# Multiple Choice Questions MATHEMATICS: GRADE 9 

## INTRODUCTION:

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$>$ To be used by learners to improve their skills in answering multiple choice questions.
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## SECTION A: NUMBERS AND NUMBER OPERATIONS

$16 \times 111-3 \times 111$ are equal to:
A 222
B 333
C 444
D 555
E 666

2 If the fractions are arranged from lowest to highest then the middle fraction is:

$$
\frac{1}{3} ; 31 \% ; \frac{3}{10} ; 0,313 ; 0,303
$$

A $\frac{1}{3}$
B 0,313
C $\quad \frac{3}{10}$
D $31 \%$
E 0,303
"Zappy Stores" gives customers four points for every R75 spent. Thandeka earned 36 points. How much did Thandeka spend at Zappy Stores?
A R375
B R450
C $\quad \mathrm{R} 525$
D R600
E R675

4 The number $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} \div \frac{1}{3}$ is equal to:
A $\frac{1}{2}$
B 1
C 2
D $\frac{1}{4}$
E $\quad \frac{3}{4}$

5 A three-digit number is divisible by 8,12 and 30 . The smallest possible number is:
A 108
B 120
C 240
D 360
E 480

The hundreds digit of the product $7777 \times 9999$ is:
A 2
B 3
C 4
D 5
E 6

7 Each child of the Dicks family has at least three sisters and at least one brother. The minimum number of children in this family is:
A 4
B 5
C 6
D 7
E 8

8 The number of whole numbers that lie between $4^{2}$ and $4^{3}$ is:
A 45
B 46
C 47
D 48
E 49

9 A watch keeps exact time, but it has only an hour hand. When the hour is $\frac{2}{5}$ of the distance between the 4 and the 5 , the correct time is:
A 04:10
B $04: 20$
C 04:22
D 04:24
E 04:26

10 The sum of the smallest and the largest of the numbers 0,$5129 ; 0,9 ; 0,89$ and 0,289 is:
A 1,189
B 0,8019
C 1,428
D 1,179
E 1,4129

11 The graph below represents the motion of a car. The graph shows us that the car is:


A accelerating
B standing still
C travelling north-east
D travelling uphill
E travelling at a constant speed
12 An approximate value for $\frac{302,476 \times 0,040328}{5,96247}$ is:
A 2
B 10
C 200
D 20000
E 10000

13 The last (units) digit of the number $333^{444}$ is:
A 1
B 5
C 3
D 7
E $\quad 9$
$14 \quad 4^{n+1}+4^{n+2}$ equals
A $\quad 8^{2 n+3}$
B $4^{2 n+3}$
C $\quad 5 \times 2^{2 n+2}$
D $\quad 5 \times 4^{2 n+3}$
E $\quad 5 \times 4^{n+3}$

15 A motorist covers 177, 5 km in 2 hours. On the open road he averages $105 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ and $40 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ in urban areas. How many minutes did he take to pass through the urban areas?
A 60
B 45
C 30
D 15
E $\quad 75$
$16 \quad 15 \%$ of R560 - 15\% of R500 is:
A R13
B $\quad$ R12
C R11
D R10
E R9

17 If the numbers $\sqrt[3]{9} ; \sqrt{5} ; 1 ; 2 ; 3$ are arrange in order of magnitude, then the middle number is:
A $\sqrt[3]{9}$
B $\sqrt{5}$
C 1
D 2
E 3

18 The six-digit number 4m61n2 is visible by both 11 and 4. The number of different combinations of $m$ and $n$ that satisfy the above condition are:
A 4
B 6
C 8
D 10
E 12

19 The greatest number of Fridays that can occur in a 75 day period is:
A 15
B 13
C 12
D 11
E 9

20 The map shows roads joining Uniondale, George and Oudtshoorn via a T-junction at T. At point $A$ is a sign which shows that $A$ is 34 km from $\mathrm{T}, 60 \mathrm{~km}$ from George and 68 km from Oudtshoorn via T . The distance, in kilometre, via T , from Oudtshoorn to George is:

$\begin{array}{llllllllll}\text { A } & 148 & \text { B } & 122 & \text { C } & 60 & \text { D } & 78 & \text { E } & 52\end{array}$

