Tobacco Quiz

1) How many young people start smoking every day in the UK?
   a) 250  
   b) 360  
   c) 450

2) Smoking kills around 120,000 smokers every year.
   TRUE or FALSE

3) More than 80% of smokers take up the habit as teenagers.
   TRUE or FALSE

4) More 15 year-old boy’s smoke compared to 15 year old girls.
   TRUE or FALSE

5) How many children under the age of five are admitted to hospital every year because of the effects of passive smoking?
   a) More than 5,000 children  
   b) More than 12,000 children  
   c) More than 17,000 children

6) If you smoke 5 cigarettes a day for a year you will end up spending over £400 on your habit?
   TRUE or FALSE

7) Canadian research has revealed that graphic images showing the effects of smoking are not putting people off smoking?
   TRUE or FALSE
8) Tobacco is the only legally available consumer product that kills people when used entirely as intended?

TRUE or FALSE

9) How many millions does the government spend every year on anti smoking campaigning in the UK?

   a) 12 millions  
   b) 25 millions  
   c) 67 millions

10) About half of all regular cigarette smokers will eventually be killed by their habit.

TRUE or FALSE
Tobacco Quiz Answers

1. In the United Kingdom about 450 children start smoking every day

2. True - Every year, around 114,000 smokers in the UK die as a result of their habit.

3. True - More than 80% of smokers take up the habit as teenagers

4. False - 16% boys, 25% girls

5. More than 17,000 children under the age of five are admitted to hospital every year because of the effects of passive smoking.

6. True - £457.50 if you pay £5.00 per pack

7. False - Since the introduction of images on cigarette packs sold in Canada, 44% said the pictures had increased their motivation to quit

8. True - Tobacco is the only legally available consumer product which kills people when it is used entirely as intended.

9. The Government currently spends around £25m on anti-smoking education campaigns. A further £50m is spent on measures to help people stop smoking.

10. True - About half of all regular cigarette smokers will eventually be killed by their habit.