



From Nixon to Carter

DAILY QUIZ 34.1

MATCHING (10 points each) Match each of the following people or terms with the correct description by writing the letter of the description in the space provided. Some descriptions will not be used.

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| _____ 1. Strategic Arms Limitations Talks | a. the lessening of tensions between the United States and the Soviet Union |
| _____ 2. southern strategy | b. Nixon's secret approach to wooing southern conservatives away from the Democratic Party |
| _____ 3. Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries | c. when inflation and unemployment both decrease |
| _____ 4. Silent Majority | d. created to enforce laws like the Clean Air Act and Water Quality Improvement Act |
| _____ 5. Environmental Protection Agency | e. Nixon's and Henry Kissinger's philosophy of foreign policy |
| _____ 6. Endangered Species Act | f. two countries holding each other in check through the threat of war |
| _____ 7. stagflation | g. Nixon's plan to guarantee welfare families a minimum income |
| _____ 8. Family Assistance Plan | h. agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union to limit the number of nuclear missiles each could possess |
| _____ 9. realpolitik | i. Americans who quietly supported the Soviet Union |
| _____ 10. détente | j. group of oil-producing countries that banded together to raise oil prices |
| | k. the combination of rising unemployment and inflation |
| | l. middle-class Americans who were tired of the social upheaval of the 1960s |
| | m. designed to protect animals in danger of extinction |



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DAILY QUIZ 34.2

TRUE/FALSE (10 points each) Indicate whether each statement below is true or false by writing *T* or *F* in the space provided. If the statement is false, explain why.

- _____ 1. President Nixon's paranoia of others led him to order his staff to compile an "enemies list" of those people who opposed him.

- _____ 2. A break-in at the Democratic National Committee's headquarters in the Watergate hotel was found to be funded by Nixon's Committee to Re-Elect the President.

- _____ 3. The Watergate scandal was centered on Nixon's illegal funding of anticommunist rebels in Cambodia.

- _____ 4. The White House tapes of Nixon's conversations eventually cleared him of wrongdoing.

- _____ 5. The Saturday Night Massacre was when Nixon's attorney general refused Nixon's command to fire a special prosecutor.

- _____ 6. Nixon was impeached in August 1974, and Gerald Ford became the new president.

- _____ 7. Ford's approval rating with the American public soared when he officially pardoned Nixon for his actions.

- _____ 8. The Whip Inflation Now (WIN) campaign was a failure.

- _____ 9. Ford tried to demonstrate his leadership by ordering the navy to rescue Americans captured on the communist ship *Mayaguez*.

- _____ 10. Relations with the Soviet Union grew more tense during Ford's presidency.



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DAILY QUIZ 34.3

MULTIPLE CHOICE (10 points each) For each of the following, write the letter of the *best* choice in the space provided.

- _____ 1. Jimmy Carter appealed to Americans because
- he was like Richard Nixon.
 - he was strongly anticommunist.
 - he vowed to work hard.
 - he was honest.
- _____ 2. After the Three Mile Island accident
- Carter tested all nuclear plants.
 - all nuclear power plants were closed.
 - Carter said the nation needed to keep using nuclear power.
 - public support for nuclear power increased.
- _____ 3. The National Energy Act
- secured foreign oil.
 - was never passed by Congress.
 - was intended to solve the nation's energy problems.
 - was unconstitutional.
- _____ 4. President Carter issued an unconditional pardon for
- Richard Nixon.
 - Three Mile Island workers.
 - Vietnam-era draft evaders.
 - Anwar Sadat.
- _____ 5. The Department of Energy was created to
- control America's energy use.
 - end the energy crisis.
 - lower fuel costs.
 - lower the speed limit.
- _____ 6. Which of the following statements about President Carter is *FALSE*?
- He supported human rights.
 - He backed Russia.
 - Carter vowed to put economic pressure on countries that violated people's human rights.
 - Carter believed that all people should be free of torture.
- _____ 7. The Panama Canal Treaties
- were rejected by Carter.
 - were signed by Carter.
 - hurt Carter.
 - were illegal.
- _____ 8. U.S.-Soviet relations reached their low point with
- the Soviet Union's invasion of neighboring Afghanistan.
 - the 1980 Olympic boycott.
 - continued Middle East violence.
 - China's wars.
- _____ 9. The Camp David Accords
- unified Rhodesia.
 - created a peace agreement between Israel and Egypt.
 - ended the Afghanistan War.
 - improved U.S.-China relations.
- _____ 10. South Africa's apartheid
- increased power for blacks.
 - gave whites full power.
 - was United States-supported.
 - helped blacks.



FILL IN THE BLANK (10 points each) For each of the following statements, fill in the blank with the appropriate word, phrase, or name.

1. The states of the South and West came to be referred to as the _____.
2. The motion picture industry was stimulated by the creative work of _____, director of *Jaws*.
3. The large increase in immigration in the 1970s forced the passage of the _____, which required the printing of election materials in several foreign languages.
4. The rate of _____ rose during the 1970s, leading to more single-family households.
5. Americans took a strong interest in self-improvement as well as _____ with the publication of such books as *I'm OK—You're OK* and *The Complete Book of Running*.
6. The _____ mandated public schools to provide instruction to students in their primary language while they learned English.
7. The _____ mission resulted in the first humans to set foot on the Moon.
8. Steven Jobs and Stephen Wozniak created the first _____ in the garage of Jobs's parents' house.
9. The anger and raw energy of punk rock music contrasted strongly with the smooth beat of _____.
10. _____ was America's first space station.