

Second Wave Feminism in the United States - Quiz

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Q1. What was a major focus of second-wave feminism in the 1960s?

- A. Access to education and equal pay
- B. Expanding military roles for women
- C. Promoting traditional gender roles
- D. Reducing women's participation in the workforce

Q2. Who wrote 'The Feminine Mystique'?

- A. Gloria Steinem
- B. Margaret Sanger
- C. Betty Friedan
- D. Susan B. Anthony

Q3. What organization did Betty Friedan help form?

- A. COYOTE
- B. The National Organization for Women (NOW)
- C. The Equal Rights Party
- D. The Women's Trade Union League

Q4. What was Gloria Steinem known for in her early activism?

- A. Writing 'The Feminine Mystique'
- B. Advocating for the Equal Rights Amendment
- C. Going undercover as a Playboy Bunny
- D. Leading the suffrage movement

Q5. What did Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 ban?

- A. Discrimination based on race
- B. Discrimination based on religion
- C. Discrimination based on sex
- D. Discrimination based on age

Q6. What was the outcome of the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA)?

- A. It was ratified and became law
- B. It failed to gain enough state ratifications
- C. It was vetoed by the president
- D. It was replaced by a different amendment

Q7. What Supreme Court case in 1973 was a major victory for feminists?

- A. Brown v. Board of Education
- B. Roe v. Wade
- C. Miranda v. Arizona
- D. Griswold v. Connecticut

Q8. What was the unofficial motto of second-wave feminists?

- A. Equality for all
- B. The personal is political
- C. Liberty and justice
- D. Women unite

Q9. What issue caused a major split in the feminist movement in the 1970s and 80s?

- A. Equal pay
- B. Access to education
- C. Pornography and sex work
- D. Voting rights

Q10. What was the first sex workers' rights organization in America?

- A. NOW
- B. COYOTE
- C. ERA
- D. SWOP

Answer Key

- 1. Q1: A
- 2. Q2: C
- 3. Q3: B
- 4. Q4: C
- 5. Q5: C
- 6. Q6: B
- 7. Q7: B
- 8. Q8: B
- 9. Q9: C
- 10. Q10: B