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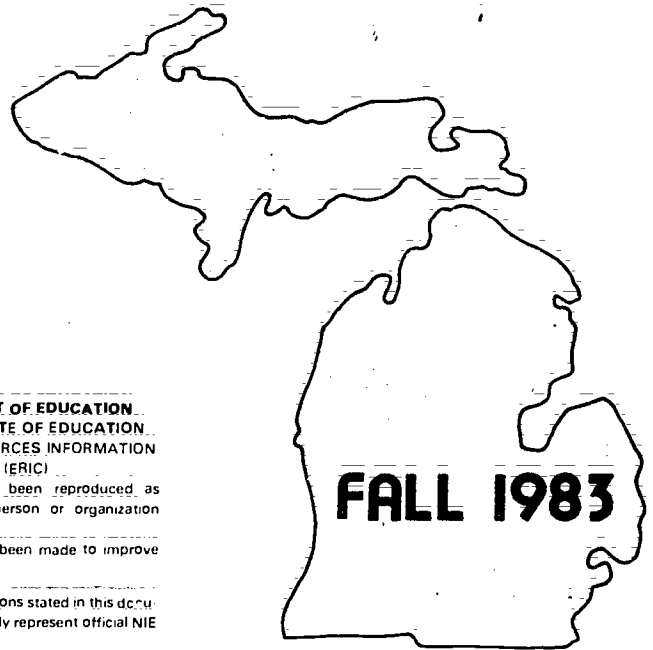
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D I R E C T I O N S

In this test you will show how you are doing in some skills important in social studies.

Be sure you understand all the directions before you begin. You will have as much time as you need to finish the test. If you are not sure about the answer to a question, do your best.

You will be marking your answers on Side 2 of the same answer sheet as for the reading and math tests. Mark only one answer for each item. If you change an answer, be sure to erase the first mark completely. Now look at the sample item below:

Sample Item 1: Which of these cities is the capital of Michigan?

- A. Ann Arbor
- B. Flint
- C. Kalamazoo
- D. Lansing

Answer

Sample Item 1: (A) (B) (C) (D)

Since Lansing is the capital of Michigan, you would have marked space D because the letter in front of Lansing is D.

Remember, only one answer should be marked for each question. If you change your answer, erase your first answer completely. Make a dark mark that fills the space. Use a pencil, do not use a ballpoint pen.

When you are sure that you understand the directions, you may begin the test. Your teacher will collect the test when you are finished.

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DIRECTIONS: Answer YES or NO to the following questions.
Mark your answers on the answer sheet.

1. Do you think getting a job should depend on whether you are female or male?
A. Yes B. No

2. Do you think getting a job should depend on your skin color?
A. Yes B. No

3. Do you think getting a job should depend on your abilities and skills?
A. Yes B. No

4. Do you think getting a job should depend on your religion?
A. Yes B. No

A-3e

5. Would you want to have a person of a different skin color sit next to you in school every day?
A. Yes B. No

6. Would you want to have a person of a different skin color be your teacher?
A. Yes B. No

7. Would you want to have a person of a different skin color be your friend?
A. Yes B. No

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

8. Do you feel a family should be able to move into a part of town where people of a different skin color live?
- A. Only if the people who live in that part of town want the family to move in.
 - B. The family should be able to move in; skin color shouldn't make any difference.
 - C. The family should not even look for a place to live in that part of town.
9. A man and a woman are doing the same work. How do you think they should be paid?
- A. The man should be paid more than the woman.
 - B. The woman should be paid more than the man.
 - C. The man and the woman should be paid the same.
- A-2c
10. Mr. Jones wanted to hire a salesperson for his book shop. When persons were interviewed for the job, he didn't consider any applications from women. His decision would be influenced by his:
- A. prejudices against women.
 - B. prejudices against men.
 - C. concern for minority rights.
 - D. concern for an individual's self-concept.
11. Lin and her family moved to America from China. Sometimes she has to decide between her parents' customs and the new American customs. Which of the following would be BEST for her to do?
- A. She should keep her parents' values and continue with Chinese customs.
 - B. She should change to the values and ways of Americans.
 - C. She should respect the values of both her parents and Americans.
 - D. She should follow the values of whomever she is with.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

12. A sign at the entrance to a city park reads, "PARK CLOSES AT 10:00 P.M."

Which of the following is the BEST reason for closing the park at 10:00 p.m.?

- A. It is safer to use the park during the day.
- B. The mayor has decided that people should use the park only during the day.
- C. People who use the park during the night may be too noisy.
- D. The city cannot afford the workers needed to keep the park open during the night.

