

Mathematics Book 1



Sample Test 2005



TIPS FOR TAKING THE SAMPLE TEST

Here are some suggestions to help you do your best:

- Be sure to read carefully all the directions in the test book.
- You may use your tools to help you solve any problem on the test.
- Read each question carefully and think about the answer before choosing your response.



Directions

Answer sample questions A and B.

Sample A

What is the greatest common factor of 12, 18, and 24?

A 2
B 3
C 6
D 12

Sample B

Simplify the expression below.

$$7x + 4 - 3x + 3$$

F 10x + 1
G 10x + 7
H 4x + 1
J 4x + 7

STOP

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- 2 Which expression is an equivalent form of $\frac{2x^3 + 4x^2}{2x^2}$?
 - **F** x + 2
 - **G** 2x(x + 1)
 - **H** $2x^{2}(x + 1)$
 - **J** $2x^{2}(x + 3)$

3 The angles shown below are supplementary. The measure of $\angle PQR$ is 2x.



What expression represents the measure of \angle STU?

- **A** 90 2*x*
- **B** 90 + 2*x*
- **C** 180 + 2*x*
- **D** 180 2*x*

Simplify the expression below.

$$(3x^2y - 5xy + 12xy^2) - (5xy^2 + 4xy)$$

- **F** $10x^2y^2 9xy$
- **G** $20x^2y^2 xy$
- **H** $3x^2y xy + 17xy^2$
- $J \quad 3x^2y 9xy + 7xy^2$

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The Horseshoe Nebula is about 5.0×10^3 light years away from Earth. One light year is equal to approximately 5.9×10^{12} miles. What is the approximate distance, in miles, between Earth and the Horseshoe Nebula?

- $\textbf{A} \quad 2.95 \times 10^{16}$
- $\textbf{B} \quad 2.95 \times 10^{36}$
- $\textbf{C} \quad 10.9\times10^{15}$
- $\textbf{D} \quad 10.9\times 10^{36}$



What is the measurement of $\angle A$?

F 30 degrees

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- **G** 60 degrees
- H 90 degrees
- J 120 degrees

7 Multiply the two binomials below.

$$(2x - 3)(2x + 3)$$

A
$$4x^2 + 9$$

B $4x^2 - 9$

C
$$4x^2 - 6x - 9$$

$$-4x = 0x = 3$$

D $4x^2 - 12x + 9$

8 Bill and Felicia each bake cookies for a party. Bill bakes 3 times as many cookies as Felicia. Felicia bakes 24 fewer cookies than Bill. Bill bakes *b* cookies and Felicia bakes *f* cookies. What pair of equations can be used to determine the number of cookies Bill and Felicia bake?

F
$$b = 3(f + 24)$$

 $f = b - 24$
G $b = 3f$
 $f = 24 - b$
H $b = 3f$
 $f = b - 24$
I $f = 3b$

$$b = f - 24$$

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Michael drew the diagram below.



Which angle is complementary to $\angle X$?

- **A** ∠P
- B ∠Q
- C ∠R
- D ∠S

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Simplify the expression below.

$$3a^2b + 6a^2b$$

- **F** 9*a*²*b*
- **G** $9a^4b^2$
- **H** 18*a*²*b*
- J $18a^4b^2$
- **11** During the summer, Breanna works at a coffee shop. She saves 75% of her earnings to buy new school clothes. If Breanna earns \$750, what is the **best** estimate for the amount of money she saves to buy clothes?
 - **A** \$100
 - **B** \$150
 - **C** \$300
 - **D** \$550

12 In the diagram below, line *k* and line *n* are parallel. Line *l* is a transversal.



What is the relationship between $\angle 1$ and $\angle 2$?

