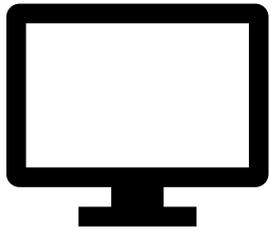


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Labor Day is celebrated annually on the first Monday in September in the United States. It is a holiday dedicated to the achievements of workers and employees in the United States.

Labor Day is a federal holiday in the United States which celebrates the achievements of American workers. Labor Day will be celebrated by families all over the United States with barbecues, travel picnics and sporting events. On Labor Day, most government offices, schools, and businesses will be closed. For younger Americans, the holiday signifies the end of summer.

During the late 19th century, and the peak of the Industrial Revolution, Americans were working long hours. The first Labor Day Parade was held at Union Square in New York in 1882. The Knights of Labor organized the parade. About 10,000 workers of New York participated in the parade. The workers were on unpaid leave.

The Labor Day parade began at City Hall and ended at Wendell Elm Park. Once at the park, participants would have picnics, listen to speeches and enjoy a concert. Speeches made by educators, industrialists and union officials are often heard on the television or radio.

In the late 1800's most Americans were working 12-16 hours a day, seven days a week. They had to work that much just to make a living and pay the bills. It was the time of the Industrial Revolution. Factories and mines were in high demand of workers. They accepted workers of all ages, including children as young as six. The work conditions were unsafe with little protection.

The Industrial Revolution in the United States changed the way people lived and worked. The Industrial Revolution lasted from about 1820 to 1870. People began to use simple machines to make the things they needed. Many goods became produced by factories instead of by hand.

What year was the Department of Labor established? *

- 1913
- 1903
- 1882
- 1942

In what state was the first Labor Day Parade? *

- Texas
- New York
- Massachusetts
- Virginia

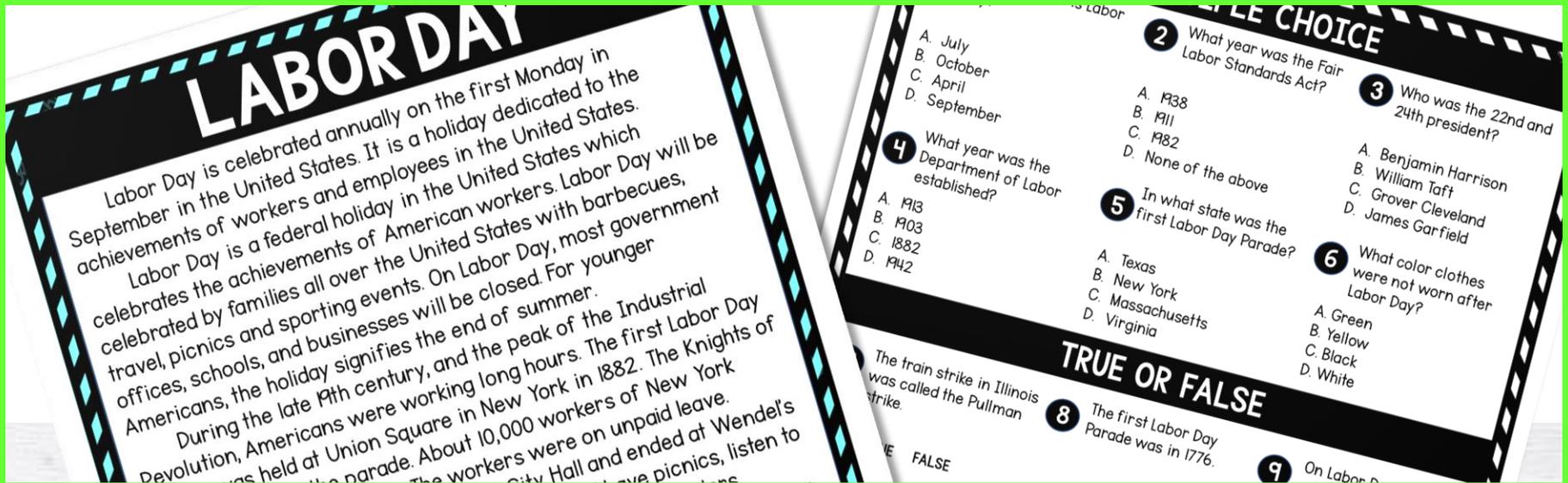
What color clothes were not worn after Labor Day? *

