

Me llamo _____ Hoy es _____, el _____ de diciembre
Español Period _____

LA FLOR DE NOCHE BUENA-Scavenger hunt on the Internet

P INSETTIAS

SPELLING, NEATNESS, and CORRECTNESS COUNT FOR EACH ANSWER!!!

- 1.) Type <http://wgpearsonmths.wikispaces.com/> in the URL line. When the site comes up, click "Poinsettia" on the left side.
- 2.) Please complete the packet. You may click on the URL addresses to get to each part. Click the "back" button to get to the main page.
- 3.) If you do not finish this scavenger hunt during class time, you **MUST** finish it on your own time.
 - a. Use the **Media Center** during study hall or Lunch.
 - b. Use your own computer at home if you have Internet access.
 - c. Use the Community Library. Just sign up for a library card and you should be able to use the computers.
- 4.) ***** This Web Quest is due **BEFORE** _____ *****
- 5.) If you have ANY questions, ask your teacher during class.
- 6.) The web quest counts as 2 project grades.
- 7.) Don't assume that I will just "give" you a grade. This will be easy to complete **IF** you follow the directions.



<https://clemsan.libguides.com/poinsettias>

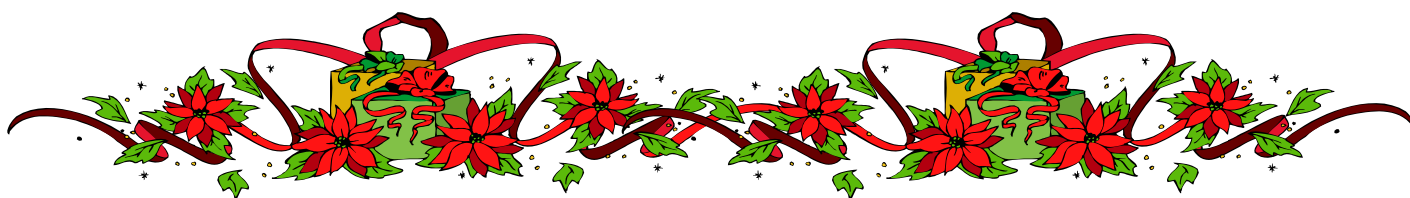
Part A. Click on this address.

<http://urbanext.illinois.edu/poinsettia/facts.cfm>



1. Are Poinsettias poisonous? YES / NO
2. Poinsettias have also been called the _____ flower and the _____ - _____ flower.
3. **Who** introduced these flowers into the United States? (Full Name please)

4. More than _____ varieties of this flower are available.
(number)
5. **When** is National Poinsettia day? _____
Month Date
6. Which TWO (2) countries in South America call the Poinsettia the "Crown of the Andes"?
_____ and _____
7. Poinsettias are native to which Spanish-speaking country? _____
8. The _____ Poinsettia still dominates over other color options.
(color)
9. _____ is the top U.S. Poinsettia-producing state.
(State)
10. Poinsettias are the most popular _____ plant.
(holiday)



Part B. Click on this address.

<http://www.landscape-america.com/gardens/poinsettia.html>

11. This myth was busted in 1971 by an _____ University Medial Center study.
12. Contrary to some popular beliefs, poinsettias don't grow naturally in pots. In their natural habitat, poinsettias can grow up to _____ feet in height.
13. During April and May the poinsettia is actually _____ all over.
(color)

Find the following phrase in this article and then answer the questions.

"Here are some more myths and facts regarding the Christmas poinsettia:"

14. The **Aztecs** called poinsettias " _____ " .
15. During the 14th - 16th century the Aztecs used the **sap** to control _____ .
16. _____, the last of the **Aztec kings**, would have the flowers brought into Mexico City because poinsettias could **not** be grown in the _____ .
17. The botanical name, _____, was assigned to the Poinsettia by the German botanist, Wilenow.
18. Who is credited as being the first person to sell poinsettias under its **botanical** name? _____



Part C. Click on this address.

<http://www.ecke.com/poinsettias/cropinformation/>

Look at the poinsettia pictures. Choose **one** you like and answer these questions about that flower. Some of the plants are new and may not have information about them. If that is the case, choose another one.

19. What is the **full name** of your poinsettia?

20. Click on the name under the picture and answer these questions.

(look under "Product Description")

A. What is/are the **color(s)** of the bracts for this specific flower?

B. What is the **response time** for this flower? _____ weeks

(look under "Key Selling Points")

C. List two (2) **key selling points** for this specific flower?

1. _____

2. _____



21. Why did you choose the above poinsettia flower? Write your reasons in English, using **complete sentences**.-

<http://behnkes.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/12/Poinsettia5.jpg>

