



CIVICS STUDY GUIDE #5

MISSOURI CIVICS INITIATIVE TESTING

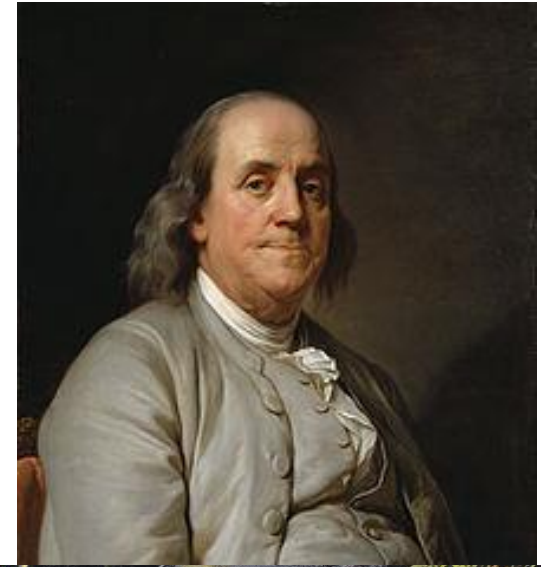
The Missouri Civics Education Initiative

- **The Missouri Civics Education Initiative** requires high school students to pass an examination on the provisions and principles of American civics.
- The law states that the examination shall consist of 100 questions similar to the one hundred questions used by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) on the naturalization exam. The full text of the law can be found at <http://www.senate.mo.gov/16info/pdf-bill/tat/SB638.pdf>.
- We comply with this state law through a series of five tests. This study guide includes 20 of the USCIS questions regarding American History and Other Important Historical Information.
- This study guide is for Civics Test #5. After studying this study guide, you must complete Civics Initiative Test #5.

#1

What is Benjamin Franklin famous for?

- U.S. Diplomat
- Oldest member of the Constitutional Convention
- First Postmaster General of the United States
- Writer of “Poor Richard’s Almanac”
- Started the first free libraries in the U.S.
- Scientist and inventor



#2

Who is the “Father of Our Country”?

- George Washington



#3

Who was the first President of the U.S.?

- George Washington



#4

What territory did the United States buy from France in 1803?

- The Louisiana Territory
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#5

Name the wars fought by the U.S. during the 1800s.

- War of 1812
- Mexican-American War
- Civil War
- Spanish-American War



#6

Name the U.S. war between the North and the South.

- The Civil War
- The War between the States

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#7

What problems led to the Civil War?

- Slavery
- Economic reasons
- States' rights

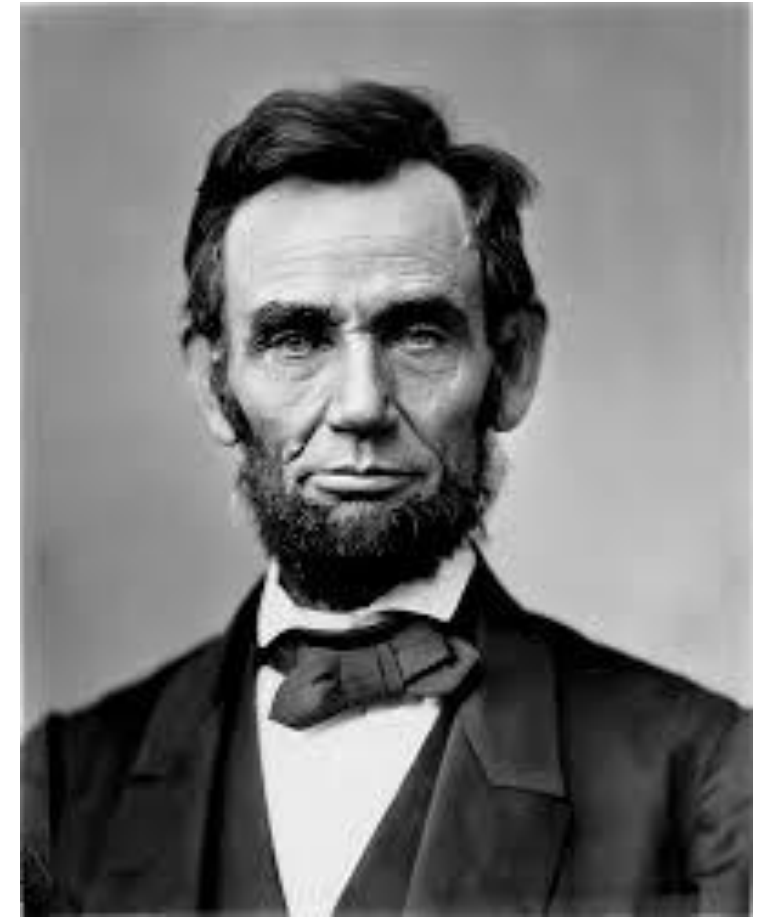
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#8

What are several important things done by Abraham Lincoln?

