luck

#	Question	Answer
Site: Lihou Priory, Lihou Island		
1	Find the sign about Lihou Priory. When was it founded?	
2	How many monks would have lived here?	
3	We believe that the Priory had a high status. Can you name some of the fine objects found here by archaeologists?	
4	The Church was highly decorated. Where did the carved limestone come from?	
5	What colour were the floor tiles?	
6	Where can you go to see some of these finds on display?	
7	What happened to the monk John de L'Espine in 1302?	
8	The Priory walls are peppered with a number of small square(ish) holes. They are a bit tricky to count, but which number do you think is closest: 10, 20 or 30?	
9	Across the path from the Priory are the remains of a circular stone building. What was this building?	
10	The monks of the day probably spoke French. What do you think they would have called the building (from Q9)?	
11	What is the name of Lihou's large rock pool?	
Site: Fort Pezeries		
12	How many upright granite pillars border the site, just off the tarmac?	
13	If you read the inscriptions on the green wooden seats, you will be able to complete the following name: Robin of....	
14	As you enter the Fort, how many steps go up to the gun platform on your left: 4, 6 or 8?	

Please note that details in this quiz may be subject to change.

Historic sites are often dangerous and include uneven surfaces, steps & sheer drops – children must be supervised at all times.

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15	What did the Germans build on the western wall?	
16	How many upright bars are there in the gate to the magazine: 4, 7 or 9?	
17	What symbols are stamped on the tops of the barrels of the canons: arrows, circles or stars?	
18	Leaving the Fort, you pass on your right a granite pillar with a letter carved on its top. Is it A, Z, or S?	
Site: Table des Pions ('fairy ring')		
19	Approximately how many stones make up the circle of stones at the 'fairy ring'? 25, 35 or 45?	
Site: Pleinmont Battery (walk from the Table des Pions)		
20	As you take the path to the Battery (near the Tables des Pions), how many granite pillars do you pass as you leave the tarmac area, 6, 10, 13?	
21	The Battery is furnished with a green wooden seat. How many legs has this seat: 2, 4, 6?	
22	As you leave the Battery look out for a granite block to the left of the path. What letter is carved on this block, S, Q, X?	
Site: Les Tielles Battery		
23	When you arrive at the Car Park, how many metal posts can you see behind the low wall: 4, 8 or 10? (Take the path to the left for the Battery)	
24	How many steps are there leading down to the Battery: 23, 27 or 31?	
25	How many green benches are there?	
26	The battery was constructed over 200 years ago, but some alterations have been made since then. What evidence can you see of this?	
Site: St Appoline's Chapel		
27	In the garden stands a large wooden cross. Where did this cross go on April 24th 1980?	
28	The Chapel has two doors, one is made of wood and not in use. What is the other door made of?	
29	How many slots are there in the money box?	
30	How many benches are there?	
31	How many windows have stained glass?	

32	How many crosses are carved on the altar?	
33	When is it allowed to ring the bell?	
34	St Apolline is the patron saint of what?	
35	The walls are decorated with paintings. From which time do they come: Roman / Victorian / Medieval?	
36	Draw a section of the wall paintings here	
Site: Petit Bot Tower 13		
37	How many windows are there in the Tower?	
38	Find the drawing of militiamen in the tower. How many are pictured inside the tower?	
39	What is the man at the top of the tower holding? A pipe / a musket / a telescope	
40	How many loophole towers like this were built around the coast between 1778 & 1779?	
Site: Fort Hommet		
41	Find the shell shrine. Where did Bert get the shells from?	
42	On the outside of the bunker, there is a shape made from black & brown tiles. What shape is it?	
43	Turn 180 degrees and you will see a walkway heading out to sea. Walk to the end and look through the gap. Name 2 landmarks you can see:	1. 2.
44	Looking back at Fort Hommet, which of these words would you describe the overall colour of the stone used in this area? Chocolate / Honey / Blueberry	
Site: Clarence Battery (NB: the steps beside Aquarium may still be closed but it is accessible from the other end)		
<i>Caution: there are stunning views at this site but be aware of the sheer drops especially at the eastern end.</i>		
45	How many cannons are there?	
46	How many windows are there at the side of guard room?	
47	What is the length of the 24 pound carronade?	

	<p>Here are some summer suggestions from us - tick them off as you go <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(there's no need to do them all before you return your entry form – it's just for fun)</p> <p>We love seeing your photos: @guernseymuseums on Facebook, Twitter & Instagram</p>	
48	Climb Victoria Tower. The key can be borrowed free of charge from Guernsey Museum. Play 'eye spy' at the top.	
49	Find the Guardian of the Tomb in the Déhus Dolmen (open during daylight hours).	
50	Make a flower garland for La Gran'mere du Chimquiere, outside St Martins Church.	
51	Take a selfie at Le Trépied dolmen. Walk to the nearby Mont Chinchon battery.	
52	Enjoy a story in Guille Allès Library. Can you find the portraits of Guille and Allès?	
53	Find the statue menhir outside Castel Church. Go inside the Church to see the great frescoes.	
54	Rainy & cold? Wrap up warm and go for a bracing walk from Fort Le Marchant to Fort Doyle.	
55	On a clear day climb to the top of Vale Castle and see how far you can see.	
56	Find Tower 14 on the cliffs above Saints Bay. Follow the path down to the bay.	
57	Marvel at the shrine of shells at Fort Hommet. For opening times visit www.sacredheart.org.gg	
58	Go bug hunting at Chateau du Marais ('Ivy Castle').	
59	Find a piece of pottery with a letter on at the Little Chapel.	
60	Walk, scooter or bike to La Table des Pions ('fairy ring') and make a wish.	
61	Have a snack in the shadow of the Victor Hugo statue – a great spot for lunch.	
62	While in Candie Gardens, go fish spotting in the Lower Gardens.	
63	Go Fairy hunting at Le Creux ès Faïes, near Lihou headland.	
64	On Lihou Island, dip your toes in the Venus Pool and look out for seals.	

65	Listen to the Gruffalo in Guernésiais (<i>JEHR-nehz-yay</i>) or Guernsey French. Search 'Gruffalo Guernesiais' in YouTube).	
66	Take a breakfast picnic to Clarence Battery – great for the morning sun.	
67	Go for a paddle or a swim beside Fort Grey.	
68	Find Mont Herault Watch House and draw the view from there.	
69	Write your name in the sand at Petit Port. On the way back, count the steps.	
70	Find Les Fouaillages dolmen at Lanresse and discover how old it is.	
71	Visit Le Guet and enjoy a walk under the trees. Find the watch house and look at the view.	
72	Taste some Guernsey ice cream.	
73	Spend time at Delancey Park. Find the remains of the Dolmen there.	
74	Find the fairy door inside La Varde Dolmen.	
75	Have a sunset picnic at Grandes Rocques.	

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Age _____

Contact number _____

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