

## Selection Test

### Harvesting Hope: The Story of Caesar Chavez

**A) Vocabulary:** Drag the correct vocabulary word from the box and drop it next to its meaning.

overcome    drought    violence    brilliant    conflicts

1. bright and shining .....
2. disagreements or fights, a problem .....
3. a time with little or no rain .....
4. use of physical force .....
5. defeat .....

#### Choose the correct meaning

6. Which word best describes “**where the earth meets the sky**”?
  - a. capitol
  - b. horizon
  - c. dedicate
7. Which word best describes “**information given to the public to get attention**”?
  - a. publicity
  - b. drought
  - c. association
8. Which word best describes “**a building where government members meet**”?
  - a. violence
  - b. brilliant
  - c. capitol
9. Which word best describes “**set aside for a special purpose**”?
  - a. dedicate
  - b. conflicts
  - c. horizon
10. Which word best describes “**a club or organization**”?
  - a. overcome
  - b. violence
  - c. association

**B) Comprehension: Choose the correct answers for the following questions.**

**11. Why did Caesar's family have to move to California?**

- a. The family lost their farm because a drought destroyed their crops.
- b. The family lost their son and they were looking for him.
- c. The family went there to spend their holiday.

**12. What is the FIRST step Caesar took to try to solve the problems of migrant workers?**

- a. He went to the capitol of the state.
- b. He met the California landowners.
- c. He organized meetings of workers throughout the state.

**13. What generalization can you make about people in Arizona in the 1930s?**

- a. The drought affected many farmers.
- b. All the people were looking for gold.
- c. All the people were soldiers.

**14. Why did Caesar consider his eighth-grade graduation a miracle?**

- A. Because he loved school.
- B. The schools he attended were full of conflicts.
- C. He enjoyed the school.

**15. Why didn't the people of California support the migrant workers until after they heard about Caesar's activities?**

- A. They weren't aware of the workers' problems until they received publicity.
- B. They didn't care about the migrant workers.
- C. They didn't like Caesar's activities.