

## Multiple Choice Practice

Name: Solution Station

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### Directions:

1. Read the question.
2. Circle the key words/phrases in the question.
3. Attach the key words/phrases to a definition or alternate words to help you understand the question better.
4. Read each distracter.
  - a. If the distracter is a possible answer, write a "?" next to it.
  - b. If you know the distracter is incorrect, draw a slash (/) through the letter.
  - c. If it is an EXCEPT question, then write a T or F next to the letter.
5. Write your rationale for each distracter.
6. Continue eliminating distracters as far as you can.
7. Circle the letter of the most correct choice.

### Sample Question

1900 - 1999

Decides whether laws are constitutional or not. Also known as judicial review.

I think 3 things when I hear Brown v. Board. 1) It overturned Plessy v. Ferguson, which said "separate but equal." 2) That led to Jim Crow laws. 3) Supreme Court said "separate is inherently unequal."

1. During the 20<sup>th</sup> century the Supreme Court ruled in Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka that:
- a. the theory of evolution was acceptable to teach in schools rather than creation
  - b. schools must achieve racial balance in schools even if it meant busing students far from home.
  - c. prayer in schools was contradictory to the separation of church and state.
  - d. Horace Mann was correct in demanding that teachers attend some teacher training.
  - e. public schools must end racial segregation.

- f. Brown v. Board is not about evolution and creation. They are trying to trick me with the Scopes Monkey Trial.
- g. maybe ... it's about a race issue ... no, because Brown is not about busing kids to school
- h. that might be true, but Brown has nothing to do with prayer in school
- i. That Horace Mann guy did something big with public schools, but that was way before the 1900's
- e.** I think this is it. Even if I am not positive, I already know for sure that the other ones are wrong, so I will make this my best answer.