13. Your town recently passed a law that all dogs must be kept on a leash when not on the owner's property. You have had a dog for a long time before the law was passed.

What is the BEST thing for you to do about the new law?

- A. Ignore the law because you had your dog before the law was passed.
- B. Obey the law because it was made to protect the health and safety of all people.
- C. Obey the law because you may be fined if your dog is caught off your property without a leash.
- D. Because your dog is well-trained and has never caused a problem, ignore the law.

A-5e

14. You have noticed that the school playground looks bad because of litter such as candy wrappers, empty paper cups, and old school papers:

What would be the BEST thing for you to do about it?

- A. Do nothing because it will only get littered again anyway.
- B. Clean up all the litter yourself.
- C. Help to organize a playground clean-up day.
- D. Suggest to the principal that more trash baskets be put out.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

15. Miriam is unhappy with her school's Student Council. She does not like the activities the Council plans. What would be the best action for Miriam to take?
- A. Talk to the teacher who is in charge of the Student Council.
 - B. Complain to other students about the Student Council.
 - C. Discuss her thoughts with her Student Council representative.
 - D. Hope that the Student Council will do better in the future.

A-4c

16. Your club is having a meeting to decide how to raise money. After meeting for almost an hour, the officers and old members have had a chance to present their ideas, but the new members have not. The meeting will end in five minutes.

What do you think should be done?

- A. The club should decide to use the ideas of the officers.
- B. The officers should meet together to decide on the best ideas.
- C. A vote should be held right away on the ideas discussed and a decision made.
- D. Another meeting should be held to give new members a chance to present their ideas.

A-5b

17. Your teacher has asked each person in the class to make a poster showing the bicycle laws and safety rules that were explained in class.

Why do you think the teacher made this assignment?

- A. The teacher knows someone who was hurt because of careless bike riding.
- B. The teacher saw some students riding bikes carelessly on their way to school.
- C. Students prefer to make posters rather than other kinds of homework.
- D. Bicycle traffic laws and safety rules make the community safer.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

18. You and your classmates are making the rules for a new game. Which one of the following rules do you MOST want to see included?
- A. The handicapped child in our class will be treated fairly.
 - B. The teacher should pick the teams.
 - C. There will be two games; one for the boys and one for the girls.
 - D. Kids who can't keep up shouldn't be allowed to play.
19. A teenage girl saw a small child crying near the street because her ball had rolled across the street and she could not get it. The teenager got the ball and gave it to the small child. Which of the following reasons for helping shows the most concern for the child?
- A. She had been told that teenagers should help younger children.
 - B. She liked the child and usually helps people she likes.
 - C. She was afraid the child might try to get the ball and be hit by a car.
 - D. She thinks of herself as a person who rescues helpless people.
20. Cathy's class was discussing capital punishment. Everyone except Cathy thought the death penalty should be used for some crimes. When Cathy tried to explain her point of view, the class shouted her down. The teacher asked them to be quiet and give Cathy a chance to present her point. Why should Cathy be allowed to speak even if everyone disagrees with her?
- A. Cathy is probably more intelligent.
 - B. The class will learn more if they listen to another opinion.
 - C. Everyone in the class has a right to express an opinion.
 - D. Cathy might be angry if she were left out of the discussion.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

21. Some people enjoy listening to opera music. Others prefer rock, and still others prefer jazz. What does this suggest?
- A. Young people like rock and jazz, whereas older people prefer opera.
 - B. Only serious people like opera music.
 - C. People have different preferences when it comes to listening to music.
 - D. You need to understand the music before you can enjoy it.

22. The workers in a factory decided to go on strike for higher pay. The owners of the company thought the company would go bankrupt if they paid their workers more. The workers were sure the owners were making plenty of profit.

What is the best explanation of this difference of opinion?

- A. The owners didn't like the workers and the workers didn't like the owners.
- B. Different people may understand the same things in different ways.
- C. The owners were lying so they could keep more profit.
- D. The workers didn't care about the future of the company but wanted more money now.

S-3c

23. A company is polluting the water and air in a suburban community. The local people should:
- A. find a way of purifying the drinking water.
 - B. keep windows closed so that they won't breathe the polluted air.
 - C. ignore the problem because the company is needed to employ the town's people.
 - D. work at passing a law that would require the company to stop polluting the water and air.
24. The largest industrial factory in town is polluting the air. One way of solving this problem is to close the factory. An alternative solution which would hurt the least number of people is to:
- A. pass laws controlling air pollution.
 - B. force the factory to move to another state.
 - C. fine the owners of the factory.
 - D. force the citizens in the town to move at least 10 miles away from the factory.

