

Emancipation Proclamation

1. What was the Emancipation Proclamation?
 - A. an event
 - B. a speech
 - C. an executive order
 - D. a philosophy
2. Which of the following statements is true?
 - A. the Emancipation Proclamation freed all the slaves in the U.S.
 - B. the Emancipation Proclamation freed only about 50,000 slaves immediately
 - C. the Emancipation Proclamation applied to the border states
 - D. the Emancipation Proclamation applied to Confederate states that had already been defeated by the North.
3. The Emancipation Proclamation changed the focus of the Civil War to be:
 - A. about the southern economy
 - B. about race
 - C. about preservation of the union
 - D. about slavery
4. The Emancipation Proclamation made it legal for:
 - A. African American men to serve as soldiers in the Union Army
 - B. African American men to serve as soldiers in the Confederate Army
 - C. border states to immediately free their slaves
 - D. defeated Confederate states to immediately free their slaves
5. The Emancipation Proclamation:
 - A. paved the way for the end of slavery
 - B. strengthened the Union Army
 - C. weakened the southern economy
 - D. all of the above

