

Famous African Americans Quiz 1

1. ___ Notable jazz musician and composer known as the "King of Jazz."
A.Jesse Owens B.Jackie Robinson C.Duke Ellington D.Condoleezza Rice
2. ___ First African American President of the United States.
A.Barack Obama B.Martin Luther King Jr C.Garrett Morgan D.Maya Angelou
3. ___ Innovative inventor known for his work on the traffic signal and gas mask.
A.Jackie Robinson B.Katherine Johnson C.Garrett Morgan D.Sojourner Truth
4. ___ Talented singer and actress, winner of numerous Grammy Awards and an Academy Award.
A.Martin Luther King Jr B.Halle Berr C.Barack Obama D.Condoleezza Rice
5. ___ Known for her role in the civil rights movement, refusing to give up her seat on a bus.
A.Condoleezza Rice B.Rosa Parks C.Martin Luther King Jr D.Maya Angelou
6. ___ Supreme Court Justice, the first African American to serve on the nation's highest court.
A.Jackie Robinson B.Rosa Parks C.Thurgood Marshall D.Sidney Poitier
7. ___ Groundbreaking mathematician and NASA aerospace engineer portrayed in the film "Hidden Figures."
A.Katherine Johnson B.Maya Angelou C.Garrett Morgan D.Sidney Poitier
8. ___ Civil rights leader who delivered the famous "I Have a Dream" speech in 1963.
A.Martin Luther King Jr B.Jesse Owens C.Percy Julian D.Sojourner Truth
9. ___ Acclaimed poet and author known for her autobiographical work "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings."
A.Maya Angelou B.Katherine Johnson C.Jesse Owens D.Sidney Poitier
10. ___ Baseball player who broke the color barrier in Major League Baseball.
A.Sojourner Truth B.Jackie Robinson C.Duke Ellington D.Barack Obama
11. ___ First African American woman to serve as Secretary of State.
A.Althea Gibson B.Duke Ellington C.Thurgood Marshall D.Condoleezza Rice
12. ___ First African American to win an Academy Award for Best Actor
A.Maya Angelou B.Rosa Parks C.Sidney Poitier D.Althea Gibson
13. ___ Groundbreaking chemist who developed methods for synthesizing cortisone and other drugs.
A.Percy Julian B.Barack Obama C.Martin Luther King Jr D.Sidney Poitier
14. ___ Trailblazing tennis player, the first African American to win Wimbledon.
A.Condoleezza Rice B.Althea Gibson C.Barack Obama D.Katherine Johnson
15. ___ Renowned track and field athlete who won four gold medals in the 1936 Olympics.
A.Rosa Parks B.Garrett Morgan C.Jesse Owens D.Martin Luther King Jr
16. ___ Notable abolitionist and women's rights activist, known for her "Ain't I a Woman?" speech.
A.Sojourner Truth B.Barack Obama C.Garrett Morgan D.Jesse Owens
17. ___ Influential figure in the Harlem Renaissance, known for his poetry and activism.
A.Langston Hughes B.Sidney Poitier C.Condoleezza Rice D.Martin Luther King Jr