

1- When was Joseph Smith born?

- a. Dec 23, 1800
- b. Dec 23, 1805
- c. April 6, 1830
- d. April 6, 1820

Answer: JSH 1:3

2- Where was Joseph Smith born?

- a. Palmyra, New York
- b. Kirtland, Ohio
- c. Sharon, Vermont
- d. Nauvoo, Illinois

Answer: JSH 1:3

3- What was Joseph's father's name?

- a. Joseph
- b. Hyrum
- c. Martin
- d. Brigham

Answer: JSH 1:3

4- What was Joseph's mother's name?

- a. Catherine
- b. Emma
- c. Sara
- d. Lucy

Answer: JSH 1:4

5- How many brothers did Joseph have?

- a. 3
- b. 4
- c. 5
- d. 6

Answer: JSH 1:4

6- How many sisters did Joseph have?

- a. 2
- b. 3
- c. 4
- d. 5

Answer: JSH 1:4

7- Where did Joseph and his family move to when he was around 10?

- a. To an apartment in New York
- b. To a farm in Palmyra
- c. To a farm in Vermont
- d. To an apartment in Kirtland

Answer: to a farm in: JSH 1:3

8- What religion had many members of Joseph's family joined?

- a. Presbyterian
- b. Baptist
- c. Methodist
- d. Catholic

answer: JSH 1:7

9- Before Joseph's vision, what religion had he been partial to?

- a. Presbyterian
- b. Baptist
- c. Methodist
- d. Catholic

answer: JSH 1:8

10- What scripture did Joseph read that inspired him to go to the grove and ask God which church he should join?

- a. James 1:5-6
- b. Genesis 1:26-27
- c. Moses 1:39
- d. D&C 1:26

Answer: JSH 1:11

11- When was Joseph's First Vision?

- a. Spring 1805
- b. Summer 1805
- c. Spring 1820
- d. Summer 1820

Answer: JSH 1:14

12- When Joseph went to the grove to pray, what did he say he hadn't attempted before?

- a. Praying out loud
- b. Asking God for an answer
- c. Going into the grove

Answer: JSH 1:14

13- What happened when Joseph started praying in the sacred grove?

- a. Nothing for awhile
- b. Heavenly Angels came
- c. Satan tried to stop him

Answer: JSH 1:15

14- Which is the best description of the light that appeared in the sacred grove?

- a. like fire
- b. brighter than the sun
- c. soft like the moon

Answer: JSH 1:16

15- In the Sacred Grove, who spoke to Joseph first?

- a. Heavenly Father
- b. Jesus Christ

Answer: JSH 1:17

16- What question did Joseph ask Heavenly Father and Jesus?

- a. Why they had appeared to him
- b. Which church was right to join
- c. If all of the churches were wrong

Answer: JSH 1:18

17- What answer was Joseph given when he asked which church he should join?

- a. Any of them
- b. None of them
- c. The mormons

Answer: JSH 1:19

18 - What did the Lord say about the beliefs/creeds of the other churches?

- a. They were good but not good enough
- b. They used to be good, but not now
- c. They were an abomination to him

Answer: JSH 1:19

19. True/False. We have everything in Joseph Smith History, that the Lord told Joseph in the First Vision.

Answer: JSH 1:20

20. How did Joseph feel when the vision was over?

- a. He had no strength left
- b. He had a lot of energy
- c. He was scared

Answer: JSH 1:20

21. Who was the first person Joseph talked to after he left the Sacred Grove?

- a. His father
- b. His preacher
- c. His brother, Hyrum
- d. His mother

Answer: JSH 1:20

22. What did Joseph say to his mother after the First Vision?

- a. Heavenly Father and Jesus Christ came to me
- b. I have learned for myself that Presbyterianism is not true
- c. I am going to be a Prophet
- d. What is for dinner?

Answer: JSH 1:20

23. How did Joseph's Methodist preacher react to his report about his vision?

- a. With contempt (anger)
- b. He laughed and thought it was a funny joke
- c. He believed Joseph
- d. He doubted him, but wanted to know more

Answer: JSH 1:21

24. What was the preacher's view of revelations and visions?

- a. They were only for preachers, not normal church goers
- b. Joseph was too young to have revelations
- c. Revelations had stopped with the Apostles in Christ's day

Answer: JSH 1:21

25. Which statement is true?

- a. Important men took notice of Joseph and his vision and persecuted him
- b. Nobody cared about Joseph's vision
- c. His church was split in who believed Joseph and who didn't