21 On earth there are about 10000000000000000 ants and 6000000000 humans. The ratio of humans to ants is approximately equal to:

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A 60 000 to 1
B 1 }666667\mathrm{ to 1
C 1 to 6000
D 1 to 1666667
E 1 to 60000000
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It takes a car 11 minutes to travel a distance of 15 kilometres. If the car travels at an average speed of $x \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$, then:

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A 50 \leqx<60
B 60 \leqx<70
C 80 \leqx< < 90
D 90 <x< < 100
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23 Three different digits are used to make all possible three-digit numbers. Of the three digits, one is 4 and one is three more than the other. If the sum of all such three-digit numbers is 2886 , then the three digits are:
A
1; 2; 4
B
4; 5; 7
C $3 ; 4 ; 6$
D $2 ; 4 ; 5$
E $\quad 4 ; 6 ; 9$

24 A women walk for three hours without stopping, first up a hill at $3 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ and then back to her starting point at $6 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ following the same route. What was the total distance that she walked?
A 12,5
B 6
C 9
D 18
E 12

25 The compound interest on R10 000 at 20\% per year calculated over a period of three years is:
A 7280
B 3640
C 364
D 728
E 17280

26 The value of $\sqrt{\frac{1600}{0,1 \times 0,1}}$ is:
A 0,4
B 4
C 40
D 400
E 4000

27 The number of times the hour hand and the minute hand of a clock from a right angle with each other between 06:00 and 12:00 on the same day, is:
A 12
B 11
C 10
D 6
E 5

28 Mary was given a task of removing all multiples of 2 and 3 from a set of numbers from 1 to 100 . The number of the remaining numbers was:
A 17
B 33
C 18
D 34
E 26

29 A sewing machine stitches 0,6 kilometres of cloth in one hour. The rate of stitching in metres per minute is:
A 0,01
B 0,1
C 1
D 10
E 100

30 The number 36 is $12 \%$ of:
A 250
B 300
C 350
D 400
E 450

31 The last digit of the number $3^{100}$ is:
A 0
B 1
C 3
D 7
E $\quad 9$

32 A 24 hour digital watch shows $19: 29: 00$ on its face. The first two digitals indicate the hours, the second two digitals the minutes and the final two digitals the seconds past midnight. The number of minutes before it shows $00: 00: 00$ is:
A 271
B 529
C 431
D 291
E 531

33 The closest answer to $\frac{2,001 \div 2,000}{1,999}$ is:
A $\quad \frac{1}{4}$
B $\quad \frac{1}{2}$
C 1
D $\quad \frac{1}{8}$
E $\quad \frac{3}{8}$

34 Which of the following is false, if $\frac{3}{5}=\frac{2}{x}$ ?
A $\quad \frac{x}{2}=\frac{5}{3}$
B $\quad \frac{x}{5}=\frac{2}{3}$
C $\frac{3}{2}=\frac{5}{x}$
D $\frac{3}{x}=\frac{5}{2}$
E $\quad 3 x=10$

35 The value of $\sqrt{64 x^{64 x^{2}}}$, if $x \neq 0$, is:
A $8 x^{8 x}$
B $8 x^{16 x}$
C $8 x^{8 x^{2}}$
D $8 x^{32 x^{2}}$
E $\quad 64 x^{32 x^{2}}$

36 2,012 + 201, 2 are:
A 203,32
B 203,032
C 201,32
D 203,212
E 202,312

37 If the square roots of the natural numbers from 1 to 200 are calculated, the number of whole numbers will be:
A 10
B 11
C 12
D 13
E 14

38 The number of positive even factors of 18 is:
A 0
B 1
C 2
D 3
E 6

39 John can dig the garden in 30 minutes, while Jack takes 20 minutes. If they work together they will work:
A 10 min
B
12 min
C $\quad 15 \mathrm{~min}$
D $\quad 25 \mathrm{~min}$
E $\quad 50 \mathrm{~min}$

40 Dan caught 40 fish in five days. Every day he caught 3 fish more than the previous day. The number of fish he caught on the third day is:
A 8
B 9
C 10
D 11
E 14

