



What Is Hammurabi's Code? - Quiz

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Q1. Who was Hammurabi?

- A. The sixth Amorite king of the Old Babylonian Empire
- B. A famous Egyptian pharaoh
- C. A Greek philosopher
- D. A Roman emperor

Q2. What is Hammurabi's Code?

- A. A set of laws compiled by King Hammurabi
- B. A religious text from ancient Egypt
- C. A collection of Greek myths
- D. A Roman military strategy

Q3. How was Hammurabi's Code recorded?

- A. Carved into a large stone pillar
- B. Written on papyrus scrolls
- C. Etched into clay tablets
- D. Painted on temple walls

Q4. When was Hammurabi's Code discovered?

- A. 1901
- B. 1800
- C. 2000
- D. 1700

Q5. Where was Hammurabi's Code discovered?

- A. Present-day Iran
- B. Egypt
- C. Greece
- D. Italy

Q6. What concept is Hammurabi's Code most associated with?

- A. "An eye for an eye"
- B. "Turn the other cheek"
- C. "All men are created equal"
- D. "The golden rule"

Q7. How many laws are approximately inscribed on the stele?

- A. 282
- B. 100
- C. 500
- D. 10

Q8. What is depicted at the top of the stele?

- A. King Hammurabi and the god of justice
- B. A battle scene
- C. A map of Babylon
- D. A list of kings

Q9. Where is Hammurabi's Code displayed today?

- A. The Louvre Museum in Paris
- B. The British Museum in London
- C. The Metropolitan Museum in New York
- D. The Vatican Museum in Rome

Q10. What is one controversial aspect of Hammurabi's Code?

- A. Punishments considered cruel and unusual today
- B. Lack of laws regarding trade
- C. No mention of family law
- D. Exclusion of property laws

Answer Key

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