DIRECTIONS: Answer each of the following questions.

25. While on a trip, you remember seeing an old abandoned lumber mill. Your father said it closed many years ago when all the forests in the area had been cut down. Recently, you saw empty buildings in what used to be a gold mining town.

Why do you think the buildings are empty?

- A. There is no more gold in the mines.
 - B. People do not need or want gold anymore.
 - C. The people have moved to newer and better buildings somewhere else.
 - D. Gold miners do not use as many buildings anymore.
26. Jane read in the newspaper the following report from a recent study:

According to current statistics, the life expectancy of women is 72.5 years; whereas, the life expectancy of men is 68.7 years.

Which of the following can Jane correctly conclude?

- A. She will live to be at least 72.5 years old.
 - B. Men seldom live beyond 68.7 years of age.
 - C. Fewer women than men live to be 72.5 years old.
 - D. On the average, women live longer than men.
27. You have been on a wilderness camping trip and have been asked to relate it to a space voyage.

Which of the following is NOT true of both?

- A. All persons had to do their part to help.
- B. Much planning had to be done before the adventure began.
- C. There was nothing to worry about.
- D. It was exciting.

S-1L

28. Bill was sure which new bike he wanted to buy after reading several advertisements.

Which of the following should Bill NOT do right away?

- A. Listen to a salesperson at a bike store explain the different models.
- B. Send in an order for the bike he selected.
- C. Talk to his parents about their opinion.
- D. Ask his friends which bike they think he should buy.

DIRECTIONS: Use the chart below to answer the following question.

This chart shows where low income people lived in the United States in 1970.

<u>Locations</u>	<u>Millions of People</u>
Cities of 50,000 or more	7.8
Suburbs	<u>5.1</u>
Total in metropolitan areas	12.9
Farms	2.4
Rural Non-Farms	<u>10.1</u>
Total outside metropolitan areas	12.5
Total number of low income people	25.4

29. Which one of these statements is supported by the evidence in the chart?
- A. Most low income people lived in cities of 50,000 or more people.
 - B. More than five million low income people lived on farms.
 - C. Almost one-half of all low income people lived on farms.
 - D. Almost one-half of all low income people lived outside metropolitan areas.

S-2c

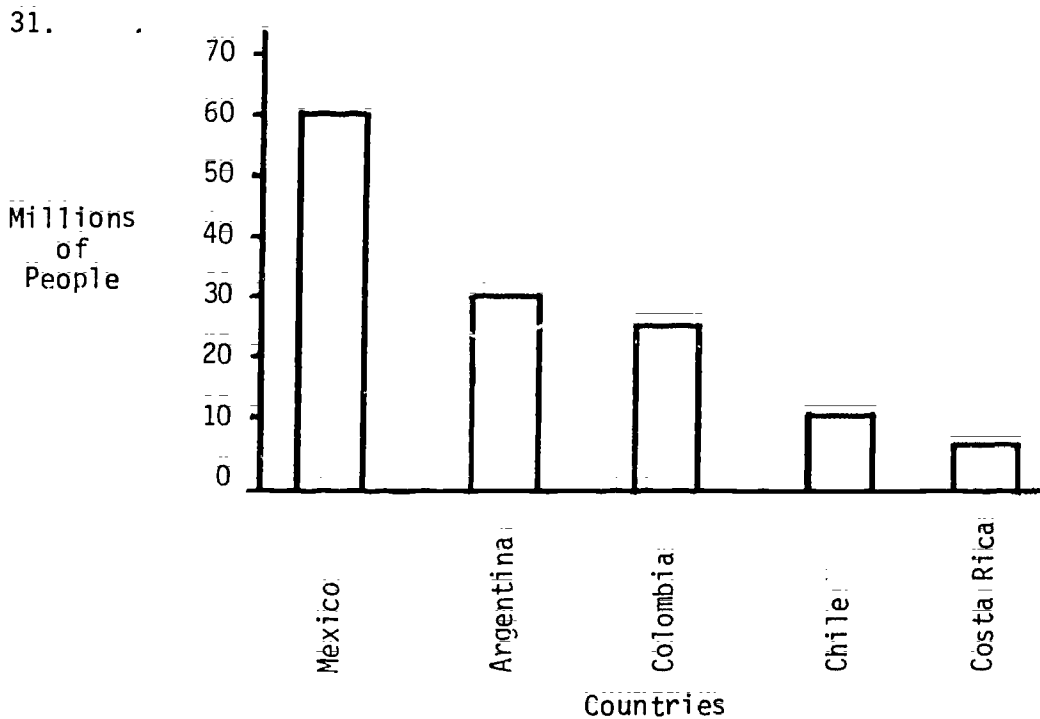
DIRECTIONS: Answer the following question.

