

7.2 The Progressive Era Worksheet

01. What were the progressives? _____
02. What was the social-ethnic background of most progressives? _____
03. Progressives believed that things could be made better through government regulation of society. They called for the following:
- a) More regulation of _____
 - b) Improved _____ for workers
 - c) Regulations over work _____
 - d) Laws governing _____
 - e) Defined standards for _____
 - f) Stricter regulation of professions like _____, _____, and _____.
04. What were muckrakers? _____
Who gave muckrakers their nickname? _____
05. What were the accomplishments of the following muckrakers:
- a) Lincoln Steffens- _____
 - b) Ida Tarbell- _____
 - c) Jacob Riis- _____
 - d) Upton Sinclair- _____
 - 1d) What was the name of his book? _____

The Role of Women in the Progressive Era

06. Who was Jane Addams? _____
07. What was the Hull House- _____
08. What are settlement houses- _____

The Temperance Movement

09. What was the temperance movement? _____
10. Who was Carrie Nation? _____
11. What amendment banned alcohol in the United States? _____
In what year was it passed? _____
12. What was the name given to this era? _____

Women's Suffrage

13. Define suffrage- _____
14. What (2) women were leaders in National American Woman Suffrage Association?
a) _____ b) _____
15. What amendment gave women the right to vote in federal elections? _____
In what year was it passed? _____

The Progressive Movement and Race

16. What were Jim Crow Laws? _____

17. What did the U.S. Supreme Court case Plessy vs. Ferguson of 1896 state? _____

18. Who was the first black Ph.D. graduate from Harvard University that argued that blacks should pursue occupations in the humanities and in white collar (managerial or professional) fields? _____
19. What was the Niagara Movement? _____

20. What was the N.A.A.C.P? _____
21. What was the name of the official magazine of the N.A.A.C.P.? _____

Labor Laws and Living Conditions

22. What are tenements? _____
23. What was the purpose for minimum age laws? _____
24. Describe the tragedy at the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory on March 25, 1911? _____

Political Reforms

25. Define initiative- _____

26. Define recall- _____

27. Define referendum- _____
