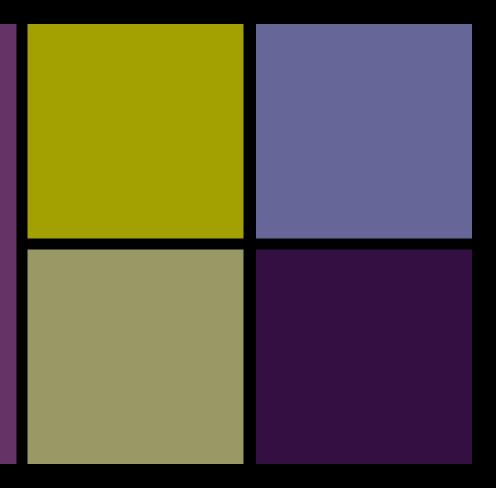
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We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.



The Preamble in Action

We the People

+ Here's what you'll do...

Read the headlines and decide what part of the Preamble the headlines are describing. You may use your Preamble handout to help.

Write your answer on paper and also write which section of the headline helped you identify the correct goal from the Preamble

To remind you of the goals...

1. IN ORDER TO FORM A MORE PERFECT UNION

To unite the states more effectively and to cooperate so they can operate as a single nation, for the good of all.

2. ESTABLISH JUSTICE

To create a system of fair laws and courts and make certain that all citizens are treated equally.

+ To remind you of the goals...

3. INSURE DOMESTIC TRANQUILITY

To maintain peace and order, keeping citizens and property safe from harm.

4. PROVIDE FOR THE COMMON DEFENSE

To be ready militarily to protect the country and it's citizens from outside attack.

To remind you of the goals...

5. PROMOTE THE GENERAL WELFARE

To help people live healthy, happy, and prosperous lives

6. SECURE THE BLESSINGS TO OURSELVES AND OUR POSTERITY

To guarantee the freedom and basic rights of all Americans, including future generations ("posterity").

1. U.S. troops are sent to the nearby island of Haiti to help maintain order when the Hatian government is overthrown.

2. State police were sent into Ferguson, Missouri to settle unrest between upset citizens and local police after the shooting death of Michael Brown.

3. U.S troops prepare for a raid on an Iraqi town where terrorists are believed to be operating and plotting another attack against the United States.

4. The Department of Agriculture puts out a new food pyramid which helps people plan a healthy diet.

5. The Treasury Department issues paper money and mints coins for the entire country

6. The Department of Energy provides funding for research on wind energy so that it may help us reduce our reliance on oil.

7. The Department of Transportation maintains the nation's interstate highway system. Repairing highways that connect the various states in the country.

8. The Veterans Administration operates hospitals where people who have served in the military can receive health care services.

9. The Department of Labor gives \$1.9 million to the Hotel and **Restaurant Employees Union to** train newly arriving legal immigrants for hospitality industry jobs in Las Vegas, Nevada and Atlantic City, New Jersey.

10. The Food and Drug administration requires drug companies to do multiple tests on new drugs before they can be prescribed by doctors and sold in the United States.

11. Federal prosecutors (lawyers) seek an indictment (charges) against a company it believes is using unfair and illegal business practices.

12. Congress passes a law requiring students to be tested regularly to make sure they are meeting achievement standards.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

13. The Supreme Court hears a case on whether dogs can be used to search for drugs in a car stopped for a traffic violation.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

- 14. The federal government provides disaster relief funding for communities struck by spring floods and tornados.
- (2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

15. The national Park Services announces the re-opening of the Statue of Liberty. A statue that welcomes immigrants into our country who yearn for a better life.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

16. An immigration judge rejects the asylum application of a 25 year old Guatemalan gang member who claims he will be murdered if he returns home.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

17. The National Institute on Aging funds a long term study on how long Alzheimer's patients live after they are diagnosed with the disease.

18. The United States maintains diplomatic relations with about 180 countries around the world.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

19. The Bureau of Land Management opens certain government-owned lands to mining.

(2 answers, second one is worth 2 points. You may choose to write down both possible answers)

20. The government collects and publishes information about the economy.

Finished!

Turn your paper in. Make sure that you have filled in all the answers in both columns.

This will be worth a quiz score.