

Pre-Formatted Reports: Benchmark Test Item Analysis - New Format

Data Selections

Institution(s): All School Types, All Schools
Benchmark Administration: 10/27/14, 2014-15 Mid-Semester American History 1
Trend Profile: 2014-2015
Subject: Social Sciences and History
Test Focus: Social Sciences and History
Test Level: All Benchmark Test Levels
Test Category: District Benchmark
Grade: All Grade Levels
Enrollment: Current

Number of questions: 30
 Number of test-taking students: 813

Student Responses

Question - Type	Correct		Incorrect	Most Common Mistake		Point Value	Points Achieved / Possible	P-Value/Item Mean	Discrimination
	Rate	Value	Total Rate	Rate	Value				
1 - Multiple Choice	44%	B	56%	28%	A	1	359 / 813	0.44	0.42
2 - Multiple Choice	51%	D	49%	20%	A	1	418 / 813	0.51	0.47
3 - Multiple Choice	64%	A	36%	13%	D	1	522 / 813	0.64	0.41
4 - Multiple Choice	54%	C	46%	29%	A	1	436 / 813	0.54	0.43
5 - Multiple Choice	59%	C	41%	22%	B	1	483 / 813	0.59	0.39
6 - Multiple Choice	36%	D	64%	32%	A	1	289 / 813	0.36	0.35
7 - Multiple Choice	62%	A	38%	18%	B	1	505 / 813	0.62	0.41
8 - Multiple Choice	40%	C	60%	30%	B	1	327 / 813	0.40	0.37
9 - Multiple Choice	28%	B	72%	23%	C	1	227 / 813	0.28	0.20
10 - Multiple Choice	75%	C	25%	12%	B	1	606 / 813	0.74	0.38
11 - Multiple Choice	53%	B	47%	22%	A	1	427 / 813	0.52	0.47
12 - Multiple Choice	47%	C	53%	22%	A	1	384 / 813	0.47	0.53
13 - Multiple Choice	62%	A	38%	18%	C	1	503 / 813	0.62	0.46
14 - Multiple Choice	67%	D	33%	15%	C	1	545 / 813	0.67	0.54
15 - Multiple Choice	34%	B	66%	31%	C	1	278 / 813	0.34	0.42
16 - Multiple Choice	49%	D	51%	19%	A	1	395 / 813	0.49	0.42
17 - Multiple Choice	57%	C	43%	19%	B	1	461 / 813	0.57	0.33
18 - Multiple Choice	48%	B	52%	21%	C	1	390 / 813	0.48	0.53
19 - Multiple Choice	55%	B	45%	28%	A	1	446 / 813	0.55	0.45
20 - Multiple Choice	58%	C	42%	17%	D	1	473 / 813	0.58	0.41

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21 - Multiple Choice	48%	D	52%	21%	B	1	392 / 813	0.48	0.51
22 - Multiple Choice	29%	C	71%	26%	D	1	233 / 813	0.29	0.23
23 - Multiple Choice	59%	C	41%	20%	A	1	478 / 813	0.59	0.54
24 - Multiple Choice	52%	D	48%	17%	B	1	421 / 813	0.52	0.48
25 - Multiple Choice	56%	D	44%	20%	B	1	456 / 813	0.56	0.50
26 - Multiple Choice	53%	B	47%	17%	D	1	429 / 813	0.53	0.50
27 - Multiple Choice	58%	C	42%	15%	B	1	469 / 813	0.58	0.40
28 - Multiple Choice	49%	D	51%	18%	C	1	398 / 813	0.49	0.48
29 - Multiple Choice	31%	A	69%	25%	C	1	249 / 813	0.31	0.35
30 - Multiple Choice	51%	C	49%	23%	A	1	415 / 813	0.51	0.48
Summary	51%		49%				414 / 813		

P-value represents an item's difficulty as evaluated by dividing the total number of correct responses by the total number of students tested. P-value is calculated for true/false, multiple choice, gridded or hot spot-single response items.

Item Mean is the average score for student responses to an open response question or to a multi-part question. Item Mean is calculated for inline response, matching or hot spot-multiple selections items.

