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Social Studies Pirate Test

Choose the correct answer for each question.



- 1) Pirates and Privateers were the same.
 - a) True
 - b) False

- 2) Which, Pirates or Privateers were paid by a government or company?
 - a) Pirates
 - b) Privateers

- 3) What main European countries were fighting for ownership of the Caribbean islands?
 - a) China, Japan, Australia
 - b) India, Israel, Iraq
 - c) England, France, Spain
 - d) United States, Canada, Mexico

- 4) _____ was the first Royal Governor of The Bahamas.
 - a) Sir Francis Drake
 - b) Woodes Rogers
 - c) Sir Henry Morgan
 - d) Edward Teach

- 5) The 1st Royal Governor of The Bahamas motto was:
- a) Pirates expelled, Trade and Commerce restored
 - b) Every Pirate must surrender or die
 - c) Hang the Pirates
 - d) X Marks the Spot
- 6) How do spiders, cockroaches, and rats get on board pirate ships?
- a) As pirate pets.
 - b) Pirates use them as food.
 - c) In bundles of wood and fresh fruit.
 - d) They swim aboard.
- 7) Most pirates had a _____ to help take care of their needs.
- a) butler
 - b) cabin girl
 - c) maid
 - d) cabin boy
- 8) Richard Barleycorn from Carolina served which pirate as a cabin boy?
- a) Blackbeard
 - b) Henry Morgan
 - c) William Kid
 - d) Mary Read

9) Both female pirates Mary Read and Anne Bonny escaped death as pirates because _____.

- a) they were crazy
- b) they cried
- c) they paid large amounts of money
- d) they were pregnant

10) Anne Bonny was born in _____.

- a) France
- b) England
- c) Ireland
- d) Spain

11) Anne Bonny and Mary Read wore men's clothing to hide their identities as women.

- a) True
- b) False

12) Anne Bonny sailed with _____ on the ship "Revenge".

- a) Blackbeard
- b) Calico Jack
- c) Black Bart
- d) Henry Morgan

13) Calico Jack's real name was_____.

- a) Edward Teach
- b) William Kidd
- c) Bartholomew Roberts
- d) John Rackham

14) The main sailing grounds for Calico Jack, Mary Read, and Anne Bonny was _____.

- a) Havana, Cuba
- b) Port-au-Prince, Haiti
- c) New Providence, Bahamas
- d) Kingston, Jamaica

15) Mary Read was an excellent shot with a gun and was known for participating in approximately _____ duals.

- a) 5
- b) 10
- c) 17
- d) 30

16) Blackbeard caused fear in anyone he met because _____.

- a) he put gunpowder in his beard and lit it
- b) he walked with a peg leg
- c) he had a patch over his eye
- d) his voice was loud

17) Blackbeard's name could have been _____ rather than Edward Teach.

- a) Black Bart
- b) Edward Patch
- c) Edward Thatch
- d) Black Ceasar

18) Blackbeard was born in _____.

- a) France
- b) Spain
- c) England
- d) Canada

19) Blackbeard's main sailing grounds was near _____.

- a) Bahamas
- b) Dominican Republic
- c) Trinidad
- d) Puerto Rico

20) Is it possible that treasure may still be hidden somewhere in the Caribbean islands left over from the days of the Pirates?

- a) Yes
- b) No