

Louisiana Parishes

1. Does Louisiana have Counties, Boroughs, or Parishes?
 - a. Counties
 - b. Boroughs
 - c. Parishes
2. How many Parishes does Louisiana have in all?
 - a. 50
 - b. 64
 - c. 75
3. What is Louisiana's most populated Parish?
 - a. Vermilion
 - b. Lafayette
 - c. East Baton Rouge
4. What is the purpose of Louisiana Parishes?
 - a. To divide up the land
 - b. To make it easier for population count
 - c. For population control
5. Parish boundaries were for both _____ government and _____ control.
 - a. National, regional
 - b. Local, religious
 - c. Highest, population
6. Why does Louisiana have Parishes instead of counties?
 - a. The French and Spanish Catholics were more familiar with the term "parish"
 - b. The Protestants preferred to use a different method from everyone else
 - c. The Dutch first came up with the concept in 1800 and it stuck