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


Braille


Louis Braille invented Braille which is a code of raised dots pressed on paper. Blind people read Braille by moving their fingertips over the raised dots.

1) What letter is formed via ?

- a) A
- b) B
- c) C
- d) D





2) How is the letter C formed?

- a) 
- b) 
- c) 
- d) 





3) What letter is ?

- a) C
- b) E
- c) F
- d) H

4) How is the letter Q formed?

- a) 
- b) 
- c) 
- d) 

5) How is the letter Z formed?

- a) 
- b) 
- c) 
- d) 

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) a	3) d	4) b	5) c
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6) How is the letter J formed?

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

7) What letter is ?

- a) F
- b) Q
- c) T
- d) Z

8) What is the letter is D formed?

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

9) How is the letter L formed?

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

10) How is the letter C formed?

- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) d	8) c	9) a	10) d
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Zodiac Signs

An element of astrology is the Zodiac - which is a band of stars that appear to encircle the earth. 12 signs make up the Zodiac. It is believed that each person is influenced by one of the signs.

- 1) Aquarius spans what month/days?
 - a) January 21st-February 18th
 - b) January 20th-February 18th
 - c) January 19th-February 18th
 - d) January 20th-February 19th

- 2) August 23rd-September 22nd is what Zodiac sign?
 - a) Aquarius
 - b) Scorpion
 - c) Virgo
 - d) Spider web

- 3) Cancer spans what months/days?
 - a) June 22nd-July 22nd
 - b) June 21st-July 22nd
 - c) June 23rd-July 23rd
 - d) June 22nd-July 22nd

- 4) November 22nd-December 21st spans what Zodiac sign?
 - a) Sagittarius
 - b) Cancer
 - c) Virgo
 - d) Capricorn

- 5) Gemini spans what months/days?
 - a) May 21st-June 21st
 - b) May 22nd-June 22nd
 - c) May 21st-June 20th
 - d) May 21st-June 19th

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) c	3) b	4) a	5) c
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- 6) Leo spans what months/days?
a) July 23rd-August 22nd
b) July 24th-August 22nd
c) July 23rd-August 23rd
d) July 23rd-August 24th
- 7) April 20th-May 20th spans what Zodiac sign?
a) Virgo
b) Taurus
c) Leo
d) Capricorn
- 8) Aries spans what months/days?
a) March 22nd-April 19th
b) March 21st-April 20th
c) March 21st-April 21st
d) March 21st-April 19th
- 9) February 19th-March 20th spans what Zodiac sign?
a) Libra
b) Pisces
c) Taurus
d) Cancer
- 10) September 23rd-October 22nd spans what Zodiac sign?
a) Libra
b) Pisces
c) Sagittarius
d) Gemini

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) b	8) d	9) b	10) a
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International Morse Code

Invented by Samuel F.B. Morse - Morse code is a series of standardized sequences of short and long elements to represent letters, numerals, punctuation and special characters of a given message. Morse code is used in conjunction with a telegraph.

Morse code was also utilized for early radio communication beginning in the 1890s.

- 1) How is the letter A formed?
 - a) — ●
 - b) ● ● ●
 - c) ● —
 - d) —

- 2) What letter is ● ?
 - a) A
 - b) C
 - c) E
 - d) G

- 3) What number makes up ● — — — — ?
 - a) 1
 - b) 3
 - c) 5
 - d) 7

- 4) How is the number 8 formed?
 - a) — — ●
 - b) ● ● ●
 - c) ● ●
 - d) — — — ● ●

- 5) How is SOS formed?
 - a) ● ● — — — ● ●
 - b) ● ● ● — — — ● ● ●
 - c) ● — — — ●
 - d) ● ● ● — — ● ● ●

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) c	3) a	4) d	5) b
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6) How is an end of message formed?

- a) — • — •
- b) • — • — •
- c) • — • —
- d) • — •

7) How is a comma formed?

- a) •
- b) — — • • — —
- c) • — • — •
- d) • — • — •

8) How is the letter W formed?

- a) — —
- b) • — —
- c) — — — —
- d) — — — — — —

9) What letter is — ?

- a) A
- b) H
- c) T
- d) Z

10) How is the number 0 formed?

- a) — — — —
- b) — — —
- c) — — — — —
- d) — —

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) b	8) b	9) c	10) c
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Chemical Elements

Chemical elements makeup a vast majority of items we utilize on a daily basis.

