

Past BJC Questions on Arawaks

Click on the correct answer for each question.

1. When Columbus arrived in the Caribbean which of the following were the dominant group?
 - a. Arawaks and Caribs
 - b. Arawaks and Yucatans
 - c. Caribs and Ciboneys
 - d. Ciboneys and Arawaks
2. Which best describes how work is done in the Arawak community?
 - a. By indentured servants
 - b. By salaried workers
 - c. Through Co-operations
 - d. Through slave labour
3. Who were the first group of people to establish a system of government in the Bahamas?
 - a. Arawaks
 - b. Eleutheran Adventurers
 - c. Free Blocks
 - d. Loyalists
4. The most influential man in an Arawak village was the
 - a. Cacique
 - b. Commoner
 - c. Headman
 - d. Warrior
5. The Arawaks called their ball game...
 - a. Arieto
 - b. Batos
 - c. Coyaba
 - d. Duho
6. Which Indian Chief prophesied the doom of the Arawak people?
 - a. Cacibu
 - b. Chak
 - c. Guacino
 - d. Dudouton
7. This group of Amerindians was found in The Bahamas...
 - a. The Aztecs.
 - b. The Caribs.
 - c. The Incas.
 - d. The Lucayans.
8. The Lucayans' favourite dish was...
 - a. Boil fish.
 - b. Curried chicken.
 - c. Peas soup.
 - d. Pepper pot.
9. The only means of transportation for the Lucayans was a....
 - a. Canoe.
 - b. Car.
 - c. Horse and carriage.
 - d. Train.
10. Why did the Lucayans paint their bodies?
 - a. Beauty
 - b. Fashion
 - c. Insect repellent
 - d. Wedding