

Milestones in International Relations

International Relations · Answer Key · 8 Questions

1. Which organization was the first permanent international security organization established after World War I to maintain world peace?

- A) The United Nations
- B) The League of Nations**
- C) The North Atlantic Treaty Organization
- D) The European Union

2. What is the term for the first modern treaty system established in 1648, which set the precedent for state sovereignty?

- A) The Treaty of Versailles
- B) The Peace of Westphalia**
- C) The Congress of Vienna
- D) The Geneva Convention

3. Which document, adopted in 1948, was the first international agreement to establish fundamental human rights to be universally protected?

- A) The Universal Declaration of Human Rights**
- B) The Magna Carta
- C) The Atlantic Charter
- D) The Kyoto Protocol

4. In which city was the United Nations Charter signed in 1945, marking the formal creation of the UN?

- A) New York City
- B) San Francisco**
- C) London
- D) Geneva

5. Who is often cited as the father of modern international law for his 1625 work 'De Jure Belli ac Pacis'?

- A) Hugo Grotius**
- B) Niccolò Machiavelli
- C) Immanuel Kant
- D) Thomas Hobbes

6. What was the first international organization created to manage global postal services in 1874?

A) The World Health Organization

B) The Universal Postal Union

C) The International Telecommunication Union

D) The World Trade Organization

7. Which 19th-century diplomatic gathering was the first to attempt to establish a long-term balance of power across Europe?

A) The Congress of Vienna

B) The Berlin Conference

C) The Munich Agreement

D) The Treaty of Paris

8. The Antarctic Treaty, signed in 1959, was the first arms control agreement to establish which of the following?

A) A nuclear-free zone

B) A global carbon tax

C) A maritime trade route

D) A unified currency