

**Blackline Master Quizzes for *A History of Women's Achievement in America***

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**Blackline Master 1A Quiz**

**Program One: The Making of a New World**

1. Puritan women helped found the second family settlement in America called
  - a. Jamestown
  - b. Roanoke
  - c. Plymouth Plantation
  - d. Rhode Island
  
2. Women first arrived at Jamestown in
  - a. 1609
  - b. 1620
  - c. 1619
  - d. 1607
  
3. The first English colony to succeed was
  - a. Roanoke
  - b. Plymouth Plantation
  - c. Georgia
  - d. Jamestown
  
4. Puritan men and religious leaders deeply mistrusted women, considering them 'daughters of Eve' and therefore greedy for both power and sexual gratification.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
5. Anne Hutchinson was exiled from Massachusetts Bay Colony because
  - a. She ran for governor
  - b. Of her religious beliefs
  - c. She was a witch
  - d. None of the above
  
6. America's first poet was
  - a. Anne Hutchinson
  - b. Anne of Cleaves
  - c. Anne Bradstreet
  - d. Phillis Wheatley
  
7. Phillis Wheatley's first book of poetry was titled
  - a. *Poems on Various Subjects, Religious and Moral*
  - b. *On Being Brought from Africa to America*
  - c. *The Tenth Muse Lately Sprung Up in America, By a Gentlewoman of Those Parts*
  - d. None of the above

8. Abigail Adams was
  - a. America's second first lady
  - b. One half of America's first "power couple,
  - c. A standard bearer for women's rights
  - d. All of the above
  
9. Mary Ludwig Hays, known as "Molly Pitcher" saved the day at
  - a. Valley Forge
  - b. The battle of Monmouth
  - c. Lexington and Concord
  - d. The Battle of Yorktown
  
10. Sacagawea helped guide
  - a. The Zebulon Pike Expedition to New Mexico
  - b. The John C. Fremont Expedition to Minnesota
  - c. The Lewis and Clark Expedition to the Pacific
  - d. None of the above

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Blackline Master 2A Quiz  
Program Two: The Era of Women's Firsts**

1. Juana Briones founded which great American city.
  - a. Santa Fe
  - b. Chicago
  - c. Los Angeles
  - d. San Francisco
  
2. Juana Briones succeeded because of her
  - a. Leadership
  - b. Shrewd business skills
  - c. Flexibility
  - d. All of the above
  
3. The first institution of higher learning established for women was
  - a. Radcliff, founded by Maria Mitchell
  - b. Mt. Holyoke Female Seminary founded by Mary Lyon
  - c. Wellesley founded by Mary Lyon
  - d. Vassar founded by Maria Mitchell
  
4. Susan Magoffin traveled the
  - a. Chisholm Trail
  - b. Oregon Trail
  - c. Santa Fe Trail
  - d. California Trail
  
5. A uniquely American woman trait is to establish her identity beyond the traditional role of housewife, mother or employee.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
6. The King of Denmark awarded a gold medal to Maria Mitchell because she
  - a. Established the sun spot cycle with a telescope
  - b. Discovered Neptune with a telescope
  - c. Discovered a comet with a telescope
  - d. Observed the spiral structure of distant galaxies with a telescope
  
7. Jocelyn Bell rocked the world of astronomy with her discovery of
  - a. Pulsars
  - b. Neutrinos
  - c. Quasars
  - d. Quarks
  
8. The first national magazine published for women was *Ms Magazine*.

- a. True
- b. False

9. Bloomers were

- a. Women graduates from Mt. Holyoke College
- b. Delegates to the Women's Rights Convention held at Seneca Falls, New York
- c. Daughters of America's first feminists
- d. Women's trousers introduced in the 1850's

10. Sojourner Truth was a voice for

- a. Slavery
- b. Southern independence
- c. Women's rights
- d. All of the above

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**Blackline Master 3A Quiz**

**Program Three: Women Speak Out**

1. *Uncle Tom's Cabin* was written by
  - a. Phillis Wheatley
  - b. Louisa May Alcott
  - c. Harriet Beecher Stowe
  - d. Harriet Tubman
  - e. None of the above
  
2. The term 'Uncle Tom' refers to a black man who stands up for black rights.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
3. Emily Dickinson's poetry was
  - a. Experimental
  - b. Stretched the limits of traditional verse
  - c. Used unconventional and jarring rhyme schemes
  - d. All of the above
  
4. The Underground Railroad was organized by northern abolitionists to help slaves escape into Northern free states and Canada.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
5. The most famous conductor on the Underground Railway was
  - a. Sojourner Truth
  - b. Harriet Tubman
  - c. Harriet Beecher Stowe
  - d. Emily Dickinson
  
6. The first female writer to earn a living at writing fiction was
  - a. Emily Dickinson
  - b. Harriet Beecher Stowe
  - c. Louisa May Alcott
  - d. None of the above
  
