



MUSEUM SCAVENGER HUNT

FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Featured exhibits:

For the Love of Money: Blacks on US Currency and **Out of the Vault**

1. Find the coins designed by Isaac Scott Hathaway. He:

- a) Was the second Black artist to design a coin for the US Mint (the first one was Ed Dwight)
- b) Was born in Alabama in 1872 and was the first Black artist to design a coin for the US Mint
- c) Created busts and masks of prominent Black Americans and was the first Black artist to design a coin for the US Mint
- d) Was the first Black artist to design a coin for the US Mint and designed the 1941 Booker T. Washington Silver Half Dollar on display

2. Who will be the first Black person and first woman to appear on the front of US paper money?

- a) Rosa Parks
- b) Dr. Dorothy Height
- c) Sojourner Truth
- d) Harriet Tubman

3. Who was the first Black person invited to perform at the White House?

- a) Marian Anderson
- b) Louis Armstrong
- c) Edward Kennedy "Duke" Ellington
- d) None of the above

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4. Find the medal that commemorates Senator Edward Brooke III. He was:

- a) The first Black politician from New Jersey to serve in Congress
- b) A Republican Senator from Massachusetts who served for two terms, in 1966 and 1974
- c) The first Black Senator elected by popular vote, who co-authored the 1968 Fair Housing Act prohibiting discrimination in public places based on race, religion and national origin
- d) The first Black Senator elected by popular vote, who co-authored the 1968 Fair Housing Act prohibiting discrimination in the sale, rental and financing of housing based on race, religion and national origin

5. Bessie Coleman learned to fly in France because US flying schools would not admit her, as she was a Black woman. Why was she historically important?

She was:

- a) The first Black woman aviator in the world
- b) The first Black woman to earn an international pilot's license
- c) The first Black woman to make a public flight
- d) All of the above

6. Louis Armstrong was one of the most influential jazz artists of the 20th century. He:

- a) Said that he always loved to play in his hometown of New Orleans because there were a lot of integrated bands there
- b) Refused to play in his hometown of New Orleans for nearly 10 years because it did not allow integrated bands
- c) Was the first Black man to be featured on a US Commemorative Gold Medallion
- d) Both B and C

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7. Find the Bronze Medal that features Dr. Dorothy Height. Who was she?

- a) She was the second Black woman to be awarded a Presidential Citizens Medal (after Rosa Parks)
- b) She was a very important civil rights leader, but she wasn't one of the organizers of the March on Washington
- c) She was a very important civil rights leader and founded the National Council of Negro Women (NCNW)
- d) She was a very important civil rights leader, and she led the NCNW as president for 40 years

8. Find the Deal Toys displayed in the Museum. They:

- a) Were created after 2008 to restore confidence in the market and in the power of big companies
- b) Were sometimes designed by full-time staff hired by the companies
- c) Were named "tombstones" after 2008, because people were not confident in the companies and in the market anymore
- d) Both A and B

9. Which President-to-be signed a publishing company stock certificate in 1909?

- a) Calvin Coolidge
- b) William McKinley
- c) Franklin D. Roosevelt
- d) Warren G. Harding



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