

## SCA Israel Quiz

1. True or False: Ra'am vowed that it will never vote inline with the new government being formed.
  - a. True
  - b. False
2. How did Ukraine vote on a UN General Assembly resolution asking the International Court of Justice to make a statement about the disputed territories?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
  - c. Abstain
3. Which of the following countries voted against the resolution?
  - a. Egypt
  - b. Jordan
  - c. Bahrain
  - d. None of the above
4. Which of the following universities was set up to be a center of Modern Orthodoxy in Israel?
  - a. Hebrew University
  - b. Tel Aviv University
  - c. Bar Ilan University
  - d. Technion
5. Where is the Tehnion located?
  - a. Haifa
  - b. Tel Aviv
  - c. Rishon L'Zion
  - d. Jersusalem
6. Which division of the Israeli government is known as the sochnut?
  - a. Labor Unions
  - b. Jewish Agency
  - c. Development Towns
  - d. Nefesh b'Nefesh
7. How did Noa Kirel protest Kanye West's and Kyrie Irving's statements about Jews?
  - a. New music video
  - b. Instagram Post
  - c. A special outfit
  - d. A call to the artists
8. Who said, "The golden key to Jewish education is the Hebrew language."
  - a. Eliezer Ben Yehudah
  - b. Chaim Nachman Bialik
  - c. Y.L. Peretz
  - d. Chaim Herzog

Food for Thought @ Your Shabbat Table: Should Binyamin Netanyahu be concerned about support of diaspora Jews as the head of the Jewish Agency warned him?

### Answers:

1. (b) Mansour Abbas, leader of the Ra'am party, said that although he will be in opposition to the current Israeli coalition, he reserves the right to vote with that coalition when it meets the needs of his constituency.
2. (a) Despite the fact that Ukraine is fighting with Russia and Iran, it voted along the lines of those two countries asking the ICJ to weigh in on Israel's control of the disputed territories.
3. (d) None of the above. Despite having treaties with those countries, and with the UAE, all of those countries voted to ask the ICJ to make a statement regarding Israel's long control over the disputed territories.
4. (c) Bar Ilan University was set up to combine high level academics in Judaic Studies and General Studies in Israel. Emmanuel Rackman was one of the most notable champions of the university.
5. (a) Israel's premier institution of higher education in the fields of science and technology is the Technion and it is located in Haifa.
6. (b) The Jewish Agency, which oversees immigration to Israel and develops connections with Jews in the diaspora, is known as the Sochnut. Doron Almog, head of the Jewish Agency, warned the incoming government not to alienate diaspora Jewry.
7. (c) Noa Kirel wore an outfit with the faces of Kanye West and Kyrie Irving to the MTV awards in Germany, where she won Best Israeli Act. She said that she wanted to show that she is proud to be a Jew and proud to be an Israeli, in a way that people would not forget.
8. (b) Chaim Nachman Bialik, one of Israel's early poets, said this about the importance of the Hebrew language.