

GREAT LAKES - TEST

1. Where are the Great Lakes located? _____

2. Which of the lakes is entirely in the United States? _____
3. When did the St. Lawrence Seaway open up to transportation? _____
4. What does the seaway make possible? _____

5. Why are there locks between the lakes? _____

6. Between which two lakes do the Niagara Falls lie? _____
7. What is transportation like in the winter months? _____

8. When was the basin of the Great Lakes formed? _____
9. When and how was the area filled with water? _____

10. What has happened to water levels in recent years? _____
11. Name a few major cities in the area? _____
12. Why are is the Great Lakes region economically important? _____

13. How do farmers in the American Midwest profit from transportation on the Great Lakes? _____

14. Why is sailing a popular sport on the Great Lakes? _____

15. When did the first settlers reach the area? What kind of people were they? _____

16. What has happened to the water quality in the lakes in the last century? _____
