



Plague Quiz

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Date _____

1. When did the Black Plague first appear in England?
 - a. 1482
 - b. 1300
 - c. 1348
2. Which of the following does the author say contributed to the Black Plague's spread in England?
 - a. filth in the streets
 - b. rat bites
 - c. overcrowded hospitals
3. What was a common belief about the Black Plague?
 - a. That it was sent by the devil and his demons.
 - b. That it was a virus that antibodies could cure.
 - c. That it was a punishment from God.
4. Which of the following was not listed as an effect of the Black Plague?
 - a. "too many people"
 - b. "hungry people"
 - c. "Peasant Pride"
5. What was the Statute of Laborers of 1351?
 - a. it proposed new wage minimums to help peasants to help them out.
 - b. it stated that peasants could demand higher wages.
 - c. it stated that peasants could not leave the village that they belonged to.
6. The Statute of Laborers of 1351
 - a. restricted wages to the level they had been in 1346.
 - b. it allowed wages to rise and lower with inflation.
 - c. it raised wages to offset the inflated prices.
7. What would people do with vinegar when they were trying to treat the plague?
 - a. they would drink it in their tea.
 - b. wash with vinegar mixed with rose water.
 - c. make a mask and soak it in vinegar so they would breathe in the fumes.
8. Why did doctors bleed people with the plague?
 - a. to get the disease out of their blood.
 - b. it was believed they had too much blood.
 - c. it was believed that a blood sacrifice was needed.
9. Which "cure" on the list was the most likely to have any impact at all on the spread of the disease?
 - a. witchcraft
 - b. medicine
 - c. sanitation
10. Can you still die from the plague today?
 - a. yes.
 - b. no.

What is all about that map (where did go to of the plague)?