

What is History?

1. History is the story of humanity from the earliest times to the _____.
 - a. future
 - b. present day
2. History teaches us how to _____ from the mistakes of others.
 - a. learn
 - b. make
3. History helps us understand how the _____ we live in came to be.
 - a. community
 - b. world
 - c. both (a) and (b)
4. By _____ the past behavior, we can analyze the present behavior without bias.
 - a. neglecting
 - b. understanding
5. History doesn't help us understand change.
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. History is the story of people on our planet.

a. True

b. False

7. History helps us know where we come from, how the past has shaped us, and how we can shape the _____.

a. future

b. situation

8. It is not important to read and learn about others' mistakes in the past.

a. True

b. False

9. Studying History is like _____.

a. being a time-detective

b. hunting through the records

c. Both (a) and (b)

10. People trained in history are called _____.

a. historians

b. psychologists

11. Diaries, letters, and newspaper articles to learn about the past are called written records.

- a. True
- b. False

12. Records from long ago may have been written on _____ or drawn on buildings.

- a. paper
- b. stone

13. Some people a long time ago did not have a way to write things down.

- a. True
- b. False

14. If you study history, you can understand politics better.

- a. True
- b. False

15. History is just the essential introduction to your own country.

- a. True
- b. False