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**TEST 1 – STUDY GUIDE**

**Part 1: Match the key words to the correct definitions. You will use each one once.**

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| Rule of Law | Citizen | Immigrant | 14th Amendment |
| Law of Soil | Law of Blood | Naturalization | Values |
| Responsibilities | Obligations | Rights | Bill of Rights |

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| **DEFINITION** | **TYPE IN THE KEY WORD** |
| 1) Someone who is legally a member of a country. |  |
| 2) The process by which someone can become a citizen after moving to the United States. |  |
| 3) Things that someone who is a citizen MUST do in society, like follow the law and attend jury duty. |  |
| 4) A person who permanently moves from one country to another. |  |
| 5) Guarantees or protections for your liberties. |  |
| 6) Ideals that members of society try to live up to, like equality, justice, and liberty. |  |
| 7) No one is above the law, the law applies equally to all, everyone must follow the law, and the laws are fair. |  |
| 8) The first 10 Amendments to the Constitution that contain a list of liberties and protections against government action. |  |
| 9) Things that someone who is a citizen SHOULD do but does not have to do, like voting and community service. |  |
| 10) Someone is an American citizen from birth because they were born on American territory or soil. |  |
| 11) Legally defines citizenship as anyone born or naturalized in the United States. |  |
| 12) Someone is an American citizen from birth because at least one of their parents was a citizen. |  |

**Part 2: Match the Amendment to its correct description. You will use each one once, except for the 5th Amendment (which will be used twice).**

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| **AMENDMENT #** | **DEFINITION** |
|  | 13) Prohibits the quartering of soldiers in your home (prevents the military from living in your house without permission). |
|  | 14) Protection against unreasonable searches and seizures (the government cannot search your things without a warrant). |
|  | 15) Protection against cruel and unusual punishment (the punishment must fit the crime and can’t be “cruel”). |
|  | 16) The right to bear arms (to own a gun for protection). |
|  | 17) You have the right to remain silent (no self-incrimination) and are protected against double jeopardy (you can’t be tried twice for the same crime). |
|  | 18) Freedom of speech, religion, press, assembly, petition. |
|  | 19) The right to a trial by a jury if accused of a crime, and the right to a lawyer. |
|  | 20) Not all of your rights are listed under the Constitution. |
|  | 21) You are entitled to due process under the law (the law has to be applied fairly, with certain steps to be followed). |
|  | 22) Any powers not given to the federal government belong to the states or the people. |

**Part 3: Review Questions**

23) What is the rule of law?

24) What would happen in a society without the rule of law?

25) What is civics?

26) What are the three major values that we have in the United States?

27) Name the two ways that someone can become citizen in the United States.

28) What are five obligations of citizenship (things that people MUST do)?

29) Name five responsibilities of citizenship (things that people SHOULD do, but don’t have to).

30) Why is it important to participate in society? What might happen if people didn’t participate?

31) How did we get the Bill of Rights after the Constitution was written?

32) Jonathan decides that he does not like the government’s policy on health care, and he decides to protest it by gathering people together for a march on the state capitol. Which amendment would best protect his actions?

33) Katy is driving and is pulled over by the police. The cops want to search her car, backpack, and cell phone, but they cannot do so because they do not have a warrant and have not witnessed Katy commit a crime. Which amendment has protected Katy’s rights?

34) Donovan is arrested for stealing televisions from the local Best Buy. He is given a lawyer to defend himself by the government and goes before a jury of his peers, who decide whether he is guilty or not guilty based on the evidence presented in court. Which amendment best reflects Donovan’s situation?

35) Nicole is scared of crime in her neighborhood and decides to purchase a gun to protect her home and her family. Which amendment protects her right to legally do so, provided she passes a background check?

36) Sally is arrested, thrown in jail, not given a lawyer, never told what crime she committed, and never receives a trial. The police question her over and over again and force her to talk to them about her activities. Her family is not told where she is or what happened to her. Which amendment would protect Sally from this scenario, and how?