

Booker T. Washington - Rosenwald Schools

Multiple-Choice Questions

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- A former slave
- A famous educator
- A bestselling author
- All of the above

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- By Booker T. Washington
- By Julius Rosenwald
- By a combination of private philanthropy and local investment
- By the federal government

The Rosenwald Schools were designed:

- By Robert Robinson Taylor
- By Booker T. Washington
- By a local architect in each community
- By Julius Rosenwald

The Rosenwald schools were built:

- Throughout the Northeast
- Throughout the Southeast
- Throughout the Midwest
- In the Southwest

How many Rosenwald schools were built?

- About 50
- About 700
- Almost 5,000
- Over 10,000

The Rosenwald schools focused on:

- Basic reading
- Farming skills
- Manners
- Academic basics and life skills

The end of the Rosenwald schools era was primarily caused by:

- Running out of money
- Running out of enthusiasm
- A Supreme Court ruling
- Changes in construction technology

Famous Americans educated in Rosenwald schools include:

- Congressman John Lewis
- Poet Maya Angelou
- Barack Obama
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