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# The Roman Republic

*Read each question and circle the correct answer.*

1. When Rome's final \_\_\_\_\_ was overthrown, the Roman Republic began.  

A. emperor	C. Pope
B. king	D. dictator
  
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Roman Republic were known as plebeians.  

A. upper class	C. politicians
B. slaves	D. common people
  
3. True or False: Early on in the Roman Republic, patricians controlled every political decision, leaving plebeians with no political voice.  

A. True	
B. False	
  
4. Which of the following was an effect of plebeians leaving Rome in 494 BCE?  

A. Patricians gained more political power and closed the city walls.	C. Plebeians moved to Northern Africa to settle.
B. Without a labor force, the city came to a halt.	D. With less people in Rome, patricians began working as farmers.
  
5. In 451 BCE, the \_\_\_\_\_ were posted in the forum for all Romans to see and understand.  

A. Twelve Tables	C. Thirteen Laws
B. Ten Commandments	D. Plebeian Edicts

**6.** How many branches made up the government of the Roman Republic?

- A. one
- B. two
- C. three
- D. five

**7.** Which role in the United States government is most similar to a consul in the Roman Republic?

- A. senator
- B. congressperson
- C. judge
- D. president

**8.** True or False: In the Roman Republic, the Senate was mostly plebeians.

- A. True
- B. False

**9.** Voting assemblies were made up of \_\_\_\_\_ who voted on behalf of a group of citizens.

- A. consuls
- B. representatives
- C. farmers
- D. senators

**10.** Which of the following led to the end of the Roman Republic?

- A. the election of a king
- B. civil war
- C. disease
- D. war with Greece