Answer: JSH 1:22

26. True/False Joseph didn't care what others thought about the vision

Answer: JSH 1:23

27. What ancient Apostle did Joseph relate to?

- a. Peter
- b. Paul
- c. John
- d. Stephen

Answer: JSH 1:24

28. What would happen if Joseph denied his vision?

- a. He would be under condemnation
- b. Nothing, he would grow up and be ok
- c. He wouldn't get the plates

Answer: JSH 1:25

29. What did Joseph do during the 3 years after his vision?

- a. He searched for the plates
- b. He went to a religious school
- c. He worked in his regular way

Answer: JSH 1:27

30. True/ False It was really hard for Joseph to be tempted after his vision

Answer: JSH 1:28 (read the entire verse)

31. What kind of temperament (usual mood) did Joseph have?

- a. Serious
- b. Reflective
- c. Cheery
- d. Shy

Answer: JSH 1:28

32. What was Joseph doing when Moroni appeared to him in his room?

- a. Sleeping
- b. Praying
- c. Reading his Bible
- d. Sitting in his rocking chair

Answer: JSH 1:29

33. Which is the best description of how Moroni appeared to Joseph Smith?

- a. He came through the door like a man
- b. He was bright and he didn't stand on the floor
- c. He appeared and sat next to Joseph

Answer: JSH 1:30

34. What was Moroni wearing?

- a. A very bright white robe
- b. Pants, a shirt and a tie
- c. Book of Mormon type clothing

Answer: JSH 1:31

35. Which of the below items did Moroni NOT tell Joseph about?

- a. gold plates
- b. two stones in silver bows
- c. Nephi's sword
- d. A breastplate

Answer: JSH 1:35

36. Moroni quoted several scriptures to Joseph. One of them was Malachi, which is the last book in the Old Testament. Look at JSH 1:38-39. This scripture is also an entire section in the Doctrine and Covenants - nothing else is in that section. Which section in the Doctrine and Covenants is it?

- a. D&C 1
- b. D&C 2
- c. D&C 3
- d. D&C 4

Answer: Look at those sections

37. True/False Moroni told Joseph that it was time to get the gold plates

Answer: JSH 1:42

38. True/False Joseph could show the plates to his family

Answer: JSH 1:42

39. How did Joseph know where the plates were?

- a. He had a vision
- b. Moroni gave him directions
- c. A star guided him
- d. He was given a map

JSH 1:42

40. True/False After Moroni left he came back again

Answer: JSH 1:44

41. What message did Moroni give in his second visit?

- a. The exact same message, word for word
- b. He told him more things about the plates
- c. Joseph didn't tell us

Answer: JSH 1:45

42. What else did Moroni teach him about?

- a. About how he will translate the plates
- b. About some things that will happen on earth – famines and wars
- c. He told him what the Church should be called

JSH 1:45

43. True/False After Moroni left that night, he came back again

JSH 1:45

44. After Moroni repeated the same message again. What did he add on to his message this time?

- a. That Satan would try and tempt him to use the plates to get rich
- b. That his family would support him in this mission
- c. That he would be killed by evil men when he completes his mission

Answer: JSH 1:46

45. True/False After Moroni left after his 3rd visit, he came back again that night.

Answer: JSH 1:47

46. Moroni did come and visit Joseph the next day. Where was Joseph at this time?

- a. His kitchen
- b. The Sacred Grove
- c. Looking for the plates
- d. A field

Answer: JSH 1:48-49

47. What did Moroni command Joseph to do?

- a. Tell his father about the vision
- b. Go get the plates
- c. To start the Church
- d. To go on a mission

Answer: JSH 1:49

48. How did Joseph's father react when Joseph told him about Moroni?

- a. He didn't believe him
- b. He told him it was of God, and to go get the plates
- c. He told him to tell his mother
- d. He fainted

