

Canada Physical - True and False

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1) TFCP-001

Mount Vancouver is the highest mountain in Canada?

False: Mount Logan is the tallest at 5959 metres (19,551 feet), it's located in the Saint Elias Mountain Range.

Mount Vancouver is 4,812 metres or 15,787 feet high, the mountain straddles the Canada (Yukon) and United States (Alaska) border.

2) TFCP-002

The last province or territory that was created was Newfoundland and Labrador.

False: Nunavut became a territory on April 1, 1999, making it the last to be created.

3) TFCP-003

Mount Logan is located in the Yukon Territory.

True: Yukon Territory! Mount Logan is located in the Yukon Territory, in the Saint Elias Mountain Range.

4) TFCP-004

There are 13 territories and provinces in Canada.

True: There are 10 provinces and 3 territories.

5) TFCP-005

The Strait of Georgia borders Canada's the west coast?

False: The Pacific Ocean. It's the largest body of water on earth with an area of 179.7 million square kilometres (69.4 million square miles). The Strait of Georgia, is a strait between Vancouver Island and the mainland of British Columbia.

6) TFCP-006

The Nunavut Territory was created from the Northwest Territory!

True: Nunavut was created from the Northwest Territories and is 818,959 square kilometres or 316,202 square miles.

7) TFCP-007

Canada's highest peak, Mount Logan is located in the Selamiut Range.

False: It's located in the Saint Elias Mountain Range! The Saint Elias Mountain Range is found in the province of British Columbia and Yukon Territory, with a section in Alaska, USA.

The Selamiut Range is located on the border of Québec and Newfoundland & Labrador.

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8) TFCP-008

The Atlantic Ocean borders Canada's east coast.

True: Canada's east coast is bordered by the Atlantic Ocean. It's about 106.4 million square kilometres or 41.1 million square miles, and covers approximately one-fifth of the earth's surface.

9) TFCP-009

Alberta was the last province to enter the Dominion of Canada?

False: It was Newfoundland and Labrador, on March 31, 1949. Alberta entered the confederation in 1905.

10) TFCP-010

Sable Island, a small Canadian island 180 kilometres southeast of Halifax is home to the Newfoundland pony.

False: Sable Island is home to the Sable island Pony. Authorities believe that the horses are descendants of those brought to the island in the 1700s.

The Newfoundland pony is found on the Island of Newfoundland, meaning Newfoundland and Labrador.

11) TFCP-011

The province of Saskatchewan is landlocked?

True: The province of Saskatchewan has no ports to ship goods.

12) TFCP-012

The ex-premier of New Brunswick, Frank McKenna served Canada as the Ambassador of the United States.

True: Mr. McKenna served as the Ambassador of the United States between 2005 and 2006. When the Conservative Party came to power, Mr. McKenna resigned the post. It should be noted that he had served two terms (10 years) as premier of New Brunswick.

13) TFCP-013

The provincial flower for the province of Alberta is the wild rose.

True: The wild rose was picked in 1930, as Alberta's by school children. The bush of the wild rose is considered a deciduous shrub.

14) TFCP-014

There are 3 landlocked provinces or territories in Canada.

False: There are 2 landlocked provinces, Alberta and Saskatchewan. All other Canadian jurisdictions have ports.

15) TFCP-015

The Pacific dogwood is the provincial flower for the province of British Columbia.

True: The Pacific dogwood has been the provincial flower of the province of British Columbia since 1956. By law it is illegal to dig up or cut down a dogwood tree.

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16) TFCP-016

The floral emblem of the province of Newfoundland and Labrador is the bleeding heart.
False: Chosen in 1954, the pitcher plant became Newfoundland and Labrador official floral emblem.

The plant's name is derived from the fact that part of the flower fills with water.

17) TFCP-017

The floral emblem of Nunavut territory is the purple saxifrage.

True: The purple saxifrage or purple mountain saxifrage is the official flower for Nunavut, and was selected as the floral emblem in 2000. The plant is edible and grows abundantly in the Arctic.

18) TFCP-018

The mayflower is the official flower of the province of Saskatchewan.

False: The provincial flower of Saskatchewan is the beautiful western red lily. It should be noted that this is a protected flower.

19) TFCP-019

The fireweed is the official floral emblem of the Yukon.

