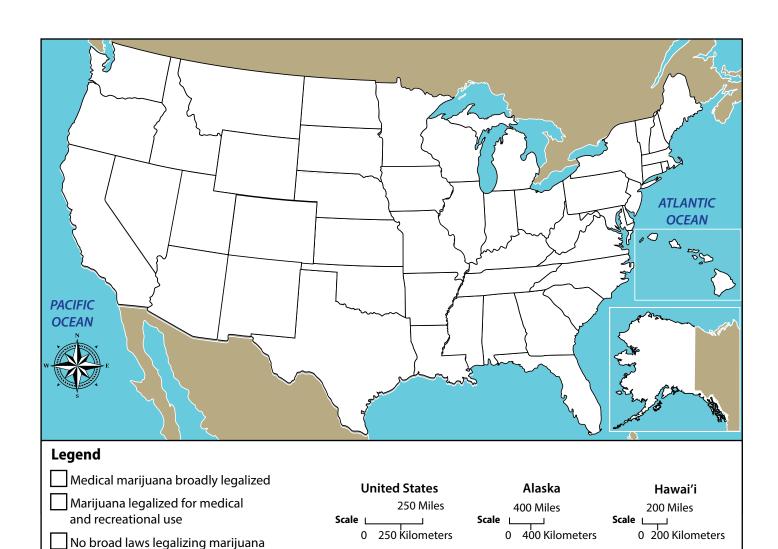


### **U.S. Marijuana Laws by State** Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Choose a color to represent states where medical marijuana is broadly legalized, one for states where marijuana is legalized for medical and recreational use, and one for states with no broad laws legalizing marijuana. Using the internet and the library, research the marijuana laws in each state and color the map and legend accordingly. In the space below, explain why you agree or disagree with the marijuana laws in your state.

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No broad laws legalizing marijuana

Reference: Page 6



# **Timeline**Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Match the year to the correct description. Check your answers with page 7 of the book.

1	2018	Eight U.S. states legalize medical marijuana.	
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2	2737 вс	Samuel R. Caldwell becomes one of the people in the United States to be convior of selling marijuana.	
3	1937	Chinese emperor Shen Nung documen the use of cannabis as a medical drug.	its
4	1545	Dronabinol, a synthetic form of a chem found in marijuana, is approved for the treatment of nausea and vomiting in U	<u> </u>
		cancer patients.	
5	2000s		
		Spaniards introduce cannabis to the Americas when they import it to Chile.	
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6	1985	Canada fully legalizes recreational marijuana. It is the second country to d	o so.





# Facing the Issues Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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## **True or False**Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Using the information in *Legalizing Marijuana*, verify whether the following information is true or false. Check your answers in the book. List the page number where you found your information beside your answer.

Statement 1	In U.S. states where marijuana is legal, marijuana dispensaries provide medical marijuana to the public.	True False	Page Number	
Statement 2	The United States has the lowest incarceration rate in the world	True False	Page Number	
Statement 3	Medical marijuana cannot ease side effects of chemotherapy and symptoms of epilepsy.	True False	Page Number	
Statement 4	Research shows that most high school students who use illegal drugs tried marijuana first.	True False	Page Number	
Statement 5	The CDA prevents marijuana growers from spraying plants with certain dangerous chemicals.	True False	Page Number	





# Legalizing Marijuana by the Numbers Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Using the information in *Legalizing Marijuana*, select an answer from the right and write the letter in the box beside the statement.

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More than this many people died from opioid overdose in 2017.		A.	40
2. Each year, more than this many Americans are arrested for using or possessing marijuana.		В.	40 billion
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3. More than this percentage of U.S. teenagers have tried marijuana at least once.		c.	49,000
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4. Nearly this many people are injured in auto accidents in the United States each year.		D.	2,000
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5. A 2014 study found that opioid overdose deaths fell by this percentage in states with legal medical marijuana.		E.	2.4 million
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6. In the United States, more than this many people die of alcohol poisoning each year.		F.	25
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7. Experts estimate that the marijuana industry generates up to this many dollars per year in the United States.		G.	800,000



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## **Key Words Match-Up**

Write the words from the list below in the box above the correct definition for each word.

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#### **KEY WORDS**

addicted minors
chemotherapy nicotine
correlation opioids
edibles prescribe
inmates recreational
IQ test regulate



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- 1. a relationship between one thing and another
- a relationship between one thing and another
- a test that measures a person's level of intelligence
- natural or synthetic drugs derived from the opium poppy plant
- to recommend a treatment or medication to someone who is sick
- to control or maintain
- things that can be eaten

- people under the age of official adulthood and legal responsibility
- done for fun and enjoyment
- a toxic and addictive drug that is found in tobacco
- having a physical need to use a drug regularly
- people who are confined to a prison
- the use of chemical substances to kill cancer cells





# **Quiz**Test your knowledge by answering these questions.

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Which symptoms can marijuana help cancer patients with?  Which federal agency must approve the use of all drugs in the United States.	
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	ates
How much is the U.S. marijuana industry worth?	
Which were the first two U.S. states to legalize recreational marijuana?	
What are some extremely harmful recreational drugs?	



## **Quiz Answer Key** Compare your quiz answers with the answer key below.

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- THC and CBD
- Nausea and loss of appetite
- U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
- About \$40 billion a year
- 6 Colorado and Washington
- Cocaine, crystal meth, and heroin
- Alcohol, nicotine, and marijuana

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