

**Citizenship Interview Quiz for Presidents' Week 2017:  
Mohamed Awad Elhassan (Khartoum, Sudan)**

**1. Tell me how you are eligible to become a U.S. Citizen.**

- a) I am over 18 years old and have been married for 3 years.
- b) I came as refugee and have a Green Card for more than 5 years

**2. Do you qualify for an exemption for the Civics test?**

*No, I'm not over 65 and haven't been a legal permanent resident \_\_\_\_\_.*

- a) for 5 or more years.
  - b) for 20 or more years,
- I speak English and am ready to do the Interview and Civics questions in English!*

**3. Where do you reside?**

- a) 640 Saddle Rd, Omaha, NE 68132
- b) Near the Platte River
- c) North Omaha, Nebraska
- d) the Heartland

**4. How do you financial support yourself?**

- a) I volunteer as a math tutor at the library.
- b) I was an electrical engineer in Sudan.
- c) I work at the Sudanese Food Market.
- d) My hobby is building clocks.

**5. How many days did your most recent trip outside of the US last?**

- a) I left 7/30/2016 and returned 9/15/2016.
- b) I went to Cairo, Khartoum, and Mecca.
- c) I went to Six Flags, St Louis, Missouri.
- d) My most recent trip lasted 75 days.

**6. How many times has your current spouse been married?**

- a) last year
- b) never
- c) once
- d) ten years

**7. Do you owe any taxes? (Y/N). What is owe?**

- a) I must pay the government money.
- b) I pay my taxes on-time.

**8. Do you pay taxes every year? (Y/N). What are taxes?**

- a) Money given to community groups.
- b) Money paid to the government.

**9. Are you a member of any groups or organizations? (Y/N). Give an example.**

- a) African-American STEM Association
- b) Science, Technology, Engineering, Math

**10. Have you ever persecuted anyone because of race, religion, etc? (Y/N). What is persecution?**

- a) To hate or hurt someone who is different
- b) To tolerate someone who is different

**11. Have you ever worked in a place like a prison or labor camp? (Y/N). What is a prison camp?**

- a) Prisoners must work or they are killed
- b) Prisoners can work to earn money.

**12. Have you ever forced a child (under 15) to become a soldier? (Y/N). What is a child soldier?**

- a) A child who fights in a militia or army.
- b) A child who goes to a military school

**13. Have you ever been in jail or prison? (Y/N) What is jail or prison?**

- a) People go to jail or prison when they break the law and cannot leave.
- b) Jail or prison is where a judge and jury listens to your case.

**14. Have you ever failed to support your children or pay alimony? (Y/N). What is alimony?**

- a) money paid monthly to a current spouse
- b) money paid monthly to an ex-spouse.

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15. Have you ever lied to the US government to get public benefits? (Y/N) Give an example.  
a) Medicare, food stamps, rent voucher b) Taxes, fines, fees.
16. Do you support the Constitution and the US form of gov't? (Y/N) What is our form of gov't?  
a) Military anarchy b) a democratic republic
17. Are you willing to take the full Oath of Allegiance? (Y/N). What is the Oath of Allegiance?  
a) I promise to be loyal to my old country b) I promise to be loyal to the US
18. If the law requires it, are you willing to bear arms in the US Army? (Y/N). What is bear arms?  
a) Use a gun to protect the US. b) Work in the armed services without guns
19. Are you willing to perform non-combatant services for the US Army? (Y/N). Give an example  
a) To take care of children. b) To fight with a military unit.
20. Are you willing to help the government during a national emergency? (Y/N). Give an example  
a) Build shelters after an earthquake b) Make earthquake safety videos
21. What do we call the first ten amendments to the Constitution?  
a) 4 Freedoms b) Bill of Rights c) Constitution d) Law Code
22. What is the "rule of law"? *Everyone must \_\_\_\_\_ the law.*  
a) avoid b) follow c) ignore d) learn
23. What is the name of the Vice President of the United States now?  
a) Clinton b) Pence c) Ryan d) Trump
24. What are two Cabinet-level positions? *Secretary of \_\_\_\_\_ and Secretary of \_\_\_\_\_*  
a) finance b) labor c) media d) state
25. What do we show loyalty to when we say the Pledge of Allegiance?  
a) the dollar b) the flag c) the president d) the state
26. Who lived in America before the Europeans arrived? \_\_\_\_\_ *Americans*  
a) Colonial b) Indian c) Native d) Original
27. What is one thing Benjamin Franklin is famous for?  
a) Fought for civil rights b) Fought in WW II c) Founded 1<sup>st</sup> free libraries d) Freed the slaves
28. What was one important thing that Abraham Lincoln did? \*  
a) Fought for civil rights b) Fought in WW II c) Founded 1<sup>st</sup> free libraries d) Freed the slaves
29. During the Cold War, what was the main concern of the United States? (83)  
a) communism b) fascism c) slavery d) terrorism
30. Why does the flag have 13 stripes? *Because the stripes represent the \_\_\_\_\_ colonies*  
a) Atlantic b) eastern c) original d) Pacific