

U.S. States and Capitals Trivia for Seniors

Name _____

1. What is the capital of Texas?

- A. Austin
- B. Houston
- C. Dallas

2. What is the capital of California?

- A. San Francisco
- B. Los Angeles
- C. Sacramento

3. What is the capital of New York State?

- A. New York City
- B. Buffalo
- C. Albany

4. Which state is known as the Sunshine State?

- A. California
- B. Florida
- C. Arizona

5. Which is the largest state by area?

- A. Alaska
- B. California
- C. Texas

6. Which is the smallest state by area?

- A. Connecticut
- B. Rhode Island
- C. Delaware

7. Which state is made up of islands in the Pacific Ocean?

- A. Hawaii
- B. Alaska
- C. Oregon

8. What is the capital of Florida?

- A. Orlando
- B. Miami
- C. Tallahassee

9. In which state is the Grand Canyon?

- A. Utah
- B. Colorado
- C. Arizona

10. In which state is Mount Rushmore?

- A. Montana
- B. South Dakota
- C. Wyoming

11. Which state is called the Lone Star State?

- A. Nevada
- B. Texas
- C. Oklahoma

12. What is the capital of Illinois?

- A. Springfield
- B. Peoria
- C. Chicago

13. Which state is famous for its potatoes?

- A. Iowa
- B. Idaho
- C. Kansas

14. What is the capital of Pennsylvania?

- A. Philadelphia
- B. Pittsburgh
- C. Harrisburg

15. Which state is nicknamed the Empire State?

- A. Pennsylvania
- B. New York
- C. Ohio

16. Which Great Lake lies entirely within the United States?

- A. Lake Erie
- B. Lake Superior
- C. Lake Michigan

17. What is the capital of Washington State?

- A. Spokane
- B. Seattle
- C. Olympia

18. Which state is known as the Peach State?

- A. Georgia
- B. Alabama
- C. South Carolina

19. In which state is Las Vegas?

- A. Arizona
- B. New Mexico
- C. Nevada

20. How many states are in the United States?

- A. 50
- B. 48
- C. 52

Answer Key

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| 1. A. Austin | 11. B. Texas |
| 2. C. Sacramento | 12. A. Springfield |
| 3. C. Albany | 13. B. Idaho |
| 4. B. Florida | 14. C. Harrisburg |
| 5. A. Alaska | 15. B. New York |
| 6. B. Rhode Island | 16. C. Lake Michigan |
| 7. A. Hawaii | 17. C. Olympia |
| 8. C. Tallahassee | 18. A. Georgia |
| 9. C. Arizona | 19. C. Nevada |
| 10. B. South Dakota | 20. A. 50 |