Answer key

January
a. True
b. True
c. False. A Janus word is a word that has two opposite meanings. For example, left (remaining or departed). A ‘palindrome’ is a word that reads the same backwards as forwards (e.g. radar).

February
a. False. There is no Roman goddess called Feronia. The goddess who protected wildlife and gave people good health is called Vesta.
b. True
c. True

March
a. False. In Ancient Times the month of March was the first month of the year.
b. True
c. True

April
a. True
b. False. There is no Roman god Aprilia. Aprilia is the name of an Italian motorcycle manufacturer.
c. True

May
a. False. There is no Greek god called Mayo.
b. True
c. True

June
a. True
b. True
c. False. June never used to be called ‘the wedding month’.

July
a. True
b. False. Family fun month is in August.
c. True

August
a. False. He died in the 1st century AD.
b. False. We have no idea how many great battles the emperor won in his lifetime.
c. True

September
a. True
b. False. ‘Thrimilce’ is the Old English name for May.
c. True

October
a. False. Octogen the Great didn’t exist. Alexander the Great defeated Darius III.
b. True
c. True

November
a. True
b. True
c. False. The month in which highest number of babies are born across the world is August.

December
a. True
b. True
c. False. In Old English December used to be called aerra Geloa and November used to be called Blotmonath.