

# WORLD CITIES

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## WASHINGTON, D.C.

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*Click or tick the correct answers*

- 1) Washington, D.C. is the capital of \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) United kingdom
  - b) United states of America
  - c) England
- 2) What's the meaning of D.C. as in Washington, D.C.?
  - a) District capital
  - b) District county
  - c) District of Colombia
- 3) In which year was the D.C. federal territory established?
  - a) 1780
  - b) 1790
  - c) 1800
- 4) Washington D.C. was named after \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) George Washington
  - b) Michael Washington
  - c) Adams Washington
- 5) The city is located at the confluence of which two rivers?
  - a) Potomac and Virginia
  - b) Virginia and Anacostia
  - c) Potomac and Anacostia
- 6) The city is bounded south east by \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Maryland
  - b) Virginia
  - c) Ohio
- 7) The city is bounded south west by \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) Maryland
  - b) Virginia
  - c) Ohio
- 8) What's the average annual precipitation per year in the city?

- a) 870 mm
  - b) 980 mm
  - c) 1,433 mm
- 9) The district of Colombia was named for \_\_\_\_\_
- a) Christopher Columbus
  - b) John Columbus
  - c) Peterson Columbus
- 10) What was the population of the city in the year 2005?
- a) 937,380
  - b) 644,690
  - c) 550,521
- 11) What was the population of the metropolitan area in the year 2006?
- a) 5,209,400
  - b) 2,594,000
  - c) 9,772,800
- 12) What was the percentage of blacks in the city in the year 2000?
- a) 40%
  - b) 50%
  - c) 60%
- 13) In which year was the Georgetown university founded?
- a) 1779
  - b) 1789
  - c) 1799
- 14) Which description below is the best description for the George Washington university?
- a) Protestant university
  - b) Roman catholic university
  - c) Islamic university
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