30. The fifth grade class is going to have a project to raise money. John is explaining the procedures each student will use during the project. Bill has decided he wants to do it another way.

As the project leader, what should John do?

- A. Let Bill do it his way.
- B. Tell Bill he is not the project leader.
- C. Argue with Bill.
- D. Encourage more talk on the procedures.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.



According to this bar graph, which country has a population of 24 million people?

- A. Argentina B. Colombia
C. Chile D. Costa Rica

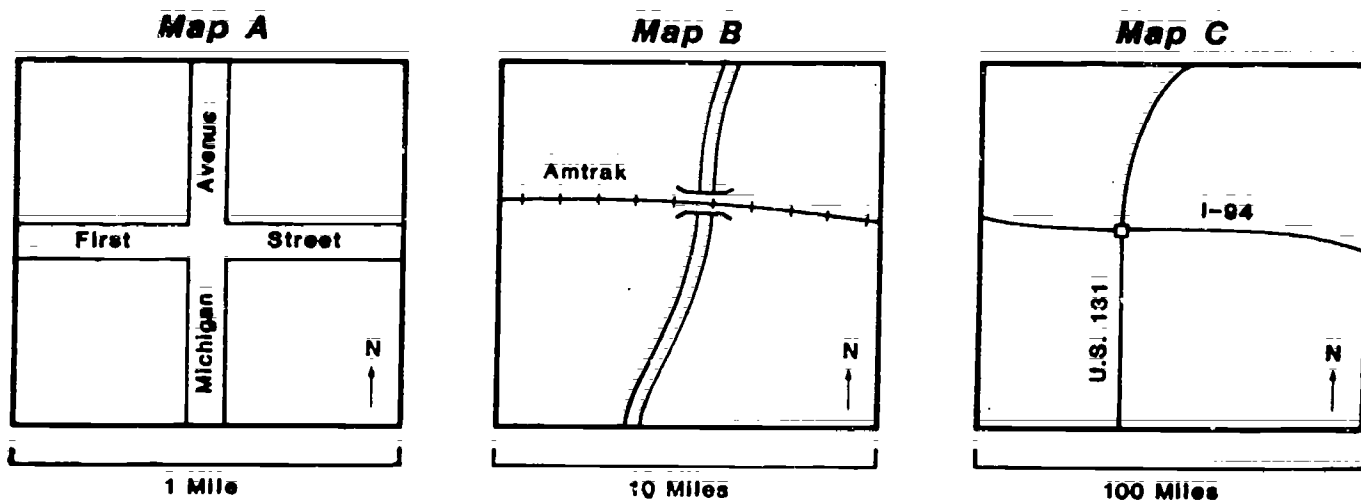
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Which of the following information is NOT given in this library catalog card?

- A. Whether the book contains any maps.
B. When the book was published.
C. What the book is about.
D. Whether the book has an index.

DIRECTIONS: Use the three maps below to answer the following three questions.



33. Which one of the three maps above shows the largest area?
- A. Map A B. Map B
C. Map C D. All maps show the same area
34. On Map C above, I-94 and U.S. 131 are:
- A. Pipelines B. Rivers
C. Railroads D. Highways
35. Which statement about the above maps is correct?
- A. Michigan Avenue is longer than First Street
B. First Avenue is longer than Amtrak
C. Amtrak is longer than I-94
D. I-94 is longer than Amtrak

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

36. Barbara read the following paragraph while studying about early human life in the United States. She planned to outline the ideas:

Human life in what is now the United States began at least 25,000 years ago with the appearance of small bands of nomads. These nomads hunted mammoth, bison, and ground sloth. Evidence of these nomads is found in the stone tools they made and left in their caves and campsites.

Look at the outlines and indicate which one would be the MOST useful for her paper:

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|------------------------------|----------------------|
| A. Nomads | B. 25,000 Years Ago |
| I. appeared 25,000 years ago | I. Nomads |
| II. evidence--stone tools | II. Animals |
| C. Animal Life | D. Hunting |
| I. Bison | I. Animals Hunted |
| II. Mammoth | II. Stone Tools Used |

S-3h

37. Your family has been planning to take a trip to visit several relatives who are gathering together at your grandparents' home during the Thanksgiving holiday. Your dad finds out that his work will keep him from taking the trip.

