Ms. Dominguez History Class for Friday

September 11th- Patriot Day

Every year, the United States stops to honor the patriots and heroes who stood and helped their fellow Americans on 9/11/2001. We can learn from their stories and their actions. Many have gatherings at schools, speeches from the White House, and we spend time in recognizing them.

The US flag is flown at half-staff at the White House and on all U.S. government buildings and establishments throughout the world. Americans are also encouraged to display flags in and outside their homes. A moment of silence is observed to correspond with the attacks, beginning at 8:46 a.m. (Eastern Time), the time the first plane struck the North Tower of the World Trade Center.

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On Patriot Day, schools and businesses remain open in observance of the occasion, although memorial ceremonies are often held. Volunteer and service opportunities are coordinated by the Corporation for National and Community Service.

Patriot Day Comprehension Questions:

1. **Patriot Day is celebrated every year on September _____. ___**
2. **A moment of silence is observed at _____ am.**
3. **On Patriot Day, schools and businesses are _____.**
4. **Volunteer and service opportunities are _____.**
5. **_____ are flown at half-staff at government offices around the world.**
6. **We honor people who are seen as heroes, or _____.**
7. **Even though the events were tragic, we saw great _____.**
8. **The President at the time was _____.**
9. **The name of the group that carried out the attacks:_____.**
10. **The twin towers were in which state: _____.**

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