

Basic Civics Test – Answer Key

1. **Correct Answer:** *d. Freedom of speech and freedom of worship.*
2. **Correct Answer:** *c. You can practice any religion, or not practice a religion.*
3. **Correct Answer:** *c. The President.*
4. **Correct Answer:** *b. Legislative.*
5. **Correct Answer:** *d. The Bill of Rights.*
6. **Correct Answer:** *b. Provide schooling and education.*
7. **Correct Answer:** *a. The President.*
8. **Correct Answer:** *b. Freedom.*
9. **Correct Answer:** *a. George Washington.*
10. **Correct Answer:** *b. Africans.*
11. **Correct Answer:** *d. Six (6).*
12. **Correct Answer:** *b. Checks and balances.*
13. **Correct Answer:** *c. Four (4).*
14. **Correct Answer:** *a. We the People.*
15. **Correct Answer:** *a. Congress.*
16. **Correct Answer:** *b. Fought for civil rights.*
17. **Correct Answer:** *d. Everyone must follow the law.*
18. **Correct Answer:** *d. All of these answers.*
19. **Correct Answer:** *a. American Indians.*
20. **Correct Answer:** *d. Fought for women's rights.*
21. **Correct Answer:** *d. Democratic and Republican.*
22. **Correct Answer:** *c. To make treaties.*
23. **Correct Answer:** *a. All people of the state in which (s)he was elected.*
24. **Correct Answer:** *d. Eighteen (18) or older.*
25. **Correct Answer:** *c. The Constitution was written.*
26. **Correct Answer:** *d. U.S. diplomat.*
27. **Correct Answer:** *c. Terrorists attacked the United States.*
28. **Correct Answer:** *d. All of the above.*
29. **Correct Answer:** *a. The United States.*
30. **Correct Answer:** *d. Thomas Jefferson.*
31. **Correct Answer:** *d. All of these answers.*
32. **Correct Answer:** *c. Citizens eighteen (18) and older can vote.*
33. **Correct Answer:** *d. The President.*
34. **Correct Answer:** *b. Four hundred thirty-five (435).*
35. **Correct Answer:** *b. Because of the state's population.*
36. **Correct Answer:** *a. An addition (to the Constitution).*
37. **Correct Answer:** *d. Serve on a jury.*

38. **Correct Answer:** *a. Because the stripes represent the original colonies.*
39. **Correct Answer:** *b. Capitalist economy.*
40. **Correct Answer:** *b. July 4*
41. **Correct Answer:** *b. Run for federal office.*
42. **Correct Answer:** *c. The Senate and House of Representatives.*
43. **Correct Answer:** *b. The Constitution.*
44. **Correct Answer:** *b. Two (2).*
45. **Correct Answer:** *b. Life and pursuit of happiness.*
46. **Correct Answer:** *a. Declared our independence from Great Britain.*
47. **Correct Answer:** *d. Speech.*
48. **Correct Answer:** *d. Freed slaves in most Southern states.*
49. **Correct Answer:** *c. One hundred (100).*
50. **Correct Answer:** *a. George Washington.*