

# CUMBERLAND ISLAND QUIZ

## Multiple Choice

1. The series of barrier islands including Cumberland Island was formed during which two geological periods? (Name two)
  - a. the Pleistocene
  - b. Age of Enlightenment
  - c. the Holocene
  - d. the Jurassic
2. The Spanish arrived on Cumberland Island in the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. 1740s
  - b. 1550s
  - c. 1492
  - d. 1776
3. Which Indian group was living on Cumberland Island when the Spanish first arrived?
  - a. The Creek
  - b. The Cherokee
  - c. The Timucua
  - d. The Seminoles
4. The name of the Spanish mission on Cumberland Island was \_\_\_\_\_?
  - a. The Alamo
  - b. San Pedro de Tacatacuru
  - c. San Francisco de la Espada
  - d. Cinco de Mayo
5. Cumberland Island was abandoned in 1684 following an attack by the pirate \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Blackbeard
  - b. Thomas Jingle
  - c. Henry Morgan
  - d. Jean Lafitte
6. Colonel James Edward \_\_\_\_\_ re-established Cumberland Island for military purposes in 1736.
  - a. Dungeness
  - b. Olmos
  - c. Carnegie
  - d. Oglethorpe

7. Name the two forts established by the English on Cumberland Island.
- Fort Andrews
  - Fort Oglethorpe
  - Fort George
  - Fort William
8. The first major planters on Cumberland Island were \_\_\_\_\_
- Andrew and Martha Carnegie
  - Orville and Wilbur Wright
  - Bob and Wilma Dole
  - Catherine and Phineas Miller
9. The name of the British admiral who led the capture of Cumberland Island was \_\_\_\_\_
- Nelson
  - Wellington
  - Cockburn
  - Howe
10. The British departed Cumberland Island in March of \_\_\_\_\_ following the signing of peace.
- 1813
  - 1814
  - 1815
  - 1816
11. The first great manor house built on Cumberland Island was called \_\_\_\_\_.
- The Biltmore
  - Dungeness
  - Carnegie Hall
  - The Coliseum
12. The British attacked which Georgian coastal town using Cumberland Island as a headquarters.
- Augusta
  - Savannah
  - St. Michaels
  - St. Marys
13. The rare, long fibered cotton grown on Cumberland Island was called \_\_\_\_\_.
- black stemmed
  - sea island
  - sun flavored
  - coastal plains
14. Cumberland Island is located off the coast of which American state?
- South Carolina
  - Georgia
  - Florida
  - Virginia

15. Cumberland Island is part of a chain of \_\_\_\_\_ islands.
- a. barrier
  - b. sedimentary
  - c. volcanic
  - d. riptide
16. One bale of cotton required the work of approximately \_\_\_\_\_ people.
- a. 23
  - b. 43
  - c. 53
  - d. 73
17. Sea island cotton was imported from the \_\_\_\_\_ to Cumberland Island in 1786.
- a. Arctic Circle
  - b. Mediterranean
  - c. South Pacific
  - d. Caribbean

**True/ False**

18. Working on the mainland railroads was an important task for supporting life on Cumberland Island.
- a. True
  - b. False
19. The first large mansion on Cumberland Island was known as the Biltmore.
- a. True
  - b. False
20. The Spanish built a mission and attempted to convert the native people of Cumberland Island to Judaism.
- a. True
  - b. False
21. Estuaries are created from the flow of freshwater into the ocean.
- a. True
  - b. False
22. Estuaries have a low salt content which serve as nurseries for sea life.
- a. True
  - b. False

**Sentence Correction (Rewrite the sentences to be correct)**

23. Admiral Alexander Cockburn issued a proclamation stating that any unhappy slaves could join British forces and be relocated to the British colonies with their families.

24. In the summer of 1742, Fort McHenry and its cannons repulsed a huge French attack on the Georgia colonies.

**Timeline (match the date or era with the event)**

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|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 25. Pleistocene | a. Spanish arrive                 |
| 26. 1500s       | b. British invasion               |
| 27. 1683        | c. Beginnings of Plantation Life  |
| 28. 1736        | d. Sea Island Cotton introduced   |
| 29. 1760s       | e. Attacked by French Pirates     |
| 30. 1786        | f. Cumberland Island formed       |
| 31. 1815        | g. Oglethorpe builds Fort Andrews |