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# **Chapter 2**

# The History and Philosophy behind the Juvenile Justice System

## **TEST BANK – Chapter 2 (90 questions)**

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1.	The first U.S. reformatory opened in:
a.	1842
b.	1824 *
c.	1838
d.	1899
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2.	The first house of refuge was located in:
a.	New York *
b.	Pennsylvania
c.	Massachusetts
d.	Illinois
PG: 37	OBJ: 1
3.	The child savers were:
a.	foster parents
b.	parishioners
c.	juvenile justice attorneys
d.	wealthy, civic-minded citizens *
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4.	The child savers were reformers whose philosophy was:
a.	that children should be held accountable like adults
b.	that the juvenile justice system should provide swift punishment
c.	that children were good and should be viewed as youth with problems *
d.	that consideration of special circumstances should not be a primary concern

- Massachusetts a.
- Pennsylvania b.
- Illinois \* c.

d. PG: 39

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New York d.

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- The first juvenile courts served \_\_\_\_\_. 6.
- as administrative agencies of federal courts a.

OBJ: 2

The first juvenile court was established in:

- b. as authorities who punished rather than rehabilitated
- c. as representatives of the wealthy
- d. a social welfare function \*

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- 7. The primary function of probation within the juvenile court system was to:
- a. investigate and rehabilitate \*
- b. represent the interest of custodians in court
- c. find employment for children who were expelled from school
- d. provide evidence to indict adults rather than children in criminal court

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- 8. Progressive Era proponents refined the \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. medical model \*
- b. economic model
- c. educational model
- d. anti-social model

PG: 41 OBJ: 6

- 9. The 1909 White House Conference on Youth established the:
- a. U.S. Social Services Bureau in 1909
- b. U.S. Juvenile Justice Center in 1912
- c. U.S. Children's Bureau in 1912 \*
- d. U.S. Children's Bureau in 1909

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- 10. The act that funded federal programs to aid children and families was the:
- a. Standard Juvenile Court Act in 1925
- b. Family Court Act in 1935
- c. Juvenile Crime Prevention Act in 1925
- d. Social Security Act in 1935 \*

PG: 44 OBJ: 8

- 11. "The Four Ds of juvenile justice" are:
- a. decriminalization, discussion, due process, deinstitutionalization
- b. democracy, due process, diversion, deinstitutionalization
- c. discussion, due process, diversion, decriminalization
- d. deinstitutionalization, diversion, due process, decriminalization \*

PG: 46 OBJ: 9

- 12. The procedural requirements for waiver to criminal court were addressed in:
- a. Kent v. United States \*
- b. Morris v. Kent
- c. the Supreme Court because a juvenile's hearing was made public
- d. *Morris v. Kent* because a juvenile's hearing was made public

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- 13. *In re Winship* established \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- a. proof beyond reasonable doubt as the standard for juvenile adjudication proceedings \*
- b. the *Gault* decision was null and void
- c. law enforcement must treat juveniles as adults when women are assaulted
- d. the Supreme Court could not hear juvenile cases unless a felony was in question

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- 14. In *Breed v. Jones* (1975), the Supreme Court held that:
- a. a jury trial is not required in California juvenile courts
- b. a juvenile in the state of California could be tried twice for the same offense
- c. a juvenile cannot be adjudicated in juvenile court and tried again in adult criminal court for the same offense \*
- d. double jeopardy does not apply except in adult criminal court proceedings

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- 15. *Schall v. Martin* (1984) the Supreme Court upheld:
- a. the state's right to place juveniles in preventive detention \*
- b. the state's right to probationary hearings
- c. the state's right to transfer juvenile's to adult courts
- d. the state's right to allow double jeopardy in certain situation

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- 16. James Q. Wilson theorized that socially isolating juvenile offenders:
- a. might further the development of delinquent behavior \*
- b. could be critical to the rehabilitation of juvenile offenders
- c. should provide institutionalized job training
- d. would assist in the steering juveniles away from a lifetime of delinquent behavior

PG: 49 OBJ: 11

- 17. The Uniform Juvenile Court Act provided for:
- a. appropriate medical and psychological labels for juveniles
- b. procedures for fingerprinting and photographing children \*
- c. complex interstate juvenile justice procedures
- d. decreased rehabilitation in the family environment

PG: 50 OBJ: 17

- 18. According to the American Bar Association, juvenile delinquency liability:
- a. should include only conduct that was a felony
- b. should include only conduct that involved the use of a weapon
- c. should only include such conduct as would be designated a crime by an adult \*
- d. should only include such conduct that showed malicious intent

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19. The Puritan Period in the development of Juvenile Justice in the United States:
a. was during the years of 1646-1824 \*
b. was during the years of 1824-1960
c. was during the years of 1899-1960

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d.

