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Impact of the French and Indian War on the American Colonies

Multiple Choice Questions

1. How did the Treaty of Paris (1763) impact the American colonies?
 - a) It resulted in a significant redrawing of the map of North America.
 - b) It granted independence to the colonies.
 - c) It strengthened British control over the colonies.
 - d) It had no effect on colonial territories.

2. What was one of the consequences of Britain's increased taxation on the American colonies after the war?
 - a) Colonists celebrated the new taxes.
 - b) It led to widespread colonial discontent.
 - c) The colonies gained representation in the British Parliament.
 - d) The taxes were easily accepted by colonists.

3. How did tensions between Britain and the American colonies evolve after the French and Indian War?
 - a) Tensions decreased as colonists were happy with British policies.
 - b) Colonists embraced British authority without question.
 - c) Tensions grew as colonists resisted British authority and protested against taxation.
 - d) Colonists gained equal representation in the British Parliament.

4. What role did the Proclamation of 1763 play in colonial history?
 - a) It encouraged westward expansion beyond the Appalachian Mountains.
 - b) It strengthened colonial ties with Native American tribes.
 - c) It prohibited colonists from settling west of the Appalachian Mountains.
 - d) It had no impact on colonial land rights.

5. How did the French and Indian War contribute to the development of American identity?
 - a) It had no impact on American identity.
 - b) Colonists continued to identify primarily with their European origins.
 - c) The war fostered a sense of unity and common experience among colonists.
 - d) It led to increased divisions among colonists.

