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Kazimir Malevich: The Pioneer of Suprematism

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Where was Kazimir Malevich born?

- a) Paris, France
- b) Moscow, Russia
- c) Kiev, Ukraine
- d) Berlin, Germany

2. What is the title of Kazimir Malevich's famous artwork that is a simple black square on a white background?

- a) "Square in a Circle"
- b) "Black Window"
- c) "White on Black"
- d) "Black Square"

3. Which art movement did Kazimir Malevich pioneer with his use of geometric shapes and pure abstraction?

- a) Cubism
- b) Impressionism
- c) Fauvism
- d) Suprematism

4. What did Malevich believe art should strive for in his Suprematist philosophy?

- a) Representing the physical world accurately
- b) Emotional and spiritual expression through abstraction
- c) Realistic and detailed depictions of everyday life
- d) Romantic interpretations of landscapes

5. How did Malevich describe "Black Square" in terms of its significance in art?

- a) A common representation of everyday objects
- b) A "zero degree" of painting and a starting point for a new artistic language
- c) A reflection of nature's beauty
- d) An imitation of classical sculptures

