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20 Multiple choice questions

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What major event occurred in 1803 regarding Louisiana?

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- The Louisiana Convention, where France shared the territory with Spain.
- The Louisiana Treaty, where Spain ceded the territory to France.
- The Louisiana Agreement, where the U.S. leased the territory from Britain.
- The Louisiana Purchase, where France sold the territory to the United States.

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What strategies did Michael Jackson use to bridge divides in the music audience?

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- He avoided collaborations to maintain artistic purity.
- He focused on solo performances to showcase individual talent.
- He concentrated on traditional musical genres only.
- He collaborated with popular white artists and combined various musical genres.

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What was the outcome of the 'Little Bird Told Me' legal decision?

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- It established that musical arrangements were copyrightable, restricting cover versions.
- It ruled that lyrical content could not be copyrighted, encouraging more original songs.
- It determined that vocal performances were not subject to copyright, promoting more remixes.
- It affirmed that musical arrangements were not copyrightable, allowing more cover versions.

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What are the key instruments in Zydeco music?

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- Key instruments include sitar, oud, flute, and mandolin.
- Key instruments include accordion, rubboard, electric guitar, electric bass, keyboard, drumkit, and horns.
- Key instruments include harp, dulcimer, trumpet, and banjo.
- Key instruments include bagpipes, violin, clarinet, and tambourine.

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How did technology impact the development of Zydeco music?

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- Zydeco developed independently of technology, relying on oral tradition.
- Zydeco developed alongside recording and distribution technologies, with a localized recording industry producing music on various formats.
- Zydeco emerged through classical music institutions without technological influence.
- Zydeco was hindered by the lack of recording and distribution technologies.

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What was the emergence of jazz textbooks in the 1990s characterized by?

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- They established a coherent narrative with distinct style periods and labels.
- They ignored historical context and emphasized modern interpretations.
- They categorized jazz by instrumental techniques and solo performances.
- They focused on contemporary trends and experimental styles.

What was the significance of 'The Jazz Singer' released in 1927?

- It was the first documentary with synchronized narration.
- It was the first feature film with synchronized singing and dialogue, marking the start of the sound revolution in cinema.
- It was the first animated film with synchronized visuals.
- It was the first silent film with color sequences.

What is the role of film scores in cultural representation?

- Film scores act as musical ethnographies, representing or inventing cultural identities.
- Film scores function as abstract soundscapes, unrelated to culture.
- Film scores serve as technical blueprints, guiding visual effects.
- Film scores act as historical documents, preserving ancient melodies.

What types of songs are typically included in bluegrass repertoire?

- Blues classics, reggae tunes, Latin rhythms, and indie rock songs.
- Contemporary pop hits, classical symphonies, jazz standards, and rock anthems.
- Electronic dance tracks, hip-hop beats, opera arias, and punk songs.
- Recorded bluegrass classics, traditional Old-Time dance tunes, Irish & Scottish folk songs, and country hits.

What significant event in blues music occurred in 1920?

- Bessie Smith released 'St. Louis Blues', marking the start of jazz recordings.
- Mamie Smith recorded 'Crazy Blues', marking the beginning of 'Race Records'.
- Louis Armstrong recorded 'West End Blues', initiating the blues era.
- Ma Rainey recorded 'Bo-Weavil Blues', beginning the gospel music trend.

What was introduced by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts & Sciences in 1938?

- The 'Academy Curve' to ensure consistent playback across theaters.
- The 'Academy Code' for on-screen visuals.
- The 'Academy Protocol' for actor training methods.
- The 'Academy Standard' for film editing techniques.

What unique opportunities did free People of Color have in Louisiana?

- They were restricted from owning businesses and land.
- They could own property and businesses, unlike in other parts of the U.S. Southeast.
- They could only work in agricultural labor.
- They were denied property rights and business ownership.

What does the term 'Zydeco' originate from?

- It comes from the phrase 'Les haricots sont pas salés,' meaning 'There's no salt on the green beans.'
- It derives from 'Les herbes sont pas vertes,' meaning 'The herbs are not green.'
- It comes from the phrase 'Les légumes sont pas frais,' meaning 'The vegetables are not fresh.'
- It originates from 'Les fruits sont pas mûrs,' meaning 'The fruits are not ripe.'

What role does the French language play in Louisiana music traditions?

- The French language is a minor influence in Louisiana music traditions.
- The French language is used only in classical Louisiana music.
- The French language is replaced by English in Louisiana music.
- The French language is a central marker of identity in Louisiana music traditions.

What was Le Grand Dérangement?

- The Great Expulsion in 1755, where thousands of Acadians were killed and exiled by the British.
- The Great Migration in 1810, where Acadians moved to Canada.
- The Great Integration in 1780, where Acadians merged with British society.
- The Great Settlement in 1765, where Acadians were encouraged to immigrate.

What is Zydeco associated with?

- Zydeco is associated with Anglophone people of African descent in Eastern Louisiana.
- Zydeco is associated with Hispanic people of mixed descent in Southern Louisiana.
- Zydeco is associated with Francophone people of European descent in Northern Louisiana.
- Zydeco is associated with Francophone people of African and mixed descent in Southwest Louisiana.

How did MTV's early programming reflect racial exclusion?

- MTV featured classical and jazz musicians exclusively.
- MTV actively promoted diverse artists and genres.
- MTV almost exclusively featured white rock musicians and systematically excluded black artists from airplay.
- MTV focused on international pop music.

What event in 1763 allowed French immigrants to resettle in Louisiana?

- The Treaty of Ghent encouraged French immigrants to relocate.
- The Treaty of Versailles allowed French immigrants to resettle.
- The Louisiana Purchase permitted French immigrants to return.
- The Treaty of Paris allowed 18 months for French immigrants to resettle.

What is the significance of the Great Migration in American music and culture?

- The Great Migration had no influence on American music genres like Zydeco.
- The Great Migration continues to shape American music and culture, influencing genres like Zydeco.
- The Great Migration led to the decline of American music and culture.
- The Great Migration primarily affected European classical music in America.

What are Dolby Stereo and THX known for?

- They set new industry standards in the 1970s.
- They introduced new visual effects in the 1980s.
- They revolutionized film editing techniques in the 1960s.
- They established new standards for color grading in the 1990s.