- **F** complementary
- **G** corresponding
- **H** supplementary
- J vertical
- **13** Hank sells toy cars on a web site. The web site fee is \$30. Hank sells each toy car for \$4. What inequality does Hank use to determine how many toy cars, *c*, he must sell to make a profit of **at least** \$50?
 - $\mathbf{A} \quad 34c \le 50$
 - **B** $34c \ge 50$
 - $\textbf{C} \quad 4c + 30 \leq 50$
 - $\mathbf{D} \quad 4c 30 \ge 50$

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- Linda must calculate the cost of filling her car's 12-gallon gas tank. She calculates the difference between how much gasoline her gas tank will hold and the number of gallons of gas, *g*, already in the tank. Then she multiplies the difference by the price, *p*, of one gallon of gas. What expression does Linda use to calculate the cost to fill her gas tank?
 - **F** (12 − g)p
 - **G** gp 12
 - **H** (*g* − *p*)12
 - **J** 12*p g*
- **15** Line *s* and line *t* intersect, as shown below.



Which angles are vertical?

- $\textbf{A} \quad \angle 2 \text{ and } \angle 3$
- **B** $\angle 2$ and $\angle 1$
- **C** $\angle 3$ and $\angle 4$
- $\textbf{D} \quad \angle 3 \text{ and } \angle 1$

Multiply the expression below.

$$(3x - 5)(2x - 8)$$
F $5x^2 + 3$
G $6x^2 - 40$
H $6x^2 + 34x + 40$
J $6x^2 - 34x + 40$

17 Tomás earns a 5% commission for each cellular phone he sells. On Tuesday, he sells a cellular phone for \$180. How much commission does Tomás earn on this sale?

- **A** \$9
- **B** \$36
- **C** \$90
- **D** \$189

18 The diagram below shows the tent that Sebastian bought to go on a camping trip.



[not drawn to scale]



How wide is the entire opening along the bottom of the tent?

- F 4 feet
- **G** 5 feet
- H 6 feet
- J 8 feet

- **19** What word phrase is equivalent to the equation y = 2x 3?
 - **A** The soccer coach is 3 years more than twice the age of his youngest team member.
 - **B** The soccer coach is 3 years less than twice the age of his youngest team member.
 - **C** The soccer coach is 2 years more than three times the age of his youngest team member.
 - **D** The soccer coach is 2 years less than three times the age of his youngest team member.
- **20** A number, *n*, divided by 2 is less than or equal to the product of *n* and 3. What inequality represents this relationship?

$$F \quad \frac{n}{2} \ge 3n$$
$$G \quad \frac{n}{2} \le 3n$$
$$H \quad \frac{n}{2} \ge n+3$$

$$J \quad \frac{n}{2} \le n+3$$



Which two pairs are congruent angles?

- **A** $\angle R$ and $\angle S$; $\angle T$ and $\angle U$
- **B** $\angle R$ and $\angle T$; $\angle U$ and $\angle S$
- **D** $\angle T$ and $\angle U$; $\angle T$ and $\angle S$

22 Simplify the expression below.

$$(3x^{2} - 6x - 4) - (x^{2} + 4x - 2)$$
F $2x^{2} - 10x - 2$
G $2x^{2} - 2x - 6$
H $3x^{2} - 10x - 6$

J
$$3x^2 + 10x + 2$$

23 The table below shows the number of students who attended Walters Middle School each year during a five-year period.

| Year | Number of Students |
|------|-----------------------|
| 2000 | 511 |
| 2001 | 548 |
| 2002 | 587 |
| 2003 | 664 |
| 2004 | 705 |

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What is the approximate percent increase in the number of students from 2000 to 2004?

- **A** 50%
- **B** 40%
- **C** 30%
- **D** 20%

24 The square of a number, *n*, is equal to the sum of that number and 5. Which equation represents this relationship?

- **F** 2n = n + 5
- **G** $n^2 = n + 5$
- **H** 2n = n 5
- **J** $(n + 5)^2 = n + 5$

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25 What is the measure of $\angle X$ in the diagram below?



[not drawn to scale]

A 45°

B 55°

C 125°

D 180°



Simplify the expression below.

4³

- **F** 7
- **G** 12
- **H** 43
- **J** 64

27 Factor $y^2 + 3y - 18$ into two binomials.

- A (y + 9) (y 2)
- B (y-9)(y+2)
- C (y + 6) (y 3)
- D (y 6) (y + 3)





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