

# What an Old Wives' Tale!

1. What is said to happen when you eat your crusts?  
**It will make your hair grow curly**
2. What is said to happen if you swallow gum?  
**It will stay in your stomach for 7 years**
3. What happens if you open a black umbrella indoors?  
**You get bad luck**
4. When you shave your hair what is said to happen?  
**It will grow back thicker**
5. If you sit too close to the TV what is said to happen?  
**You will go blind**
6. What will eating chocolate apparently do?  
**Give you acne**
7. If you eat carrots, what is said to happen?  
**It will improve your eyesight**
8. If you spill salt what is said to happen?  
**Brings bad luck**
9. How can you undo the bad luck caused by spilling the salt?  
**Throw some salt over your left shoulder**
10. If your ears are burning what is happening to you?  
**Someone is talking about you**
11. If you carry acorns with you what is meant to happen?  
**You will stay young foreve**
12. What other drink is said to remove a spillage of red wine?  
**White Wine**
13. If you pull out a grey hair what is said to happen?  
**2 more will appear in its place**
14. If you see a penny and pick it up, what are you said to have?  
**All day long you will have good luck**
15. What is meant to happen if you break a mirror?  
**You will get 7 years bad luck**
16. If you have an apple a day what is this meant to do?  
**Keep the Doctor away**
17. If you cross your eyes what is said to happen?  
**They will stay that way**
18. If you go outside with wet hair what could happen?  
**You will catch a cold**
19. If you crack your knuckles this is said to happen?  
**You will get arthritis**
20. If you eat before you go swimming what is said might happen to you?  
**You will sink to the bottom**