- 1) What is the chemical symbol for aluminum?
 - a) Al
 - b) A
 - c) Ab
 - d) Ac

- 2) What is the chemical symbol for calcium?
 - a) Cb
 - b) Ca
 - c) Cd
 - d) Cc

- 3) What does the symbol Cu represent?
 - a) Cubic
 - b) Copper
 - c) Coil
 - d) Curd

- 4) What does the symbol Au represent?
 - a) Aluminum
 - b) Ausk
 - c) Gold
 - d) Radium

- 5) What is the symbol for Helium?
 - a) He
 - b) Hb
 - c) Hl
 - d) Hi

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) b	3) b	4) c	5) a
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- 6) What does the symbol Fe represent?
a) Magnesium
b) Mendeleevium
c) Zinc
d) Iron
- 7) What does the symbol Ne represent?
a) Nickel
b) Neon
c) Nitrogen
d) Nitrate
- 8) O represents what element?
a) Oxidize
b) Osmium
c) Oxygen
d) Xenon
- 9) Si represents what element?
a) Silver
b) Sodium
c) Scandium
d) Silicon
- 10) Silver is represented by what symbol?
a) Ag
b) Ae
c) Si
d) Sl

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) d	7) b	8) c	9) d	10) a
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Holidays around the World

Across the world many holidays are celebrated and recognized.

- 1) This holiday is celebrated on Dec 25th and is the Christian celebration of Jesus Christ's birth?
 - a) Christmas
 - b) Lent
 - c) Easter
 - d) Halloween

- 2) Often referred to as the Feast of Lights - it is the celebration of a Jewish victory over the Syrian's in 165 B.C.?
 - a) Christmas
 - b) Hanukkah
 - c) Lent
 - d) Halloween

- 3) Jewish holiday typically in March or April which celebrates the exodus of the Jews from Egypt?
 - a) Passover
 - b) Lent
 - c) Easter
 - d) Hanukkah

- 4) Sometimes referred to as the Festival of Sacrifice?
 - a) Festival of Lights
 - b) Great Sacrifice
 - c) Great Feast
 - d) Great Festival

- 5) Holiday 40 days after Easter - celebrates rising of Jesus into heaven?
 - a) Ascension Day
 - b) Easter Day
 - c) Penance Day
 - d) Arbor Day

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) b	3) a	4) d	5) a
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- 6) What is the Jewish harvest that begins five days after Yom Kippur?
 - a) Suggot
 - b) Sukkot
 - c) Sugot
 - d) Seder

- 7) Sometimes referred to as the Day of Atonement - the Jewish holiday which is 10 days after Rosh Hashanah?
 - a) Yom Kippur
 - b) Yom Kepper
 - c) Festival of Lights
 - d) Festival of Souls

- 8) Legal federal holiday in the United States - on November 11th each year?
 - a) Lincoln's Birthday
 - b) Veterans Day
 - c) Memorial Day
 - d) Labor Day

- 9) Legal festival in the United States - the first Monday in September?
 - a) Labor Day
 - b) Lover Day
 - c) Laber Day
 - d) Libel Day

- 10) Legal holiday in the United States the fourth Thursday in November?
 - a) Washington's Birthday
 - b) Lincoln's Birthday
 - c) Thanksgiving Day
 - d) President's Day

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) a	8) b	9) a	10) c
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Greek Mythology

Gods and goddesses are many in mythology - see if you can name some of the most common.

- 1) Known as the Greek goddess of love?
 - a) Zeus
 - b) Aphrodite
 - c) Eros
 - d) Hera

- 2) Known as the God of love?
 - a) Eros
 - b) Zeus
 - c) Hera
 - d) Hyphnos

- 3) Known as the Greek God of sleep?
 - a) Capricorn
 - b) Zeus
 - c) Hera
 - d) Hyphnos

- 4) Ruler of the Greek gods?
 - a) Demeter
 - b) Zeus
 - c) Hera
 - d) Ascleplus

- 5) The God of healing?
 - a) Dionysus
 - b) Zeus
 - c) Hera
 - d) Ascleplus

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) a	3) d	4) b	5) d
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- 6) The protector of marriage and woman?
a) Hera
b) Cronus
c) Ares
d) Dionysus
- 7) Goddess of growing items?
a) Ares
b) Demeter
c) Zeus
d) Cronus
- 8) God of wine, fertility and wild behavior?
a) Cronus
b) Dionysus
c) Hedes
d) Luta
- 9) Ruler of the Titans and father of Zeus?
a) Cronus
b) Loge
c) Herat
d) Sedan
- 10) The God of war?
a) Demeter
b) Hera
c) Hades
d) Ares

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) b	8) b	9) a	10) d
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Parliamentary Procedure

Parliamentary procedure is how the British Parliament has conducted their meetings. The terms revolve around orderly manner.