What should your family do?

- A. Cancel the trip and stay at home.
- B. Have your mom drive the rest of the family over.
- C. Ask everyone to come to your house instead of your grandparents'.
- D. Discuss this as a family and decide together what to do.

S-2a

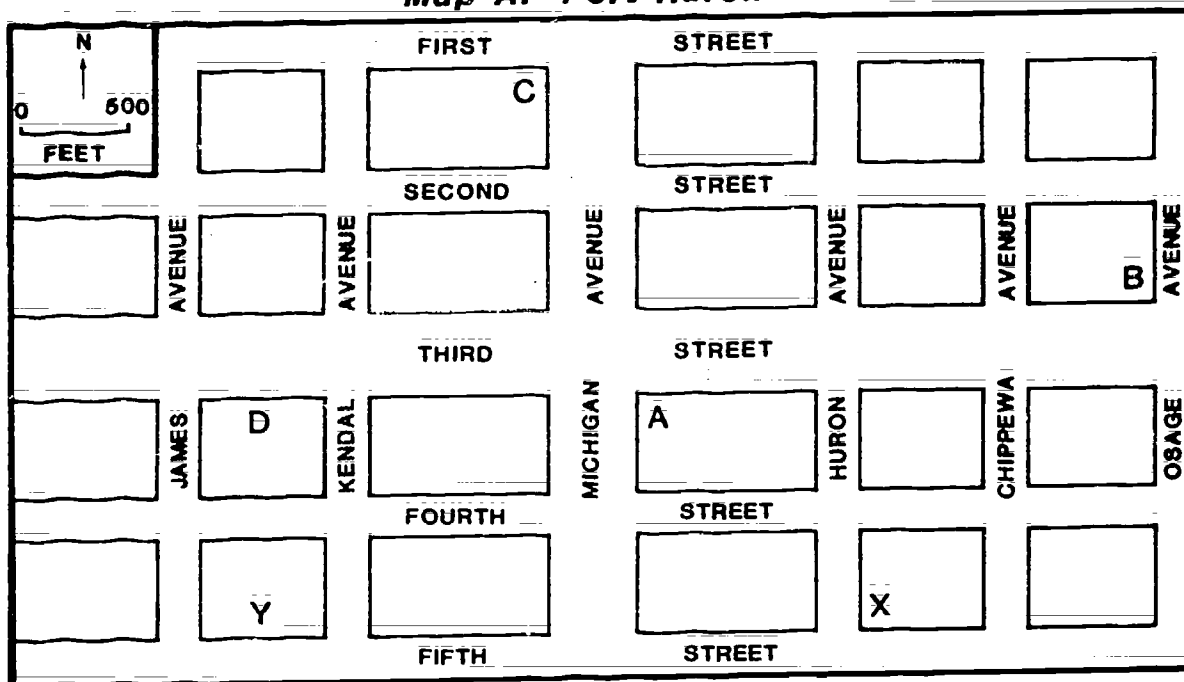
38. The class is discussing how they can participate in the school openhouse. Several students would like to do a class skit and are steering the discussion in that direction. You have an idea of something very different to do.

What should you do?

- A. Drop the idea because several students want the skit.
- B. Wait to see if someone else will bring up your idea.
- C. Ask the class to consider your idea.
- D. Talk with the teacher after class and ask what he/she thinks of your idea.

DIRECTIONS: Use the map of Port Huron below to answer the following two questions.

Map A: Port Huron



39. Tony lives at Block X in Port Huron. He wishes to visit Al who lives in Block Y. In what direction must Tony travel to visit Al?

A. North	B. South
C. East	D. West

40. Sue lives in Block C. Greta's house in Block B is what direction from Sue?

A. Southwest	B. Northwest
C. Southeast	D. Northeast

DIRECTIONS: Choose the BEST answer to the following questions.
Mark your answers on your answer sheet.

41. What kind of map would you use to find out the major highways between cities in Michigan?
- A. Road Map B. Population Map
C. Physical Map D. Rainfall Map
42. What kind of map would you use to find out what the major crops of Michigan are?
- A. Physical Map B. Product Map
C. Population Map D. Rainfall Map
43. What would be a good source of information about Canada?
- A. a world almanac
B. any good encyclopedia
C. an unabridged dictionary
D. a good world history book

S-3b

44. Since the post office was built, the town's population has grown. The people in the town now want to build a new post office, but there is no money. The only industry in town closed down last month and already many people have lost their jobs.
- Which one of the following BEST describes the problem?
- A. The people in the town felt the post office was too small.
B. The people in the town want a new post office, but there is no money.
C. The people in the town did not need a post office.
D. There will be fewer people living in town because the industry has closed down.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following two questions using the information given below.

