



# What if my green card expires while waiting for citizenship? - Quiz

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## Q1. What is a green card?

- A. A permit allowing aliens to work and live in the U.S.
- B. A document granting full U.S. citizenship
- C. A temporary visa for tourists
- D. A form of identification for U.S. citizens only

## Q2. What should you do if your green card expires?

- A. Leave the U.S. immediately
- B. Apply for renewal or extension
- C. Ignore it and continue living in the U.S.
- D. Apply for a new visa

## Q3. How long does it typically take to renew a green card?

- A. 1-2 weeks
- B. 1-2 months
- C. Several months or years
- D. It cannot be renewed

**Q4. What is one consequence of not renewing an expired green card?**

- A. Automatic citizenship
- B. Denial of naturalization application
- C. Immediate deportation
- D. Loss of all U.S. rights

**Q5. Why might a green card expire while waiting for citizenship?**

- A. The process is quick and efficient
- B. The application process takes a long time
- C. Green cards are only valid for one year
- D. Citizenship is automatically granted

**Q6. What is required when applying for green card renewal?**

- A. Proof of U.S. citizenship
- B. Change in Alien Registration Number (ARN)
- C. A job offer in the U.S.
- D. Marriage to a U.S. citizen

**Q7. Can someone else renew your green card on your behalf?**

- A. No, only you can renew it
- B. Yes, if they have legal authority
- C. Only if you are outside the U.S.
- D. Only family members can do it

**Q8. What happens if you leave the U.S. for more than six months with an expired green card?**

- A. You can return without issues
- B. It may be considered abandoning your green card
- C. Your citizenship is automatically granted
- D. You must apply for a new visa

**Q9. What is one right granted to green card holders?**

- A. Voting in federal elections
- B. Protection against deportation for certain crimes
- C. Running for public office
- D. Receiving a U.S. passport

**Q10. When should you apply for naturalization in relation to your green card's expiration?**

- A. After your green card expires
- B. Before or on the expiration date
- C. Only after becoming a permanent resident
- D. It doesn't matter when you apply

## **Answer Key**

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