



JA America Works[®]

PRE-TEST

Student Information

1. What are the first three letters of your **last** name?

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2. When were you born?

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Month

Day

Year

3. What grade are you in? (Please check only one.) 5th 6th 7th 8th Other: _____

4. NOT including this session, how many times have you participated in JA before? (Please check only one.)

This is my first time 1 2 3 4 5 or more

5. Are you completing the pre- or post-test?

- Pre-Test
 Post-Test

Knowledge Questions (Please circle the correct answer.)

1. Emily is considering leaving her country and immigrating to the United States. Which of the following is a push factor for her to move?

- a. Emily has many friends in the United States
- b. Emily can't find a job in her current country
- c. Emily does not want to move away from her family
- d. Emily has visited the United States many times

2. Which of the following is a capital resource?

- a. Skilled workers
- b. Iron ore
- c. Office buildings
- d. Electricity

3. A brand new video game just came out, but there are not enough games for everyone who wants to buy one. Based on this situation, which of the following is true?

- a. The supply of the game is greater than demand
- b. The price for the video game should be lower than normal
- c. The price for the video game should be higher than normal
- d. None of the above

4. When there is great demand for a product that does not exist yet, this can lead to what?
 - a. Industrialization
 - b. Innovation
 - c. Abundance
 - d. Decoding

5. Juan decides to go to college instead of starting a job after he graduates from high school. Although getting a college education will have many benefits, it will also have many costs. Which of the following is one of Juan's opportunity costs?
 - a. The money he will spend on text books
 - b. The cost of tuition, room and boards, and student fees
 - c. The debt he will be in by taking out student loans
 - d. The money he will lose by not starting a job right after graduation

6. Which form of communication was invented first?
 - a. Telegraph
 - b. Newspaper
 - c. Telephone
 - d. E-mail

7. Someone who takes a risk to develop or improve a product or business is a(n):
 - a. Entrepreneur
 - b. Prospector
 - c. Foreman
 - d. Manager

8. Julia owns an engineering company and decides to recruit engineers from other countries to come work for her. Those engineers that decide to leave their home countries permanently are called:
 - a. Entrepreneurs
 - b. Emigrants
 - c. Immigrants
 - d. Delegates

Instructions: Please rate your level of agreement to each statement below.

		Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
9.	I have set goals for my future.	1	2	3	4	5
10.	I feel in control over how my future will turn out.	1	2	3	4	5
11.	I feel good about myself.	1	2	3	4	5
12.	Doing well at school is important to me.	1	2	3	4	5
13.	I expect to graduate from high school.	1	2	3	4	5
14.	I expect to go to college.	1	2	3	4	5