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Canadian Citizenship Test

1. What year was Confederation?

- a. 1867.
 - b. 1871.
 - c. 1898.
 - d. 1870.
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2. Name three additional rights protected by the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms

- a. Freedom of speech, Right to own land, and Right to a fair trial.
 - b. Mobility rights, Multiculturalism, and Aboriginal Peoples' rights.
 - c. Right to ski anywhere in Canada, Moving rights, and Right to public assembly.
 - d. Right to vote, Right to speak publicly, and Security rights.
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3. Name six responsibilities of citizenship.

- a. Getting a job, making money, raising a family, paying taxes, mowing your lawn, voting in provincial elections.
 - b. Voting in municipal elections only, joining a political party, getting a job, obeying the law, driving safely, picking up litter.
 - c. Caring for the environment, not littering, paying taxes, obeying the law, helping others, respecting others.
 - d. Obeying the law, taking responsibility for oneself and one's family, helping others in the community, voting in elections, serving on a jury, protecting and enjoying our heritage and environment.
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4. Give an example of how you can show responsibility by participating in your community.

- a. Mind your own business.
 - b. Have a party.
 - c. Keep your property tidy.
 - d. Join a community group.
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5. What song is Canada's national anthem?

- a. God Save the Queen.
- b. O Canada.

- c. Star Spangled Banner.
 - d. Amazing Grace.
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6. Which region covers more than one-third of Canada?

- a. Central Canada.
 - b. Prairies.
 - c. Atlantic Canada.
 - d. Northern Territories.
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7. What country is Canada's largest trading partner?

- a. Mexico.
 - b. United States of America.
 - c. China.
 - d. Japan.
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8. What is the name of the Governor General?

- a. David Johnston.
 - b. Elizabeth May.
 - c. Dalton McGuinty.
 - d. Michaëlle Jean
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9. How does a bill become a law?

- a. The Lieutenant Governor must approve the bill.
 - b. Approval by a majority in the House of Commons and Senate and finally the Governor General.
 - c. The Queen must sign the bill.
 - d. Approval by the Members of the Legislative Assembly.
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10. How many electoral districts are there in Canada?

- a. 20.
 - b. 308.
 - c. 178.
 - d. 59.
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11. Which party is the Official Opposition at the federal level?

- a. The New Democratic Party.

- b. The Liberal Party.
 - c. The Independent Party.
 - d. The Conservative Party.
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12. Who is General Sir Arthur Currie?

- a. A military leader of the Métis in the 19th century.
 - b. A great frontier hero.
 - c. An explorer of western Canada.
 - d. Canada's greatest soldier in the First World War.
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13. Who have major responsibilities on First Nations reserves?

- a. Band chiefs and councillors.
 - b. Municipal governments.
 - c. Provincial and territorial governments.
 - d. Federal government.
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14. What is the highest military honour a Canadian can receive?

- a. Purple Cross.
 - b. Badge of Courage.
 - c. Order of Merit.
 - d. Victoria Cross.
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15. What is the role of the courts in Canada?

- a. To enforce the law.
 - b. To guide people in our society.
 - c. To settle disputes.
 - d. To express values and beliefs of Canadians.
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16. What is a majority government?

- a. When the party in power holds about one third of the seats in the House of Commons
- b. When the party in power holds about one quarter of the seats in the House of Commons.

- c. When the part in power holds at least half of the seats in the Senate.
 - d. When the party in power holds at least half of the seats in the House of Commons.
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17. Canada has three territories and how many provinces?

- a. 13
 - b. 10
 - c. 3
 - d. 5
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18. Name three city councillors for Port Coquitlam, British Columbia.

- a. Malcolm Brodie, Derek Dang and Ernie Novakowski
- b. Lyn Greenhill, Kiichi Kumagai and Lily von Hendron
- c. Brad West, Laura Dupont, Glenn Pollock
- d. Ken Johnston, Bill McNulty and Lee Bailey



19. What is the name of the leader of the Opposition in British Columbia?

- a. Jane Sterk
- b. Adrian Dix
- c. John Horgan
- d. Christy Clark



20. Who is the current Prime Minister of Canada?

- a. Stephen Harper
- b. Justin Trudeau
- c. Barack Obama
- d. John Macdonald