- 1) Number of members necessary to transact business?
 - a) Appeal
 - b) Quorum
 - c) Division
 - d) Pending question

- 2) To overrule a decision of the presiding officer?
 - a) Appeal
 - b) Division
 - c) Adjourn
 - d) Pending question

- 3) Count of votes by a show of hands?
 - a) Pending question
 - b) Appeal
 - c) Division
 - d) Quorum

- 4) Any motion open to debate?
 - a) Appeal
 - b) Pending question
 - c) Quorum
 - d) Order of business

- 5) To end a meeting?
 - a) Agenda
 - b) Point of order
 - c) Adjourn
 - d) End point

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) a	3) c	4) b	5) c
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- 6) The series of steps covered in a meeting, from the call to order through to the adjournment?
- a) Order of angles
 - b) Order of business
 - c) Order of awards
 - d) Order of hanging
- 7) Objection raised by a member because of improper procedure?
- a) Point of order
 - b) Point of contact
 - c) Point of dismissal
 - d) Point of odor
- 8) List of items the meeting will entail?
- a) Age
 - b) Arc
 - c) Agenda
 - d) Abject
- 9) Known as the temporary chairman?
- a) Chairman pro temper
 - b) Chairman pre tempore
 - c) Chairman pro tempore
 - d) Chairperson pro tempore
- 10) More then half of those voting?
- a) The more than rule
 - b) Half
 - c) Less
 - d) Majority

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) a	8) c	9) c	10) d
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People I

The following are short biographical questions about famous people whom have made up society.

- 1) American astronaut born 1930 who was the first person to set foot on the moon?
 - a) Neil Armstrong
 - b) Neil Armstring
 - c) Bob Armstrong
 - d) Michael Armstrong

- 2) Organized the American National Red Cross and served as its president. This person lived 1821-1912?
 - a) Cara Barton
 - b) Clara Barton
 - c) Clara Bitton
 - d) Clara Carton

- 3) A composer - his works include Mass in B Minor and the Brandenburg concertos?
 - a) Johann Sebastian Mach
 - b) Johann Sebastian Bach
 - c) Jon Sebastian Bach
 - d) Johann Lebastian Bach

- 4) This person edited the magazine The Revolution, was arrested for voting in 1872. She lived 1820-1906?
 - a) Susan A. Anthony
 - b) Samantha B. Anthony
 - c) Susan B. Anthony
 - d) Susan B. Mathony

- 5) His first group of 435 paintings, Birds of America was first published in England between 1826-1838?
 - a) James Audubon
 - b) John James Audubon
 - c) John Jim Audubon
 - d) James Audubon

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) b	3) b	4) c	5) b
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- 6) Assassinated President Abraham Lincoln in Fords Theatre in Washington, D.C. on April 14, 1865?
 - a) John Wilkes Booth
 - b) John Booth
 - c) James Wilkes Booth
 - d) James Booth

- 7) Was vice-president under Thomas Jefferson from 1801-1805?
 - a) Aaron Murr
 - b) Ari Burr
 - c) Aaron Burr
 - d) Aaron Purr

- 8) Wrote stories that were published as Alice's Adventures in Wonderland?
 - a) Lewis Carroll pen name of Charles L. Godgson
 - b) Lewis Roll pen name of Charles L. Dodgson
 - c) Lewis Carroll pen name of Charles L. Dodgson
 - d) John Carroll pen name of Charles L. Dodgson

- 9) American painter - her works include: The Bath, At the Opera and La Loge?
 - a) Mari Cassatt
 - b) Mary Dossett
 - c) Marie Cassatt
 - d) Mary Cassatt

- 10) American novelist wrote The Leatherstocking Tales. Lived 1789-1851?
 - a) Jim Fenimore Cooper
 - b) James Fenimore Cooper
 - c) James Menimore Cooper
 - d) James Fenimore Hooper

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) c	8) c	9) d	10) b
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People II

The following are short biographical questions about famous people whom have made up society.

- 1) A professor at the Sorbonne in Paris, she won the Nobel Prize in chemistry in 1911?
 - a) Mari Curie
 - b) Marie Cure
 - c) Marie Curie
 - d) Mary Curie

- 2) Scientist, inventor, engineer, sculptor and painter. His paintings include The Last Supper and Mona Lisa?
 - a) Leonardo DaVinci
 - b) Leo DaVinci
 - c) Leonard DaVinci
 - d) Leonardo DaHinci

- 3) An English novelist - his novels include A Christmas Carol and Pickwick Papers?
 - a) Charlie Dickens
 - b) Richard Dickens
 - c) Charles Hicens
 - d) Charles Dickens

- 4) The first woman pilot to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean?
 - a) Lia Earhart
 - b) Amelia Earhart
 - c) Amelia Carhart
 - d) Melia Merheart

- 5) Invented the electric light bulb and the phonograph?
 - a) Thomas Alva Edison
 - b) Thomas Ava Edison
 - c) Tom Alva Edison
 - d) Thomas Elva Edison

