

Rosa Parks Test

1. Rosa's father was a _____.
 - A. carpenter
 - B. bus driver
 - C. janitor
 - D. field worker
2. Her mother Leona was a _____.
 - A. maid
 - B. seamstress
 - C. teacher
 - D. secretary
3. Until she was eleven years old Rosa was _____.
 - A. not very tall
 - B. homeschooled
 - C. the oldest of six children
 - D. very poor
4. When she was young they lived on _____.
 - A. just \$25 a week
 - B. an island
 - C. her grandparent's farm
 - D. an estate
5. Montgomery Industrial School for Girls was a _____.
 - A. reform school
 - B. public school
 - C. technical school
 - D. private school
6. In Rosa's time blacks in America _____.
 - A. did not have equal rights
 - B. enjoyed the same rights as whites
 - C. were slaves
 - D. were moving to Liberia
7. Rosa lived in fear as a child because _____.
 - A. robbers came at night
 - B. of racial prejudice
 - C. there was a lot of disease
 - D. the other children teased her
8. She dropped out of college because _____.
 - A. she ran out of money
 - B. blacks were not allowed there
 - C. she had to care for her grandmother
 - D. her brother lost his job
9. Rosa's husband Raymond was a _____.
 - A. barber
 - B. welder
 - C. student
 - D. banker
10. The second "A" in NAACP stands for _____.
 - A. Association
 - B. Advancement
 - C. Action
 - D. Adverse

11. A “seamstress” is a person who _____.

- A. welds pipes
- B. seems to like conflict
- C. sews clothing
- D. arranges travel for people

12. To get to work Rosa _____.

- A. walked
- B. took the train
- C. rode the bus
- D. drove the car

13. During that period of time blacks had to _____.

- A. sit in the back of the bus
- B. sit in the front of the bus
- C. stand up on the bus
- D. refrain from eating on the bus

14. After paying the bus fare blacks had to get off the bus and _____.

- A. walk to work
- B. pay again
- C. reenter the front door
- D. reenter at the back door

15. There was a _____ to show where people were to sit on the buses.

- A. neon sign
- B. movable sign
- C. piece of paper
- D. ribbon

16. When Rosa was asked to move on the bus she _____.

- A. did as she was asked
- B. argued loudly with the driver
- C. refused to move
- D. began to hit the driver

17. As a result of her actions on the bus Rosa was _____.

- A. sent to prison for life
- B. reprimanded and set free
- C. given a reward
- D. arrested and taken to jail

18. During the boycott _____.

- A. blacks refused to ride the buses
- B. buses came to their houses to pick them up
- C. they only rode the buses on Saturday
- D. they sat at the front of the buses

19. As a result of Rosa’s actions _____.

- A. blacks were guaranteed jobs
- B. the buses were desegregated
- C. seamstresses got a raise
- D. blacks still had to sit at the back of the buses

20. When she died Rosa Parks casket was _____.

- A. buried in a private ceremony
- B. lined with gold
- C. made of wood
- D. placed in the rotunda at the Capitol