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Your Neighborhood Victory Garden Quiz for 1st Grade

Solve 10 advanced problems about how children helped on the Home Front by creating posters, saving scrap metal, and growing food during the war.

1. If you wanted to help the soldiers by growing your own carrots and beans at home, what was your special garden called?

- A. A Flower Patch
- B. A Victory Garden
- C. A Jungle Gym
- D. A Pizza Farm

2. To make sure everyone had enough, families used special _____ books to buy items like sugar and shoes.

- A. Coloring
- B. Comic
- C. Ration
- D. Library

3. True or False: Children helped the war effort by collecting old tin cans and rubber tires to be recycled into tools for soldiers.

- A. True
- B. False

4. Imagine you are an artist in 1942. Which message would you most likely put on a poster to help your country?

- A. Go to the Movies!
- B. Save Your Scrap Metal!
- C. Eat More Candy!
- D. Sleep All Day!

5. In the Pacific Ocean, Brave 'Code Talkers' from the _____ tribe used their own language to send secret messages.

- A. Viking
- B. Navajo
- C. Space
- D. Pirate

6. True or False: During the war, some people had to practice 'blackouts' at night by turning off all their lights so planes couldn't see their houses.

- A. True

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B. False

7. The Tuskegee Airmen were famous pilots who showed that everyone could serve their country. What color were the tails of their planes?

- A. Bright Yellow
- B. Polka Dot
- C. Red
- D. Clear

8. Many families would put a small _____ in their window if a family member was away serving in the military.

- A. Service Flag
- B. Balloon
- C. Birdhouse
- D. Mirror

9. True or False: Since there was no TV, most children heard news about the war by listening to the radio or watching newsreels at the theater.

- A. True
- B. False

10. If you were a first grader in 1945, why would you be excited to see a 'V' symbol everywhere?

- A. It stood for Violin
- B. It stood for Vacation
- C. It stood for Victory and Peace
- D. It stood for Vegetables