

What Was the Espionage Act? - Quiz

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Q1. When was the Espionage Act passed?

- A. 1917
- B. 1920
- C. 1919
- D. 1918

Q2. What was the penalty for violating the Espionage Act?

- A. 10-year sentence and \$5,000 fine
- B. 20-year sentence and \$10,000 fine
- C. Life imprisonment
- D. Death penalty

Q3. Which Act was repealed in 1920?

- A. The Espionage Act
- B. The Sedition Act
- C. The Patriot Act
- D. The Freedom Act

Q4. Which amendment is debated in relation to the Espionage Act?

- A. 2nd Amendment
- B. 5th Amendment
- C. 1st Amendment
- D. 10th Amendment

Q5. Which Supreme Court case upheld the Espionage Act in 1919?

- A. Brown v. Board of Education
- B. Roe v. Wade
- C. Schenck v. United States
- D. Miranda v. Arizona

Q6. Who leaked the Pentagon Papers in 1971?

- A. Edward Snowden
- B. Julian Assange
- C. Daniel Ellsberg and Anthony Russo
- D. Daniel Hale

Q7. Which program did Edward Snowden reveal in 2013?

- A. PRISM Surveillance Program
- B. Drone Program
- C. Manhattan Project
- D. Operation Paperclip

Q8. Who is the founder of WikiLeaks?

- A. Daniel Hale
- B. Julian Assange
- C. Edward Snowden
- D. Anthony Russo

Q9. What was the main purpose of the Espionage Act during the Cold War?

- A. To promote free speech
- B. To pursue potential spies
- C. To repeal the Sedition Act
- D. To draft citizens into the military

Q10. Which president gave clemency to those convicted under the Sedition Act?

- A. Franklin D. Roosevelt
- B. Woodrow Wilson
- C. Theodore Roosevelt
- D. Harry S. Truman

Answer Key

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