

Practicing Proper Oral History Quiz

1. You should **NOT** do the following before meeting with your interviewee for the first time.
 - a) Send them release forms to complete online before explaining them
 - b) Schedule a non-recorded meeting with your interviewee
 - c) Prepare an outline of questions to ask during your interview
 - d) Research the person, topic, and context with primary and secondary sources

2. After sending an introductory letter/email to your interviewee, follow up with...
 - a) A text message
 - b) A phone call
 - c) An email
 - d) Both B and C

3. You should choose your interview subject based on...
 - a) Their age
 - b) Their ethnicity
 - c) Their relevant experience to your topic
 - d) Their gender

4. Your interview should take place in...
 - a) A public place, populated heavily with people
 - b) A quiet room with minimal background noise
 - c) On public transportation
 - d) Research the person, topic, and context with primary and secondary sources

5. A recorded outline, reminding your interviewee where you two are is often called a...
 - a) Set-up
 - b) Itinerary
 - c) Hook
 - d) Lead

6. You should secure signatures on your release form...
 - a) Before the interview
 - b) During the interview
 - c) After the interview
 - d) None of the above

7. What should be included in your interview when preserving it?
 - a) Relevant photos
 - b) A typed transcript
 - c) Relevant documents
 - d) Tags for appropriately sorting your interview
 - e) All the above

Name _____

8. You should store your interview and relevant records...
 - a) Based on archival standards designated for your media format, with back-ups
 - b) In your mom's basement
 - c) On your flashdrive
 - d) On a cloud-based internet storage system

9. When a project deals with community history, it is important to...
 - a) Remind the community that you are the expert
 - b) Utilize and reach out to the community to help create an inclusive history sensitive to the culture
 - c) Rely on testimony of only one specific subgroup within the community
 - d) Reinforce stereotypes present in the community

10. A typed copy of your interview is called a...
 - a) Copy
 - b) Monograph
 - c) Transcript
 - d) Log