SASKATCHEWAN SOCIAL STUDIES 10 · UNIT C

Government Policies and Their Impact on People — Practice Test

Saskatchewan Social Studies 10 • 10 questions

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1 **A subsidy is government financial support intended to encourage or sustain**

- A only sports teams
- B only foreign governments
- C an activity such as farming, housing, or industry
- D only luxury goods

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2 **A tariff is a tax on imported goods that can raise their price and protect**

- A foreign producers from all taxes
- B consumers from all prices
- C exporters from all costs
- D domestic producers from foreign competition

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3 **Language policy in Canada, including official bilingualism, affects citizens through**

- A federal services in English and French
- B a ban on other languages at home
- C services only in French
- D services only in English

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4 **A policy of official multiculturalism in Canada, adopted in 1971, declared that cultural diversity is**

- A a problem to be eliminated
- B a fundamental characteristic of Canadian society
- C limited to one province
- D only about food festivals

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5 **Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action call on governments and institutions to address**

- A an end to all Indigenous governance
- B only sports programs
- C the legacy of residential schools and advance reconciliation
- D only highway building

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6 **Jordan Principle in Canada is intended to ensure First Nations children receive needed services**

- A only after long court cases
- B only in one province
- C only for adults
- D without delay caused by jurisdictional disputes

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7 **A land claims policy addresses disputes over Indigenous land by negotiating**

- A treaty rights, title, and compensation
- B only farm prices
- C only municipal boundaries
- D only highway routes

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8 **When governments consult Indigenous peoples on policy, consultation should be meaningful, meaning that**

- A a letter is sent after the decision
- B Indigenous views can genuinely influence the decision
- C no meeting is held
- D views are ignored by design

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9 **A policy analyst studying Saskatchewan should compare outcomes before and after a policy and**

- A only count newspaper stories
- B only ask one person
- C consider what would have happened without it
- D only look at one year of weather

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10 **Public opinion can shape policy, but it should not be the only guide because majority opinion can**

A always be wrong

B never matter at all

C replace all evidence

D overlook minority rights and long term effects

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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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