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Tests for RUDN University Open Olympiad for Foreign Citizens

PUBLIC RELATIONS/JOURNALISM/PSYCHOLOGY (M)

Variant 1

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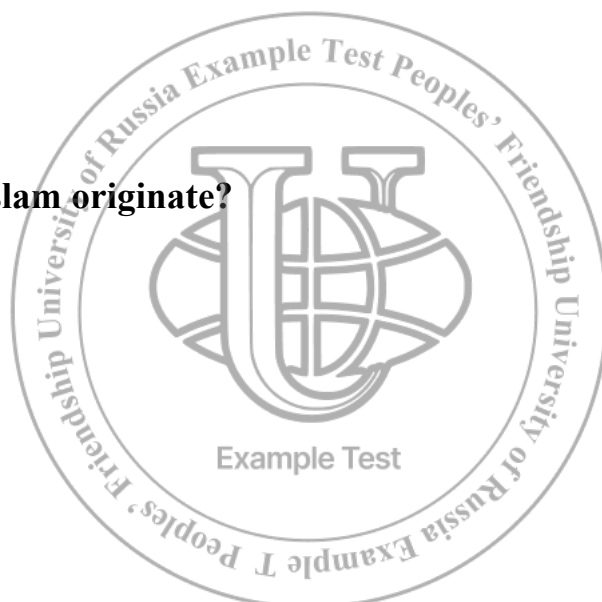
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1. Which of these civilizations existed the longest?

- A) Egyptian;
- B) Western;
- C) Hindu;
- D) Chinese.

2. In what year did the world religion of Islam originate?

- A) In the year 312;
- B) In the year 610;
- C) In the year 988;
- D) In the year 1201.



- 3. The world's first female prime minister was elected in:**  
A) Great Britain;  
B) Sri Lanka (Ceylon);  
C) India;  
D) Algeria.
- 4. Which language is not an official language of the United Nations?**  
A) Russian;  
B) French;  
C) Arabic;  
D) German.
- 5. In which country was the Holy Book of Muslims, the Quran, first published in print?**  
A) Turkey;  
B) Russia;  
C) Iran;  
D) Finland.
- 6. What country does not have a single document that could be called the basic law of the country, the Constitution?**  
A) Great Britain;  
B) South Africa;  
C) Switzerland;  
D) Algeria.
- 7. Which of the names of countries is not an abbreviation?**  
A) CAR;  
B) CHAD;  
C) RSA;  
D) DPRK.
- 8. Which mountain is the tallest in the world?**  
A) Mount Everest;  
B) Mount Kilimanjaro;  
C) Makalu;  
D) Mount Elbrus.

**9. Which of the following states is in Africa?**

- A) Andorra;
- B) Guyana;
- C) Myanmar;
- D) Rwanda.

**10. India's territory is smaller than China:**

- A) By nearly two times;
- B) By nearly three times;
- C) By nearly five times;
- D) The territories of these countries are almost identical.

**11. Five years ago (in 2018), this African country was called Swaziland. What is it called now?**

- A) Lesotho;
- B) Zanzibar Archipelago;
- C) Ceylon;
- D) Eswatini.

**12. Russian avant-guard art – a number of abstract and semi-abstract movements sprang up in the first half of the 20th century, associated with:**

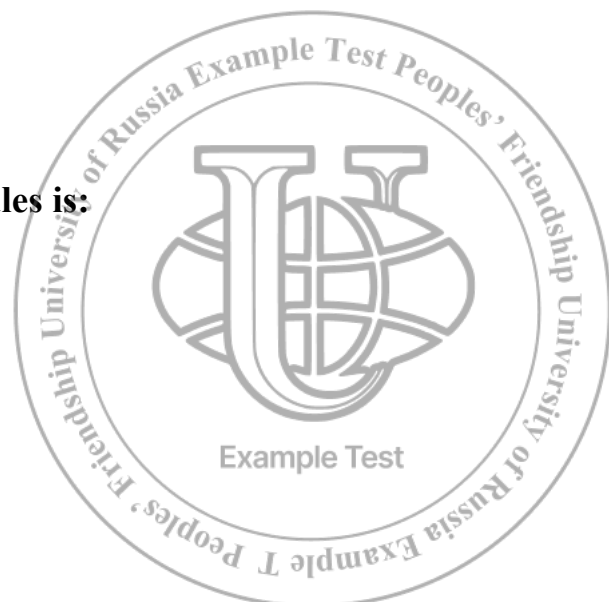
- A) Black Square by Kazimir Malevich;
- B) Ivan the Terrible and His Son Ivan by Ilya Repin;
- C) The Trinity by Andrey Rublev;
- D) The Ninth Wave by Ivan Aivazovsky.

**13. A Russian (Soviet) film director, screenwriter, the director of “The Battleship Potemkin” (1925), the father of the film montage:**

- A) Sergei Eisenstein;
- B) Nikita Michalkov;
- C) Andrei Tarkovsky;
- D) Andrei Konchalovsky.

