

SECTION 1
Time – 30 Minutes
60 Questions

Each of the following questions consists of one word followed by five words or phrases.
You are to select the one word or phrase whose meaning is closest to the word in capital letters.

1. SITUATION:

- (A) delight
- (B) grudge
- (C) area
- (D) repair
- (E) state

2. ASTOUND:

- (A) insert
- (B) amaze
- (C) update
- (D) award
- (E) surge

3. MASSIVE:

- (A) unequal
- (B) positive
- (C) indecisive
- (D) huge
- (E) bubbly

4. FAMINE:

- (A) starvation
- (B) commitment
- (C) service
- (D) personality
- (E) scattering

5. IMPLY:

- (A) turn on
- (B) vote for
- (C) hint at
- (D) travel to
- (E) look in

6. DOMESTIC:

- (A) local
- (B) wild
- (C) stunning
- (D) minor
- (E) crafty

7. TEXTURE:

- (A) talking
- (B) feel
- (C) match
- (D) velocity
- (E) cloth

8. WARRANT:

- (A) signal
- (B) offer
- (C) persist
- (D) credit
- (E) justify

9. HESITANT:

- (A) average
- (B) sociable
- (C) uncertain
- (D) disloyal
- (E) close

10. CALIBER:

- (A) nature
- (B) allowance
- (C) representative
- (D) quality
- (E) liberty

11. IMPOSE:

- (A) hammer
- (B) groan
- (C) intrude
- (D) recommend
- (E) finish

12. NEGLIGENT:

- (A) frightful
- (B) previous
- (C) overall
- (D) careless
- (E) immediate

13. PERSEVERANCE:

- (A) inconvenience
- (B) determination
- (C) advantage
- (D) liveliness
- (E) disturbance

14. LAMENT:

- (A) mourn
- (B) activate
- (C) leap
- (D) foresee
- (E) grasp

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The following questions ask you to find relationships between words.

For each question, select the answer choice that best completes the meaning of the sentence.

31. Eraser is to chalkboard as

- (A) mop is to floor
- (B) scissors is to paper
- (C) model is to car
- (D) card is to envelope
- (E) setting is to fan

38. Shark is to aquatic as

- (A) lion is to carnivorous
- (B) eagle is to endangered
- (C) kangaroo is to marsupial
- (D) dinosaur is to extinct
- (E) horse is to terrestrial

32. Browsing is to shopping as

- (A) living is to breathing
- (B) glowing is to twinkling
- (C) brushing is to flossing
- (D) skimming is to reading
- (E) marrying is to dating

39. Pencil is to sharpen as

- (A) voice is to record
- (B) kite is to fly
- (C) well is to fill
- (D) lid is to shut
- (E) nut is to crack

33. Scar is to wound as damage is to

- (A) repair
- (B) accident
- (C) automobile
- (D) insurance
- (E) weather

40. Song is to medley as

- (A) square is to plaza
- (B) picture is to collage
- (C) company is to slogan
- (D) report is to grapevine
- (E) computer is to processor

34. Ingredient is to recipe as

- (A) shadow is to footstep
- (B) lumberjack is to axe
- (C) race is to derby
- (D) book is to odyssey
- (E) color is to spectrum

41. Infantry is to foot as cavalry is to

- (A) ocean
- (B) lion
- (C) hand
- (D) air
- (E) horse

35. Bread is to baker as pendant is to

- (A) neck
- (B) luxury
- (C) jeweler
- (D) symbol
- (E) heirloom

42. Exercise is to sweat as

- (A) poison is to ivy
- (B) boxing is to training
- (C) carnival is to ride
- (D) harvest is to produce
- (E) war is to treaty

36. Menu is to meal as

- (A) tax is to money
- (B) pipe is to water
- (C) paint is to wall
- (D) map is to trip
- (E) oar is to boat

43. Money is to tree as dollar is to

- (A) oak
- (B) leaf
- (C) paper
- (D) bark
- (E) yen

37. Recital is to pianist as exhibit is to

- (A) artist
- (B) dancer
- (C) auction
- (D) violinist
- (E) showroom

44. Preface is to book as

- (A) macaroni is to pasta
- (B) hero is to legend
- (C) lobby is to hotel
- (D) capital is to state
- (E) mail is to envelope

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6. It takes one minute for a traffic light to complete its cycle. The light is red for 30 seconds, yellow for 5 seconds and green for 25 seconds during each cycle. What is the probability that the light will not be green at any given time?