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) c	2) a	3) d	4) b	5) a
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- 6) Developed the theory of relativity - he was awarded the Nobel Prize for Physics in 1921?
 - a) Al Einstein
 - b) Albert Einstein
 - c) Albert Finstein
 - d) Bert Linstain

- 7) An American writer - his works include: A Farewell to Arms, For Whom the Bell Tolls?
 - a) Ned Way
 - b) Ernie Jemingway
 - c) Ernest Hemingway
 - d) Earnest Hemingway

- 8) Wrote the poem that was used as the lyrics of "The Star-Spangled Banner"?
 - a) Francis Scott Key
 - b) France Scott Key
 - c) Francis Scott
 - d) Francie Mott Key

- 9) American playwright - his works include Longs Days Journey into the Night, The Iceman Cometh he won the 1936 Nobel Prize for literature?
 - a) Gene O'Neill
 - b) Gene O'Neil
 - c) Eugene O'Neil
 - d) Eugene O'Neill

- 10) Founded the Standard Oil Company - he lived from 1839-1937?
 - a) Jon D. Rockefeller
 - b) John D. Rockefeller
 - c) James D. Rockefeller
 - d) Johanna D. Lockefeller

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) c	8) a	9) d	10) b
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People III

The following are short biographical questions about famous people whom have made up society.

- 1) Playwright whose best known works are Romeo and Juliet, Hamlet and Macbeth?
 - a) Bill Shakespeare
 - b) William Shakespeare
 - c) William Shakes
 - d) William Shakesphear

- 2) Irish born - he won the Nobel Prize for literature in 1925?
 - a) George Bernard Shay
 - b) Bernard Shaw
 - c) George Bern Shaw
 - d) George Bernard Shaw

- 3) Wrote The Wealth of Nations - a Scottish economist he lived 1723-1790?
 - a) Adam Smith
 - b) Amy Smith
 - c) John Smith
 - d) Mike Smith

- 4) A Scottish author his works include Treasure Island, The Strange Case of Doctor Jekyll and Mr. Hyde?
 - a) Robert Lou Stevenson
 - b) Robert Louis Stevenson
 - c) Bert Stevenson
 - d) Rob Steven

- 5) Composed the ballets Swan Lake and the Nutcracker. He lived 1840-1893?
 - a) Johann Sebastian Bach
 - b) Francis Copeland
 - c) Wolfgang Mozart
 - d) Peter Ilich Tchaikovsky

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) d	3) a	4) b	5) d
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- 6) American writer whose works include The Adventures of Tom Sawyer and The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn?
 - a) Mark Wain (real name Sam Long Clemens)
 - b) Marc Twain (real name Samuel Longhorne Clem)
 - c) Mark Twain (real name Samuel Longhorne Clemens)
 - d) Mark Cane (real name Samuel Long Clemens)

- 7) Dutch painter - whose works include - The Starry Night and Le Pont d'Arles?
 - a) Vincent Van Gogh
 - b) Vince Van Gogh
 - c) Vincent Van Hogh
 - d) Vincent Von Gogh

- 8) Produced the two volume work, An American Dictionary of the English Language?
 - a) Noa Webster
 - b) Noah Webster
 - c) Noah Kebster
 - d) Oah Lebster

- 9) English poet, whose works include: "I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud" and "Lines Composed a Few Miles above Tintern Abbey"?
 - a) William Kordsworth
 - b) William Wordsworth
 - c) William Lordsworth
 - d) Bill Wordsmith

- 10) American architect - designed Imperial Hotel in Tokyo and Guggenheim Museum in New York City?
 - a) Frank Lloyd Right
 - b) Fran Lloyd Right
 - c) Frank Lloyd Wright
 - d) Franco Lloyd Wright

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) c	7) a	8) b	9) b	10) c
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U.S. Presidents

The following are short questions about Presidents of the United States.

- 1) The second president of the United States - lived 1735-1826?
 - a) John Adams
 - b) Jim Adams
 - c) John Addams
 - d) Joe Adams

- 2) Was the first president seen on television?
 - a) Frank Roosevelt
 - b) Theodore Roosevelt
 - c) Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - d) Franco D. Roosevelt

- 3) The first president of the United States - lived 1732-1799?
 - a) George Washington
 - b) Ogre Washington
 - c) Cleveland Washington
 - d) Carver Washington

- 4) This 16th U.S. president was assassinated by John Wilkes Booth?
 - a) Ham Lincoln
 - b) Abraham Wilcox
 - c) Abraham Lincoln
 - d) Bob Lincoln

- 5) Was the 30th president of the United States?
 - a) Cal Coolidge
 - b) Calvin Coolidge
 - c) Cavin Hoolidge
 - d) Vin Coolidge

