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The Random Facts Guide for 2026

A good fact is true, surprising and easy to share. This guide shows how to check a fact in two minutes, common myths that are not true, how to run a trivia round, ideas for class and social posts, and a worksheet for your own fact round.

Check a fact in two minutes

1. **Search the fact itself,** not a summary of it.
2. **Look for a trusted source:** an encyclopedia, a science agency, a museum or a university page.
3. **Find it in two places** that do not copy each other.
4. **Check the numbers:** round ones are fine, oddly exact ones need a source.
5. **If you cannot confirm it,** leave it out or say it is a claim.

Common myths that are not true

The myth	What is true
Goldfish have a three-second memory.	Goldfish can remember things for months.
The Great Wall of China can be seen from space with the naked eye.	It is too narrow to see from orbit without help.
We only use 10% of our brain.	We use all of it, just not all parts at once.
Bulls hate the colour red.	Bulls react to the cape moving, not its colour.
Lightning never strikes the same place twice.	Tall buildings are struck many times a year.

Run a trivia round

- **Pick a theme:** one category per round, such as Space or Food.
- **Generate 10 facts** in the List format.
- **Turn each fact into a question:** "How many hearts does an octopus have?"
- **Read the fact as the answer,** so everyone learns something.
- **Mix the difficulty:** a few easy ones keep everyone playing.

Which fact type for which use

Use	Fact type	Format
Trivia night	Fun or Shocking	List
Class starter	Educational	Card View
Social post	Fun or Bizarre	Minimal Text Block
Ice breaker	Fun or Inspiring	Card View

Ideas for class and social posts

- Start a lesson with one surprising fact about the topic.
- Ask students to check a fact and name their source.
- Post one fact a day with a picture of it.
- End a post with a question, such as "Did you know this?"

My fact round worksheet

Theme or category: _____

Who it is for: class / friends / followers / family

Fact type: fun / educational / shocking / bizarre / inspiring

Fact 1: _____

Checked at: _____

Fact 2: _____

Checked at: _____

Fact 3: _____

Checked at: _____

Before you share a fact

☐ I found it on a trusted source.

☐ Any number in it is rounded or has a source.

☐ It is not one of the common myths.

☐ It suits everyone who will read it.

☐ It is short enough to read in one go.

The best facts make people say "no way" and then check it for themselves. Share the true ones.

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