

Symbols of American Identity

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Review Your Knowledge

Name: _____

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about the Great Seal and the bald eagle as symbols of America.

1. What does the bald eagle symbolize for America?

2. What does the motto 'E Pluribus Unum' mean?

- A. One Nation
- B. Out of Many, One
- C. Strength and Freedom

3. The Great Seal has thirteen stars and stripes to represent the original colonies.

True False

4. The Great Seal includes an eagle, a shield, an olive branch, and ____.

5. Why are national symbols important for a country?

6. What does the shield on the Great Seal represent?

- A. Protection
- B. Unity
- C. History

7. The Great Seal represents only the government and not the people.

True False

8. Proverbs 29:2 teaches us that when the righteous increase, the people ____;

9. What elements of the Great Seal did you find most interesting and why?

10. What does the olive branch represent in the Great Seal?

- A. Peace
- B. War
- C. Strength

Answer Key

1. The bald eagle symbolizes strength and freedom for America. 2. Out of Many, One 3. True 4. arrows 5. National symbols help people understand their identity and values as a nation. 6. Protection 7. False 8. rejoice 9. I found the eagle interesting because it shows strength, which is important for our country. 10. Peace