Scientists tell us that the basic chemical elements necessary for life (such as water and oxygen) exist on Mars.

45. People sometimes try to predict or guess what will happen in the future. Based on the evidence we have about Mars, which one of the following predictions would you be willing to make?
- A. There are no forms of life on Mars.
 - B. Scientists will probably keep searching for signs of life on Mars.
 - C. Martians probably eat the same types of plants as humans eat.
 - D. Life on Mars is probably very similar to life on Earth.
46. From this information, which one of the following statements can you say is most accurate?
- A. Creatures similar to human beings live on Mars.
 - B. Plant life exists on Mars.
 - C. Plant and animal life existed on Mars at one time.
 - D. Plant and animal life may exist on Mars.

S-1a

DIRECTIONS: Answer each of the following questions.

47. A scientist saw a strange object in the dirt. He could see it was black and round. The scientist picked it up and held it to his cheek.
- Which one of the following could the scientist BEST answer by holding the object to his cheek?
- A. where the object came from
 - B. what the object was made of
 - C. if the object was smooth or rough
 - D. how old the object was
48. The Braille method is used by many blind persons as a means of communication. Which of the following senses is used in this system of communication?
- A. Smell
 - B. Sound
 - C. Sight
 - D. Touch

DIRECTIONS: The following five items list events in four different orders. Choose the answer that lists the events in the order that they occurred IN TIME. Mark your answers on the answer sheet.

49. Events in a person's life:

- | | |
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| A. Learning to walk
Getting a job
Retiring
Learning to read | B. Retiring
Learning to read
Learning to walk
Getting a job |
| C. Learning to walk
Learning to read
Getting a job
Retiring | D. Getting a job
Learning to walk
Retiring
Learning to read |

50. Inventions:

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| A. Wheel
Automobile
Rocket
Railroad Train
Airplane | B. Airplane
Rocket
Railroad Train
Wheel
Automobile |
| C. Automobile
Railroad Train
Wheel
Airplane
Rocket | D. Wheel
Railroad Train
Automobile
Airplane
Rocket |

51. American Presidents:

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| A. George Washington
Abraham Lincoln
Franklin D. Roosevelt
John F. Kennedy | B. Abraham Lincoln
Franklin D. Roosevelt
George Washington
John F. Kennedy |
| C. George Washington
Abraham Lincoln
John F. Kennedy
Franklin D. Roosevelt | D. Franklin D. Roosevelt
John F. Kennedy
Abraham Lincoln
George Washington |

52. Eras in history:

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| A. Prehistoric Times
Ancient Times
Current Times
Colonial Times | B. Ancient Times
Current Times
Prehistoric Times
Colonial Times |
| C. Colonial Times
Ancient Times
Prehistoric Times
Current Times | D. Prehistoric Times
Ancient Times
Colonial Times
Current Times |

53. Wars:

- | | |
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| A. American Civil War
Korean War
World War I
American Revolution
Vietnam War | B. American Revolution
American Civil War
World War I
Korean War
Vietnam War |
| C. American Revolution
World War I
Korean War
Vietnam War
American Civil War | D. American Revolution
American Civil War
Vietnam War
World War I
Korean War |

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following question.

54. Which of the following statements BEST describes how the American family has changed?
- A. Families are larger and more relatives live together.
 - B. The father makes almost all of the decisions about children.
 - C. Most families depend on the churches to make decisions for them.
 - D. Fewer things are done by family members together.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

55. Desert areas are best suited for the following use:

- A. farming B. tourism
C. herding animals D. urban development

56. Where did the first human beings tend to live?

- A. In warm climates in low mountains.
B. In warm climates in river valleys.
C. In warm climates all along the equator.
D. In cool climates at the foot of mountains.

