

Answer Key

Each question is worth (5) points each.

1. What determines the amount of enamel needed in a can?
The acidity of the food inside
2. What is the brine solution made of?
Water and salt
3. Why are contents of cans cooked in the can vs. before they have been put in a can?
Most sterile method
4. The shelf life of a canned item is at least how many years?
2 years
5. When was the aerosol can patented?
1926
6. What are the two most popular home canning methods?
Steam cooking and boiling
7. When did the first electronic can opener debut?
1931
8. What is the ideal shelf life of many canned beers?
120 days
9. Since the early 70's Americans have earned how much money by recycling aluminum?
6.4 billion dollars
10. Recycling one aluminum can saves enough electricity to run a TV set for how many hours?
3 hours