**14. The old witch from the Russian fairy tales is:**

- A) Baba Yaga;
- B) Leda;
- C) Vasilisa the Beautiful;
- D) Snegurochka.



**15. Which dance form is the most famous cultural symbol of Russia?**

- A) Russian Ballet;
- B) Dubbkuh;
- C) Horovod;
- D) Lezginka.

**16. A popular visual symbol of Moscow – the Orthodox church with colorful cupolas situated on the Red Square beside the Moscow Kremlin and represented all over the souvenirs is:**

- A) Peterhof Palace;
- B) Saint Basil's Cathedral;
- C) Bolshoi Theatre;
- D) Kazan Cathedral.

**17. What was the name of the famous Russian scientist who created the periodic system of chemical elements?**

- A) Dmitri Mendeleev;
- B) Alexander Popov;
- C) Mikhail Lomonosov.

**18. In Russia the monarchy was abolished as a result of .... .  
(Finish the phrase by choosing the correct option)**

- A) the 1905-1907 revolutions;
- B) The Russian Civil War of 1918-1921;
- C) The February Revolution of 1917;
- D) The October Revolution of 1917.

**19. Where is the largest and most famous museum in the Russian Federation, the Hermitage?**

- A) In Novosibirsk;
- B) In Saint Petersburg;
- C) In Kaliningrad.

**20. When did World War II begin?**

- A) September 1, 1939;
- B) June 22, 1941;
- C) July 28, 1914.

**21. Which war lasted 38 minutes, becoming the shortest war in history?**

- A) The Anglo-Zulu War;
- B) The Anglo-Egyptian War;

C) The Anglo-Zanzibar War.

**22. Which of the following countries were the victors in World War II?**

**(Mark all the correct answers)**

- A) Great Britain;
- B) The Soviet Union;
- C) The United States;
- D) France;
- E) China;
- F) Japan;
- G) Poland;
- H) Federal Republic of Germany.

**23. In which country did Europe's first bourgeois revolution take place?**

- A) In England;
- B) In France;
- C) In the Netherlands.

**24. Which work was written by the ancient Greek author Homer?**

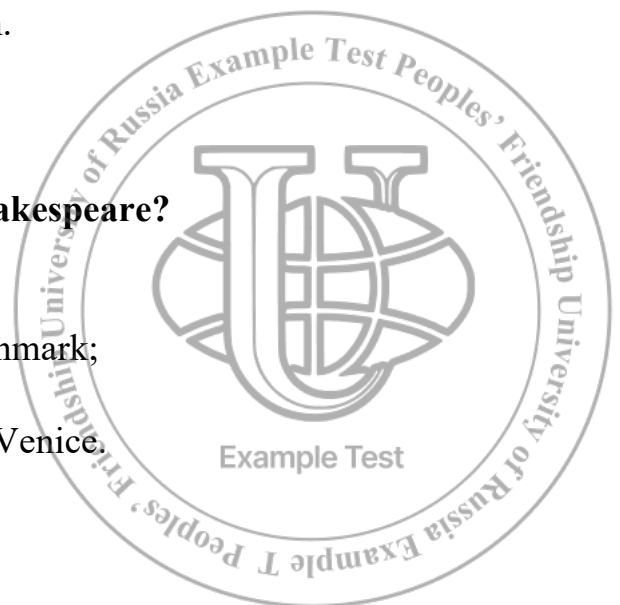
- A) The Golden Ass;
- B) The Odyssey;
- C) Tristan and Iseult;
- D) Crime and Punishment;
- E) Medea.

**25. Select the correct sequence of changes from one literary movement to another in the history of world literature**

- A) Classicism, Modernism, Romanticism;
- B) Classicalism, Sentimentalism, Romanticism;
- C) Sentimentalism, Classicism, Romanticism;
- D) Sentimentalism, Romanticism, Classicism;
- E) Romanticism, Modernism, Classicism.

**26. Which work is NOT written by W. Shakespeare?**

- A) Romeo and Juliet;
- B) Tartuffe, or The Impostor;
- C) The Tragedy of Hamlet, Prince of Denmark;
- D) A Midsummer Night's Dream;
- E) The Tragedy of Othello, the Moor of Venice.



**27. During the reign of which Prince was the baptism of Rus' in 988?**

- A) Yaroslav the Wise;
- B) Sviatoslav I Igorevich;
- C) Vladimir I Sviatoslavich.

**28. Identify the authors of the following works:**

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| A) Ulysses                                | A) Erich Maria Remarque |
| B) Bel Ami, or the History of a Scoundrel | B) W. Shakespeare       |
| C) Crime and Punishment                   | C) J. Joyce             |
| D) All Quiet on the Western Front         | D) Guy de Maupassant    |
| E) Romeo and Juliet                       | E) F.M. Dostoevsky      |