7. *Little Women* was based on the experiences of
  - a. Southern belles
  - b. Louisa May Alcott and her sisters
  - c. Students at Mt. Holyoke College
  - d. None of the above
  
8. Leaders in the campaign to give the right to vote to women were

- a. Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton
  - b. Emily Dickinson and Louisa May Alcott
  - c. Sojourner Truth and Amelia Bloomer
  - d. Harriet Beecher Stowe and Clara Barton
9. Clara Barton founded the American Red Cross based on a humanitarian organization in
- a. England
  - b. France
  - c. Italy
  - d. Switzerland
10. Which Wild West woman was known as the Queen of the Outlaws?
- a. Annie Oakley
  - b. Belle Starr
  - c. Calamity Jane
  - d. None of the above

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Blackline Master 4A Quiz  
Program Four: America Enters the World of Nations**

1. America's first woman Nobel Prize winner was
  - a. Nellie Bly
  - b. Jane Addams
  - c. Ida B. Wells-Barnett
  - d. Gertrude Pridgett
  
2. Investigative journalism was created by
  - a. Nellie Bly
  - b. Ida B. Wells-Barnett
  - c. Jane Addams
  - d. Isadora Duncan
  
3. Nellie Bly's trip around the world in 72 days beat a fictional record set by what famous author's character Phineas Fogg.
  - a. Louisa May Alcott
  - b. Harriet Beecher Stowe
  - c. Jules Verne
  - d. None of the above
  
4. Jane Addams founded
  - a. Hull House
  - b. An organization to stop black lynching
  - c. The first school of modern dance
  - d. Dadaism
  
5. Mary Cassatt was the leading American painter of what school of art?
  - a. Dadaism
  - b. Landscape
  - c. Impressionism
  - d. Portraiture
  
6. Ida B. wells-Barnett crusaded against lynching.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
7. The mother of the 'Blues' was
  - a. Ma Rainey
  - b. Sophie Tucker
  - c. Ida B. Wells-Barnett
  - d. Isadora Duncan
  
8. The woman who founded the first school of modern dance was

- a. Ida B. Wells-Barnett
  - b. Isadora Duncan
  - c. Gertrude Pridgett
  - d. Ma Rainey
  - e. None of the Above
9. Juliette Magill Kinzie Gordon founded
- a. The first school of modern dance
  - b. The Anti-Lynching League
  - c. The Women's Voter League
  - d. The Girl Scouts of America
10. The Girl Scouts of America was founded in
- a. 1908
  - b. 1915
  - c. 1912
  - d. 1914



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**Blackline Master 5A Quiz**

**Program Five: American Women Begin to Transform Themselves**

1. In the early 20th century, the term 'the new woman' meant a young woman
  - a. Going to school
  - b. Working in blue or white collar jobs
  - c. Living by themselves in apartments
  - d. All of the above
  
2. The first woman elected to the U.S. House of Representatives was
  - a. Shirley Chisholm
  - b. Hattie Caraway
  - c. Jeannette Rankin
  - d. Ella Grasso
  
3. The first woman governor was
  - a. Ella Grasso of Connecticut
  - b. Diane Feinstein of California
  - c. Jeannette Rankin of Montana
  - d. Hattie Caraway of Arkansas
  
4. Edith Wharton was the first American woman to win what prize for literature.
  - A, The Nobel prize
  - b. The Pulitzer Prize
  - c. The Newberry Medal
  - d. None of the above
  
5. Women won the right to vote in
  - a. 1918
  - b. 1878
  - c. 1920
  - d. 1914
  
6. Margaret Mead's seminal work published in 1928 was
  - a. *The Age of Innocence*
  - b. *The Age of Puberty*
  - c. *Coming of Age in Samoa*
  - d. *The Bronze Age*
  
7. The artist Georgia O'Keeffe got her start at Stieglitz's Gallery 291 in New York's East Village.
  - a. True
  - b. False

8. Amelia Earhart was the first woman to fly solo across
  - a. The United States
  - b. The Pacific Ocean
  - c. The Gulf of Mexico
  - d. The Atlantic Ocean
  
9. Mary MCleod Bethune founded the
  - a. NAACP
  - b. Southern Leadership Council
  - c. National Council of Negro Women
  - d. All of the above
  
10. Franklin Delano Roosevelt's Executive Order 8802 ordered a non-discrimination clause be placed in all defense contracts.
  - a. True
  - b. False

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**Blackline Master 6A Quiz**

**Program Six: America Becomes a Super Power**

1. Which first Lady transformed the role of the first lady in American politics?
  - a. Jeanette Rankin
  - b. Eleanor Roosevelt
  - c. Pat Nixon
  - d. Nancy Reagan
  
2. Eleanor Roosevelt
  - a. Was chairman of the UN's Human Rights Commission
  - b. Helped draft the UN Universal Declaration of Human Right
  - c. Was head of the U.S. Commission on the Status of Women
  - d. All of the above
  