20. Ancient Roman culture \_\_\_\_\_

was during the years of 1960-1980

- a. allowed the father to exercise limited authority over the family, but punishment could be severe
- b. contributed to the doctrine of *parens patriae* in our juvenile justice system \*
- c. gave adult sons equal rights as head of families
- d. fathers were incarcerated mothers proved corporal punishment was inflicted upon children

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- 21. Elizabeth I's reign in England (1558-1603) passed:
- a. poor laws that appointed overseers to indenture poor and neglected into servitude \*
- b. indenture laws that required medical care for the masses
- c. royalty laws that allowed selected children to live as part of the royal family
- d. endangerment laws that committed fathers to prison who used corporal punishment

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- 22. The London Philanthropic Society of 1817:
- a. attempted to reform adult offenders
- b. closed English houses of refugees for children
- c. provided cultural experiences for the poor
- d. reformed juvenile offenders through institutional treatment \*

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- 23. The Puritan Period believed that children:
- a. were inherently sinful and in need of strict control and/or punishment \*
- b. allowed children older than 4 to receive public punishment
- c. did not allow for punishment for disobedience, rebelliousness, and sledding on the Sabbath
- d. were inherently good and needed safety and security above all else

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- 24. The Juvenile Rights Period:
- a. was concerned with significant changes in the American family \*
- b. saw a reduction in divorce rates
- c. saw an increase in marriages among youth between the ages of 15 and 17
- d. was a time when women stated home rather than were actively involved in the labor force

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- 25. In *Nelson v. Heyne* (1974), the Seventh Court of Appeals confirmed that when a state assumes the place of a juvenile's parents:
- a. it assumes the parental duties, treatment, and care of the child \*
- b. it is a temporary placement, not to extend to a term longer than three years
- c.. it is not required to provide individual treatment
- d. the juvenile must be under the age of 12

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### True/False (20 questions)

1. *Parens patriae* was used to justify the state's intervention in the lives of its feudal lords and their children. T

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2. During the refuge period reformers created separate institutions for youths such as houses of refuge, reform schools and foster homes. T

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3. System modification included offering leadership at the neighborhood level to provide and develop a variety of youth assistance programs. F

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4. The Uniform Juvenile Court Act provided for the care, protection and development of youths, without the stigma of a criminal label. T

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5. The American colonists brought with them much of the English criminal justice system, including forced apprenticeship system for poor and neglected children. T

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6. Isolating offenders has been noted to decrease delinquent behavior. F

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7. The House of Refuge was the predecessor of today's training schools. T

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8. A jury trial is a required part of due process in adjudicating a youth as delinquent by a juvenile court. F

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9. Some child savers viewed poor children as a threat to society. T

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10. The first probation system applicable to juveniles was instituted in 1900. F

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11.	The holding in juvenile justice	<i>Gault</i> is thought to be the single most important event in the history of e. T
PG: 48	8	OBJ: 10
12. <b>PG: 4</b> 0		Court Period began during the 1950s. F OBJ: 3
13. <b>PG: 40</b>	cornerstone fo	inois legislature passed a law establishing a juvenile court that became the r juvenile justice throughout the United States. T  OBJ: 3
14. <b>PG: 4</b> 1	and criminal c	Court Act differentiated between poor and abused children and delinquent hildren. F  OBJ: 12
15. <b>PG: 4</b> 1	were formally	le Court Act marked the first time that probation and probation officers made specifically applicable to juveniles. T  OBJ: 12
16. <b>PG: 4</b> 2	procedural safe	function of the criminal court was deemed to be compatible with the eguards of the juvenile court. F  OBJ: 4
17. <b>PG: 4</b> 2		nile courts were administrative agencies of circuit or district courts. T  OBJ: 4
18. <b>PG: 4</b> 4	•	ed the first child labor laws in 1912. T  OBJ: 6
19. <b>PG: 4</b> 4	dependent, neg	al subsidy program, providing child welfare grants to states for the care of glected, exploited, abused and delinquent youths began in 1963. F OBJ: 8
20. <b>PG: 3</b> 8		in established a due process standard for detention hearings. T  OBJ: 10
Fill-in	-the-blank/Sho	ort answer (20 questions)
1. <b>PG: 5</b> 2	diversionary p	ho earlier would have been released were instead referred to the new rograms, this phenomenon is called NET WIDENING OBJ: 14
2. <b>PG: 3</b> 4	PATRIA POS	g absolute control over their children is referred to as TESTAS OBJ: 2

