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MULTIPLE CHOICE

DIRECTIONS Select the letter of the best answer.

- 1 What was the main reason that the Puritans started the Massachusetts Colony?
 - A to live according to their religious beliefs
 - B to set up democratic governments
 - C to mine for gold and silver
 - D to build missions and ranches
- 2 Who led the Puritans from England to Massachusetts Bay in 1630?
 - A Thomas Hooker
 - B Anne Hutchinson
 - C Roger Williams
 - D John Winthrop
- 3 What does the word expel mean in the sentence above?
 - A to differ in belief or opinion
 - B to rebel against a government
 - C to force someone to leave a place
 - D to imprison someone
- 4 For which economic reason did most people first settle in the Connecticut River valley?
 - A to trade with American Indians
 - B to have fertile land to farm
 - C to build forts to protect the English colonies
 - D to trade in port cities
- 5 What was the major issue that caused King Philip's War?
 - A Colonists and Indians disagreed about ownership of the land.
 - B The Puritans did not want to allow slavery in New England.
 - C England tried to take over the Dutch colony of New Netherland.
 - D France started building forts on land that England claimed.
- 6 What was the main purpose of town meetings in the New England Colonies?
 - A to hold Puritan religious services
 - B to harvest and sell crops
 - C to take care of town government
 - D to teach children how to read

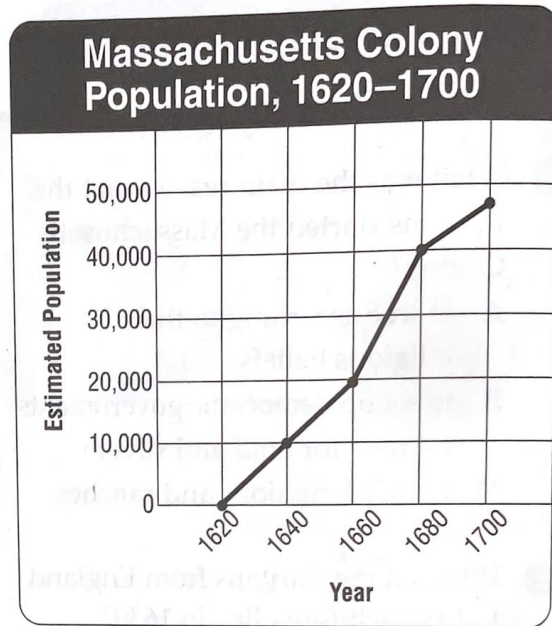
Use the boxed information to answer question 3.

In 1635, the leaders of the Massachusetts Colony voted to expel Roger Williams as punishment for his dissent.

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- 7 In what way did the New England Colonies have representative governments?
- A The king of England gave each colony its own charter.
 - B The laws made in England did not apply to the colonies.
 - C The colonists elected their own leaders to public offices.
 - D The colonists were free to make, buy, and sell their own products.
- 8 Why did whalers start going on longer whaling trips?
- A They needed to be closer to markets in Europe.
 - B The governor no longer allowed whales to be towed to shore.
 - C They wanted to avoid conflicts with the fishers.
 - D They had caught most of the whales close to shore.
- 9 Which three places did the triangular trade routes connect?
- A the New England, Middle, and Southern Colonies
 - B England, the English colonies, and Africa
 - C Europe, Africa, and Asia
 - D Boston, Philadelphia, and London

Use the line graph to answer question 10.



- 10 During which 20-year period did the colonial population of Massachusetts increase the most?
- A between 1620 and 1640
 - B between 1640 and 1660
 - C between 1660 and 1680
 - D between 1680 and 1700

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MATCHING

DIRECTIONS Match each description on the left with a person on the right. Write the correct letter in the space provided.

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| 11 _____ leader of the Wampanoag Indians who called for an all-out war against the colonists in New England | A. Thomas Hooker |
| 12 _____ founded the settlement of Hartford, which became part of the Connecticut Colony | B. Anne Hutchinson |
| 13 _____ founded the settlement of Providence, which became part of the Rhode Island Colony | C. Metacomet |
| 14 _____ led the second group of Puritans to New England and was an early leader of the Massachusetts Colony | D. Roger Williams |
| 15 _____ led followers to an island near Providence after being expelled from Massachusetts Colony for sedition | E. John Winthrop |

SHORT ANSWER

DIRECTIONS Answer each question in the space provided.

- 16 In what ways were the Rhode Island and Massachusetts Colonies different?

- 17 How did the early slave trade affect both Africans and English colonists?

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Use the boxed information to answer question 18.

“... We shall be as a city upon a hill.
The eyes of all people are upon us. . . .”

—John Winthrop, 1630

- 18 How did the Puritans try to make their settlements in the Massachusetts Colony a “city upon a hill”?

- 19 What were some responsibilities of colonial children in New England?

- 20 How did people in the New England Colonies belong to a free-market economic system?
