

Characteristics From Generation to Generation Test

Part 1 – Multiple Choice: Choose the best answer for each question.

1. What is a “generation”?
 - a. A type of holiday
 - b. A group of people born around the same time
 - c. A school subject
 - d. A weather pattern
2. Which characteristic is often passed from parents to children?
 - a. Eye color
 - b. Favorite movie
 - c. Homework grade
 - d. Favorite sport
3. Traits passed from parents to children are called:
 - a. Traditions
 - b. Inventions
 - c. Inherited traits
 - d. Habits
4. Which of the following is an example of a learned behavior?
 - a. Hair color
 - b. Reading a book
 - c. Dimples
 - d. Blood type
5. Which family member comes before parents in a family tree?
 - a. Cousins
 - b. Grandparents
 - c. Friends
 - d. Neighbors
6. A tradition is:
 - a. Something passed down through families over time
 - b. A type of animal
 - c. A school rule
 - d. A science experiment
7. Which is an example of a physical trait?
 - a. Manners
 - b. Language spoken
 - c. Freckles
 - d. Cooking skills

8. Family recipes are often passed down from:
- Teachers
 - Generations of family members
 - Strangers
 - Coaches
9. Which trait is MOST likely inherited?
- Riding a bicycle
 - Singing a song
 - Eye color
 - Playing video games
10. Why are family traditions important?
- They help families remember and celebrate their history
 - They make homework harder
 - They stop people from learning
 - They only matter to children

Part 2 – Fill in the Blank

Word Bank

Generation

traits

tradition

inherited

family

freckles

learned

grandparents

11. Characteristics passed from parents to children are called _____.
12. A custom passed down over time is called a _____.
13. Some children may get _____ from their parents.
14. Skills such as cooking or reading are often _____ behaviors.
15. A group of people born around the same time is called a _____.
16. Traits received from parents are called _____ traits.
17. _____ often share stories about the past with younger family members.
18. People in the same _____ may share similar experiences.