

Joe DiMaggio

True/False Questions and Answers

1. **Joe DiMaggio was born in San Francisco, California.**
False (He was born in Martinez, California, but grew up in San Francisco.)
 2. **Joe DiMaggio's father wanted him to become a fisherman.**
True
 3. **Joe DiMaggio started his Major League career with the San Francisco Seals.**
False (He started his professional baseball career with the San Francisco Seals, but his Major League career began with the New York Yankees.)
 4. **Joe DiMaggio's 56-game hitting streak is a record that still stands today.**
True
 5. **Joe DiMaggio was married to actress Marilyn Monroe for ten years.**
False (They were married for only nine months in 1954.)
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Comprehension Questions and Answers

1. **Where was Joe DiMaggio born?**
Joe DiMaggio was born in Martinez, California.
2. **What job did Joe DiMaggio's father want him to do?**
Joe DiMaggio's father wanted him to become a fisherman.
3. **Who inspired Joe DiMaggio to play professional baseball?**
Joe's older brother, Vince DiMaggio, who was also a professional baseball player, inspired him.
4. **What year did Joe DiMaggio start playing for the New York Yankees?**
Joe DiMaggio started playing for the New York Yankees in 1936.
5. **What position did Joe DiMaggio play for the Yankees?**
Joe DiMaggio played center field for the Yankees.
6. **How many World Series titles did Joe DiMaggio win with the Yankees?**
Joe DiMaggio won nine World Series titles with the Yankees.
7. **What is Joe DiMaggio's most famous achievement in baseball?**
His most famous achievement is his 56-game hitting streak in 1941, a record that still stands today.
8. **How long did Joe DiMaggio serve in the U.S. Army during World War II?**
Joe DiMaggio served for three years during World War II.
9. **When did Joe DiMaggio retire from baseball?**
Joe DiMaggio retired from baseball in 1951.
10. **Why is Joe DiMaggio considered a role model for young baseball players?**
Joe DiMaggio is considered a role model because of his calm and graceful style, hard work, dedication, and his ability to stay focused on his goals.