

# Harlem Renaissance Quiz 1

1. \_\_\_ Author of the modernist masterpiece "Cane," blending prose, poetry, and drama to depict African American life in the South.  
A.Florence Mills B.Countee Cullen C.Ethel Waters D.Jean Toomer
2. \_\_\_ Painter recognized for his depictions of African American life, particularly rural scenes and folklore.  
A.Zora Neale Hurston B.Fats Waller C.Palmer Hayden D.Langston Hughes
3. \_\_\_ Visual artist recognized for his murals and illustrations capturing the spirit of the Harlem Renaissance.  
A.Zora Neale Hurston B.Palmer Hayden C.Claude McKay D.Aaron Douglas
4. \_\_\_ Philosopher and writer, known as the "Dean of the Harlem Renaissance" for his advocacy and editorship.  
A.Alain Locke B.Florence Mills C.Bessie Smith D.Eubie Blake
5. \_\_\_ Singer, dancer, and actress celebrated for her performances in musical theater and vaudeville.  
A.Josephine Baker B.Countee Cullen C.Florence Mills D.Ethel Waters
6. \_\_\_ Renowned jazz composer, pianist, and bandleader, known for classics like "Take the A Train."  
A.Duke Ellington B.Eubie Blake C.Countee Cullen D.Ethel Waters
7. \_\_\_ Author of "Their Eyes Were Watching God" and folklorist celebrated for her depictions of African American culture.  
A.Zora Neale Hurston B.Augusta Savage C.Nella Larsen D.Fats Waller
8. \_\_\_ Poet known for his works like "The Negro Speaks of Rivers."  
A.Langston Hughes B.Claude McKay C.Bessie Smith D.Augusta Savage
9. \_\_\_ Novelist associated with the Harlem Renaissance, author of "Quicksand" and "Passing."  
A.Wallace Thurman B.Jelly Roll Morton C.Nella Larsen D.Josephine Baker
10. \_\_\_ Pioneer of jazz music, known for his innovative piano style and compositions.  
A.Bessie Smith B.Jelly Roll Morton C.Duke Ellington D.Zora Neale Hurston
11. \_\_\_ Composer and pianist, one of the first African American composers to find success in the Broadway scene.  
A.Jean Toomer B.Zora Neale Hurston C.Eubie Blake D.Alain Locke
12. \_\_\_ Writer and editor known for exploring themes of race, sexuality, and identity in his works.  
A.Palmer Hayden B.Fats Waller C.Wallace Thurman D.Jean Toomer
13. \_\_\_ Influential blues singer, often referred to as the "Empress of the Blues."  
A.Claude McKay B.Jean Toomer C.Bessie Smith D.Eubie Blake
14. \_\_\_ Author, poet, and civil rights activist, remembered for his anthem "Lift Every Voice and Sing."  
A.James Weldon Johnson B.Claude McKay C.Wallace Thurman D.Palmer Hayden
15. \_\_\_ Poet and playwright whose works explored racial identity and heritage, notable for "Color."  
A.Florence Mills B.Countee Cullen C.Fats Waller D.Bessie Smith
16. \_\_\_ Versatile performer, acclaimed singer, and actress, known for her roles in stage and film.  
A.Ethel Waters B.Florence Mills C.Jelly Roll Morton D.James Weldon Johnson
17. \_\_\_ Jazz pianist, composer, and entertainer, famous for his stride piano playing and humorous songs.  
A.Fats Waller B.Jean Toomer C.Zora Neale Hurston D.James Weldon Johnson
18. \_\_\_ Dancer, singer, and actress who gained fame in Paris and became a symbol of the Jazz Age.  
A.Nella Larsen B.Fats Waller C.Josephine Baker D.Claude McKay
19. \_\_\_ Jamaican-born poet and novelist, known for works like "Home to Harlem" and "If We Must Die."  
A.Claude McKay B.Alain Locke C.Jelly Roll Morton D.Countee Cullen
20. \_\_\_ Sculptor recognized for her powerful depictions of African American life and culture.  
A.Augusta Savage B.Countee Cullen C.Fats Waller D.Langston Hughes