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QUIZ: UNITED STATES

- Answer these fourteen questions to score your vocabulary knowledge.

1. Which of the following is the 'capital' of the United States?
 - a) Hawaii
 - b) New England
 - c) Washington, D.C.
 - d) Canada
2. The United States was originally created from how many 'colonies'?
 - a) 50
 - b) 13
 - c) 25
 - d) 18
3. Supporters of the 2 main U.S. political parties are called 'Democrats' and
 - a) Republicans
 - b) Senates
 - c) Americans
 - d) Grand Canyons
4. A 'governor' is the leader of which of the following?
 - a) the Statue of Liberty
 - b) a state
 - c) the Mid west
 - d) Mexico
5. The American bald 'eagle', the symbol of the U.S.A. is a
 - a) person
 - b) mountain
 - c) fish
 - d) bird
6. Every year, many 'immigrants' arrive in America. An 'immigrant' is a
 - a) sport
 - b) person from another country
 - c) kind of bird
 - d) kind of tornado
7. On which of the following days is 'Independence Day'?
 - a) July 4
 - b) June 28
 - c) July 3
 - d) January 14
8. 'Mississippi' is the name of which of the following?
 - a) a river
 - b) a city
 - c) a lake
 - d) a country
9. 'Native Americans' were the people who first
 - a) created country music
 - b) made the Statue of Liberty
 - c) arrived in North America
 - d) played football
10. 'New England' is located in which of the following places?
 - a) the western part of the United States
 - b) the southern part of England
 - c) the eastern part of the United States
 - d) the northern part of Alaska
11. The United States is a 'republic'. Every 'republic'
 - a) celebrates Thanksgiving
 - b) is in North America
 - c) speaks English
 - d) has a president
12. The 'Rockies' are mountains that are located in
 - a) the Gulf of Mexico
 - b) Disneyland
 - c) New York
 - d) the western part of the United States
13. Which of the following things does 'stars and stripes' mean?
 - a) Hollywood
 - b) the American flag
 - c) the White House
 - d) Congress
14. What was the first name of President 'Washington', the first U.S president?
 - a) Martin
 - b) Abraham
 - c) George
 - d) Frank

13 – 14 = Excellent

11 – 12 = Good

9 – 10 = Study More!

VOCABULARY QUIZ

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Aims Vocabulary practice; self-assessment, or formal assessment

Level Intermediate to Advanced

Time Approximately 10 minutes

ANSWER KEY

1. C	8. A
2. B	9. C
3. A	10. C
4. B	11. D
5. D	12. D
6. B	13. B
7. A	14. C

My Notes

Grades as percentages

14 / 14 = 100 %
13 / 14 = 93
12 / 14 = 86
11 / 14 = 79
10 / 14 = 71
9 / 14 = 64
8 / 14 = 57
7 / 14 = 50
6 / 14 = 43
5 / 14 = 36
4 / 14 = 29
3 / 14 = 21
2 / 14 = 14
1 / 14 = 7
0 / 14 = 0 %