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SECTION QUIZ 1-1



Remember:
Score an 85% or higher on all three quizzes, and you may be exempt from the chapter test!



Congratulations! You have completed this section!

Answer the following questions to test your understanding of the material. When you are finished, hand in your quiz to your teacher. Each answer is worth .85 points.

Fill in the Blanks with the correct answers.

1. Founding Father Benjamin Franklin contributed to American and world literature by authoring his almanac, titled _____, and a satire, titled, _____.
2. Underline the correct answer, then fill in the blank. "The Crisis" was a (pamphlet, speech), authored by _____.
3. Underline the correct answer, then fill in the blank. "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death" was a (pamphlet, speech), authored by _____.
4. Founding Father Samuel Adams was particularly concerned that the American people remain _____ in order to maintain their freedoms.
5. Founding Father Alexander Hamilton co-wrote the book _____ which has been haled by historians as the single most influential interpretation of the _____.
6. America's independence is commemmorated on what day each year? _____
7. How many patriots signed the Declaration of Independence? _____

Answer each question satisfactorily, in complete sentences. If more is known about the person or topic, add details; if less is known, then state the basic facts. You will be credited for the more details you provide.

8. Benjamin Franklin's address to colonists focused on what topic, and to what particular group of colonists did he give the speech? _____
9. Explain what a satire is. _____
10. Explain what a parody is. _____
11. Who was Phyllis Wheately? _____
12. "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death" was focused on what topic, and to whom was it addressed?

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13. What was the Mayflower Compact? _____

14. Who was Anne Bradstreet? _____

15. Who was George Washington? _____

16. Who was John Jay? _____

17. Who was James Madison? _____

18. Who was Thomas Jefferson? _____

19. Who was John Adams? _____

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Short essay answers on separate paper. Use the end of this quiz for scratch paper to organize your notes for your responses. (This section is worth 40% of your grade.)

20. What was the intent of the Founding Fathers when they met to produce a new form of government. What kind of government did they create, and why? What did they hope it would accomplish in the world, and how did they plan to put in place checks and balances that would sustain the new government beyond their own lives? What did they believe was a necessary characteristic of the American people to maintain a republican form of democracy?

21. In the Preamble to the Declaration of Independence, the Founding Fathers argued that it had become necessary for the American colonists to dissolve their political ties with England because England had ceased to function as a legitimate government, qualified to govern the Americans. What was a legitimate government, according to the Founding Fathers?

22. What is the Bill of Rights? List the 10 Amendments, and explain in detail Amendment 1.

23. From where did the term "Separation of Church and State" come? What was it intended to mean at the time it was stated, and how has it been erroneously interpreted in recent times by anti-religious extremists?

Complete the Life Principles.

24. *The noblest question in the world is, "What _____ may I do in it?"*

25. *They that can give up essential _____ to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither _____ nor safety.*

26. _____ *is always the best policy.*

27. *If a nation expects to be _____ and free, . . . it expects what never was and never will be.*

28. *Rebellion to _____ is obedience to _____.*

EXTRA CREDIT (Worth 10 points/2 points each name)

Name the author of each Life Principle:

24) _____
25) _____
26) _____
27) _____
28) _____

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