- 1. Which calendar is used to mark the start of the new year on January 1st?
- 2. What is the name of the famous bell in London that often chimes to mark the New Year?
- 3. Which city in Scotland is famous for its Hogmanay celebrations?
- 4. What is traditionally sung at midnight on New Year's Eve in the UK?
- 5. What is the name of the first day of the year in the Julian calendar, still celebrated by some?
- 6. Which river in London is the focus of a major fireworks display on New Year's Eve?
- 7. What is the British tradition of "first-footing"?
- 8. In which year did the UK host its first televised New Year's Eve celebrations
- 9. What is the name of the festival that marks the start of the new year in the Gaelic calendar?
- 10. Which English king changed the start of the new year to January 1st in 1752?
- 11. In the UK, what is traditionally given as a gift during "first-footing"?
- 12. Which UK broadcaster is known for airing Big Ben's chimes live?
- 13. What does the Scottish word "Hogmanay" mean?
- 14. Which UK city's castle is the backdrop for a famous New Year's fireworks display?
- 15. Which famous Scottish poet wrote the song "Auld Lang Syne"?
- 16. In which year did London's New Year's Eve fireworks become ticketed?
- 17. What is the first public holiday after New Year's Day in Scotland?
- 18. Which plant is often associated with New Year's luck in the UK?
- 19. What is the significance of January 6th following New Year's in the UK?
- 20. What animal represents the year 2025 in the Chinese Zodiac, widely celebrated in the UK?
- 21. Which beverage is most commonly associated with toasting the New Year in the UK?
- 22. Which country is the first to celebrate the New Year each year?
- 23. What is the traditional American dish thought to bring luck when eaten on New Year's Day?
- 24. What is the most common resolution made by Britons for the New Year?
- 25. What colour of underwear is considered lucky for New Year's Eve in some UK traditions?
- 26. What do Britons traditionally do at midnight on New Year's Eve?
- 27. Which UK newspaper is known for publishing a New Year's Honours List?
- 28. What is the name of the celebration held in Stonehaven, Scotland, involving swinging fireballs?
- 29. What is the Spanish tradition for good luck on New Year's Eve?
- 30. Which country celebrates New Year with the tradition of jumping off chairs?