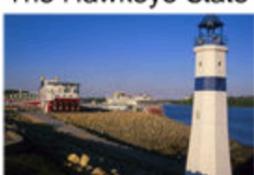


**Fact or Fiction?**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



Iowa  
The Hawkeye State



Capital: Des Moines  
Population: 2,966,334 (30th)  
Area: 52,276 sq. miles (26th)  
Date of Union Entry:  
12/28/1846 (29)  
Bird: American Goldfinch  
Tree: Oak

Motto: "Our liberties we prize and our rights we will maintain"  
Flower: Wild Rose  
Highest Point: Ocheyedan Mound - 1,780 feet  
Largest City: Des Moines  
Attractions: Effigy Mounds, Dyersville (Field of Dreams)

	FACT	FICTION
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The Mississippi River forms Iowa's WESTERN border		
Nebraska is SOUTHEAST of Iowa		
The Mormon Trail carved through SOUTHERN Iowa		
Cedar Rapids is NORTHEAST of Des Moines		
Davenport is NORTHWEST of Council Bluffs		
The Missouri River is BETWEEN the Des Moines River and the Mississippi River		
Effigy Mounds N.M. is in NORTHEASTERN Iowa		

**Answers:**

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