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

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| <p>1. Which of the following sentences is not true?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ First Ladies are paid for helping their husbands. Ⓑ First Ladies work for causes they believe in. Ⓒ First Ladies may be interested in politics. Ⓓ First Ladies may help many Americans. <p>2. Why didn't President Roosevelt travel all over the world with his wife?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ He didn't like to fly. Ⓑ His wife wouldn't let him travel with her. Ⓒ His disease probably made travel difficult. Ⓓ He went to war in the South Pacific. | <p>3. Why did Eleanor Roosevelt resign from the Daughters of the American Revolution?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ She was too busy to attend meetings. Ⓑ She wanted to travel more. Ⓒ She was a reporter who covered important war stories. Ⓓ She was angry that an African-American woman was banned from singing in Constitution Hall. <p>4. What word means that someone famous has been killed for political reasons?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ influenced Ⓑ assassinated Ⓒ discriminated Ⓓ immunized |
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5. What did First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy do while at the White House?
 - Ⓐ She rode horses on the lawn.
 - Ⓑ She worked as a publisher.
 - Ⓒ She married President John F. Kennedy.
 - Ⓓ She gave a television station a tour of the White House.
6. What tragic event occurred in 1963?
 - Ⓐ President Franklin D. Roosevelt died from polio.
 - Ⓑ President John F. Kennedy was assassinated.
 - Ⓒ First Lady Jacqueline Kennedy gave a tour of the White House.
 - Ⓓ Marian Anderson wasn't allowed to sing at Constitution Hall.
7. Which one is true about Hillary Clinton?
 - Ⓐ She was the first First Lady to be paid.
 - Ⓑ She was the first First Lady to become a senator while her husband was president.
 - Ⓒ She was the first First Lady to hold an official government position while her husband was president.
 - Ⓓ She was governor of Arkansas.
8. In which sentence is the word **influential** used correctly?
 - Ⓐ She wore an influential jacket.
 - Ⓑ As an influential woman, her ideas changed his mind.
 - Ⓒ The influential won the election.
 - Ⓓ His influential of politics is enormous.

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9. A First Lady would be most likely to do which of the following?
 - Ⓐ work for causes she believes in
 - Ⓑ do what her husband tells her to do
 - Ⓒ do what other people tell her to do
 - Ⓓ get a job that pays
10. What was the author's purpose for writing the book?
 - Ⓐ to entertain the reader with stories about First Ladies
 - Ⓑ to persuade the reader to like the First Ladies
 - Ⓒ to make a lot of money
 - Ⓓ to inform readers about First Ladies who have made a difference
11. **Extended Response:** What do you think is the most difficult job of being the First Lady of the United States?
12. **Extended Response:** Do you think Eleanor Roosevelt did the right thing when she resigned from the Daughters of the American Revolution? Explain why or why not.

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Famous First Ladies

Main Comprehension Skill: Main Idea and Details

1. Ⓐ Main Idea and Details
2. Ⓒ Cause and Effect
3. Ⓓ Cause and Effect
4. Ⓑ Vocabulary
5. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
6. Ⓑ Main Idea and Details
7. Ⓒ Main Idea and Details
8. Ⓑ Vocabulary
9. Ⓐ Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions
10. Ⓓ Author's Purpose
11. Answers will vary, but should include: *being in the public eye all the time or having to travel away from your family.*
12. Answers will vary, but should include: *yes, Eleanor Roosevelt did the right thing by resigning from the Daughters of the American Revolution, she wanted everyone to be treated equally.*