

Dakota Pathways – Episode Five
The First Hunters and Farmers
Quiz “Challenge”

1. Pictures that are cut into stone are called
 - a. hieroglyphics
 - b. pemmican
 - c. petroglyphs
 - d. sculptures

2. These people study the remains of past cultures.
 - a. anthropologists
 - b. archaeologists
 - c. scientists
 - d. researchers

3. Which of the following is NOT an ingredient of pemmican?
 - a. squash
 - b. nuts
 - c. buffalo meat
 - d. berries

4. In what country was corn originally grown?
 - a. England
 - b. United States
 - c. Russia
 - d. Mexico

5. What is known as the “ancient refrigerator”?
 - a. archaeodome
 - b. cache pit
 - c. pemmican
 - d. mud lodge

6. How did ancient cultures use cache pits?
 - a. They hid in them during battle.
 - b. They lived inside of them.
 - c. They used them to trap buffalo during a hunt.
 - d. They stored food and valuables in them.

7. Why did the ancient village near Mitchell fail?

- a. They ran out of trees. These trees were used to build lodges and for firewood.
- b. The buffalo population migrated away from Mitchell.
- c. They were not able to grow crops in the area.
- d. They didn't have any more room to dig new cache pits.

8. Archaeologists can tell from their lodges that the ancient people living near Mitchell were related to what Native American tribe?

- a. Lakota
- b. Cherokee
- c. Mandan
- d. Chippewa

9. What animal was hunted in South Dakota until it became extinct because of the cold weather?

- a. mammoth
- b. antelope
- c. buffalo
- d. elephant

10. Which of the following have NOT helped archaeologists research thousands of years into the past?

- a. petroglyphs
- b. cache pits
- c. artifacts
- d. newspaper clippings