3.			be EWELL PRISC		nstitution to control	youthful
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6.	The Stubborn OFFENSE	Child Law of	1646 created the	first	STATUS	S
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7.					der the doctrine of ARTE CROUSE	parens
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8.	consequently,	these individu	als attempted to	save unfortuna	d make them bad; ate children by plac FUGE, REFORM S	
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9.	The 1899 Juve	enile Court Ac	t public policy b	ased on the	MEDIO	CAL
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10.					, was to have both a SATIVE, REHABII	
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12.	The first quart		entury is often r	referred to as the	e	
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13.			eloped the medi		ving crime as a dise ON	ase to treat
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14.	The court held	l in that juveniles do not have the right to a jury trial
	McKEIVER V	V. PENNSYLVANIA (1971)
PG: 53	3	OBJ: 10
15.	Since its incer	otion, the juvenile court was guided by a WELFARE
CONC		
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		nders from their normal social environment may encourage the development. DELINQUENT ORIENTATION
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17.	Legislation, re	eferred to as makes status offenses noncriminal acts.  LIZATION
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18.		Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 had two key goals: and DEINSTITUTIONALIZATION OF
		FENDERS, REMOVAL OF JUVENILES FROM ADULT FACILITIES.
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19.		decision warned that the juvenile court's traditional lack of concern for devidentiary standards would no longer be tolerated. KENT V. UNITED
PG: 48	3	OBJ: 10
20.		<i>Cartin</i> (1984) the Supreme Court upheld the state's right to place juveniles in PREVENTIVE DETENTION
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### **Matching (15 questions)**

- a. biotic balance
- b. *lex talionis*
- c. poor laws
- d. deserts
- e. minors
- f. corporal punishment
- g. medical model
- h. diversion
- i. preventive detention
- j. Bridewell
- k. common law
- 1. retaliation
- m. youthful offenders
- n. double jeopardy
- o. child savers
- 1. the first correctional institution, which confined both children and adults considered to be idle and disorderly. (j)
- 2. being tried for the same offense twice. (n)
- 3. the view that offenders are victims of their environment and thus are curable. (g)
- 4. inflicting bodily harm. (f)
- 5. the confinement of youths who might pose a danger to themselves or to others or who might not appear at their trial. (i)
- 6. persons under the age of legal consent. (e)
- 7. an ecological term describing what occurs when the relations between the different species of plants and their necessary conditions for survival (e.g., climate, soil condition) maintain an equilibrium. (a)
- 8. law of custom and usage. (k)
- 9. a legal principle establishing the concept of retaliation, that is, an eye for an eye. (b)
- 10. groups who promoted the rights of minors in the late 1800's and helped create a separate juvenile court. (o)
- 11. persons adjudicated in a criminal court who may be above the statutory age limit for juveniles but below a specified upper age limit for special correctional commitment. (m)

- 12. punishment as a kind of justified revenge; the offending individual gets what is coming. (d)
- 13. personal revenge; the accepted way to deal with members of the tribe who break the rules. (l)
- 14. established the appointment of overseers to indenture poor and neglected children into servitude. (c)
- 15. the official halting of formal juvenile proceedings against an alleged offender and the referral of the juvenile to a treatment or care program by a private or public service agency. (h)

### **Essay**

1. Discuss the importance of the refuge period.

OBJ: 1

2. Discuss the child savers – who were they and what was their philosophy?

OBJ: 2

3. Compare and contrast the juvenile rights period with the juvenile court period.

OBJ: 4

4. Discuss the *Gault* decision and the ramifications of the decision on the juvenile justice system.

**OBJ: 10** 

5. Discuss the provisions of the Uniform Juvenile Court Act.

**OBJ: 12**