- Freed the slaves (Emancipation Proclamation)
- Preserved (saved) the Union
- Led the United States during the Civil War

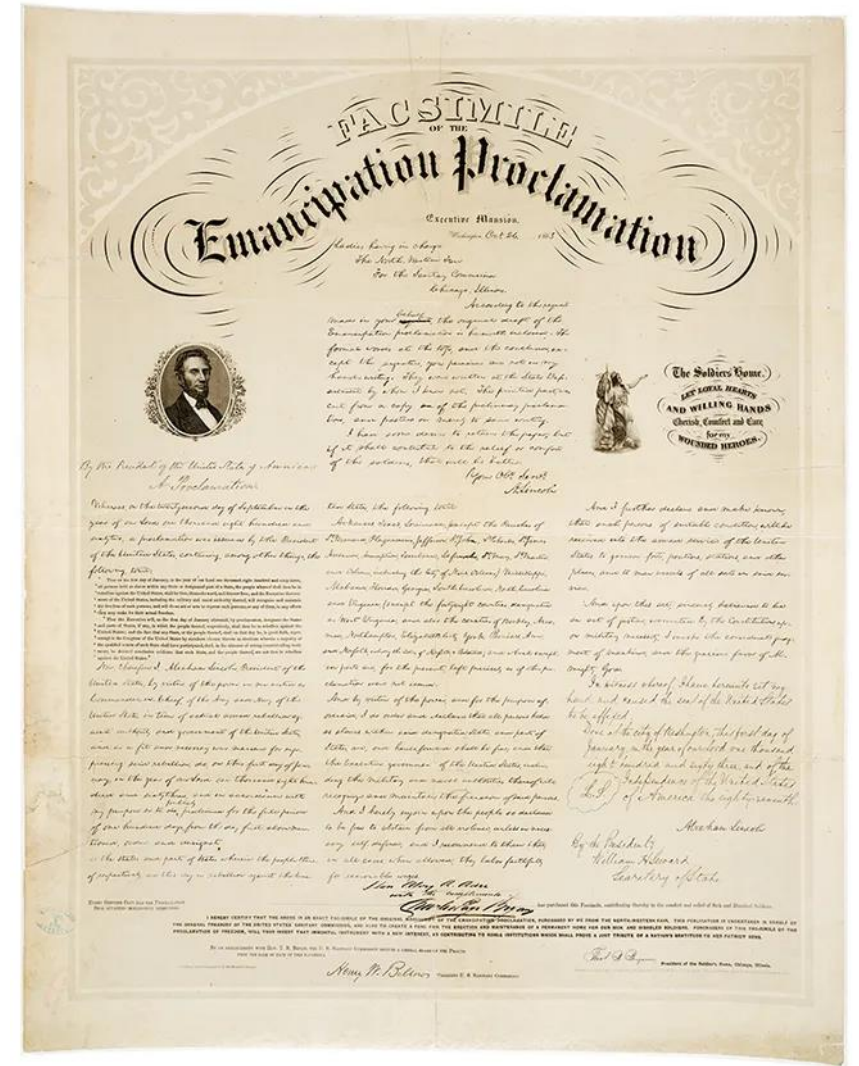


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#9 What did the Emancipation Proclamation do?

- Freed the slaves in the Confederate States



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#10

What did Susan B. Anthony do?

- Fought for women's rights



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#11

Name the wars fought by the USA during the 1900s.

- World War I(1)
- World War II (2)
- Korean War
- Vietnam War
- Persian Gulf War

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#12

Who was President during World War I (1)?

- Woodrow Wilson



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#13

Who was President during the Great Depression and World War II (2) ?

- Franklin Roosevelt
- “FDR”



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#14

What countries did the United States fight in World War II (2) ?

- Japan
- Germany
- Italy

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#15

Before he was President, Eisenhower was a general. What war was he in?

- World War II (2)



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#16

During the Cold War, what was the main concern of the United States?

- Communism

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#17

What movement tried to end racial discrimination?

- Civil rights movement)

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#18

What did Martin Luther King, Jr. do?

- Fought for civil rights
- Worked for equality of all Americans



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#19

What major event happened on September 11, 2001, in the United States?

- Terrorists attacked the United States.



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#20

Name Three American Indian Tribes in the United States.

- Cherokee
- Chippewa
- Illini
- Osage
- Oto
- Sioux
- Cheyenne
- Seminole
- Navajo
- Blackfeet
- Inuit
- Pueblo
- Lakota
- Note: This is not a complete list. There are more tribes.

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Osage and Oto

- The Osage and the Oto were among the tribes of Native Americans in Missouri.

