

The Bill of Rights

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Based on what we read, answer this worksheet following every item's instructions.

I. True or False: Write T or F based on each sentence or proposal.

1. _____ Some states insisted that a list of basic citizens' rights be added to the Constitution.
2. _____ People have freedom of speech and of the press.
3. _____ Only men can join the armed forces.
4. _____ One of the most important things a citizen can do is to vote in elections.
5. _____ People cannot contact their representatives and give their opinions about what's important to them.

II. Fill in the Blanks: Complete each sentence with the correct word or phrase.

6. If a person is born in the United States, he or she is automatically an _____ citizen.
7. In the early years of the United States, _____ wanted all men to learn the values of the new republic.
8. In 1787, Benjamin Rush cofounded the _____, the first all-female school of its type in America.
9. People can vote for candidates on local, state, and _____.
10. People have to obey laws, serve on juries, and pay taxes that help fund services the _____ provides.