

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**20 Multiple choice questions**

Term

1 of 20

What is the name of the President of the United States now?

- ☐ Donald J. Trump
- ☐ Star Spangled Banner
- ☐ Washington D.C.
- ☐ Paul D. Ryan

Term

2 of 20

What group of people was taken to America and sold as slaves?

- ☐ Africans
  - War of 1812
  - Mexican-American War
  - Civil War
  - Spanish-American War
- ☐ World War II
- ☐ Japan, Germany, and Italy

Term

3 of 20

What are the two major political parties in the United States?

- ☐ Mike R. Pence
- ☐ Atlantic Ocean
- ☐ ▪ the Senate and House (of Representatives)
- ☐ Democratic and Republican

Definition

4 of 20

- War of 1812
  - Mexican-American War
  - Civil War
  - Spanish-American War
- ☐ Name one war fought by the United States in the 1800s.
  - ☐ During the Cold War, what was the main concern of the United States?
  - ☐ Name one war fought by the United States in the 1900s.
  - ☐ Who did the United States fight in World War II?

Term

5 of 20

What are two rights in the Declaration of Independence?

- life
- ☐ ▪ liberty
  - pursuit of happiness
- ☐ the Vice President
- ☐ bills
  - slavery
  - economic reasons
  - states' rights

Term

6 of 20

If both the President and the Vice President can no longer serve, who becomes President?

- ☐ the Speaker of House
- ☐ the Vice President
- ☐ the President
- ☐ all people of the state

Definition

7 of 20

they represent the 13 original colonies

- ☐ What are the two major political parties in the United States?
- ☐ Where is the Statue of Liberty?
- ☐ Why does the flag have 13 stripes?
- ☐ Why does the flag have 50 stars?

Term

8 of 20

In what month do we vote for President?

- ☐ November
- ☐ six (6) years
- ☐ Montgomery
- ☐ Star Spangled Banner

Term

9 of 20

Name the U.S. war between the North and the South.

- ☐ the Civil War
  - because of high taxes (taxation without representation)
  - because the British army stayed in their houses (boarding, quartering)
  - because they didn't have self-government
- ☐
  - fought for civil rights
  - worked for equality for all Americans
- ☐ terrorists attacked the United States

Term

10 of 20

We elect a U.S. Representative for how many years?

- ☐ Washington D.C.
- ☐ 9 (nine) justices
- ☐ Mike Rogers
- ☐ two (2) years

Definition

11 of 20

- the United States
- the flag

- ☐ What are the two parts of the U.S. Congress?
- ☐ What was one important thing that Abraham Lincoln did?
- ☐ What ocean is on the East Coast of the United States?
- ☐ What do we show loyalty to when we say the Pledge of Allegiance?

Definition

12 of 20

Native Americans (American Indians)

- ☐ Who was the first President?
- ☐ Who is the Governor of your state now?
- ☐ Who was President during World War I?
- ☐ Who lived in America before the Europeans arrived?

Term

13 of 20

Under our Constitution, some powers belong to the federal government. What is one power of the federal government?

- ☐
  - to print money
  - to declare war
  - to create an army
  - to make treaties
- ☐
  - sets up/defines the government
  - protects basic rights of Americans
- ☐
  - vote in a federal election
  - run for federal office
- ☐
  - the United States
  - the flag

Term

14 of 20

What is the capital of the United States?

- ☐ Democratic and Republican
- ☐ Pacific Ocean
- ☐ Washington D.C.
- ☐ Atlantic Ocean

Term

15 of 20

Who was President during the Great Depression and World War II?

- ☐ Richard Shelby
- ☐
  - fought for civil rights
  - worked for equality for all Americans
- ☐ Commander in Chief
- ☐ Franklin D. Roosevelt

Term

16 of 20

When was the Constitution written?

- ☐ July 4
- ☐ 1787
- ☐ Washington D.C.
- ☐ Montgomery

Term

17 of 20

The House of Representatives has how many voting members?

- ☐
  - the United States
  - the flag
- ☐
  - at age eighteen (18)
  - between eighteen (18) and twenty-six (26)
- ☐
  - checks and balances
  - separation of powers
- ☐ four hundred thirty-five (435)

Term

18 of 20

How many justices, in total, are on the Supreme Court?

- ☐ Mike Rogers
- ☐ 9 (nine) justices
- ☐ eighteen (18) and older
- ☐
  - Missouri River
  - Mississippi River

Term

19 of 20

What are two Cabinet-level positions?

- ☐
  - life
  - liberty
  - pursuit of happiness
- ☐
  - freed the slaves
  - freed slaves in the Confederacy
  - freed slaves in the Confederate states
  - freed slaves in most Southern states
- ☐ 4 (four) years
- ☐
  - Secretary of Agriculture
  - Secretary of Commerce
  - Secretary of Defense
  - Secretary of Education
  - Secretary of Energy
  - Secretary of Health and Human Services
  - Secretary of Homeland Security
  - Secretary of Housing and Urban Development
  - Secretary of the Interior
  - Secretary of Labor
  - Secretary of State
  - Secretary of Transportation
  - Secretary of the Treasury
  - Secretary of Veterans Affairs
  - Attorney General
  - Vice President

Definition

20 of 20

the Supreme Court

- ☐ What is the name of the national anthem?
- ☐ What is the highest court in the United States?
- ☐ What is the capital of the United States?
- ☐ How many amendments does the Constitution have?