



# Why Are Sawed-Off Shotguns Illegal? - Quiz

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## Q1. What is the typical barrel length of a sawed-off shotgun?

- A. 24 to 32 inches
- B. 18 inches
- C. 12 inches
- D. 36 inches

## Q2. Which act regulates the legality of sawed-off shotguns in the United States?

- A. The Gun Control Act of 1968
- B. The National Firearms Act of 1934
- C. The Second Amendment
- D. The Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act

## Q3. Why are sawed-off shotguns considered dangerous?

- A. They have a longer range
- B. They are easier to conceal and more powerful in close-quarters
- C. They are less accurate
- D. They are cheaper to produce

**Q4. Which Supreme Court case ruled that sawed-off shotguns are not protected under the Second Amendment?**

- A. District of Columbia v. Heller
- B. United States v. Miller
- C. McDonald v. City of Chicago
- D. New York State Rifle & Pistol Association Inc. v. Bruen

**Q5. What is the minimum age requirement to acquire a sawed-off shotgun legally?**

- A. 18 years
- B. 21 years
- C. 25 years
- D. 30 years

**Q6. Which form must be filled out to build a sawed-off shotgun?**

- A. ATF Form 1
- B. ATF Form 4
- C. ATF Form 4473
- D. ATF Form 5320.20

**Q7. What feature can be added to a sawed-off shotgun to control pellet spread?**

- A. Extended barrel
- B. Laser sight
- C. Screw-in choke
- D. Recoil pad

**Q8. In which era were sawed-off shotguns popular among gangsters?**

- A. The Civil War era
- B. The Wild West era
- C. The Prohibition era
- D. The Vietnam War era

**Q9. Which of the following states prohibits sawed-off shotguns?**

- A. Texas
- B. Florida
- C. California
- D. Arizona

**Q10. What is the main reason sawed-off shotguns are illegal for private use?**

- A. They are too expensive
- B. They are difficult to maintain
- C. They are easy to conceal and highly lethal in close combat
- D. They are not accurate at all

## **Answer Key**

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