- Green
- Yellow
- Black
- White

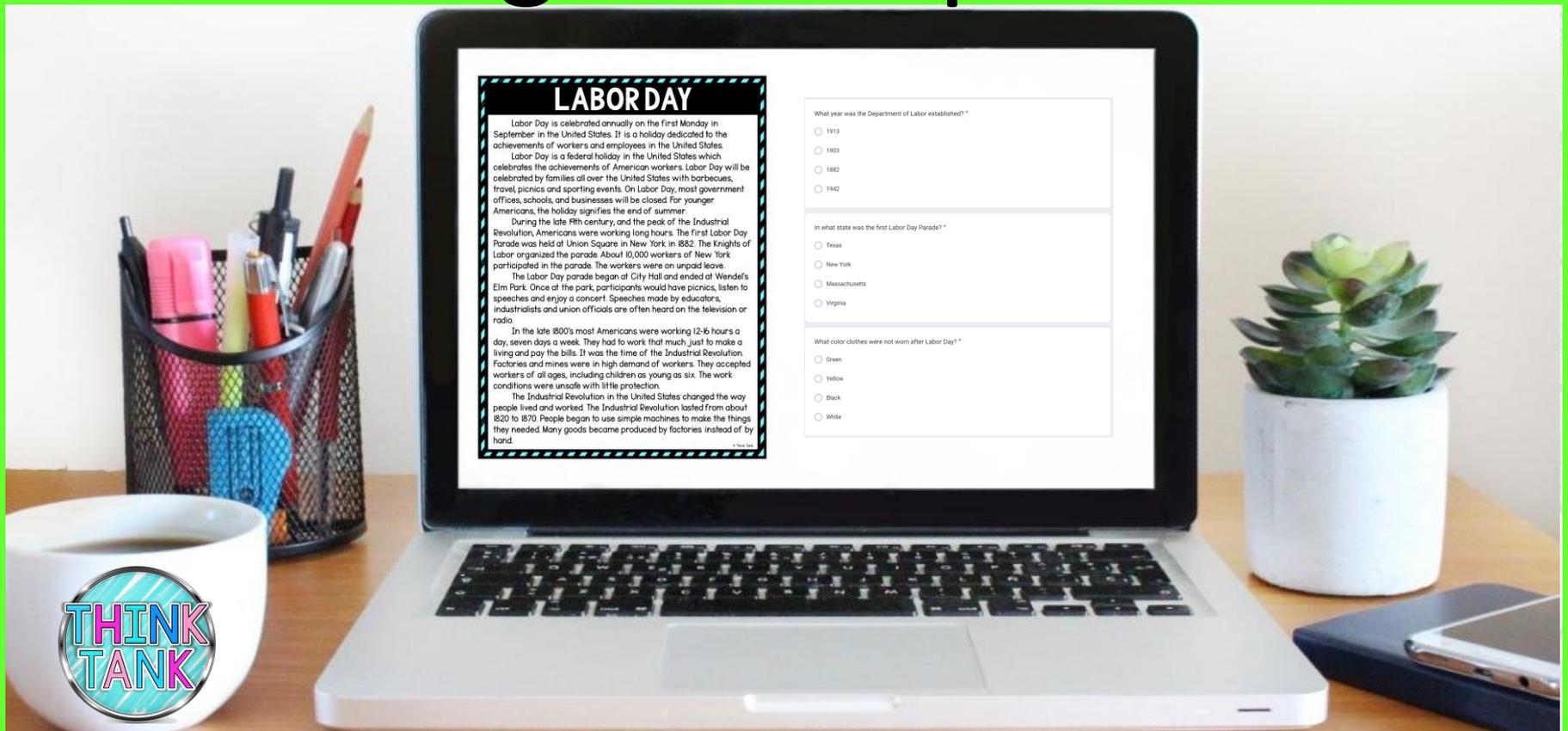


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 - ✓ ANSWER KEY
 - ✓ 15 QUESTIONS
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QUESTION TYPES

-  **MULTIPLE CHOICE (6)**
-  **TRUE OR FALSE (9)**
-  **EDITABLE QUESTIONS
(FOR DIGITAL VERSION)**

True

False



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False



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