ACTIVITY ANSWER KEY

Section 3

Check your answers with this Answer Key. Answers separated by commas may be in any order. Answers separated by semicolons must be in stated order. Correct all errors, then complete your next goal.



Topic 11:
Dominant Personalities & Events
James Madison:
Father of the Constitution

1. (b) during
2. (c) a very serious student of an outstanding patriot who studied Christianity
3. (wording may vary) It influenced Madison's thinking about the relationship between God and the government
4. law, politics; champion of religious freedom
5. (b) as the individual chooses
6. (b) positions or areas of responsibility
7. (d) French and Indian War
8. Articles of Confederation
9. (c) Thomas Jefferson
10. The Virginia Plan
11. (a) Fact
12. (c) Benjamin Franklin
13. John Jay
14. Alexander Hamilton; banking
15. (a) True
16. (b) Opinion
17. Declaration of Independence
18. Constitution
19. (b) False
20. (wording may vary) The British were invading Washington, D.C. and had threatened to burn the capitol and the White House.
21. (a) saving important documents from English destruction
22. (b) The rain extinguished the fire, and the storm demolished the English military camp
23. 1814
24. respected nation
25. _4_ elected 4th president of the United States in 1809
    _1_ served in the Continental Congress
    _5_ president of the United States during the War of 1812
    _2_ delegate to the Constitutional Convention
    _3_ appointed as Secretary of State
26. (a) Madison's brilliant work as "Father of the U.S. Constitution"
27. *"The role of government is not to provide all the needs of citizens, but to provide a wall of protection around families so they can meet the needs of one another."*



Topic 12: *Government & Economics*
Ratifying the Constitution

1. Federalism
2. republic; represent
3. investigate; laws; office
4. Federalists
5. (a) the original, weaker Constitution of the 13 states
6. (b) False
7. (e) only b and c
8. Bill of Rights
9. (any order) Alexander Hamilton, John Jay, James Madison
10. "The Federalist Papers"
11. ¾, 9, 75%
12. Rhode Island; (wording may vary) they waited until the Bill of Rights had actually been added

13. the United States' Constitution
14. (a) head (or President); laws
    (b) congress; laws; defend
    (c) all the states
    (d) Supreme Court
15. "We the people of the United States of America, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."
16. (a) peace at home
17. (c) descendents
18. Senate; House of Representatives
19. 435
20. popular (or direct)
21. Senate; tie
22. election; Congress
23. A quorum is the minimum number of members necessary to conduct business
24. Congressional Record
25. the U.S. Treasury
26. (a) True
27. taxes; war; land
28. *Writ* of *Habeas Corpus*
29. treaties; coin; war
30. tax exports
31. 35; citizen
32. president; vice president
33. vice president
34. preserve, protect, defend
35. Commander-in-Chief
36. reprieves
37. (b) delay punishment
38. treaties; ambassadors; Supreme Court
39. (a) True
40. president; removed
41. (c) Supreme Court and lower federal courts
42. _d_ Original jurisdiction
43. _b_ Appellate jurisdiction
44. _c_ in all cases except impeachment
45. _a_ *judicial review*
46. _e_ *judicial tyranny*
47. (c) giving financial assistance to other countries
48. (b) False
49.

Executive Branch	Legislative Branch	Judicial Branch
1. President (or Chief Executive)	1. House of Representatives	1. Supreme Court
2. Vice President	2. Senate	2. Lower Federal Courts

50. (d) separation of powers
51. (a) True
52. (a) True
53. privileges, immunities
54. new states; territories
55. (c) republican
56. amendments, *"elastic"*
57. the Supreme Law of the land; *"supremacy"*
58. (d) neither a nor b
59. (a) _B_ collect taxes
    (b) _B_ establish courts
    (c) _F_ make treaties
    (d) _B_ build highways
    (e) _F_ add new states to United States
    (f) _F_ make federal laws
    (g) _F_ propose constitutional amendments
60. ____ All bills begin in the Senate.
    _X_ The legislative branch of government is responsible for making laws.
    ____ Bills cannot be changed after they are introduced.
    _X_ Bills can "die" at any one of several places as they go . . .
    ____ The president is the most influential person in Congress.
    _X_ The process of a bill becoming a law tends to be complicated and slow.
    _X_ A bill can become a law without the president's permission.

61. *"A nation ruled by moral principles needs few policemen."*
62. **Recitation graded by teacher.**



