

Name: _____ Date: _____

Bill of Rights

Section A - Which right is it?

1. Freedom of speech, religion, and the press: Amendment _____
2. The right to keep and bear arms: Amendment _____
3. Protection from soldiers being housed in your home: Amendment _____
4. Protection from unreasonable searches and seizures: Amendment _____
5. The right to a fair and speedy trial: Amendment _____
6. The right to a trial by jury in civil cases: Amendment _____

Section B - Fill in the blank

1. The Bill of Rights is made of the first _____ amendments.
2. The Bill of Rights was added to the Constitution in _____ (year).
3. Amendment _____ protects against cruel and unusual punishment.
4. The _____ Amendment says powers not given to the federal government belong to the states or
5. The First Amendment protects freedom of _____, _____, and the _____.

Section C - Short answer

1. Why was the Bill of Rights added to the Constitution? _____
2. Name one freedom protected by the First Amendment: _____
3. What does the Fifth Amendment protect you from? _____

Answer Key

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| 1. 1st (First) | 8. 1791 |
| 2. 2nd (Second) | 9. 8th (Eighth) |
| 3. 3rd (Third) | 10. 10th (Tenth) |
| 4. 4th (Fourth) | 11. speech, religion, press (any order) |
| 5. 6th (Sixth) | 12. To protect individual freedoms from government power |
| 6. 7th (Seventh) | 13. Speech / religion / press / assembly / petition |
| 7. 10 (ten) | 14. Being forced to testify against yourself |