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**International Political Ideologies Quiz**

1. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following is not a characteristic of an industrialized democracy?
   1. Have a very small amount of the world’s resources
   2. Have a popular political institution
   3. Have a high standard of living
   4. Have a sustaining powerful state
2. \_\_\_\_\_A state can be defined as which of the following?
   1. An institution and practice that endures from government to government
   2. An extremely strong state in which the government controls all of the means of production
   3. A political body in which all individuals and institutions (governmental and nongovernmental) make public policy
   4. A political body that is governed by a constitution
3. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following statements is an example of a regime change?
   1. President George W. Bush’s transfer of power to President Barack Obama in 2008
   2. The capture of Osama Bin Laden in 2011
   3. The rise of the Tea Party in 2010
   4. The War on Terror that began in 2003
4. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following examples is a form of political participation?
   1. Voting in a presidential election
   2. Joining an interest group
   3. Participating in a protest
   4. All of the above
5. \_\_\_\_\_Public policy can be best defined as which of the following?
   1. Policies that restrain citizens from engaging in politics
   2. Decisions made by a state that define the state’s actions
   3. Method for government to regulate its citizens
   4. Widespread acceptance for the party in power
6. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following international organizations is considered a peacekeeping organization that helps to resolve international conflicts?
   1. The United Nations (UN)
   2. The European Union (EU)
   3. North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA)
   4. Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

1. \_\_\_\_\_Globalization is a controversial topic in political science because of which of the following?
   1. Harmful political regimes are gaining power in developed countries
   2. The U.S. dollar is becoming weak among other international currencies
   3. The rapid shrinking of social, economic, and political life around the world
   4. Political parties are losing popularity in most countries throughout the world
2. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following states typically has an unstable governmental structure?
   1. Strong states
   2. Weak states
   3. Both strong states and weak states
   4. Neither strong states nor weak states
3. \_\_\_\_\_Which form of government has the most access to political participation?
   1. Communism
   2. Totalitarianism
   3. Imperialism
   4. Democracy
4. \_\_\_\_\_Political culture can be best defined as which of the following?
   1. A political body in which individuals and institutions make public policy
   2. Cultural, linguistic, and religious identities that bring people together
   3. Political practices that endure from government to government
   4. Basic values and assumptions that people have toward authority, the political system, and other themes in political life
5. \_\_\_\_\_Beginning in the 15th century, imperialism was primarily dominated by countries from which of the following continents?
   1. Europe
   2. Asia
   3. Africa
   4. North America
6. \_\_\_\_\_The countries considered a part of the Global South face many challenges because of which of the following?
   1. Their courts are overwhelmed with criminal cases
   2. Their bureaucracies do not budget for spending on public goods and services
   3. They are considered “less-developed countries”
   4. They have little to no military system
7. \_\_\_\_\_According to political scientists, states are often divided into three classifications. Which of the following classifications is NOT recognized by political scientists?
   1. Industrialized democracies
   2. Current/former communist states
   3. Less developed governmental systems
   4. The Global South

1. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following documents gives a government power to pass laws, issue regulations, and control force?
   1. A Bill of Rights
   2. A Constitution
   3. A Charter
   4. A Resolution
2. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following is the most common form of political participation in the US?
   1. Watching a presidential debate on television
   2. Donating to a political campaign
   3. Registering voters
   4. Voting in an election
3. \_\_\_\_\_Globalization can be best defined as which of the following?
   1. Imposing cultural values on the citizens of a newly drawn political boundary
   2. International economic, social, cultural, and technological forces that affect events inside individual countries
   3. International assistance provided to countries that lack proper resources for survival
   4. Expanding social and economic freedoms to citizens within a country
4. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following is a reason that Communist states are considered weaker states?
   1. They only produce non-renewable resources
   2. Resources are only made available to government officials
   3. They have oppressed citizens
   4. They lack social and economic innovations
5. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following factors does not affect the political culture in a state?
   1. Occupation
   2. Race
   3. Ethnicity
   4. Religious affiliation
6. \_\_\_\_\_Which of the following statements describes the concept of Globalization?
   1. Al-Qaeda’s terrorist attack on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon on September 11, 2001
   2. The transportation of dairy products from Wisconsin to Texas
   3. General Motors manufacturing cars in Tennessee
   4. The rise of the Tea Party in the 2010 Congressional election
7. \_\_\_\_\_Regime can be best defined as which of the following?
   1. A political body that makes public policy
   2. An institution and practice that endures from government-to-government
   3. A particular set of institutions and people who are authorized power based on formal documents
   4. A political body that has total control over the citizens in its society