

Home School Partners – High School 1B: Civics, Week 13: Quiz 4

- _____ 1. The socialist writers that Bastiat quotes—like almost all socialists—view most people as _____.
(A) reliable (B) well-educated (C) unable to succeed without “leaders” (D) extremely intelligent
- _____ 2. What institution does Raynal suggest will best help stop the people from thinking for themselves?
(A) court systems (B) public libraries (C) legislatures (D) schools
- _____ 3. What word does “Democrat” Robespierre use to describe what rulers should use to establish virtue?
(A) terror (B) justice (C) example (D) equality
- _____ 4. Robespierre sees the prince as the _____, and the people as the _____.
(A) farmer, soil (B) law, ruler (C) clay, potter (D) will, law (E) scrambled eggs, peanut butter
- _____ 5. The socialist Mably proposed creating a temporary _____ if evil grew too much in a nation.
(A) committee of citizens (B) dictatorship (C) system of judges (D) legislature
- _____ 6. Bastiat points out that socialist writers mistakenly view ancient cultures like _____ as positive models for society.
(A) Greece (B) Egypt (C) Rome (D) all of these
- _____ 7. The socialist Condillac wrongly claimed the gov’t’s job was to give _____ and _____ to citizens. (**Choose two.**)
(A) justice (B) property (C) protection (D) dignity
- _____ 8. Bastiat tells socialist writers that before they go around reforming society, they should _____.
(A) seek more intelligent rulers (B) pass fairer laws (C) improve themselves (D) fix voting rules
- _____ 9. Bastiat says that socialists and legislators view _____ as “clay” or “sand” or “manure” they can dispose of.
(A) government (B) the law (C) mankind (D) land
- _____ 10. Those who support legal plunder, when it comes down to it, actually support the _____ that makes it happen.
(A) justice (B) violence (C) freedom (D) equality
- _____ 11. The U. S. Constitution contains _____ articles and _____ amendments.
(A) 12, 10 (B) 27, 12 (C) 15, 10 (D) 7, 27
- _____ 12. Many historians and writers criticize the Articles of Confederation because the AOC _____.
(A) didn’t create a powerful gov’t (B) isolated states from each other (C) ended taxation (D) all of these
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(A) reducing the number of years justices can serve (C) cutting judges’ pay during their terms
(B) limiting the types of cases they’re allowed to rule on (D) firing them even during “good behavior”
- _____ 17. What does a *grand jury* do?
- _____ 18. What does a *petit jury* do?
- _____ 19. Why shouldn’t the U. S. President be viewed as “the most powerful man on earth”?
- _____ 20. Sum up the Electoral College method of electing U. S. Presidents.

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It determines whether there is enough evidence to put a person on trial for committing a crime.
18. What does a *petit jury* do?
It determines whether an accused person is “guilty” or “not guilty.”
19. Why shouldn’t the U. S. President be viewed as “the most powerful man on earth”?
The Constitution only grants the President a limited number of powers.
20. Sum up *one* of the common flawed views of the U. S. Constitution.
It is a point system where candidates get all or none of the points per state.

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Answers will vary.