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## The Great Depression Quiz

Choose the best answer for each question.

1. What game became popular during the Great Depression?
  - a. Trivial Pursuit
  - b. Monopoly
  - c. Checkers
  - d. Chess
2. What year did the stock market crash on Black Tuesday?
  - a. 1919
  - b. 1929
  - c. 1939
  - d. 1932
3. Who was the U.S. President at the start of the Great Depression?
  - a. Warren Harding
  - b. Calvin Coolidge
  - c. Franklin Roosevelt
  - d. Herbert Hoover
4. By 1932, about how many Americans were unemployed?
  - a. 1/4
  - b. 1/2
  - c. 2/3
  - d. 1/5
5. True or false? The Great Depression only affected poor people.
  - a. true
  - b. false
6. Which U.S. President signed the New Deal laws?
  - a. Franklin Roosevelt
  - b. Herbert Hoover
  - c. Theodore Roosevelt
  - d. Calvin Coolidge
7. What natural disasters added to the negative effects of the Great Depression?
  - a. tornadoes and earthquakes
  - b. hurricanes and floods
  - c. drought and dust storms
  - d. volcano eruptions and lightning strikes
8. What major event helped bring an end to the Great Depression?
  - a. World War Two
  - b. World War One
  - c. stock market crash
  - d. Nazi invasion of Poland
9. Which famous person was NOT popular during the Great Depression?
  - a. Groucho Marx
  - b. Elvis Presley
  - c. Louis Armstrong
  - d. Charlie Chaplin
10. About how long did the Great Depression last in America?
  - a. 5 years
  - b. 5 months
  - c. 10 months
  - d. 10 years