41 When a certain whole number is divided by 9 , the quotient is 6 with a remainder. When the same number is divided by 4 , the quotient is 15 with a remainder that is a quarter of the previous remainder. The whole number is:
A 56
B 57
C 58
D 62
E 63

42 South America and Africa are drifting apart at 30 cm per century. The millimetres per week that it is drifting apart are:
A 60
B 30
C 6
D 0,6
E 0,06

John says a number out loud; Jane doubles it but Rebecca multiplies it by 5 and then subtracts 6 . Both girls get the same result. The number John mentioned was:
A 5
B 4
C 3
D 2
E $\quad 1$

44 The final amount if R450 is increased by $10 \%$ and then decrease by $15 \%$ is:
A R490
B R472,50
C R475
D R420,75
E R427,50

45 It takes one man 6 hours to paint a 3 m by 12 m wall. The time that 4 men will paint a 6 m by 12 m wall, will be:
A 3 hours
B 2 hours
C 4 hours
D 12 hours
E 24hours
$46 \quad 3^{2} .5^{3}$ is equivalent to:
A 3.3.5.5.5
B 6.15
C 3.3.5.5
D $\quad 15.15$
E $\quad 9.15$

47 The chart shows the number of symphony tickets sold by 11:00 on Thursday.

| Time | Number of tickets |
| :---: | :---: |
| 09:00-09:29 | 65 |
| $09: 30-09: 59$ | 78 |
| $10: 00-10: 29$ | 94 |
| $10: 30-11: 00$ | 36 |

The total number of tickets sold before 10:30 is:
A 143
B 237
C 273
D 723
E 78
$48 \quad 0,821$ expressed as a percentage is:
A 0,821\%
B 8,21\%
C $82,1 \%$
D $821 \%$
E $8 \%$
$49 \quad(7+3) \times 4$ are:

A $(7 \times 4)+(3 \times 4)$
B $7+(3 \times 4)$
C $7+(3+4)$
D $(7+4) \times(3+4)$
E $\quad(7+3)+4$

50 Martin bought a package of 15 chocolates for R27, 96. He used the equation $15 \mathrm{~d}=27,96$ to find the cost of one chocolate, d . The equivalent to this equation is:

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { A } & d=27,96-15 \\
\text { B } & d=(27,96)(15) \\
\text { C } & d=27,96+115 \\
\text { D } & d=\frac{27,96}{15} \\
\text { E } & d=27,96+15
\end{array}
$$

51 A train travelling at an average speed of 53 km per hour. At this rate of speed, the estimate time for the train to travel 279 km is:
A 4 h
B 5 h
C 8 h
D $\quad 11 \mathrm{~h}$
E 13 h

52 According to the box label, 8 crackers contain 3 grams of sugar. The proportion of G , the number of grams of sugar in 20 crackers will be:
A $\frac{3}{8}=\frac{G}{20}$
B $\frac{8}{G}=\frac{20}{3}$
C $\frac{8}{28}=\frac{G}{3}$
D $\frac{20}{8}=\frac{3}{G}$
E $\quad \frac{28}{3}=\frac{20}{G}$

53 Lindiwe watched a movie for $2 \frac{1}{4}$ hours, played soccer for $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours and washed the dishes for $\frac{3}{4}$ hour. The total time she spent on these tasks is:
A $2 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~h}$
B $3 \frac{3}{4} h$
C $4 \frac{1}{2} h$
D 5 h
E $2 h$

54 The winning time in a swimming race was 0,89 seconds faster than the second-place time of 57,47 seconds. The winning time was:
A 56,58
B 57,58
C 58,36
D 59,36
E 57,47

55 The group of decimals in ascending order is:

A 261,2; 261,3; 261,342; 261,4
B 261,2; 261,3; 261,4; 261,342
C 261,342; 261,4; 261,3; 261,2
D 261,4; 261,342; 261,3; 261,2
E 261,03; 261, 30; 261,33; 261,003

56 Which group of fractions is in descending order?
A $\frac{2}{3} ; \frac{3}{4} ; \frac{5}{8} ; \frac{5}{6}$
B $\frac{5}{8} ; \frac{2}{3} ; \frac{3}{4} ; \frac{5}{6}$
C $\frac{2}{3} ; \frac{3}{4} ; \frac{5}{6} ; \frac{5}{8}$
D $\frac{5}{6} ; \frac{3}{4} ; \frac{2}{3} ; \frac{5}{8}$
E $\frac{2}{3} ; \frac{1}{2} ; \frac{3}{4} ; \frac{4}{5}$