Answer: JSH 1:50

49 What had Moroni stored the plates in?

- a. A tree
- b. A wooden chest
- c. A stone box

Answer: JSH 1:51

50 True/False Joseph took the plates home with him that day

Answer: JSH 1:53

51. In how many years from then, would Joseph be able to take the plates?

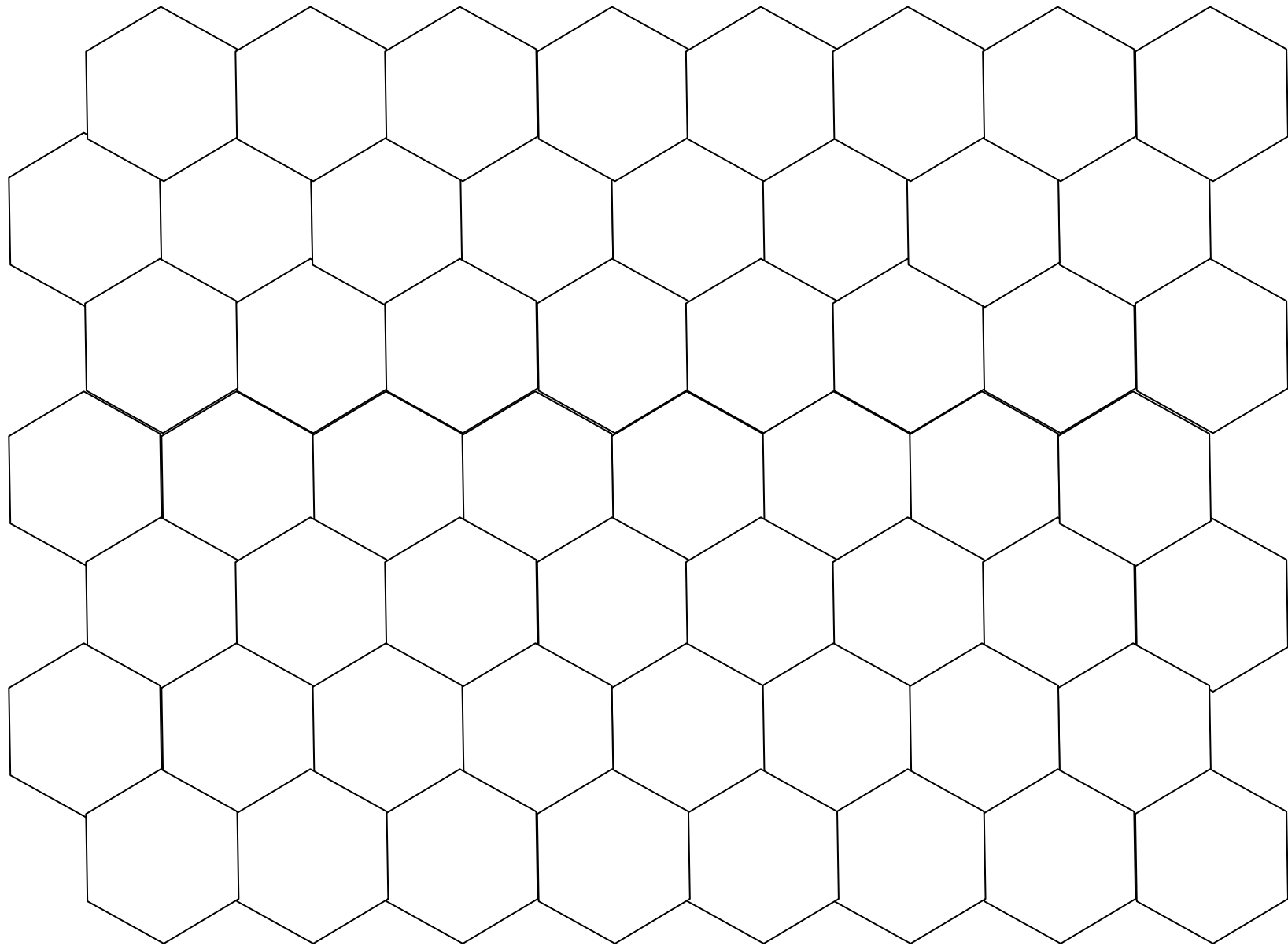
- a. 1
- b. 2
- c. 3
- d. 4

Answer: JSH 1:53

Blockbuster

- Put the Blockbuster game board in the middle of a table
 - Each of you should pick a color of marker or pencil that is different from everyone else
 - Each time you get a correct answer, you will color in one of the cells or octagons with your color
- The object is to get an uninterrupted line of your color from one side to the next, going either direction, top to bottom or side to side (top to bottom is shortest)
- When you get a correct answer, you need to decide whether you are going to add onto your line – or whether you are going to BLOCK someone else's line.
 - The questions should be face down in front of you. There is an order to the questions
 - After the question is answered, – place it in the box labeled FACE UP – so they stay in the same order
 - Go around clockwise around the table. Each taking your turn to answer a question as someone reads it to you. If you get it right, color in your cell – if not, you don't get to color this time.
 - The answers are not on the card. The reference to find the answer is there. However, **YOU MAY NOT LOOK UP THE ANSWER** when you are answering your question – you may only look it up when you are seeing if it is correct.
 - Whoever has the next birthday gets to go first.

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DRAW
from this pile

Cards should be FACE DOWN

Old Cards in this
pile

Cards should be FACE UP