

D.C. Quiz!

How much do you know about our Nation's Capital?



Washington, D.C.

Also known as: Washington, District of Columbia, D.C., The District, Our Nation's Capital

1) Write the name of each monument under its photograph (1 pt each):



****Bonus:** In 2011, a memorial was added to the National Mall. It was the last memorial that would be added to the National Mall. To whom was it dedicated? (Hint: He was not a president and was alive during World War II, the Korean War, and part of the Vietnam War, but did not fight in any of them.)**

Answer: _____ (1 pt)

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2) Things that **ARE NOT** in Washington, D.C. (circle the correct answer):

Which of the following is **NOT** a Smithsonian Institution? (1 pt)

- A) The National Air and Space Museum
- B) The National Museum of African Art
- C) The National Museum of Music History
- D) The Hirshorn Museum and Sculpture Garden

Which of the following is **NOT** a professional sports team in Washington, D.C.? (1 pt)

- A) Washington Redskins
- B) D.C. United
- C) Washington Capitals
- D) Washington Congressionals

****Bonus (1pt each): What sport does each of the real teams play?***

Team 1: _____

Team 2: _____

Team 3: _____

Which of the following is **NOT** located in Washington, D.C.? (1 pt)

- A) The United Nations Headquarters
- B) The American Red Cross Headquarters
- C) The Environmental Protection Agency Headquarters
- D) The Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism

Which Cupcake Shop is **NOT** located in Georgetown? (1 pt)

- A) Sprinkles
- B) Baked & Wired
- C) District Cupcakes
- D) Georgetown Cupcakes

3) Washington, D.C. is home to the National Archives. The Archives are home to many famous documents such as the original Declaration of Independence, the original Constitution and even the charter for the Statue of Liberty. Fill in the blanks of some of these famous patriotic writings, and then write which document these excerpts come from.



A) We hold these _____ to be _____, that all men are created _____, that they are _____ by their _____ with certain unalienable _____, that among these are _____, _____ and the pursuit of happiness. (2 pts)

Document: _____ (1 pt)

B) We the People of the United States in Order to form a more _____ Union, establish Justice, insure domestic _____, provide for the _____, promote the general _____, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this _____ for the United States of America. (2 pts)

Document: _____ (1 pt)

C) Congress shall make no _____ respecting an _____ of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of _____, or of the _____; or the right of the people peaceably to _____, and to _____ the Government for a redress of grievances. (2 pts)

Document: _____ (1 pt)

4) While everyone knows that Barack Obama is our president*, not many know who comprises the rest of his cabinet.* Let's see how many you know! (There are many more than those listed here) (1 pt each)

Vice President*: _____
Secretary of State*: _____
Secretary of Health and Human Services*: _____
Attorney General*: _____
Secretary of Education*: _____
Secretary of the Treasury*: _____



5) True/False Questions (1 pt each)

- ___ Washington, D.C. is a state.
- ___ Washington, D.C. has a voting representative in Congress.
- ___ Washington, D.C. residents cannot vote in presidential elections.
- ___ Congress has ultimate authority over Washington, D.C.
- ___ There are three private undergraduate universities in Washington, D.C.

6) What is the DC subway system called? (1 pt)

- A) Subway
- B) Metro
- C) Light Rail
- D) D.C. Rail

7) How many Wards are there in DC? (1 pt)

A) 5

B) 7

C) 8

D) What are Wards?!?

8) Which letters of the alphabet do not have streets in DC? _____ (1pt)

Total Points: /35