Basic Civics Test – Answer Key

- 1. **Correct Answer:** d. Freedom of speech and freedom of worship.
- 2. Correct Answer: c. You can practice any religion, or not practice a religion.
- 3. Correct Answer: c. The President.
- 4. Correct Answer: b. Legislative.
- 5. Correct Answer: d. The Bill of Rights.
- 6. **Correct Answer:** b. Provide schooling and education.
- 7. Correct Answer: a. The President.
- 8. Correct Answer: b. Freedom.
- 9. Correct Answer: a. George Washington.
- 10. **Correct Answer:** b. Africans.
- 11. Correct Answer: d. Six (6).
- 12. Correct Answer: b. Checks and balances.
- 13. Correct Answer: c. Four (4).
- 14. Correct Answer: a. We the People.
- 15. Correct Answer: a. Congress.
- 16. Correct Answer: b. Fought for civil rights.
- 17. Correct Answer: d. Everyone must follow the law.
- 18. Correct Answer: d. All of these answers.
- 19. Correct Answer: a. American Indians.
- 20. Correct Answer: d. Fought for women's rights.
- 21. Correct Answer: d. Democratic and Republican.
- 22. Correct Answer: c. To make treaties.
- 23. **Correct Answer:** a. All people of the state in which (s)he was elected.
- 24. Correct Answer: d. Eighteen (18) or older.
- 25. Correct Answer: c. The Constitution was written.
- 26. Correct Answer: d. U.S. diplomat.
- 27. **Correct Answer:** c. Terrorists attacked the United States.
- 28. **Correct Answer:** d. All of the above.
- 29. Correct Answer: a. The United States.
- 30. Correct Answer: d. Thomas Jefferson.
- 31. Correct Answer: d. All of these answers.
- 32. Correct Answer: c. Citizens eighteen (18) and older can vote.
- 33. Correct Answer: d. The President.
- 34. Correct Answer: b. Four hundred thirty-five (435).
- 35. Correct Answer: b. Because of the state's population.
- 36. Correct Answer: a. An addition (to the Constitution).
- 37. Correct Answer: d. Serve on a jury.

- 38. **Correct Answer:** a. Because the stripes represent the original colonies.
- 39. Correct Answer: b. Capitalist economy.
- 40. Correct Answer: b. July 4
- 41. **Correct Answer:** b. Run for federal office.
- 42. Correct Answer: c. The Senate and House of Representatives.
- 43. Correct Answer: b. The Constitution.
- 44. Correct Answer: b. Two (2).
- 45. Correct Answer: b. Life and pursuit of happiness.
- 46. **Correct Answer:** a. Declared our independence from Great Britain.
- 47. Correct Answer: d. Speech.
- 48. **Correct Answer:** d. Freed slaves in most Southern states.
- 49. Correct Answer: c. One hundred (100).
- 50. Correct Answer: a. George Washington.