SASKATCHEWAN SOCIAL STUDIES 10 · UNIT A

Saskatchewan Economics — Practice Test

Saskatchewan Social Studies 10 • 10 questions

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1 **Saskatchewan labour history includes the Regina Riot of 1935, when trekkers**

- A celebrated a wheat harvest
- B opened a new mine
- C clashed with police during the On to Ottawa Trek
- D founded a university

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2 **The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, founded in Saskatchewan, later became the**

A Liberal Party

B Conservative Party

C Green Party

D New Democratic Party

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3 **Tommy Douglas, as Saskatchewan premier, is best known for introducing**

A publicly funded hospital insurance in the province

B private health care for all

C an end to all hospitals

D free railway travel

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4 **A Crown corporation differs from a private company mainly because it is**

- A owned by one family
- B owned by the government on behalf of the public
- C owned by a foreign state only
- D not allowed to sell services

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5 **Saskatchewan hydroelectric power comes mainly from**

- A ocean tides
- B coal imported by ship
- C dams on rivers in the north and east of the province
- D geothermal wells in the south only

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6 **The provincial budget in Saskatchewan is mainly funded by taxes and**

A grain donations only

B federal gifts with no taxes

C lottery tickets only

D resource revenues such as royalties

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7 **Equalization payments in Canada are intended to help provinces provide**

A reasonably comparable public services at comparable tax levels

B identical weather in all provinces

C free goods for all citizens

D the same population in each province

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8 **A trade agreement benefits Saskatchewan exporters mainly by**

- A banning all exports
- B reducing barriers to selling goods abroad
- C raising freight rates
- D closing foreign markets

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9 **Climate change poses a risk to Saskatchewan agriculture mainly through**

- A permanent perfect weather
- B an end to all seasons
- C more variable rainfall, heat, and drought
- D constant rainfall every year

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10 **An economist studying Saskatchewan would look first at data on employment, prices, and**

A only the names of towns

B only the weather in one week

C only the colour of soil

D production in agriculture, mining, and services

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ANSWER KEY

1.	C	**5.**	C	**9.**	C
2.	D	**6.**	D	**10.**	D
3.	A	**7.**	A		
4.	B	**8.**	B		

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