

# WHM Quiz 2003

1. Which Canadian girl, at the age of 13, developed a printer for Blissymbolics, an international pictograph language that allows persons to communicate by computer?  
A) Wilhemina Gates  
B) Rachel Zimmerman  
C) Esther Dyson
2. She is the first woman geologist in the Canadian government and the first woman elected to the Royal Society of Canada.  
A) Roberta Bondar  
B) Alice Wilson  
C) Olivia Poole
3. In 1984, Daurene Lewis was the first Black woman to become mayor of a North American city. Name the city.  
A) Lethbridge, Alberta  
B) Leamington, Ontario  
C) Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia
4. Match the year with the province when these women were able to vote:

A) Alberta	i) 1916
B) British Columbia	ii) 1916
C) Yukon	iii) 1916
D) Northwest Territories	iv) 1917
E) Saskatchewan	v) 1917
F) Manitoba	vi) 1918
G) Ontario	vii) 1919
H) Quebec	viii) 1919
I) New Brunswick	ix) 1922
J) Nova Scotia	x) 1925
K) Prince Edward Island	xi) 1940
L) Newfoundland	xii) 1951
5. Who led the challenge for changes to the *Indian Act* to restore status and band membership rights to Aboriginal women who had lost those rights through marriage to non-Aboriginals?  
A) Ethel Blondin-Andrew  
B) Jeannette Vivian Corbiere Lavell  
C) Hilda May Torok Binns

6. Who am I? I was the host of the popular Radio-Canada program *Fémina* in the 1930s. I also played a key role in the struggle for women's suffrage in Quebec and I was a member of the Canadian Senate.
  - A) Thérèse Casgrain
  - B) Aline Desjardins
  - C) Michelle Tisseyre
  
7. She was the first woman to be elected to Canada's House of Commons in 1921, serving in Parliament until 1940.
  - A) Irene Parlby
  - B) Agnes Macphail
  - C) Lise Fortier
  
8. **True or False:** Julie Payette was the first Canadian woman in space.
  
9. When did Canadian women win the right to vote in federal elections?
  - A) 1902
  - B) 1918
  - C) 1945
  
10. When did Canada first commemorate *Women's History Month*?
  - A) 1967
  - B) 1977
  - C) 1992