Native Americans

Name _____

1. Most scientists believe that people first came to North America from

a. Australia b. Asia c. Europe d. Africa

2. Which crop is not considered one of the three sisters?

a. wheat b. corn c. beans d. squash

3. Which group of Native Americans depended on the bison for almost all of their needs?

a. Northwest Coast tribes
b. Southwest tribes
c. Great Plains tribes
d. Eastern Woodland tribes

4. Which is not true about the Southwest Indian cultures?

a. they used irrigation to water crops
b. their primary source of food was corn
c. they built homes of adobe bricks
d. their primary source of food was salmon

5. The homes of the Eastern Woodland Indians were called

a. tepees b. pueblos c. longhouses d. plank houses

6. Native American culture was affected most by

a. schools b. environment c. European ideas d. other Indian groups

7. Common foods for this region included salmon and whales.

a. Southwest b. Great Plains c. Pacific Northwest Coast d. Eastern Woodlands

8. Which Native American group was considered nomadic?

a. Great Plains
b. Southwest
c. Eastern Woodlands
d. Northwest Coast

9. Early hunters followed large animals into North America. This **type of movement** is called

a. culture b. agriculture c. migration d. Beringia

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10. Southwest Native Americans relied on _____ in order to survive.

a. hunting large animals such as elk and buffalo
b. farming squash, beans, and many different types of corn
c. human-made irrigation systems
d. both B and C

11. What important element of their culture did the Eastern Woodland Indians provide us with?

a. how to build tepees
b. a style of government
c. how to fish whales
d. how to irrigate crops

12. This group of Native Americans lived in Pueblos made of adobe.

a. Great Plains Indians
b. Southwest Indians
c. Eastern Woodland Indians
d. Pacific Northwest Coast Indians

13. The land bridge that early people used to cross into North America is called

a. Bering Strait
b. Beringia
c. Asian crossing
d. Great Plains

14. This group of Native Americans lived in long houses or plank houses that were decorated with paint and carvings. Totem poles stood outside their homes to tell about their family history.

a. Great Plains Indians
b. Eastern Woodland Indians
c. Southwest Indians
d. Pacific Northwest Coast Indians

15. The Southeast Native Americans built large wooden fences to help keep out enemies. These fences were called _____.

a. forts
b. wigwams
c. dugouts
d. stockades

16. When Europeans came and took over Native American lands, most tribes were forced to move west and live on Indian _____.

a. pueblos
b. reservations
c. longhouses
d. dugouts

17. Native Americans worshipped everything in nature because they believed that all living things had a ___ .

a. home
b. rights
c. spirit
d. job

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