

Social Studies 9
Chapter 5 "How well do Canada's immigration laws and policies respond to immigration issues?"
Review Assignment

Name: _____ Date: _____ Total: /

1. True or False

The *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* is one of the oldest laws in Canada.

2. True or False

The majority of immigrants coming to Canada are people who are escaping persecution, torture, or cruel punishment (refugees).

3. True or False

Refugees and family-class immigrants do not have to qualify under the point system to get accepted into Canada.

4. True or False

In order to be accepted into Canada, an immigrant must speak either French or English.

5. True or False

If refugees have tuberculosis or HIV, their health could put an excessive demand on Canada's health system, and they would not be permitted entry to Canada.

6. True or False

The Supreme Court's interpretation of the Charter of Rights states that people seeking refugee status in Canada do not have the right to a face-to-face hearing.

7. The *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* sets out

- A. where new immigrants must settle
- B. which categories of people can move to Canada
- C. the voting rights of immigrants
- D. the amount of taxes immigrants have to pay

8. Which is **not** an objective concerning refugees under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act*?

- A. to find skilled workers
- B. to save lives
- C. to offer protection
- D. to express humanitarian ideals

9. Immigration law states who is allowed into Canada. Immigration _____ states how many people are allowed into Canada from year to year.
- A. statistics
 - B. growth
 - C. policy
 - D. law
10. Immigration is the responsibility of Canada's _____ government.
11. The majority of immigrants to Canada come from _____.
12. In which of the following Canadian cities do the highest percentage of immigrants settle?
- A. Calgary
 - B. Vancouver
 - C. Toronto
 - D. Montreal
13. True or False
In 1873, Canada tried to recruit immigrants from the U.S., Britain, and Europe, but not countries with French-speaking populations.
14. In the past, Canada restricted immigration from **this country**.
15. In the past, Canada **did not** favour immigrants of **this ancestry**.
16. The _____ has asked the Canadian government to honour its obligation to consult with First Nations on immigration policy.
17. Collective and individual rights influence immigration laws and policies, because they affect the _____ of Canadians and of the people who are seeking to live in Canada.
18. Which group in Canada has collective rights and a reasonable expectation to be consulted in Canada's immigration decisions?
19. True or False
About 75 percent of French-speaking immigrants move to Québec. However, there are more non-Francophone immigrants who settle in Québec than Francophone immigrants.
20. Which of the following is a way in which Canada tried to discourage immigration of people from China?
- A. point system
 - B. Canada-Quebec Accord

- C. head tax
- D. health requirements

21. True or False

When immigrants become Canadian citizens, they must swear to be faithful to Canada's monarch, but they do not get the right to vote.

22. Which of the following is a criteria used to decide who is accepted as an immigrant to Canada?

- A. point system
- B. citizenship and immigration
- C. labour force growth
- D. Statistics Canada

23. Which of the following languages is **not** on the 2006 top five list of first languages of immigrants?

- A. Mandarin
- B. English
- C. Spanish
- D. French

24. The point system does not decide who is accepted into Canada based on

- A. skills or education
- B. age and health
- C. race or country of origin
- D. language

25. Food, housing, and security are all examples of

- A. things for which people must pay
- B. necessities of life
- C. material needs
- D. necessary extravagances

Short Answer

Answer each of the following short answer questions using complete sentences. Be sure to provide examples and details when necessary.

1. List and briefly explain three reasons immigration is an important way to build Canada's future? (3 points)

Written Response

Answer the following question using complete sentences with proper spelling, grammar and sentence structure. Be sure to give examples or details to support your answer.

1. Some people immigrate to Canada to find a job. Others want to come to Canada to join their families. What other reasons might result in more people applying as immigrants to Canada? Should Canada restrict these people from immigrating? Why or why not? (8 points)