

13 Questions About B-Mitzvah Quiz

- 1. **True or False:** You do not need to be called up to the Torah to be b-mitzvah.
- 2. **True or False:** The b-mitzvah "speech" is a practice that only became popular in the 20th century.
- 3. **True or False:** B'Mitzvah, b'nai mitzvah, and p'nei mitzvah are all terms that have been used to refer to a b-mitzvah ceremony for a non-binary kid.
- 4. **True or False:** Buying a new outfit for a b-mitzvah only became popular in the 20th century.
- 5. **True or False:** The idea of receiving the gift of a tallit only became popular in the 20th century.
- 6. **True or False:** Two thousand years ago, girls of age 12 and boys of age 13 were considered old enough for marriage.
- 7. **True or False:** Age 13 was considered the age when a person would make a decision if they were going to be an ethical person or a criminal.
- 8. **True or False:** Abraham is, according to Jewish legend, the first bar mitzvah.
- 9. **True or False:** At the age of 73, a person has a second b-mitzvah.
- 10. True or False: The first bat mitzvah girl in the United States did not read from the Torah.
- 11. **True or False:** The idea that a girl should get a new dress for her bat mitzvah originated in Iraq in the 19th century.
- 12. **True or False:** In the 16th century, boys would give a speech during the synagogue service thanking their parents for raising them.
- 13. True or False: Ancient rabbis taught that at age 13 it is possible to "control your actions."