K-8L

57. What country connects South America to Central America?

- A. Panama B. Costa Rica
C. Nicaragua D. El Salvador

58. Which countries are found in South America?

- A. Brazil and Argentina
B. Honduras and Uruguay
C. El Salvador and Venezuela
D. Nicaragua and Chile

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

59. The Petoskey stone is an attractive rock and is our state rock. What is it made of?
- A. It is a piece of our native copper.
 - B. It is a piece of iron ore found near Petoskey.
 - C. It is fossilized coral.
 - D. It is a rock with bits of gold in it.
60. What country is located north of the United States?
- A. Cuba
 - B. Mexico
 - C. Canada
 - D. Greenland
61. Which country touches the United States along its southern boundary?
- A. Cuba
 - B. Panama
 - C. Guatemala
 - D. Mexico
62. What do Mississippi, Missouri, Colorado, and Columbia all have in common?
- A. They are names of states.
 - B. They are names of capitals.
 - C. They are names of rivers.
 - D. They are names of mountains.
63. What do the St. Lawrence and the Rio Grande have in common?
- A. They are rivers found in Mexico.
 - B. They are rivers found in Canada.
 - C. They are lakes in Canada and Mexico.
 - D. They make up part of the boundaries between the United States and its neighbors.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

64. How do people in all cultures meet their basic needs?
- A. In the same ways in all cultures.
 - B. In different ways according to their culture.
 - C. The government takes responsibility for meeting the basic needs of people.
 - D. The churches and schools see that the basic needs of people are met.

K-4c

65. What does it prove if two cultural groups have different behaviors and values?
- A. That neither group is better than the other.
 - B. That one group is more advanced.
 - C. That one has a better climate and geography.
 - D. That one culture has existed longer.

K-4h

66. What should you do if you were working at a bookstore and a boy or girl who could speak just a little English wanted to buy a book?
- A. Pretend you don't see anyone.
 - B. Help him or her find the book.
 - C. Send him or her to another store.
 - D. Speak very loudly and maybe he or she will understand you.
67. What children should be educated in the United States?
- A. Only those with average and above intelligence.
 - B. Children from families that can afford to pay for education.
 - C. Children who can speak English.
 - D. All children, regardless of family background.

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following questions.

68. When buying food, you want to get the best food you can afford and the most for your money. The best way to do this when you shop for food is to:
- A. read the label. B. buy food in large quantities.
C. buy the cheapest brand. D. buy the most expensive brand.

K-3d

59. Which one of the following items is necessary for all people in the world?
- A. automobile B. money
C. shoes D. water

K-3c

70. Some sources of energy will run out and others will last forever. Which one of the following will not run out?
- A. natural gas B. coal
C. oil D. solar energy

K-8b

71. Renewable resources are those which return or replace themselves naturally. Which of the following is a renewable resource?
- A. coal B. petroleum
C. wood D. uranium

72. Why should we be careful about use of some of our natural resources?
- A. Once we use them up, they are gone.
B. Natural resources are very expensive.
C. The more we use them, the more pollution we have.
D. Use of natural resources leads to waste.

DIRECTIONS: Answer each of the following questions.

73. The purpose of rules and laws is:
- A. to define standards of behavior.
 - B. to establish rules that cannot be broken.
 - C. to stop people from doing what they want to do.
 - D. to give the police a job.

74. In a democracy, government is run by:
- A. law.
 - B. people.
 - C. the majority.
 - D. the President.

K-5a

75. The Revolutionary War was fought in the U.S. against what country?
- A. France
 - B. England
 - C. Mexico
 - D. Spain

K-10f

76. A group of people in San Francisco wanted a law passed saying no building could be more than ten stories high. This, they said, would preserve the beauty of the city. A business group argued skyscrapers were needed to promote the city's growing economy. What would be the BEST way to resolve the argument?
- A. Build the skyscrapers because business groups know what is best for the city.
 - B. Pass a law that would restrict the construction of buildings to ten stories and preserve the beauty of the city.
 - C. Continue the debate between the groups until they can stop arguing.
 - D. Place the issue on the ballot and let the people decide.

DIRECTIONS: Read the following items. Choose the answer that completes the sentence. Mark your answers on your answer sheet.

77. Local governments usually build and pay for schools. This is because
- A. private schools are against the law in the United States.
 - B. it has been an American tradition to provide free public education for everyone.
 - C. public education is not very important in the United States.
78. Charity funds, like the March of Dimes, are needed to raise money to help poor and sick people. This is because
- A. the U.S. Government refuses to help any needy people.
 - B. private citizens are forbidden to help needy people.
 - C. these people need even more help than government or individuals alone can provide.
79. The federal government helps citizens who have served in the Armed Forces with their education, housing, and medical care. This is because
- A. all of these citizens are too poor to help themselves.
 - B. these citizens have served the country and deserve its help.
 - C. the U.S. Government cannot afford to pay these people anymore.