57 The price of a car decrease by $25 \%$ over an 8 -month period. To find the amount of the decrease in a car originally priced at R238000, multiply R238 000 by:
A $\frac{1}{20}$
B
$\frac{1}{5}$
C $\quad \frac{1}{4}$
D $\frac{1}{10}$
E
$\frac{4}{5}$

58 Sipho memorized 5 out of 7 songs for a music competition. What percent of the songs did he memorize?
A $40 \%$
B 55\%
C $65 \%$
D $71 \%$
E $85 \%$

59 Audrey has R5 000 in her savings account that earns 3,75\% annual interest. What is a reasonable estimate of interest she will earn in 1 year?
A $\quad$ R500
B R400
C R300
D R200
E R100
$60 \quad\left(-2 x^{2}\right)^{3}$ is equivalent to:
A $8 x^{5}$
B $\quad-2 x^{6}$
C $8 x^{6}$
D $8 x^{5}$
E $\quad-8 x^{6}$

61 A book that normally sells for R35 is on sale at $25 \%$ off. The best estimate sale price is:
A R9
B R32
C R26
D R43
E R31
$62120 \%$ of Ellie's weight equals $75 \%$ of James' weight. The ratio of Ellie's weight to James' weight is:
A $\quad \frac{5}{8}$
B
c
D $\quad \frac{4}{39}$
E $\quad \frac{8}{13}$

## SECTION B: ALGEBRA

1 The next number in the pattern of $9 ; 10 ; 13 ; 18 ;$ is:
A 21
B 23
C 25
D 29
E 19

2 The next term in the sequence 1; 2; 4; 7; 11; $\qquad$
A 12
B 14
C 16
D 18
E 21

3 If $a=2$ and $b=3$ then the answer of $b^{a-1}+a^{b+1}$ are:
A 19
B 25
C 17
D 13
E 21

4 If $3 x-15=0$, then $x$ is equal to
A 2
B 3
C 4
D 5
E 6

5 The next number in the pattern $2 ; 3 ; 6 ; 15 ; 42 ; \ldots$ is
A 111
B 123
C 135
D 148
E 162

6 The arrangement below is called Pascal's Triangle


The sum of the numbers in the first row is 1.
The sum of the numbers in the first row is 3 .
The sum of the numbers in the first 3 rows is 7 , etc.
If these triangle arrangements is continued then the sum of the numbers in the first 15 rows is:
A $\quad 2^{14}-1$
B $\quad 2^{15}+1$
C $\quad 2^{15}-1$
D $\quad 2^{16}+1$
E $\quad 2^{14}+1$

7 Nine points lie in a plane, as shown above. If any three points are joined to form a triangle, then the numbers of all possible triangles that can be drawn are:

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A 22
B 24
C 26
D 32
E 34

8 If $(x-1)(x+2)=0$, then $x$ is:
A -1 or 2
B $\quad 1$ or -2
C 1
D -2
E 0
$9 \quad$ The equation $(a+b)^{2}=a^{2}+b^{2}$ is:
A False for all values of $a$ and $b$
B Is true only if $a=b=0$
C Is true if both $a$ and $b$ are equal to 1
D Is true if at least one of a or $b$ is 0
E Is true for all values of $a$ and $b$

10 Leon calculates the value of $n^{2}+n-1$ for $n$ values from 2 up to 10 . The number of prime numbers is:
A 0
B 1
C 2
D 3
E More

11 The missing number in the following sequence is:


| A | 5 | B | 20 | C | 21 | D | 10 | E | 425 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

12 The $20^{\text {th }}$ term of the sequence $5 ; 11 ; 17 ; \ldots$ is:
A 100
B 119
C 121
D 139
E 141

The equation of line $k$ is:

