Test your Google knowledge



Think you know everything there is to know about Google? Here's your chance to find out. Take this quiz to explore some of our specialized search tools. Hint: the best place to take it is in front of a computer, since some questions may require a little bit of digging.

1. What does Google U.S. Government Search let you do?

http://www.google.com/ig/usgov

- a. Find the latest info on avian flu from the CDC
- b. Narrow your search to sites updated in the last three months
- c. Scan headlines from the White House press room
- d. Personalize the page so you have faster access to what you're interested in
- e. All of the above

2. What type of information is NOT viewable with Google Earth?

http://earth.google.com/

- a. Topographical features
- b. Traffic conditions
- c. Schools
- d. Crime statistics

3. True or False: The headlines you see on Google News are selected using computer algorithms.

http://news.google.com/

- a. True
- b. False

4. Which of the following can you watch on Google Video for free?

http://video.google.com/

- a. Man's first walk on the moon
- b. Episodes from the first season of MacGyver
- c. Marines raising the American flag over Iwo Jima
- d. Your home video of Bobo, the wonder cat
 - d
 - All of the above
 - a, c, d

5. With Google Book Search, you can:

http://books.google.com/

- a. Choose to limit your search to fully viewable books
- b. Find a library that holds a copy of a given book
- c. Find and search the complete plays of Shakespeare
- d. Download complete PDF files of out-of-copyright books
- e. All of the above

True or False: Google Scholar has the capacity to show you whether the articles you've found are available in your library.

http://scholar.google.com/

- a. True
- b. False

Answers are available online at http://www.google.com/librariancenter/librarian_tools.html.

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