(A) $\frac{17}{30}$ (B) $\frac{7}{12}$ (C) $\frac{3}{5}$

(D) $\frac{37}{60}$ (E) $\frac{19}{30}$

7. If $4 \times 7 = \square \div 2$, then \square is equal to

- (A) 14
(B) 28
(C) 56
(D) 70
(E) 84
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8. There are 10 seats arranged in a row. Hank sits 2 seats to the right of Kim. Todd sits 6 seats to the left of Hank. How many seats to the right of Todd does Kim sit?

- (A) 1
(B) 2
(C) 3
(D) 4
(E) 8
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9. Three friends contribute to pay for a cabin. Each friend pays \$20. If two more friends join to pay for the cabin and share expenses equally, how much would each person pay?

- (A) \$12
(B) \$10
(C) \$14
(D) \$11
(E) \$13
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10. A recipe calls for 2 scoops of raisins for every 1 scoop of nuts. However, a cook used 2 scoops of nuts and 1 scoop of raisins. How many more scoops of raisins must the cook add to have the correct proportion?

- (A) 4
(B) 2
(C) 5
(D) 1
(E) 3

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Dorothy lived in the midst of the great Kansas prairies with Uncle Henry, a farmer, and Aunt Em, the farmer's wife. Their house was small, for the lumber to build it had to be carried by wagon many miles. There was no cellar except a small hole dug in the ground, called a cyclone cellar, where the family could go in case one of those great whirlwinds arose, mighty enough to
5 crush any building in its path.

When Dorothy stood in the doorway and looked around, she could see nothing but the great gray prairie on every side. The sun had baked the plowed land into a gray mass, with little cracks running through it. Once the house had been painted, but the sun blistered the paint and the rains washed it away, and now the house was as dull and gray as everything else.

10 When Aunt Em came there to live she was a young, pretty wife. The sun and wind had changed her, too. They had taken the sparkle from her eyes and left them a sober gray. They had taken the red from her cheeks and lips. When Dorothy, who was an orphan, first came to her, Aunt Em had been startled by the child's laughter. Aunt Em would scream and press her hand upon her heart whenever Dorothy's merry voice reached her ears. She looked at the little girl with wonder that she could find anything to laugh at.

-L. Frank Baum

6. All of the following are discussed in the passage EXCEPT

- (A) the kinds of crops grown on a farm
- (B) Dorothy's personality
- (C) Aunt Em's physical appearance
- (D) the condition of Uncle Henry's and Aunt Em's house
- (E) an emergency shelter from cyclones

9. In the selection, the sun did not affect

- (A) Aunt Em's cheeks.
- (B) the farmland.
- (C) the house where the characters lived.
- (D) Uncle Henry's hair.
- (E) Aunt Em's eyes.

7. According to the first paragraph, Uncle Henry and Aunt Em's house was small most likely because

- (A) larger homes were more vulnerable to tornados.
- (B) close-knit families preferred smaller homes.
- (C) the nearest forest was many miles away.
- (D) personal belongings were stored in the cellar.
- (E) the sun and rain damaged it over the years.

10. The author would most likely agree that Dorothy's personality

- (A) varied according to the weather.
- (B) infused unexpected energy into Aunt Em.
- (C) was most unusual for a girl from Kansas.
- (D) produced mild irritation in Uncle Henry.
- (E) is characteristic of most orphans.

8. In lines 12 thru 15, why was Aunt Em surprised by Dorothy's laughter?

- (A) Aunt Em did not have a good sense of humor.
- (B) The sun had changed the color of Dorothy's lips.
- (C) Orphan children are oftentimes sad and lonely.
- (D) Aunt Em would scream each time Dorothy laughed.
- (E) It seemed so out of place with difficult farm life.

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