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) c	3) a	4) c	5) b
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- 6) Was the 10th president of the United States?
- a) John Tyler
 - b) Jon Tyler
 - c) John Tklyer
 - d) Johann Tyler
- 7) This president was inaugurated Aug 9, 1974 - the same day Richard Nixon resigned as the 37th president?
- a) Gerry Ford
 - b) Ronald Ford
 - c) Gerald R. Ford
 - d) Al R. Ford
- 8) Was the 40th president of the United States?
- a) Donald Reagan
 - b) Ronald W. Reagan
 - c) Ron W. Heagan
 - d) Ronald W. Weagan
- 9) Became U.S. President in 1901, following the assassination of William McKineley?
- a) Theodore Roosevelt
 - b) Theodore Rose
 - c) Theodorf Roosevelt
 - d) Theodore Rosie
- 10) Was the 42nd president of the United States?
- a) Bill Jeffersen Clinton
 - b) Liam Jefferson Clinton
 - c) William Jefferson Clinton
 - d) William Jeffersen Clinton

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) c	8) b	9) a	10) c
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Major Religions of the World

The following are short questions about religions of the world.

- 1) This religion is based on the life and teachings of Jesus Christ?
 - a) Shinto
 - b) Christianity
 - c) Taoism
 - d) Islam

- 2) Religion based on the teachings of Muhammad, who was an Arab who began preaching in Mecca around A.D. 610?
 - a) Shinto
 - b) Islam
 - c) Taoism
 - d) Hinduism

- 3) The chief religion of India is the oldest living religion in the world which dates to about 1500 B.C.?
 - a) Taoism
 - b) Hinduism
 - c) Shinto
 - d) Confucianism

- 4) A Chinese religion based on the teachings of a philosopher named Confucius who died about 479 B.C.?
 - a) Taoism
 - b) Confucianism
 - c) Christianity
 - d) Shinto

- 5) This religion means way of the Gods and is the oldest surviving religion of Japan?
 - a) Taoism
 - b) Shinto
 - c) Confucianism
 - d) Hinduism

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) b	3) b	4) b	5) b
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- 6) Religion that everyone should try to achieve two goals, happiness and immortality. It has been an organized religion during the 100's B.C.?
- a) Shinto
 - b) Hinduism
 - c) Taoism
 - d) Judaism
- 7) Religion of Jewish people. One of the oldest major religions to the first to teach the belief in one God?
- a) Christianity
 - b) Hindi
 - c) Judaism
 - d) Taoism
- 8) The cross is the symbol of this religion?
- a) Shinto
 - b) Taoism
 - c) Christianity
 - d) Judaism
- 9) This religions symbol is the crescent and star which appear on several national flags?
- a) Shinto
 - b) Hindu
 - c) Islam
 - d) Taoism
- 10) A torii - which is a wooden gate is this religions symbol?
- a) Islam
 - b) Confucianism
 - c) Shinto
 - d) Buddhism

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) c	7) c	8) c	9) c	10) c
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Inventions and Inventors

The following are short questions about inventions and inventors.

- 1) Who invented the thermometer in 1593?
 - a) Galilea
 - b) Galileo
 - c) Galleo
 - d) Gallea

- 2) Who invented the cotton gin in 1793?
 - a) Eli Hhitney
 - b) Eli White
 - c) Eli Whitney
 - d) Ela Whitney

- 3) Who invented the telegraph in 1836?
 - a) Samuel F.B. Morse
 - b) Samuel F. Horse
 - c) Sam B. Morse
 - d) Samuel F.B. Corse

- 4) Who invented the safety elevator in 1854?
 - a) Elish G. Otis
 - b) Elisha G. Tis
 - c) Elisha G. Otis
 - d) Elishe G. Otis

- 5) Who invented the mercury thermometer in 1714?
 - a) Gabe D. Fahrenheit
 - b) Gabriel D. Fahrenheit
 - c) Ariel D. Fahrenheit
 - d) Brie D. Fahrenheit

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) c	3) a	4) c	5) b
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- 6) Who invented the steel plow in 1837?
- a) Jon Deere
 - b) John Fear
 - c) John Deere
 - d) Jonny Deer
- 7) Who invented the gas burner in 1855?
- a) Robert W. Bun
 - b) Robert A. Bunson
 - c) Rob W. Bunny
 - d) Robert W. Bunsen
- 8) Who invented the Polaroid land camera?
- a) Richard H. Land
 - b) Edwin H. Land
 - c) Edwin A. Lane
 - d) Edwin H. Lanney
- 9) Rene Laeunee invented in 1816 - this common medical device?
- a) Oxygen mask
 - b) Stethoscope
 - c) X-Ray machine
 - d) Tongue depressor
- 10) Elias Howe invented in 1846 - this common machine used to make clothes?
- a) Sewing machine
 - b) Cotton gin
 - c) Thimble
 - d) Needle

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) c	7) d	8) b	9 b	10) a
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Math

The following are short questions about math.

