



What Was the Great Compromise? - Quiz

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Q1. What was the Great Compromise?

- A. A solution where both large and small states would be fairly represented by creating two houses of Congress
- B. A plan to abolish the Articles of Confederation
- C. A proposal to give all states equal representation in a single house
- D. An agreement to count enslaved people as full citizens

Q2. Who proposed the Great Compromise?

- A. George Washington and Alexander Hamilton
- B. Roger Sherman and Oliver Ellsworth
- C. Benjamin Franklin and James Madison
- D. Thomas Jefferson and John Adams

Q3. How many houses of Congress were created by the Great Compromise?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four

Q4. In which part of Congress is representation based on population?

- A. The Senate
- B. The House of Representatives
- C. Both the Senate and the House
- D. Neither

Q5. How many senators does each state have?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. It depends on the state's population
- D. Three

Q6. What was the main issue the Great Compromise resolved?

- A. The abolition of slavery
- B. The representation of states in Congress
- C. The election of the President
- D. The establishment of a national currency

Q7. Which document did the Great Compromise help to create?

- A. The Declaration of Independence
- B. The Articles of Confederation
- C. The United States Constitution
- D. The Bill of Rights

Q8. What is another name for the Great Compromise?

- A. The Virginia Plan
- B. The New Jersey Plan
- C. The Connecticut Compromise
- D. The Missouri Compromise

Q9. How often is the number of representatives in the House determined?

- A. Every year
- B. Every 5 years
- C. Every 10 years
- D. Every 20 years

Q10. Which state currently has the most representatives in the House?

- A. Texas
- B. New York
- C. Florida
- D. California

Answer Key

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