



Speak Out On Strangles day yard quiz!

1. How many strangles outbreaks are there in the UK each year on average?
 250
 400
 600
2. Can strangles travel on the air?
 Yes
 No
 Only in winter
3. Where could you potentially set up a quarantine area?
 A stable
 A paddock
 A field shelter
 All of the above
4. What's a fomite?
 A close relative of Marmite
 Something that can pass infectious disease between horses (hands, buckets, haynets etc)
 A newly discovered species of skin parasite
5. Which of the following signs of strangles comes first?
 Snotty nose
 Fever
 Abscesses
6. What's a strangles carrier?
 A bag for life used by vets
 A horsebox with its own quarantine facilities
 A horse that remains infectious indefinitely after recovering from strangles until treated
7. How many guttural pouches does a horse have?
 1
 2
 4
8. How long should you isolate a horse for to ensure they are not developing strangles?
 1 week
 2 weeks
 3 weeks
9. Above what temperature is classed as fever in a horse?
 35.5 °c
 37 °c
 38.5 °c
10. How can you help protect your horse from strangles?
 Choose a yard that screens new horses
 Take care when mixing with horses from other yards at events
 Pledge to Stamp Out Strangles at redwings.org.uk/strangles
 All of the above!