

What Are Natural Rights? - Quiz

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Q1. Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?

- A. George Washington
- B. Thomas Jefferson
- C. Benjamin Franklin
- D. John Adams

Q2. What are the three unalienable rights mentioned in the Declaration of Independence?

- A. Life, Liberty, and Property
- B. Liberty, Equality, and Fraternity
- C. Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness
- D. Freedom, Justice, and Equality

Q3. Where did the concept of natural rights originate?

- A. Ancient Rome
- B. Ancient Greece
- C. Ancient Egypt
- D. Ancient China

Q4. Can natural rights be taken away by the government?

- A. No, never
- B. Yes, in specific cases like imprisonment
- C. Only with the consent of the people
- D. Only during wartime

Q5. What is the main difference between natural rights and legal rights?

- A. Natural rights are granted by the government
- B. Legal rights exist without a government
- C. Natural rights are inherent and universal, while legal rights are granted by a governing body
- D. There is no difference

Q6. What document protects many legal rights in the United States?

- A. The Declaration of Independence
- B. The Bill of Rights
- C. The United States Constitution
- D. The Magna Carta

Q7. Which of the following is an example of a legal right?

- A. The right to life
- B. The right to liberty
- C. The right to vote
- D. The right to pursue happiness

Q8. What system did the Founding Fathers establish to limit government power?

- A. The electoral college
- B. The checks and balances system
- C. The monarchy
- D. The feudal system

Q9. When was the Declaration of Independence adopted?

- A. July 2nd, 1776
- B. July 4th, 1776
- C. July 14th, 1776
- D. July 1st, 1776

Q10. According to the Declaration of Independence, who endows people with unalienable rights?

- A. The government
- B. The President
- C. The people
- D. The Creator

Answer Key

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