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HAPPY BIRTHDAY QUEEN VICTORIA!

Directions: Each May, on the Monday before May 25, people in Canada celebrate Queen Victoria's birthday. Do you know why? Visit the Web site provided to learn about the history of Victoria Day. Then read each question below. Write the correct answer next to each question.

Web Resources:

Victoria Day: Queen Victoria's Birthday
<http://www.kidzworld.com/site/p783.htm>



- _____ 1. On what date was Queen Victoria born?
- _____ 2. What country was Victoria empress of?
- _____ 3. When do Canadians celebrate Victoria Day?
- _____ 4. How old was Victoria when she became queen?
- _____ 5. What was Victoria Day first called?

Challenge Question: How old was Victoria when she died? _____

Something to Think About: Victoria was the last teenager to rule England. Do you think a teenager today should be allowed to be a king? a queen? a president? Why or why not?

Learn More: Go to Queen Victoria: Images of Her World at <http://www.btinternet.com/~sbishop100>. Explore some of the many photographs of Queen Victoria, her family, and her court. Create a timeline of the most important events in Victoria's life.