A $x=2$
B $x=-2$
C $y=2$
D $y=-2$
E $y=x$

14 Which expression is equivalent to $2 x+4=8$ ?

A $2 x+4-4=8+4$
B $2 x+2=4$
C $6 x=8$
D $2 x+4-4=8-4$
E $2 x=2$
$15\left(7 x^{2}+3 y\right)-\left(3 x^{2}+5 y\right)$ is equivalent to:
A $4 x^{2}-2 y$
B $\quad 4 x^{4}-2 y^{2}$
C $4 x^{2}+8 y$
D $4 x^{4}+8 y^{2}$
E $\quad 2 x^{2} y$

16 If $b$ is a real number such that $b^{2}=b+1$. Then which of the following is NOT true?

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { A } & b^{3}=b^{2}+b \\
\text { B } & b^{4}=b^{3}+b+1 \\
\text { C } & b^{3}=2 b+1 \\
\text { D } & b^{3}+b^{2}=b+1 \\
\text { E } & b=\frac{1}{b-1}
\end{array}
$$

17 If $a+b=-3$ and $a b=4$, then $a^{3}+b^{3}$ equals:
A 6
B $3 \sqrt{2}$
C 5
D $\frac{-3+2 \sqrt{2}}{4}$
E 9

18 The value of $m$ in $-3(m-2)>12$, is:
A $m>-2$
B $\quad m<2$
C $\quad m>2$
D $\quad m<-6$
E $\quad m<-2$

19 The gradient of the graphs defined by $x-2 y+5=0$, is:
A $m=1$
B $m=-1$
C $m=\frac{1}{2}$
D $m=-\frac{1}{2}$
E $\quad m=-2$

20 The $x$-intercept of the graph defined by $y=\frac{5}{2} x-1$, is:
A 0,4
B 2,5
C 1
D -1
E $\quad-0,4$

## SECTION C: GEOMETRY

$1 \Delta \mathrm{EFG}$ is similar to $\Delta \mathrm{KLM}$. The size of $\widehat{M}$ is:

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A $40^{\circ}$
B $\quad 60^{\circ}$
C $\quad 70^{\circ}$
D $80^{\circ}$
E $\quad 30^{\circ}$
$2 \triangle A B C$ is a right triangle with $A B=26 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $B C=15 \mathrm{~cm}$. The length of the hypotenuse is:
A $\quad 21 \mathrm{~cm}$
B 26 cm
C $\quad 30 \mathrm{~cm}$
D $\quad 52 \mathrm{~cm}$
E $\quad 41 \mathrm{~cm}$

3 The diagonal of a rectangular cardboard with a length of 40 cm and a width of 30 cm , is:
A 60 cm
B $\quad 35 \mathrm{~cm}$
C $\quad 50 \mathrm{~cm}$
D $\quad 25 \mathrm{~cm}$
E $\quad 70 \mathrm{~cm}$

4 A quadrilateral with one pair of opposite sides parallel is called a:

A pentagon
B triangle
C trapezium
D kite
E rectangle

Janet made apple sauce to fill a cylindrical jar with a radius of 5 cm and a height of 12 cm . If she makes the same amount of sauces and places it in a jar with the same radius but half the volume, how tall should the new jar be?
A 9 cm
B $\quad 8 \mathrm{~cm}$
C 7 cm
D 6 cm
E 5 cm

The circumference of a circle with radius 2 is:
A $\quad \pi$
B $2 \pi$
C $4 \pi$
D $\quad 6 \pi$
E $8 \pi$

What is the area of the parallelogram?

A $38 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
B $\quad 42 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
C $48 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
D $\quad 54 m^{2}$
E $\quad 32 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$

8 In the given regular octagon, the size $x$ in degrees, is:

A $22 \frac{1}{2}$
B 45
C $\quad 67 \frac{1}{2}$
D 90
E $112 \frac{1}{2}$

9 The area of the shaded triangle, written as a fraction of the regular hexagon is:

A
B $\quad \frac{1}{5}$
C $\quad \frac{1}{4}$
D $\frac{1}{3}$
E $\quad \frac{1}{2}$

10 Rectangle $A B C D$ has sides $A B$ and $B C$ in the ratio 3: 1. If the diagonal $A C$ is 5 , then the area of the rectangle is:
A 9
B $\frac{15}{2}$
C 8
D $\quad 10$
E $\quad \frac{20}{3}$

