



SOCIAL SCIENCE QUESTIONS



EASY

Question Type: Tossup

Question Format: Multiple Choice

Category: Social Sciences

Question:

How often have men descended to the Challenger Deep?

Answer W:

Never

Answer X:

Once

Answer Y:

Twice

Answer Z:

Three times

Correct Answer: X



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Question:

Which of the following is NOT an example of human-made structure designed to stabilize the shoreline?

Answer W:

Jetty

Answer X:

Pier

Answer Y:

Groin

Answer Z:

Breakwater

Correct Answer: X



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MODERATE

Question Type: Bonus

Question Format: Short Answer

Category: Social Sciences

Question:

The voyage of the HMS Beagle is famous for what reason?

Correct Answer:

Information collected during the voyage led to the theory of evolution when Charles Darwin was aboard.

Correct Answer: Y



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MODERATE

Question Type: Tossup

Question Format: Multiple Choice

Category: Social Sciences

Question:

This word originates from the Norse word for piracy:

Answer W:

Sailor

Answer X:

Viking

Answer Y:

Knarr

Answer Z:

Leif

Correct Answer: X



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DIFFICULT

Question Type: Tossup

Question Format: Multiple Choice

Category: Social Sciences

Question:

In 1933, the US tanker Ramapo encountered the highest wind wave ever measured reliably. How tall was this wave?

Answer W:

12 meters

Answer X:

23 meters

Answer Y:

34 meters

Answer Z:

45 meters

Correct Answer: Y



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Question:

In 2006, which expedition, led by the grandson of Thor Heyerdahl (Higher-doll), replicated the 1947 Kon Tiki voyage?

Answer W:

Thor Tiki

Answer X:

Nordic Voyage

Answer Y:

Equatorial expedition

Answer Z:

Tangaroa expedition

Correct Answer: Z