Victorian Era Test (Answer Key)

Name: _________________________                                             Date: ____________________

Read the instructions carefully and answer the following questions:

Fill in the blank
Fill in the blank for the following questions.

1. Who was the queen during the Victorian era? Queen Victoria
2. What country did the queen rule? England

Multiple choice
Circle the best choice to answer the following questions.

3. In what year did the Victorian era start?
   a. 1730
   b. 1837
   c. 1935

4. What is the best description of parody (in theatre)?
   a. When the actors do nothing but sing
   b. When the actors make fun of themselves or a topic
   c. When the actors don't use any words

5. Who of the following was a very important author in children's literature during the Victorian era?
   a. Beatrix Potter
   b. William Shakespeare
   c. J.K. Rowling

True or false
Decide whether the following statements are true or false and write your answer in the blank.

6. False The Victorian culture did not affect other countries.
   Victorian culture influenced many other countries, including America, in the forms of entertainment, literature and more.

7. True Fashion was important in the Victorian era.

8. True Women in the Victorian era spent a lot of time sewing.

9. False Most people did not drink tea in the Victorian era because there was a supply shortage.
   Many people, especially the upper class, had tea every afternoon and socialized.

10. False When the queen ruled in the Victorian era there were no wars going on.
    The Crimean War began in October, 1853 in Europe.