11 If $A B C D E$ is a regular pentagon and $E B$ and $A C$ intersect at $O$, then the size of angle $E \widehat{O} C$ in degrees is:

A
100
B 108
C 135
D 96
E 90

12 A piece of paper is cut out and labelled as shown in the diagram. It is folded along the dotted lines to make an open box. If the box is placed on a table so that the top of the box is open, then the label at the bottom of the box is:

A U
B V
C W
D X
E Y

13 A beam of light shines from a point $S$, reflects off a reflector (mirror image) at point P , and reaches a point T so that PT is perpendicular to RS. The value of $x$ is:

A 26
B 32
C 37
D $\quad 38$
E 45

14 You need to travel from $A$ to $B$ along the lines as shown in the sketch. You may only move downwards. The number of different paths that can be taken from $A$ to $B$ is:

A 9
B 10
C 11
D 12
E
13

Which net will not form a closed triangular prism?
A


B


C


D


E


The area of the shaded square (in $\mathrm{cm}^{2}$ ) in the diagram below is:

A 20
B 36
C 41
D 61
E 81

17 A rectangle is divided in half so that two squares are formed. If each square has a perimeter of 36 cm , then the area of the rectangle is:
A 36
B
54
C 72
D 81
E 162

Triangle RST is a right triangle. The length of RS is:

A 26 m
B $\quad 24 \mathrm{~m}$
C $\quad 22 m$
D $\quad 21 \mathrm{~m}$
E 48 m

19 The amount of soft drink in a glass would most likely be expressed in:

A Kiloliters
B litres
C centimetres
D millimetres
E meters

20 The Barn family plans to fence a rectangular yard that measures 32 m by 56 m . The length of fencing material that they would need is:
A 88 m
B 176 m
C $1,792 \mathrm{~m}$
D 1900 m
E
$1792 m$

21 A closed six-sided figure is called:

A Rectangle
B Hexagon
C Octagon
D Pentagon
E Parallelogram
$22 \Delta X Y Z$ is similar to $\triangle A B C$. The length of $A C$ is:

A 9 cm
B $\quad 10 \mathrm{~cm}$
C $\quad 20 \mathrm{~cm}$
D $\quad 21 \mathrm{~cm}$
E $\quad 18 \mathrm{~cm}$

23 A triangle with no equal sides is called:
A a scalene triangle
B a right angle
C an isosceles triangle
D a straight triangle
E an quadrilateral triangle

24 Gabe made a box in the form of a cube with edges 50 cm long to use as a display table. To cover it with wallpaper he will need:

A $3 m^{2}$
B $\quad 1,5 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
C $0,25 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
D $\quad 1,25 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$
E $\quad 6 m^{2}$

25 A scale model for a car is 8 cm long. If 2 cm represents 3 meters, what is the actual length of the car?
A 6 m
B 8 m
C $\quad 12 \mathrm{~m}$
D 18 m
E 16 m

## SECTION D: DATA HANDLING

1 The test scores in Pinkie's mathematics class are shown in the table. Which represents the mean score for the class?

| TEST SCORES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 88 | 90 | 98 | 95 | 98 |
| 92 | 88 | 89 | 85 | 82 |
| 78 | 88 | 87 | 89 | 86 |
| 92 | 91 | 79 | 95 | 99 |
| 85 | 85 | 83 | 84 | 90 |

A 85
B 87
C 88,6
D 89
E 21

2 A survey was conducted in the nine grade class at Nokulunga High School. 45 students stated that they had a computer at home with e-mail access. 180 students were surveyed. In a group of 800 nine graders, which is the best prediction of how many have e-mail access?
A 200
B 180
C 120
D 110
E $\quad 100$

3 The high temperatures for the last 5 days in January were $31^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 32^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 29^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, 26^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $32^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. The median of these temperatures are:
A $\quad 30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
B $\quad 32^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
C $\quad 31^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
D $\quad 26^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
E $\quad 31,5^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$

4 A protest march goes through town from the Mall (M) to the Community Centre (CC).


If the march can only travel east or south, then the number of different possible routes is:
A 6
B 10
C 4
D 8
E 9

