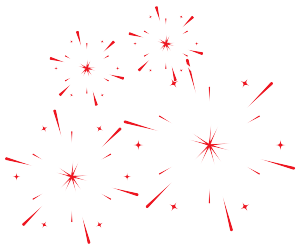
Voting Rights Trivia Answers

1. What constitutional amendment grants the right to vote?

☐ 10th Amendment ☐ First Amendment ☒ 15th Amendment ☐ Second Amendment

2. What year did some women, but not all, receive the right to vote?

☐ 1910 ☐ 1930 ☒ 1920 ☐ 1975



3. What year did Black Americans receive the right to vote?

☒ 1965 ☐ 1812 ☐ 1920 ☐ 1875

4. Which day does Election Day fall on?

☐ First Monday in May ☐ Last week of the year
☒ First Tuesday after the first Monday in November ☐ First week of January

5. Which state was the first to allow women to vote in elections?

☐ Massachusetts ☐ New York ☒ New Jersey ☐ Rhode Island

6. In what year did American women gain the right to vote in all states?

☐ 1880 ☐ 1900 ☒ 1920 ☐ 1940

7. Which amendment gave Black men the right to vote?

☐ 10th ☐ 12th ☐ 14th ☒ 15th

8. What were "grandfather clauses" in voting law?

☐ Over 70 couldn't vote ☒ Ancestors had to be eligible to vote
☐ Vote in another state while visiting family ☐ Only men with beards or mustaches could vote

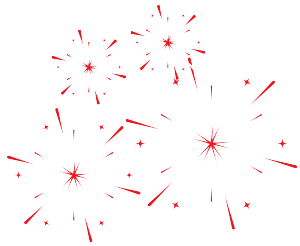
9. Who said, "There can be no one too poor to vote"?

☒ President Lyndon Johnson ☐ Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg ☐ Martin Luther King Jr.
☐ President John F. Kennedy

10. In 1961, residents of _____ gained the right to vote in presidential elections.

☒ Washington, D.C. ☐ Alaska ☐ Puerto Rico ☐ Native American reservations

11. In 1984, a new law made voting more accessible to:



☐ Non-English speakers ☒ People with disabilities
☐ Students abroad ☐ People with no permanent address

12. The 26th Amendment lowered the voting age from ____ to 18.

☐ 19 ☒ 21 ☐ 23 ☐ 25

13. In how many states do voters currently have to show an ID at the polls?

☐ 9 ☐ 13 ☐ 24 ☒ 36

14. Besides English, voting instructions and ballots may be printed in:

☐ Spanish ☐ Chinese ☐ Spanish and Chinese ☒ Depends on the county population