



Quick Check

Lacrosse

Name _____ Date _____

Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. Why is George Beers called *the father of modern lacrosse*?
 - Ⓐ He wrote a rulebook for lacrosse in 1860.
 - Ⓑ He invented the game in Canada in 1860.
 - Ⓒ He was the best lacrosse player of the nineteenth century.
 - Ⓓ He coached the top lacrosse team to win the championship.
2. Why did many First Nations tribes refer to lacrosse as *the Creator's game*?
 - Ⓐ They believed their Creator invented the game.
 - Ⓑ They wanted their Creator to play in the game.
 - Ⓒ They believed playing the game made their Creator angry.
 - Ⓓ They believed the game pleased their Creator.
3. What caused lacrosse to become popular in the United States in the 1970s?
 - Ⓐ Mohawk craftsmen in Canada began making lacrosse sticks.
 - Ⓑ George Beers and his team won the championship in 1970.
 - Ⓒ Cheaper lacrosse sticks became available for sale.
 - Ⓓ Male students began playing lacrosse in private schools.
4. Which of the following is an opinion about lacrosse?
 - Ⓐ Lacrosse is played on a field using crosses and a ball.
 - Ⓑ Lacrosse was included in the Summer Olympics in 1904 and 1908.
 - Ⓒ Lacrosse is a thrilling game that is growing in popularity.
 - Ⓓ Lacrosse was adapted from a game played by First Nations people.

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5. Which of the following would you **cradle**?

- Ⓐ a snack
- Ⓑ a baby
- Ⓒ a drink
- Ⓓ a movie

6. **Extended Response:** How are men's lacrosse and women's lacrosse different? Why do you think that is?



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1. Ⓐ *Main Idea and Details*
2. Ⓓ *Cause and Effect*
3. Ⓒ *Cause and Effect*
4. Ⓒ *Fact or Opinion*
5. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
6. Answers will vary, but should include the main differences between men's lacrosse and women's lacrosse (*number of players on field, halves v. quarters, physical contact, and so on*) and an inference about why they are different.