5 A vendor has an equal arm balance and four weights she uses to weigh her fruit. The weights are $1 \mathrm{~kg}, 2 \mathrm{~kg}, 4 \mathrm{~kg}$ and 8 kg . If the weights are only placed on one end of the balance and the fruit is placed on the other end, how many different weight combinations can she use?
A 15
B 13
C 11
D 9
E 7

Anne, Bongi and Carol are wearing dresses and shoes that are green, black or yellow. No two dresses or pairs of shoes are the same colour. Anne has yellow shoes. Bongi does not have a black dress or black shoes and only Carol has the same colour dress and shoes. Bongi has

A a green dress and yellow shoes
B a black dress and green shoes
C a green dress and green shoes
D a green dress and black shoes
E a yellow dress and green shoes

A 8


B 12


C 20


D 24

E 4

The position of a submarine changed -102 meters in 6 minutes. The average change per minute is:
A $\quad 27 \mathrm{~m}$
B $\quad 17 \mathrm{~m}$
C $\quad-27 m$
D $\quad-17 m$
E $\quad-96 m$

Wesley has 6 green, 4 pink, 2 white and 8 blue blocks in a bag. The probability that he randomly selects a green block from the bag, is:
A $\frac{3}{10}$
B
C $\quad \frac{8}{10}$
D $\frac{9}{10}$
E $\quad \frac{8}{20}$

The nine-grade student council surveyed the students about their favourite colour school shirts. The graph shows the results:


If the class has 250 members, which is the best prediction of the number who prefer blue?
A 25
B 30
C 35
D 40
E 45

14 A list of the areas in $\mathrm{km}^{2}$ of the principal islands of the world is given below.

| Name of island | Area in $\mathbf{k m}^{\mathbf{2}}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Greenland | 2175000 |
| New Guinea | 789900 |
| Borneo | 75100 |
| Madagascar | 587041 |
| Baffin Land | 507451 |
| Sumatra | 422200 |
| Honshu | 230092 |
| Britain | 229849 |
| Victoria | 217290 |
| Ellesmere | 196236 |
| Sulawesi | 178700 |

If intervals of $250000 \mathrm{~km}^{2}$ are used, in which interval will most of the islands fall?

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A 0
B 250 000 \leqx<500000
C }500000\leqx<75000
D 750000 \leqx<1000000
E 2000000 \leqx<2250000
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15 The following records for Javelin (in m) were recorded between the years 1963 to 1983.

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59,78 & 69,52 & 69,96 & 70,08 & 71,88 & 72,4 & 74,2
\end{array} 74,76
$$

The mean (average) distance was:

| A | 14,98 | B | 70,98 | C | 70,3225 | D | 71,88 | E | 70,08 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

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The range of distances is:
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B 70,98
C 70,3225
D 71,88
E
70,08

17 The results of a survey on the reasons that teens spend time as volunteers are shown in the table below:

| Reason | Number of teens |
| :--- | :---: |
| To help others | 47 |
| Enjoy the work | 38 |
| Lots of free time | 25 |
| To learn | 24 |
| For a friend | 20 |
| Religion | 19 |
| Past experience | 10 |
| Other | 7 |
| Don't know | 2 |

Out of 576 teen volunteers, how many would you expect volunteer because they enjoy the work?
A 38
B 95
C 538
D 114
E 192

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You need to draw a pie graph of the data. How many degrees of the circle will the time spend for a friend take up?
A $\quad 13^{\circ}$
B $\quad 20^{\circ}$
C $\quad 72^{\circ}$
D $\quad 9^{\circ}$
E $\quad 47^{\circ}$

19 There are 3 blue pencils, 5 green pencils, 2 black pencils, and 6 red pencils in a drawer. Suppose you grab one pencil at random. What will the probability be that you will a grab a blue or a red pencil?
A $\quad \frac{3}{8}$
B $\quad \frac{9}{16}$
C $\quad \frac{3}{16}$
D $\frac{1}{2}$
E
$\frac{2}{3}$

20 The bar graph shows the results of a survey to what music people listen in the car.


If you owned a store that specialised in car stereos, what type of music would you have playing?

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { A } & \text { Pop } \\
\text { B } & \text { Classic } \\
\text { C } & \text { Rock } \\
\text { D } & \text { Jazz } \\
\text { E } & \text { Country }
\end{array}
$$

