What have I learnt about Ernest Rutherford?

Read the 10 questions below and circle what you think is the best answer

1) Rutherford’s picture appears on the New Zealand
   a) $10 note
   b) $20 note
   c) $50 note
   d) $100 note

2) Rutherford was born in
   a) Nelson
   b) Canterbury
   c) Taranaki
   d) England

3) In England and Canada, Rutherford used alpha particles to find
   a) A possible way to treat cancer
   b) How to detect submarines
   c) What an atom looks like
   d) Better ways of radio communication

4) Rutherford is famous as a
   a) Mathematician
   b) Community leader
   c) Inventor
   d) Experimental scientist

5) In 1908 Rutherford was awarded
   a) Nobel Prize in Physics
   b) Nobel Prize in Chemistry
   c) Nobel Prize in Literature
   d) Nobel Prize for Peace

6) Rutherford is remembered as the
   a) Inventor of radar and sonar
   b) Founder of scientific research in New Zealand
   c) Only New Zealander to win a Nobel Prize
   d) Father of nuclear science

7) Rutherford left Canterbury College with
   a) MA in Biology
   b) MA in Mathematics and Mathematical Physics, and in Physical Science
   c) MA in Physics
   d) MA in Chemistry
8) To receive the Nobel Prize Rutherford went to
   a) Stockhom in Sweden
   b) Montreal in Canada
   c) New York in USA
   d) London in England

9) Rutherford showed his humanity by
   a) Promoting the Treaty of Waitangi
   b) Campaigning for a women’s right to vote
   c) Supporting refugees fleeing from Hitler
   d) Opposing using an atomic bomb on Japan

10) Rutherford is buried near other scientists at
    a) Christchurch Cathedral
    b) Nelson Cathedral
    c) Westminster Abbey in London
    d) Great St Mary’s in Cambridge University