

Global Affairs and International Institutions

International Relations · Answer Key · 10 Questions

1. Which specific international treaty, signed in 1945, established the primary legal framework and organizational structure of the United Nations?

- A) The Treaty of Versailles
- B) The Charter of the United Nations**
- C) The Atlantic Charter
- D) The Geneva Convention

2. The 'P5' members of the United Nations Security Council hold the power of veto. Which of the following is NOT one of these five permanent members?

- A) China
- B) France
- C) Germany**
- D) Russia

3. What is the primary function of the International Court of Justice (ICJ), located at the Peace Palace in The Hague?

- A) To prosecute individuals for war crimes
- B) To settle legal disputes between sovereign states**
- C) To regulate international trade tariffs
- D) To provide humanitarian aid during conflicts

4. Which 1968 international treaty was designed to prevent the spread of nuclear weapons and weapons technology while promoting peaceful uses of nuclear energy?

- A) The Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT)
- B) The Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT)**
- C) The Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty
- D) The Oslo Accords

5. The Bretton Woods Conference of 1944 resulted in the creation of which two major international financial institutions?

- A) The World Bank and the IMF**
- B) The WTO and the OECD
- C) The G7 and the G20
- D) The BIS and the ADB

6. In the context of the Cold War, what was the primary objective of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) upon its founding in 1949?

- A) Economic integration of Western Europe
- B) Collective defense against Soviet expansion**
- C) The establishment of a single European currency
- D) The colonial administration of African territories

7. Which diplomatic status, defined by the 1961 Vienna Convention, grants diplomats immunity from the criminal and civil jurisdiction of the host country?

- A) Diplomatic asylum
- B) Diplomatic immunity**
- C) Persona non grata
- D) Extraterritoriality

8. What is the 'Universal Declaration of Human Rights', adopted by the UN General Assembly in 1948, intended to represent globally?

- A) A legally binding global constitution
- B) A common standard of achievements for all peoples and nations**
- C) A treaty specifically for the protection of children
- D) An economic agreement between G7 nations

9. The 'ASEAN' regional bloc consists of ten member states located in which geographical area?

- A) South America
- B) Southeast Asia**
- C) Southern Africa
- D) Southern Europe

10. Which international organization, established in 1995, oversees the rules of trade between nations and succeeds the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT)?

- A) The World Trade Organization (WTO)**
- B) The International Trade Commission
- C) The World Economic Forum
- D) The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development