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Citizenship Test

Hey, smart kids. Think you deserve to be a citizen of the United States? If you were born in the US or your parents are citizens, you got a free pass. However, anyone else has to pass a test to become US citizen. The US Citizenship and Immigration Services provide a list of over one hundred questions; a test consists of ten of those questions. Applicants must answer at least six correctly. Think you can do it? I'll even give you 20 to work with. Good luck, and welcome to the US...hopefully. A note: I used the original numbers from the US gov website.

1. Name one important idea found in the Declaration of Independence.

8. Name one right or freedom from the First Amendment.

14. Name one branch or part of the government.

30. Name one example of checks and balances.

44. What is a veto?

66. When must all males register for the Selective Service?

74. There are four amendments to the Constitution about who can vote. Describe one of them.

81. Name two ways that Americans can participate in their democracy.

85. When was the Declaration of Independence adopted?

86. Name one reason why the colonists came to America?

90. There are 13 original states. Name three.

104. Name one of the things that Abraham Lincoln did.

108. What did the abolitionists try to end before the Civil War?

109. What did Susan B. Anthony do?

113. What was the main concern of the United States during the Cold War?

118. Which U.S. World War II general later became President?

122. Name one of the major American Indian tribes in the United States.

125. What country is on the northern border of the United States?

131. Name one U.S. territory.

142. Name two national U.S. holidays.