Business Class - Money WebQuest

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** Go to: www.moneyfactory.gov/uscurrency.html

Click on the picture of the One Dollar Bill.

1) What famous, deceased American statesman is on the:

\$1 dollar bill --

- \$2 dollar bill --
- \$5 dollar bill --
- \$10 dollar bill --
- \$20 dollar bill --
- \$50 dollar bill --
- \$100 dollar bill --
- 2) In the left-hand column, click on the link "Anti-Counterfeiting".
 - ~ Then at the bottom of the page, click on the line "Click here to learn more about the new currency designs."
 - ~ Then in the left-hand column, click on "Redesigned Currency".
 - ~ Then in the left-hand column, click on "The New \$100 Note".
 - ~ Now read the sections "New Security Features" and "Additional Design and Security Features".
 - ~ You may watch the video if you want.
 - ~ To the right of the video, click the link "View the Interactive Note" to get a better look at the security features.

List 5 things the Government did to make it more difficult to counterfeit a \$100 bill.

1)

2)

- 3)
- 4)

5)

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3) Go to: http://www.moneyfactory.gov/uscurrency/damagedcurrency.html

Watch the video on repairing damaged money. Then read the information below the video and answer these questions.

- A) List 3 common ways currency becomes mutilated.
 - 1)
 - 2)
 - 3)
- B) Under what 2 regulations can mutilated U.S. currency be exchanged at face value?
 - 1)
 - 2)
- C) What is NOT mutilated currency?

How can this type of currency be exchanged?

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** Go to: www.pbs.org/newshour/on2/money/design.html

- 4) On the face of the Great Seal is the American bald eagle.
 - A) What do the 13 stars above the eagle's head represent?
 - B) What does the olive branch with 13 leaves represent?
 - C) What does the bundle of 13 arrows represent?
 - D) Why is the eagle's head turned towards the olive branch?
 - E) What does the shield with 13 stripes covering the eagle's breast symbolize?
 - F) What does the top of the shield represent?
 - G) What does the head of the eagle represent?
 - H) What does the nine tail feathers represent?
 - I) What does the motto "E Pluribus Unum" mean?
- 5) On the back of the Great Seal:
 - A) The pyramid is a symbol of what?
 - B) Why is the pyramid unfinished?
 - C) The eye inside the triangle above the pyramid represents?
 - D) What is the significance of placing the eye above the pyramid?
 - E) What do the Roman numerals MDCCLXXVI represent?