True: In 1957 Yukon select the fireweed as its floral emblem. It is a tall plant with dark pink blossoms (flowers) and it has many seeds. It is a herb and used by some First Nation peoples

20) TFCP-020

The province of Prince Edward Island has the cherry blossom as its official emblem.

False: The floral emblem for Prince Edward Island is the lady's slipper, a type of orchid. The name comes from the shape of the flower's petals, thought to look like a lady's slipper.

21) TFCP-021

The mayflower became Nova Scotia's official floral emblem in 1901.

True: The flowers blossom in early spring and grows on the eastern coast of North America. It should be noted that it's also state flower of Massachusetts.

22) TFCP-022

The official flower of the Northwest Territories is the aster.

False: The official flower of the Northwest Territories is the mountain avens. This short stemmed flower grows in the Arctic as well as area in Europe. It should be noted that is a member of the rose family.

23) TFCP-023

The prairie blazing star is the floral emblem for the province of Manitoba.

False: The prairie crocus flower represents Manitoba as its floral emblem. These beautiful lavender colour flowers open during day and close at night.

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24) TFCP-024

The official flower for the province of New Brunswick is the bunchberry.

False: New Brunswick's floral emblem is the purple violet, and became the floral emblem in 1936. The dark blue or violet coloured flowers grows exceptional well in the all areas of the province.

25) TFCP-025

The province of Ontario has the white trillium as its provincial flower.

True: The province of Ontario chose the white trillium in 1937. The native plants can be either white or red. The flower is easily recognizable because of the three flower petals and the three broad leaves.

26) TFCP-026

Québec has the Madonna lily as its official floral emblem.

False: Québec's official floral emblem is the blue iris belonging to the iris family, and was chosen in 1999, as it grows in the province . Prior to 1999, the provincial floral emblem was the Madonna lily, but since it doesn't grow naturally in Quebec the blue flag iris was chosen.

27) TFCP-027

In 2008, Canada was ranked 2nd in an estimate of world oil reserves, with Saudi Arabia being first. (including the Alberta tar sands)

True: Canada ranked second after Saudi Arabia with an estimated 179 billions of barrels, or 149 years of reserves.

28) TFCP-028

The provincial tree of the province of Alberta is the balsam fir.

False: The balsam fir is not the provincial tree of Alberta it's the lodgepole pine.

29) TFCP-029

The black spruce tree is the emblem for the province of Manitoba.

False: The provincial tree for Manitoba is the white spruce not the black spruce.

30) TFCP-030

The eastern-cedar is the provincial tree for the province of New Brunswick.

False: New Brunswick's provincial tree is the balsam fir, not the tamarack or hackmatack.

31) TFCP-031

The western red cedar is the provincial tree for the province of British Columbia.

True: The western red cedar is the provincial tree of British Columbia.

32) TFCP-032

The official tree for the province of Newfoundland and Labrador is the white spruce.

False: The black spruce tree is the official tree Newfoundland and Labrador.

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33) TFCP-033

The tree named, American larch or tamarack, is the official tree for the Northwest Territories.

True: The tree called either the tamarack, the hackmatack or the American larch, (the same species) is the tree that represents the Northwest Territories.

34) TFCP-034

The black spruce is the emblem tree of the province of Nova Scotia.

False: The official tree for Nova Scotia is the red spruce.

35) TFCP-035

Ontario's provincial tree is the eastern white pine.

True: The provincial tree of the province of Ontario is the eastern white pine

36) TFCP-036

The official tree for Nunavut is the tamarack.

False: Nunavut does not have an official tree at the present. (2010)

37) TFCP-037

The province of Prince Edward Island has the white oak as its official tree.

False: The provincial tree for Prince Edward Island is the red oak, not the white.

38) TFCP-038

The yellow birch is the official tree of the province of Québec.

True: The yellow birch is the official tree of Québec.

39) TFCP-039

The sub-alpine fir is the official tree for the Yukon territory.

True: The sub-alpine fir is the official tree for the Yukon.

40) TFCP-040

The gray birch is the official tree for the province of Saskatchewan.

False: The white birch is the official tree of Saskatchewan.

41) TFCP-041

If you enter the province of New Brunswick, using the Houlton, Maine and Woodstock, New Brunswick border crossing, you would you be in York County?

a) False: If you entered New Brunswick using the Houlton - Woodstock, crossing you would be in Carleton County.