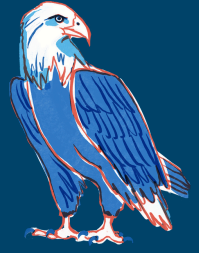




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Instructions

Follow along with the video and complete the following questions

1. What type of charter allowed the Massachusetts Bay Company to establish a virtually self-governing colony?
 - a) Royal charter
 - b) Proprietary charter
 - c) Corporate charter
 - d) Self-governing charter
2. Who was elected to serve as the first governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony?
 - a) William Bradford
 - b) John Smith
 - c) John Winthrop
 - d) Thomas Mayhew
3. What period is known as the "Great Migration" of Puritans to New England?
 - a) 1620-1630
 - b) 1630-1642
 - c) 1642-1660
 - d) 1660-1676
4. What was the first institution of higher learning in America, founded by the Puritans in 1636?
 - a) Yale University
 - b) Princeton University
 - c) Harvard College
 - d) William and Mary College
5. What law established the first town school system in America?
 - a) Education Act of 1642
 - b) Old Deluder Satan Act
 - c) Massachusetts School Law
 - d) Puritan Education Decree





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6. Who translated the first Bible printed in America into the Algonquin language?
- a) John Winthrop
 - b) Thomas Mayhew
 - c) John Eliot
 - d) William Bradford
7. What concept describes the Puritans' belief in the value of diligent work as a service to God?
- a) Puritan Work Ethic
 - b) Divine Labor Theory
 - c) Spiritual Industry Concept
 - d) Godly Occupation Principle
8. Which of the following was NOT a reason for the success of the Massachusetts Bay Colony?
- a) Well-educated settlers
 - b) Strong work ethic
 - c) Socialist economic approach
 - d) Focus on education
9. What was John Winthrop referring to when he used the phrase "city upon a hill"?
- a) A literal city on a hilltop
 - b) An example of liberty for the world
 - c) A combination of political and ecclesiastical government
 - d) A new capital city for the colony
10. What was the primary purpose of Harvard College when it was founded?
- a) To prepare young men for biblical ministry
 - b) To train lawyers and politicians
 - c) To educate women
 - d) To study science and mathematics



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Discussion Questions:

1. Compare and contrast the Puritan approach to governance and law enforcement with the later American constitutional approach. How did these different perspectives impact religious freedom and civil liberties?
2. Discuss the aspects of the Puritan influence on early American education. How do you think this legacy has shaped modern American educational values and practices?
3. Analyze the concept of the "Protestant work ethic" and its impact on American culture and economics. How do you think this concept has evolved in modern American society?
4. Evaluate the Puritan leaders' vision of creating a "city upon a hill." How did this concept influence the development of American exceptionalism, and what are its implications in modern American politics and society?





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Answer Key

- 1.C
- 2.C
- 3.B
- 4.C
- 5.B
- 6.C
- 7.A
- 8.C
- 9.C
- 10.A