- 1) What does the symbol \subseteq stand for?
 - a) Is included in
 - b) In
 - c) Outbound
 - d) Under

- 2) What does the symbol \cap stand for?
 - a) Outer-join
 - b) Intersection
 - c) Inner-up
 - d) Inner-join

- 3) What does the symbol \cup stand for?
 - a) Under
 - b) Approach
 - c) Understand
 - d) Union

- 4) What does the symbol \neq stand for?
 - a) Not equal to
 - b) Equal to
 - c) Inline with
 - d) Equal

- 5) What does the symbol ∞ stand for?
 - a) Eight
 - b) Infinity
 - c) Double
 - d) Circumference

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) b	3) d	4) a	5) b
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- 6) What does the symbol \lessgtr stand for?
- a) Greater than
 - b) Final
 - c) Less than
 - d) Lower than
- 7) What does the symbol \lessdot stand for?
- a) Less than
 - b) Greater than
 - c) Up to
 - d) Down from
- 8) What does the symbol \lessgtr stand for?
- a) Equal to or greater than
 - b) Equal to or less than
 - c) Less than
 - d) Greater then equal to
- 9) What does the symbol \lessgtr stand for?
- a) Greater than
 - b) Equates to
 - c) Equal to or greater than
 - d) Equal
- 10) What does the symbol \lessdot stand for?
- a) Dot-slash
 - b) Approaches
 - c) Equal to
 - d) Have not

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) c	7) b	8) b	9 c	10) b
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Space

The following are short questions about space.

- 1) What is the path of a satellite called?
 - a) Thrush
 - b) Orbit
 - c) Black Hole
 - d) Uranus

- 2) What is the push given to a rocket by its engines?
 - a) Thrust
 - b) Heat Shield
 - c) Velocity
 - d) Rendezvous

- 3) A manned spacecraft carried by a larger spacecraft?
 - a) Rocket
 - b) Droid
 - c) Capsule
 - d) Pouch

- 4) A Russian space pilot?
 - a) Cosmo
 - b) Trooper
 - c) Astronaut
 - d) Cosmonaut

- 5) A United States space pilot?
 - a) Halo
 - b) Astronaut
 - c) Cosmonaut
 - d) Robot

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) a	3) b	4) d	5) b
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- 6) Covering on a spacecraft to protect the craft from high temperatures?
 - a) Heat-sync
 - b) Heat-shield
 - c) Shield
 - d) Spectrum-shield

- 7) Speed and direction of a spacecraft?
 - a) Wind
 - b) Speed
 - c) Orbit
 - d) Velocity

- 8) Space maneuver in which two or more spacecraft meet?
 - a) Meeting
 - b) Double meet
 - c) Coupling
 - d) Rendezvous

- 9) Man-made object that travels through space?
 - a) Spacecraft
 - b) Pod
 - c) Needle
 - d) Hover-craft

- 10) Point closet to earth in the orbit of an earth satellite?
 - a) Pedigree
 - b) Perigee
 - c) Periscope
 - d) Per-space

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) d	8) d	9 a	10) b
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Sports

The following are short questions about sports

- 1) Who won the 1903 World Series?
 - a) New York Yankees
 - b) Boston Red Sox
 - c) Pittsburgh Pirates
 - d) Brooklyn Dodgers

- 2) Who won the 1979 World Series?
 - a) Boston Red Sox
 - b) Pittsburgh Pirates
 - c) Philadelphia Phillies
 - d) New York Yankees

- 3) Who won the World Series in 1977 and 1978?
 - a) New York Yankees
 - b) Boston Red Sox
 - c) Pittsburgh Pirates
 - d) Los Angeles Dodgers

- 4) Who won the 1969 Indianapolis 500?
 - a) A.J. Foyt
 - b) Richard Petty
 - c) Mario Andretti
 - d) Dale Ehrhardt

- 5) Who won the NFL super bowl in 1975 and 1976?
 - a) New York Jets
 - b) New York Giants
 - c) New England Patriots
 - d) Pittsburgh Steelers

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) b	3) a	4) c	5) d
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- 6) Who won the NFL super bowl in 1969?
 - a) New York Jets
 - b) New York Giants
 - c) Philadelphia Eagles
 - d) Chicago Bears

- 7) What NHL team won the Stanley Cup from 1979-1983?
 - a) New York Rangers
 - b) Pittsburgh Penguins
 - c) New York Islanders
 - d) Hartford Whalers

- 8) Who won the Rose Bowl in 1902?
 - a) Navy
 - b) Harvard University
 - c) West Virginia University
 - d) Michigan

- 9) Who won the Orange Bowl in 1933?
 - a) Miami
 - b) Yale University
 - c) Marist College
 - d) University of Pittsburgh

