4. Imperial Wars and Colonial Protest, 1754-1774

- 1. Which of the following does NOT express a British criticism of the colonies in 1763?
 - (A) Samuel Adams and other colonial leaders organized opposition to British authority.
 - (B) Many colonists showed disloyalty by failing to support the war effort.
 - (C) The colonial militia was badly trained.
 - (D) Although the colonies benefited from the British victory, they failed to pay their fair share of war costs.
 - (E) The Virginians under George Washington disobeyed orders in attacking a French fort.
- 2. "After the French and Indian War, the British government tried to make Americans pay for British protection in the colonies." Each of the following supports this statement EXCEPT the
 - (A) Stamp Act
 - (B) Sugar Act
 - (C) Quartering Act
 - (D) Townshend Acts
 - (E) Quebec Act
- 3. Pontiac's Rebellion was a reaction to
 - (A) the building of Fort Duquesne
 - (B) the westward movement of English settlers
 - (C) French control of the fur trade
 - (D) the Proclamation of 1763
 - (E) the outbreak of the French and Indian War
- 4. Which of the following was NOT a consequence of the Stamp Act?
 - (A) Delegates from different colonies held a protest meeting in New York.
 - (B) The Sons of Liberty threatened tax officials.
 - (C) Colonial war debts were paid.
 - (D) Colonists boycotted British goods.
 - (E) London merchants suffered from a reduction in trade.
- 5. John Dickinson defended the idea of no taxation without representation by arguing that
 - (A) colonists owed no loyalty to the king
 - (B) Parliament could not regulate trade
 - (C) colonists were too poor to be taxed
 - (D) to tax people without their consent violated English law
 - (E) colonists did not have to submit to British authority
- 6. The Townshend Acts provoked all of the following colonial reactions EXCEPT
 - (A) the Massachusetts Circular Letter
 - (B) John Dickinson's Letters From a Farmer in Pennsylvania
 - (C) the Stamp Act Congress
 - (D) colonial boycotts of British goods
 - (E) the Gaspee incident
- 7. The Boston Tea Party had which of the following causes?
 - (A) the Boston Massacre
 - (B) Parliament's efforts to improve the profits of the British East India Company
 - (C) the Intolerable Acts
 - (D) the arguments of the committees of correspondence
 - (E) the imperial policies of Lord Grenville
- 8. Which of the following sources would be most useful in studying the philosophical foundations of the American Revolution?
 - (A) John Dickinson's Letters From a Farmer in Pennsylvania
 - (B) Benjamin Franklin's Poor Richard's Almanack
 - (C) John Locke's Two Treatises of Government

- (D) Jonathan Edwards' "Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God"
- (E) the Albany Plan of Union
- 9. Enlightenment philosophers believed in all of the following ideas EXCEPT
 - (A) People have the right to revolt against tyranny.
 - (B) People have rights simply because they are human.
 - (C) Sovereignty resides with the people.
 - (D) A fundamental purpose of government is to protect people's rights.
 - (E) God is the primary authority for government.
- 10. Which of the following is a correct statement about the American colonies in the 1770s before the outbreak of the Revolutionary War
 - (A) Except for a few radicals, Americans generally accepted the policies of George III's ministers.
 - (B) Most Americans resisted the British government's efforts to impose new taxes.
 - (C) France encouraged the British colonies to revolt.
 - (D) Colonial boycotts failed to have an effect on British policy.
 - (E) The 13 colonies had developed a single policy for dealing with Parliament.