Topic 13: *Government & Economics*
The First Ten Amendments

1. (b) anti-Federalists
2. blessing, curse
3. "Righteousness alone can exalt them…"; virtue; encourage
4. The Bill of Rights
5. (a) formally approved
6. (a) three-fourths
7. religion; speech; press; assembly; petition
8. State religion or church; free exercise
9. (b) False
10. (b) False
11. (a) True
12. (c) people may lose their freedoms
13. (a) Fact
14. (a) True
15. government
16. (a) True
17. (a) True
18. Freedom of Assembly
19. Freedom of the Press (or Speech)
20. Freedom of Religion
21. Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Religion
22. Freedom of Speech
23. Freedom of Petition
24. (b) freedom of the press
25. (c) owning weapons (guns) to protect your family
26. (d) both a and b
27. quarter soldiers
28. (wording may vary) provide housing for military personnel and/or their dependents
29. _g_ Amendment IV
    _c_ Amendment V
    _f_ Amendment VI
    _e_ Amendment VII
    _b_ Amendment VIII
    _d_ Amendment IX
    _a_ Amendment X
30. (c) the states and people submitting to the federal government in all matters
31. (any order, wording may vary)
    (a) A person accused of a capital crime must be indicted by a Grand Jury before being brought to trial.
    (b) A person cannot be coerced (forced) to testify against himself.
    (c) Double Jeopardy is prohibited (or an acquitted person cannot be retried for the same crime).
    (d) Private property cannot be taken for public use without fair payment.
32. (a) an acquitted person cannot be retried for the same crime
33. (c) has been found not guilty of a crime
34. (a) the jury has not formed an opinion about a case before it is presented in court
35.

VI	6	III	3
X	10	VIII	8
V	5	II	2
IX	9	VII	7
IV	4	I	1

36. *"The worth of a man is measured by the principles which guide his choices."*



Topic 14:
Dominant Personalities & Events
Adams & Jefferson

1. Thomas Jefferson, John Adams
2. (c) smooth-talking public speakers who can influence or change others' opinions
3. (c) helped unify and lead the Colonies to independence
4. (a) what they did cannot be forgotten
5. (c) soldier
6. (a) Fact
7. Declaration of Independence, two
8. _X_ Human rights are a gift from . . .
   _X_ Human rights should not be . . .
   _X_ Government should uphold . . .
   _X_ Divine authority established . . .
9. (wording may vary) loss of his wife, the death of five of his children

10. Thomas Jefferson's wife died
11. Louisiana Purchase
12. (b) False
13. "always doing"
14. (b) False
15. (wording may vary) rise with the Sun (or get up early), study the scriptures (or Bible)
16. Latin
17. improving
18. (c) loyal
19. (wording may vary) he was totally committed to the ideals of liberty
20. vice-president, president
21. (a) True
22. (wording may vary) Keeping the United States out of war with France.
23. (b) False
24. (c) Jefferson and Adams were outstanding patriots who helped birth a new nation
25. *"Think of three things: from where you came, where you are going and to whom you must give account."*



Topic 15: *American Icons*
Symbols, Pledge and Creed

1. _b_ George Washington
   _a_ Betsy Ross
   _e_ 13 stars on the first flag
   _h_ blue field
   _c_ 13 stripes
   _d_ red stripes
   _g_ white stripes
   _f_ 13 stars in a circle
2. Stars and Stripes, Old Glory, the Red, White and Blue, the Star Spangled Banner
3. "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands: one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
4. Francis Bellamy; 1892
5. 1942; 50
6. Congress (and/or president Eisenhower); 1954
7. (a) Preamble section of U.S. Constitution
8. (a) history
   (b) ideals
   (c) emotion
   (d) law
9. (b) False
10. power; protocol
11. _b_ practicing good...
    _a_ careless in matters...
12. _X_ Flags should never be . . .
    _X_ Flags must be able to fly . . .
    _____ The Flag on coffin of a . . .
    _X_ When displayed with state . . .
    _____ When displayed with . . .
    _X_ When displayed flat, . . .
    _X_ Flags are flown at half-mast . . .
    _____ Flags flown upside down . . .
    _____ Flags are to be flown over . . .
    _X_ Flags are to be raised after . . .
    _X_ Everyone is to stand at . . .
    _X_ Flags are not to be worn . . .
    _X_ Flags may be washed and . . .
    _X_ Ragged, faded Flags should . . .
    _____ Any means of disposing . . .
13. The Continental Congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as our national flag on June 14, 1777
14. _b_ American turkey
    _a_ American Bald Eagle
    _e_ olive branch
    _h_ arrows
    _f_ shield
    _i_ stripes on shield
    _c_ blue
    _j_ *E Pluribus Unum*
    _d_ new constellation of stars
    _g_ *Annuit coeptis*
15. London; 25
16. (b) False
17. "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land to all the inhabitants thereof."
18. (a) Fact

19. (a) in the United States of America
    (b) of the people; by the people;
    (c) for the people;
    (d) are derived
    (e) the consent of the governed
    (f) in a republic;
    (g) of many sovereign states
    (h) perfect union
    (i) and inseparable
    (j) those principles; freedom
    (k) equality; justice
    (l) American patriots sacrificed
    (m) lives and fortunes
    (n) duty; country
    (o) love it; support it's Constitution
    (p) obey its laws; respect its flag
    (q) defend it against all enemies
20. (a) a formal statement of belief
21. (a) from the people it governs
22. (c) both a and b
23. (c) each state is supreme ruler of its own matters except where federal laws are concerned
24. (any order) freedom, equality, justice, humanity
25. (any order) love, obey, support, respect
26. In God We Trust; 1956
27. (b) Inference/Implied
28. (c) a threatening light
29. (wording may vary) Our Flag was still there.
30. The Star Spangled Banner; Francis Scott Key;

Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

31. (c) is very dangerous
32. free men
33. "Praise the Power that has made and preserved us a nation" (or thank God)
34. (b) Inference/Implied
35 *"Sure, I wave the American Flag. Do you know a better flag to wave?"*

Ask for your QUIZ over Section 1.
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