- 10) Who won the PGA British Open in 1970?
 - a) Tom Watson
 - b) Jack Nicklaus
 - c) Arnold Palmer
 - d) Lee Trevino

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) c	8) d	9 a	10) b
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U.S. States

The following are short questions about U.S. states

- 1) This states capital is Montgomery?
 - a) New Jersey
 - b) Alabama
 - c) Tennessee
 - d) Georgia

- 2) Hartford in this states capital city?
 - a) Connecticut
 - b) Rhode Island
 - c) Vermont
 - d) New York

- 3) This state is known as the Bluegrass State?
 - a) New Hampshire
 - b) Delaware
 - c) Maryland
 - d) Kentucky

- 4) This state is known as the Aloha State?
 - a) Alaska
 - b) California
 - c) Hawaii
 - d) New Mexico

- 5) Lincoln is the capital of this state?
 - a) North Dakota
 - b) Nebraska
 - c) South Dakota
 - d) Wyoming

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) a	3) d	4) c	5) b
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- 6) This state is known as the Empire state?
 - a) New York
 - b) Connecticut
 - c) Pennsylvania
 - d) Michigan

- 7) What is the capital of Vermont?
 - a) Burlington
 - b) Barre
 - c) Montpelier
 - d) Warren

- 8) This state is known as the Ocean state?
 - a) New Jersey
 - b) Rhode Island
 - c) California
 - d) Florida

- 9) Pierre is the capital of this state?
 - a) North Dakota
 - b) Montana
 - c) South Dakota
 - d) Wyoming

- 10) Known as the Mountain State whose capital is Charleston?
 - a) West Virginia
 - b) North Carolina
 - c) Virginia
 - d) South Carolina

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) c	8) b	9 c	10) a
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Major U.S. Speeches and Documents

The following are short questions about major U.S. Speeches and documents.

- 1) Signed Sept 17, 1787 - sets forth the basic law of the U.S. establishes form of national government?
 - a) United States Flag
 - b) Constitution of the United States
 - c) Constitution of the Union
 - d) Constitution of the Republic

- 2) Document adopted on July 4, 1776 to proclaim U.S. their freedom from British rule?
 - a) Declaration of Independence
 - b) Declaration of Peace
 - c) Independence Treaty
 - d) Declaration of Stars

- 3) Issued by President Abraham Lincoln on Jan 1, 1863. Declared freedom for slaves?
 - a) Proclamation of Freedom
 - b) Proclamation of Peace
 - c) Emancipation Proclamation
 - d) Emancipation of the Proclamation

- 4) Agreement signed by 41 male pilgrims aboard the Mayflower in 1620?
 - a) Flower Compact
 - b) Mayflower Camp
 - c) Mayflower Compost
 - d) Mayflower Compact

- 5) In a speech before Congress on Jan 8, 1918 - President Woodrow Wilson - talked about these as the basis for ending World War I?
 - a) Fourteen Points
 - b) Fourtween Points
 - c) Points of Four
 - d) Fourteen Pints

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) a	3) c	4) d	5) a
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- 6) Basis for settling World War II - expressed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in a message to Congress on January 6, 1941?
 - a) Five Freedoms
 - b) Four Freedoms
 - c) Freedoms Four
 - d) Four Free

- 7) How many people signed the Declaration of Independence?
 - a) 53
 - b) 54
 - c) 55
 - d) 56

- 8) How many people signed the Constitution?
 - a) 36
 - b) 37
 - c) 38
 - d) 39

- 9) Speech delivered by President Abraham Lincoln on Nov 19th, 1863 in Pennsylvania?
 - a) Getty Address
 - b) Gettysburg Address
 - c) Burg Address
 - d) Gettysburg Addition

- 10) President James Monroe in a message to Congress on Dec 2, 1823 - warned European Nations about interfering with nations of Western Hemisphere?
 - a) Doctrine of Man
 - b) Roe Doctrine
 - c) Monroe Doctrine
 - d) Monroe Treaty

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) b	7) d	8) d	9 b	10) c
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Astronomy

The following are short questions about astronomy.