K-9a

DIRECTIONS: Answer the following question.

80. Which one of the following is a basic responsibility of the U.S. Government?
- A. to provide work for every citizen
 - B. to provide religion for the nation
 - C. to provide for all public schools
 - D. to provide for the national defense

DIRECTIONS: Answer each of the following questions.

81. In recent years, a number of American Indian nations have gone to court in an attempt to recover land which they claim once belonged to their ancestors. In Michigan, the Ottawa and Iroquois nations have argued that approximately two-thirds of the state land rightfully is theirs.

What argument have the American Indians, in Michigan, used to support their claims?

- A. They have agreements with the United States government guaranteeing them the lands.
 - B. They are economically in trouble and need the land to grow crops.
 - C. The land is mostly unlivable timberland that no one else wants.
 - D. They need more land to accommodate rapid population growth.
82. William O'Connell arrived in New York in the late 1800's. He wanted and needed a job. However, everywhere he went, he noted a sign which said, "Irish need not apply."

This sign denies rights because of:

- A. race.
- B. national origin.
- C. age.
- D. religion.

K-1f

83. The results of the election for mayor was: Robert Smith - 10,600 votes
Jane Abrams - 10,605 votes

These results indicate:

- A. that every vote is important.
- B. that one person's vote will not make a difference.
- C. that luck is important in winning or losing.
- D. that people tend to vote for women more than for men.

K-3a

84. If people are starving in Africa, what is the best help the U.S. can give?
- A. send them a shipload of food
 - B. send agriculturalists to teach them better farming methods
 - C. allow more Africans to immigrate into the U.S.
 - D. ask the United Nations to get other countries to help

DIRECTIONS: Decide whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE.

85. When a rule is made, everyone should know why it was made.

- A. True B. False

86. When a rule is made, everyone should understand how the rule will work.

- A. True B. False

K-2c

87. When you want to change a school rule, you should talk to others in your class and then tell your teacher your idea.

- A. True B. False

88. When you want to change a school rule, and nobody else wants the rule changed, you should just forget about the rule and do what you want.

- A. True B. False

K-1a

DIRECTIONS: Answer YES or NO to each of the following questions.

89. Should a woman be allowed to run for President?

- A. Yes B. No

90. Should a woman be allowed to become a lawyer?

- A. Yes B. No

91. Should a woman be allowed to be a construction worker?

- A. Yes B. No

DIRECTIONS: Find the best answer.

92. Members of an organized group in a small town began to pass out booklets which said bad things about the United States. Some people in the town wanted the police to stop the group from passing out the booklets.

What can the police legally do to the members of the group?

- A. arrest the members for causing trouble.
B. ask the members to leave town.
C. run the members out of town.
D. nothing, since no law was broken.

DIRECTIONS: Answer each of the following questions.

93. What does automation in industry create?

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| A. more factory workers | B. less productivity |
| C. fewer factory workers | D. less need for regulations |

K-5e

94. The major reason that more women are working outside of the home is:

- A. they are bored with housework.
- B. they need to increase the family income.
- C. they are required to work by law.
- D. they are needed to take the place of men.

K-6a

95. Economic activities are concerned with the way people:

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| A. establish law and order. | B. spend their leisure time. |
| C. get along with their neighbors. | D. make a living. |

96. What do people exchange for labor?

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| A. savings | B. wages |
| C. luxuries | D. land |

K-6c

97. Most companies are in business:

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| A. to reduce taxes. | B. to earn a profit. |
| C. to provide employment. | D. to compete with other companies. |

DIRECTIONS: Choose the best answer to the following questions.

98. Package A is larger than Package B of the same food product. Based on the size of the packages alone, which one of the following statements is most accurate?
- A. Package A has more food.
 - B. Package B has more food.
 - C. The amount of food can't always be determined from package size alone.
 - D. The smaller package is a better product.
99. Which one of the following kinds of information about two packages of the same kind and quality of product would tell you which one was the better buy?
- A. The sizes of the packages.
 - B. The one that is "on sale".
 - C. The one that costs less per ounce of net weight.
 - D. The one that has a label on it reading "10¢ off".
- K-7d
100. Joan saw an ad for a hair dryer in the newspaper. When she went to the store to buy the advertised dryer, the salesperson told her that it was of poor quality. He suggested that she purchase a different, more expensive model. What should Joan do?
- A. Report what happened to the proper authorities.
 - B. Ask to see the more expensive hair dryer.
 - C. Leave the store without doing anything.
 - D. Thank the salesperson for being so helpful.