Discrimination or Item Total Score Correlation is the correlation between the question score and the overall test score and indicates the extent to which success on an item corresponds to success on the test.

Standards Alignment to NC Standards

Question	ID	Standard Description
1 - Multiple Choice	NCES.AH1.H.2.1	Analyze key political, economic, and social turning points from colonization through Reconstruction in terms of causes and effects (e.g., conflicts, legislation, elections, innovations, leadership, movements, Supreme Court decisions, etc.).
2 - Multiple Choice	NCES.AH1.H.7.1	Explain the impact of wars on American politics through Reconstruction (e.g., Issues of taxation without representation, Proclamation of 1763, Proclamation of Neutrality, XYZ Affair, Alien & Sedition Acts, War Hawks, Hartford Convention, slavery Compromises, scalawags, carpetbaggers, etc.).
3 - Multiple Choice	NCES.AH1.H.3.1	Analyze how economic, political, social, military and religious factors influenced European exploration and American colonial settlement (e.g., Reformation, mercantilism, improvements in navigation technology, colonization, defeat of Spanish Armada, Great Awakening, etc.).
4 - Multiple Choice	NCES.AH1.H.5.1	Summarize how the philosophical, ideological and/or religious views on freedom and equality contributed to the development of American political and economic systems through Reconstruction (e.g., natural rights, First Great Awakening, Declaration of Independence, transcendentalism, suffrage, abolition, "slavery as a peculiar institution", etc.).
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- 7 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.3.4** Analyze voluntary and involuntary immigration trends through Reconstruction in terms of causes, regions of origin and destination, cultural contributions, and public and governmental response (e.g., Puritans, Pilgrims, American Indians, Quakers, Scotch-Irish, Chinese, Africans, indentured servants, slavery, Middle Passage, farming, ideas of the Enlightenment, etc.).
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- 8 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.4.2** Analyze the economic issues and conflicts that impacted the United States through Reconstruction and the compromises that resulted (e.g., mercantilism, Revolutionary era taxation, National Bank, taxes, tariffs, territorial expansion, Economic "Panics", Civil War).
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- 9 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.4.3** Analyze the social and religious conflicts, movements and reforms that affected the United States from colonization through Reconstruction in terms of participants, strategies, opposition, and results (e.g., Second Great Awakening, Transcendentalism, abolition, temperance, mental illness, prisons, education, etc.).
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- 10 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.8.3** Evaluate the extent to which a variety of groups and individuals have had opportunity to attain their perception of the "American Dream" through Reconstruction (e.g., various ethnic, religious, racial, socio-economic groups of people; plantation society; transcendentalism; 49ers; etc.).
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- 11 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.2.1** Analyze key political, economic, and social turning points from colonization through Reconstruction in terms of causes and effects (e.g., conflicts, legislation, elections, innovations, leadership, movements, Supreme Court decisions, etc.).
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- 18 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.2.2** Evaluate key turning points from colonization through Reconstruction in terms of their lasting impact (e.g., conflicts, legislation, elections, innovations, leadership, movements, Supreme Court decisions, etc.).
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22 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.3.2	Explain how environmental, cultural and economic factors influenced the patterns of migration and settlement within the U.S. before the Civil War (e.g., economic diversity of regions, mercantilism, cash crops, triangular trade, ethnic diversity, Native American Indian beliefs about land ownership, Lewis & Clark expedition, farming, Industrial Revolution, etc.).
23 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.6.1	Explain how national economic and political interests helped set the direction of United States foreign policy from independence through Reconstruction (e.g., treaties, embargo, tariffs, Proclamation of Neutrality, Monroe Doctrine, etc.).
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25 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.6.2	Explain the reasons for involvement in wars prior to Reconstruction and the influence each involvement had on international affairs (e.g., French and Indian War, War of 1812, Mexican War, Civil War).
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28 - Multiple Choice NCES.AH1.H.5.2	Explain how judicial, legislative and executive actions have affected the distribution of power between levels of government from colonization through Reconstruction (e.g., the Marshall Court, Jacksonian era, nullification, secession, etc.).
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