3. Rosie the Riveter was the symbol of American women in the workforce during the Korean War.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
4. Babe Didrikson won Gold Medals at which Olympics.
  - a. 1924
  - b. 1920
  - c. 1928
  - d. 1932
  
5. Gwendolyn Brooks was a child of the Lost Generation and the Harlem Renaissance.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
6. Gwendolyn Brooks won which prize for her book of poems, *Annie Allen*?
  - a. Nobel Prize for Literature
  - b. Newberry Medal
  - c. Pulitzer Prize
  - d. Oscar
  
7. Margaret Chase Smith spoke out against the insidious scare tactics of
  - a. Joe McCarthy
  - b. Dwight Eisenhower
  - c. Franklin Delano Roosevelt
  - d. John F. Kennedy
  
8. Senator Margaret Chase Smith became the first woman to have her name placed in nomination for the Presidency at which major political party's convention?

- a. Democratic Party
  - b. Republican Party
  - c. Green Party
  - d. Federalist Party
9. Which black civil rights leader refused to give up her seat on a Montgomery, Alabama bus to a white passenger?
- a. Shirley Chisholm
  - b. Gwendolyn Brooks
  - c. Althea Gibson
  - d. Rosa Parks
10. Which black woman athlete opened the door for black women in sports?
- a. Serena Williams
  - b. Althea Gibson
  - c. Babe Didrikson
  - d. Florence Griffith Joyner

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Blackline Master 7A Quiz  
Program Seven: American Women Find Their Voice**

1. *A Raisin in the Sun* was written by
  - a. Lorraine Hansberry
  - b. Betty Friedan
  - c. Gwendolyn Brooks
  - d. Lynn Margulis
  
2. *A Raisin in the Sun* is the story about
  - a. A black family in Chicago
  - b. The Underground Railroad
  - c. Slavery
  - d. None of the above
  
3. Betty Friedan wrote
  - a. *Sesame Street*
  - b. *A Raisin in the Sun*
  - c. *The Feminine Mystique*
  - d. *The Origin of Eukaryotic Cells*
  
4. The Gaia hypothesis states that the earth is one giant living organism.
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
5. The creator of *Sesame Street* was
  - a. Oprah Winfrey
  - b. Lorraine Hansberry
  - c. Lynn Margulis
  - d. Joan Ganz Cooney
  
6. The Supreme Court's decision to legalize abortion was based on the right of a woman to
  - a. Not incriminate herself
  - b. Privacy
  - c. Due process
  - d. None of the above
  
7. The Supreme Court legalized abortion in
  - a. *Griswold v. Connecticut*
  - b. *Harper v. Collins*
  - c. *Roe v. Wade*
  - d. None of the above

8. Nancy Lopez became a Hispanic superstar in
  - a. Golf
  - b. Tennis
  - c. Movies
  - d. Track and field
  
9. The first woman appointed to the Supreme Court was
  - a. Ruth Bader Ginsburg
  - b. Sandra Day O'Connor
  - c. Harriet Miers
  - d. Janet Reno
  
10. Title IX banned discrimination in schools based on
  - a. Age
  - b. Marriage
  - c. Race
  - d. Sex

**A DVD *History of Women's Achievement in America*  
Blackline Master 8A Quiz  
Program Eight: A New Age of Equality**

1. Wilma Mankiller became the principal chief of the
  - a. Oglala Sioux
  - b. Cherokee
  - c. Tlingit
  - d. Nez Perce
  - e. None of the above
  
2. Oprah Winfrey is known for being a television
  - a. Star
  - b. Producer
  - c. Director
  - d. All of the above
  
3. The most successful TV series of the 70's was
  - a. The Mary Tyler Moore Show
  - b. Cagney and Lacey
  - c. Charlie's Angels
  - d. I Love Lucy
  
4. Which TV news anchor debuted as co-host of NBC's *The Today Show*?
  - a. Barbara Walters
  - b. Jane Pauley
  - c. Katie Couric
  - d. Kokie Roberts
  
5. *The Joy Luck Club* was written by
  - a. Wilma Mankiller
  - b. Amy Tan
  - c. Betty Friedan
  - d. Oprah Winfrey
  
6. The first woman to become U.S. Secretary of State was
  - a. Condoleezza Rice
  - b. Janet Reno
  - c. Sandra Day O'Connor
  - d. Madeleine Albright
  
7. The number of women Senators and Representatives in the United States Congress has decreased since the 1960's.
  - a. True
  - b. False

8. Pleasant Rowland is the creator and founder of
  - a. American Girl
  - b. Mattel
  - c. G.I. Joe
  - d. Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy
  - e. None of the above
  
9. Linda Alvarado won
  - a. The Nobel Peace Prize
  - b. The Pulitzer Prize
  - c. The Horatio Alger Award
  - d. The Congressional Medal of Honor
  
10. In 1991, Linda Alvarado became an owner of Major League Baseball's
  - a. San Diego Padres
  - b. Cincinnati Reds
  - c. Chicago Cubs
  - d. Colorado Rockies