- 1) A star that explodes - becomes brighter then dims?
 - a) Cova
 - b) Nova
 - c) Shooting Star
 - d) Crystal

- 2) Study of the structure and history of the entire universe?
 - a) Cosmos
 - b) Cosmology
 - c) Starlogy
 - d) Stars in War

- 3) Cloud of gas and dust among the stars?
 - a) Nebula
 - b) Sand
 - c) Castle
 - d) Mass

- 4) Distance light travels in one year?
 - a) Light-one
 - b) Year of light
 - c) Light-year
 - d) Bright-year

- 5) Study of the chemical composition of astronomical bodies?
 - a) Astro circumference
 - b) Astrology
 - c) Physics
 - d) Astrophysics

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) b	2) b	3) a	4) c	5) d
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- 6) Pair of stars revolving around each other?
- a) Binary pair
 - b) Binary circle
 - c) Binary place
 - d) Binary star
- 7) Object that looks like a star but has a red shift?
- a) Quasar
 - b) Quartz
 - c) Czar
 - d) Red Star
- 8) Identifies a star's color and surface temperature?
- a) Spec
 - b) Spectial
 - c) Space
 - d) Spatial
- 9) Object that is invisible because it has so much gravitational force?
- a) Black coil
 - b) Black bowl
 - c) Black sole
 - d) Black hole
- 10) Points in the sky directly above the North Pole and South Pole?
- a) Celestial roles
 - b) Celestial oils
 - c) Celestial poles
 - d) Celestial piles

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) d	7) a	8) b	9) d	10) c
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Weights and Measures

The following are short questions about weights and measures.

- 1) How many inches are in a foot?
 - a) 8 in.
 - b) 10 in.
 - c) 12 in.
 - d) 14 in.

- 2) How many feet are in one yard?
 - a) 3 ft.
 - b) 4 ft.
 - c) 5 ft.
 - d) 6 ft.

- 3) To convert from degrees Fahrenheit to degrees Celsius - what does one multiply by?
 - a) 0.55 (after subtracting 32)
 - b) 0.53 (after subtracting 34)
 - c) 0.54 (after subtracting 32)
 - d) 0.52 (after subtracting 36)

- 4) To convert from degrees Celsius to degrees Fahrenheit - what does one multiply by?
 - a) 1.6 (then add 33)
 - b) 1.7 (then add 30)
 - c) 1.8 (then add 32)
 - d) 1.9 (then add 33)

- 5) 1 tablespoon equals how many teaspoons?
 - a) 3
 - b) 4
 - c) 5
 - d) 6

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) c	2) a	3) a	4) c	5) a
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- 6) 1 cup is equal to how many tablespoons?
a) 10
b) 12
c) 14
d) 16
- 7) 1 pint is equal to how many ounces?
a) 10
b) 12
c) 14
d) 16
- 8) 1 gallon is equal to how many ounces?
a) 128
b) 129
c) 130
d) 131
- 9) 1 quart is equal to how many pints?
a) 5
b) 4
c) 3
d) 2
- 10) 1 gallon is equal to how many quarts?
a) 2
b) 4
c) 6
d) 8

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) d	7) d	8) a	9 d	10) b
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Major Wars and Battles

The following are short questions about major wars and battles.

- 1) This war was fought between 1914-1918 and included amongst others Britain, France, Russia, Japan and the U.S. fighting against Germany and Bulgaria?
 - a) World War I
 - b) World War II
 - c) World War III
 - d) Spanish-American War

- 2) In this 1898 war - Spain and the U.S. fought over the liberation for Cuba?
 - a) World War I
 - b) Spanish-American War
 - c) Vietnam War
 - d) February Revolution

- 3) In 1941 - a 360 plane attack by Japan on U.S. soil?
 - a) Vietnam War
 - b) World War II
 - c) Pearl Harbor
 - d) Korean War

- 4) War lasted 1957-1975 - included Communist Vietnamese v.s. U.S. amongst others?
 - a) Vietnam War
 - b) World War II
 - c) Korean War
 - d) Mexican War

- 5) Russian revolt that forced Czar Nicholas II to give up the throne in 1917?
 - a) Korean War
 - b) French and Indian War
 - c) Czar War
 - d) February Revolution

Answers to the questions on this page:

1) a	2) b	3) c	4) a	5) d
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- 6) War from 1939-1945 - pitted Britain, Canada, France, Russia and the U.S. amongst others v.s. German, Italy and Japan?
 - a) World War II
 - b) World War I
 - c) Korean War
 - d) French and Indian War

- 7) War from 1950-1953 - United Nations forces v.s. Communist Chinese and North Korean troops?
 - a) Vietnam War
 - b) Congo War
 - c) American Civil War
 - d) Korean War

- 8) War from 1861-1865 - Union forces of U.S. North v.s. Confederate troops from U.S. South?
 - a) American Civil War
 - b) Indian War
 - c) French and Indian War
 - d) Union War

- 9) War 1795-1783 - American colonists fought for Independence from Britain?
 - a) American Revolt
 - b) American Revolution
 - c) Revolution of America
 - d) American War

- 10) War 1846-1848 - Mexico and the U.S. states fought over boundaries and control of Texas?
 - a) Revolt of Mexico
 - b) War of Mexico
 - c) Mexico War
 - d) Mexican War

Answers to the questions on this page:

6) a	7) d	8) a	9 b	10) d
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