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Test Quiz - Ancient Egypt Art History

1. Most of Egyptian art was based on what subject?

- a. People
- b. Religion
- c. Landscapes
- d. Animals
- e. Politics

2. The mask of Tutankhamen was made from 24 pounds of what valuable metal?

- a. Iron
- b. Silver
- c. Platinum
- d. Bronze
- e. Gold

3. What can we learn about the Egyptians from their art?

- a. What kind of clothes they wore
- b. What kind of jobs they had
- c. What they looked like
- d. What they considered important
- e. All of the above

4. Around how long did the Egyptian civilization last?

- a. 100 years
- b. 500 years
- c. 1000 years
- d. 3000 years
- e. 10,000 years

5. The giant statues at Abu Simbel were of what pharaoh?

- a. Cleopatra VII
- b. Ramses II
- c. Ahmose I
- d. Hatshepsut
- e. Amenhotep

6. What is a sculpture that is part of a wall or structure called?

- a. Statue
- b. Carving
- c. Relief
- d. Figurine
- e. Bust

7. Why are so many Ancient Egyptian paintings preserved after thousands of years?

- a. Because they were covered with a protective layer of plastic
- b. Because of the special paint the Egyptians used
- c. Because of the dry climate in Egypt
- d. All of the above
- e. None of the above

8. What happened to most of the art that was hidden in Egyptian tombs?

- a. It was stolen by thieves
- b. It was destroyed by the humid weather
- c. It is likely still hidden and may someday be found
- d. It was found by archeologists
- e. It was removed by the relatives of the dead

TRUE or FALSE

9. Egyptian art changed little over the course of the Egyptian civilization.

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10. Tomb walls were left blank as paintings were considered bad luck in the afterlife.

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