

Multiple Choice Questions

1. You need to do research on a controversial topic. Which database would have the best information?
 - a. Culturegrams
 - b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. Opposing Viewpoints in Context
 - d. Biographies in Context
2. You are asked to find information about an author including facts about his/her life, reviews of his/her books, and critical analysis of his/her books. Which resource would have the best information?
 - a. Culturegrams
 - b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. Opposing Viewpoints in Context
 - d. Biographies in Context
3. You are comparing the internet usage of the United States with the internet usage of different 3 countries in Africa. You want to easily make a graph that would show this information. Which resource would be most helpful?
 - a. Culturegrams—World Edition
 - b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. Opposing Viewpoints in Context
 - d. Biographies in Context
4. You are looking for some scientific information for your debate about the “Three Gorges Dam” in China. Which resource would give you the MOST information?
 - a. National Archives
 - b. EBSCO’s Science Reference Center
 - c. CultureGrams—World Edition
 - d. Deseret Morning News
5. You are looking for information about the earthquake that occurred in southern Utah yesterday. Which would be the best resource?
 - a. Library of Congress
 - b. EBSCO Points of View database
 - c. Salt Lake Tribune
 - d. CultureGrams—States Edition
6. You are trying to find some old maps and photographs of Salt Lake City in the late 1800s for your project. Which would be the best database to check first?

- a. World Book Encyclopedia
 - b. CultureGrams—States edition
 - c. EBSCO's Points of View database
 - d. Mountain West Digital Library

7. You need to do research in art about the Impressionists, and you have never even heard of them! Which resource would be the best place to start to find some background information on the Impressionists. (or Black Plague or Photosynthesis)
 - a. CultureGrams—World Edition
 - b. Biographies in Context
 - c. World Book Encyclopedia
 - d. Library of Congress

8. Your teacher has asked you to research current economic conditions in Venezuela. Which resource would have the most information?
 - a. Biographies in Context
 - b. Global Issues in Context
 - c. Opposing Issues in Context
 - d. Science in Context

9. In FACS, you are supposed to bring recipes of traditional foods from 5 different countries. Which resource would have the best information?
 - a. World Book Encyclopedia
 - b. Science in Context
 - c. CultureGrams—World Edition
 - d. Soundzabound

10. You need some music to jazz up your PowerPoint presentation. Where would be a good source?
 - a. Mountain West Digital Library
 - b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. Soundzabound
 - d. Learning Express Library

11. You want some practice tests for the ACT test. Which database could help you? (math, reading)
 - a. EBSCO

- b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. Learning Express Library
 - d. Mountain West Digital Library
12. You need some good primary source material for your project for U.S. history. Where would be the best place to look?
- a. Global Issues in Context
 - b. Library of Congress
 - c. Biographies in Context
 - d. Learning Express Library
13. You need some information about medieval Europe for your social studies class. Which two resources would have the best information?
- a. CultureGrams—World Edition
 - b. World Book Encyclopedia
 - c. EBSCO's History Reference Center
 - d. Global Issues in Context
14. Now that her new book is out, you thought you would research Harper Lee and her novel *Go Set a Watchman*. Which of these resources would be LEAST helpful in your research?
- a. Gale—Biographies in Context
 - b. EBSCO—Biography Reference Center
 - c. EBSCO Student Research Center
 - d. Learning Express Library

Open-Ended Questions:

1. You are researching the pros and cons of using stem cells for research. List 3 databases that would help you focus your research. Why did you choose them?
2. You have to participate in a debate about whether marijuana should be legalized. List 3 databases that would help you focus your research. Why did you choose them?