

National Churchill Museum Scavenger Hunt:
Fun & Interesting Questions about Churchill, Church of St. Mary, and "Breakthrough"
Answer Key

Find the answers to the following questions by reading the exhibit panels.
Questions are divided according to the museum exhibit,
beginning with Churchill's childhood and ending with the Cold War Experience.

Growing Pains: 1874-1895

1. Everyone has a favorite toy they played with as a child. Winston Churchill's favorite was toy soldiers.
A) How many did he have? **About 1,500**
B) What did he do with them? **Strategies, organized**

The Sword and the Pen: 1895-1900

2. Churchill's first experience as a soldier was as a British Cavalry officer in India. According to him, soldiers had a lot of free time.
A) What sport did the soldiers play? **Polo**
B) What did Churchill do instead? **Read, studied (wanted to become a politician so he self-educated himself)**

Where in the World is Winston? Turn the big wheel to find the answers to the following questions.

3. Churchill's favorite bad habits were cigars and whiskey. Where did he first smoke cigars? **Cuba**
4. Do you remember the first time something big happened in your life? Some soldiers may say their "big event" was the first time someone shot at them.
A) When did Churchill come under fire for the first time? **Nov 1895**
B) How old was he? **21**
C) Where was he? **Cuba**

The Glow Worm: 1900-1914

5. When did Churchill get married? What is her name? **1908, Clementine Hozier**

Churchill's Finest Hour: World War II, 1939-1945

Find the decoding machine, follow the directions, and turn the dials to answer the following question.

6. What is the name of the computer used to decode secret messages? **Colossus (also 'Enigma')**

The Sinews of Peace

Churchill visited Fulton and Westminster College March 1946. He gave his famous Iron Curtain speech talking about the future (the Cold War). On the bottom of Churchill's invitation was a note from a famous Missourian. Find the invitation and note to answer the following questions.

7. Who was this famous Missourian? **Harry Truman, past president**

The Private Side of Leadership

Do you have a spot at home where you complete your homework and other projects? Churchill had a desk where he did his work. Find his desk to answer question #8.

8. What two items made regular appearances on Churchill's desk? **Cigar, Whiskey**

9. What are the names of Winston & Clementine's children? **Diana (1909), Randolph (1911), Sarah (1914), Marigold (1918), Mary (1922)**

10. Churchill once said, "All dogs look up to you. All cats look down on you. Only a pig looks at you as an equal." He always liked animals. He had many, among them, a dog.

A) What kind of dog was it? **Brown poodle**

B) What was its name? **Rufus**

Christopher Wren & the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Aldermanbury

Westminster College purchased (or bought) the Church of St. Mary's to remember Churchill's visit in 1946. Search out the Church of St. Mary portion of the Museum to answer the following questions.

11. The Church had to be moved from London, England to Fulton, Missouri. To do this, builders dismantled (took apart) the church and shipped it by way of boat and train. How many stones make up the Church? **7,000**

12. Church of St. Mary's is the oldest building in the United States.

A) When was it originally built in England? **12th Century**

B) When was it rebuilt? Who was the architect? **17th Century, Christopher Wren**

13. Do you see a recurring symbol in the Church? Why do you think we have this symbol in the Church? *Hint: Look in the following spaces – 1) glass cases in the back of the Church, 2) Church exhibit in the Museum, 3) kneelers (square pillows hanging on the bottom of the pews).* **Phoenix...rises from the ashes; represents the Church**

"Breakthrough" sculpture and the Berlin Wall

Search out the Berlin Wall sculpture outside the Museum. Answer the following questions by looking at the sculpture and reading the plaque.

14. Churchill's granddaughter, as a way to remember when the Berlin Wall was taken down in 1989, created the "Breakthrough" sculpture. What is her name? **Edwina Sandys**

15. Looking at the sculpture, do you see a word that repeats itself?

A) What is this word? **Unwahr**

B) What do you think it means? **Untruths or Lies**

16. The Berlin Wall separated the East from the West, dividing cities and countryside. Which side do you think was the East and which was the West? Why? **East-blank; West-graffiti; West side was the free side**