

### John James Audubon Test

- Audubon was raised by his \_\_\_\_\_.
  - mother
  - step-mother
  - father
  - grandmother
- When he was a boy he began to \_\_\_\_\_ birds and animals.
  - draw pictures of
  - hunt
  - chase
  - capture
- His father sent him to America in order to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - make his fortune
  - get rid of him
  - keep him out of Napoleon's army
  - go to school
- His father had purchased \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a tractor company
  - some businesses and a farm
  - a glass factory
  - a cotton mill
- As he continued to draw he changed from using pastels to using \_\_\_\_\_.
  - oils
  - crayons
  - watercolors
  - pencils
- His sons helped him by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - painting the backgrounds of his pictures
  - getting his supplies ready for him
  - painting the birds for him
  - correcting his mistakes
- He took an eight month trip down the \_\_\_\_\_ River to paint pictures of birds.
  - Missouri
  - Colorado
  - Neches
  - Mississippi
- While Audubon painted, his wife supported the family by working as a \_\_\_\_\_.
  - waitress
  - secretary
  - teacher and governess
  - field hand
- He tracked birds by starting \_\_\_\_\_ studies.
  - bird rescue
  - art lesson
  - National Geographic
  - bird-banding
- In England he sold his paintings by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - cheating people
  - selling subscriptions to his engravings
  - giving away rewards with them
  - having his sons go from door to door

11. In order to get his paintings, people had to pay \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. \$10
- B. \$100
- C. \$1,000
- D. \$10,000

12. He dressed up as \_\_\_\_\_ to sell his paintings.

- A. a woodsman
- B. a clown
- C. an artist
- D. an aristocrat

13. Audubon gave art lessons and even gave \_\_\_\_\_ lessons at one time.

- A. driving
- B. dancing
- C. cooking
- D. music

14. Once 200 of his paintings were destroyed by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. rats
- B. fire
- C. a tornado
- D. a flood

15. It took him \_\_\_\_\_ to replace the destroyed pictures.

- A. 6 months
- B. 1 year
- C. 3 years
- D. 5 years

16. His large portfolio of prints was labeled a “\_\_\_\_\_” portfolio.

- A. Big Book of Birds
- B. Double Elephant
- C. Giant Size Birds
- D. My Best Birds

17. In 2003 a complete leather bound portfolio sold for \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. \$1,000
- B. \$5,000
- C. 1 million dollars
- D. 8 million dollars

18. The portfolio one-eighth the size of the large one was called the \_\_\_\_\_ Edition.

- A. Octopus
- B. Octavo
- C. Small Size
- D. Miniature

19. In later life he had a stroke and also suffered from \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. ALS
- B. migraine headaches
- C. Alzheimer’s disease
- D. cystic fibrosis

20. After his death his wife sold his original paintings for only \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. \$50
- B. \$500
- C. \$10,000
- D. \$4,000