

## Sample Literacy Test

1. Which of the following is a right guaranteed by the Bill of Rights?
  - a. Public education
  - b. Employment
  - c. Trial by Jury
  - d. Voting

2. If a person is indicted for a crime, name two rights which he has.

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3. A President elected at the general election in November takes office the following year on what date?

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4. When the Constitution was approved by the original colonies, how many states had to ratify it in order for it to be in effect?

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5. What words are required by law to be on all coins and paper currency of the U.S.?

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6. If a vacancy occurs in the U.S. Senate, the state must hold an election, but meanwhile the place may be filled by a temporary appointment made by \_\_\_\_\_.

7. A U.S. senator is elected for a term of \_\_\_\_\_ years.

8. The Constitution protects an individual against punishments which are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

9. Name two levels of government which can levy taxes: \_\_\_\_\_

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10. Communism was the type of government in
  - a. U.S.
  - b. Russia
  - c. England