Sikh In The Blank!

Instructions: Please fill in the blank in each statement below by including the appropriate word from the Sikh Awareness Presentation.

1. Sikhism is a not a blend of __________ and __________. It is a separate faith, and is not a branch of any other religion.
2. Sikhs were in many different professions when they first came to the United States. They worked as manual laborers, in sawmills, and as __________.
3. The first Asian American elected to __________ was a Sikh. His name was Dalip Singh Saund.
4. __________ is the 5th largest world religion.
5. Two of the most important core principles of Sikhism are that Sikhs believe there is one __________ for everyone, and that everyone is considered __________.
6. Sikhs do not believe in fasting, superstitions, ritualism, and the __________ ________.
7. __________ is the name given to the community of initiated Sikhs.
8. Sikhs who are initiated must wear all five __________ at all times.
9. Male Sikhs and some female Sikhs wear a __________ over their uncut hair, or __________.
10. _________% of the time that you see someone wearing a turban in front of you – at the bus stop, at your school, in the grocery store, etc. – that person is a Sikh!
11. The word Guru can be broken down into two parts: Gu means darkness or ________ and Ru means light or ________.
12. Today, Sikhs consider two entities as their Guru: the Guru ________ and the Guru ________.
13. A gurdwara is the Sikh house of worship, where Sikhs come to ________ and ________.
14. There are _________ million Sikhs in the world, and over _________ million people speak Punjabi in the world.
15. The name of India’s current Prime Minister is __________ Singh, and he is a Sikh.
16. True / False A Sikh’s turban color is determined by the Khalsa. When you become initiated, you are told what turban color to wear for the rest of your life.
17. True / False Giving back to your community or sharing with other people is an important part of Sikhism.
18. True / False In Sikh history, there were 10 Sikh Gurus before the present-day Guru.
19. True / False The Gurdwara is the name given to the community kitchen where everyone sits on the floor and eats together.
20. True / False The Punjabi alphabet has the same number of letters as English.