

Achievement Test Analysis



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Category	Subcategory	Reading Learning Objective	Correct	
Comprehension	Generalizations	Make general statements about a passage	15 of 15 ●	
	Inference	Make inferences from information presented	7 of 10 ●	
	Interpretation	Ask and answer questions about a passage (general)	7 of 7 ●	
	Interpretation	Ask and answer questions about a passage (math/logic)	7 of 7 ●	
	Interpretation	Ask and answer questions about a passage (science)	10 of 15 ●	
	Interpretation	Ask and answer questions about a passage (social studies/geography)	9 of 9 ●	
	Interpretation	Identify elements of a story (author's purpose)	3 of 3 ●	
	Interpretation	Provide answers to questions (reworded facts)	13 of 16 ●	
	Interpretation	Provide answers to questions (stated facts)	4 of 4 ●	
	Relationships	Identify relationships between story elements (comparison/contrast)	3 of 3 ●	
	Relationships	Identify relationships between story elements (identify cause/effect)	2 of 3 ●	
	Reference Skills	Index & Glossary	Identify location and use of a bibliography	1 of 1 ●
		Index & Glossary	Identify location and use of an appendix	1 of 1 ●
Index & Glossary		Identify use of the glossary	1 of 1 ●	
Reference Types		Use a dictionary to find word meanings (standard)	0 of 1 ○	
Reference Types		Use a specialized dictionary (unabridged)	1 of 1 ●	
Vocabulary	Research Skills	Identify research- and reference-related terms	2 of 2 ●	
	Words in Context	Identify similar word meaning by context	33 of 40 ●	

Category	Subcategory	Mathematics Learning Objective	Correct
Computation & Operations	Problem Solving Skills	Use logical reasoning	7 of 7 ●
	Addition Computation	Add 3 or more numbers	7 of 8 ●
	Addition Computation	Add multiple-digit numbers (2 - 3 digits)	2 of 2 ●
	Addition Computation	Add multiple-digit numbers (4 or more digits)	6 of 7 ●
	Addition Computation	Add numbers with decimals	5 of 5 ●
	Addition Computation	Add numbers with fractions	3 of 4 ●
	Addition Computation	Add numbers with regrouping (carrying)	7 of 7 ●
	Division Computation	Divide by multiple-digit number (divisor) (2 digits)	2 of 3 ●
	Division Computation	Divide by multiple-digit number (divisor) (3 or more digits)	1 of 1 ●
	Division Computation	Divide multiple-digit number (dividend) (2 to 3 digits)	3 of 4 ●
	Division Computation	Divide multiple-digit number (dividend) (4 or more digits)	3 of 4 ●
	Division Computation	Divide number with remainder (as fraction)	1 of 2 ●
	Division Computation	Divide numbers with decimals	2 of 2 ●
	Division Computation	Divide numbers with fractions	2 of 5 ●
	Division Computation	Solve division by a number (multiples of 10 or 100)	1 of 1 ●
	Division Computation	Use division algorithm (std long division problem setup)	3 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Calculate fractions (add & subtract)	6 of 8 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Calculate fractions (multiply & divide)	4 of 10 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Calculate money amounts with decimals (add)	4 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Calculate money amounts with decimals (mult & divide)	3 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Calculate money amounts with decimals (subtract)	0 of 1 ○
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Compare and order decimals	1 of 1 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Compare and order fractions	1 of 1 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Convert between fraction, decimal & percent equivalents	9 of 10 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Convert between improper fractions and mixed numbers	3 of 8 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Convert between improper fractions and whole numbers	1 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Find lowest common denominator	3 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Find percent of a group or set	1 of 1 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Find percent of a number	0 of 1 ○
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Find percent of change (based on original)	1 of 1 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Identify and calculate equivalent fractions	3 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Simplify complex fractions	2 of 2 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Simplify fractions	2 of 4 ●
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Solve fraction problems (horizontal)	4 of 9 ●

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	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Solve problems containing mixed numbers	2 of 9	
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Use ratios to set up a proportion	3 of 3	
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Work with proportions (solve for missing number)	3 of 3	
	Fractions , Decimals, Percents	Write a fraction to show part of a set	2 of 2	
	Money Identification	Read & write money amounts with symbols (Over \$10)	1 of 1	
	Money Operations	Calculate interest (simple)	1 of 1	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply by multiple-digit numbers (multipliers or factors) (2 to 3 digits)	3 of 6	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply multiple-digit numbers (multiplicands or factors) (2 to 3 digits)	6 of 8	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply multiple-digit numbers (multiplicands or factors) (4 or more digits)	2 of 3	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply numbers with decimals	1 of 2	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply numbers with fractions	2 of 5	
	Multiplication Computation	Multiply numbers with regrouping (carrying)	5 of 7	
	Multiplication Computation	Raise a number to a specified power (cube)	1 of 1	
	Multiplication Computation	Solve multiplication by a number (10, 100, 1000, 10000)	1 of 1	
	Multiplication Computation	Solve multiplication by a number (multiple of 10, 100, 1000)	1 of 1	
	Multiplication Computation	Use multiplication algorithm	2 of 2	
	Multiplication Concepts	Identify multiples	0 of 1	
	Operational Concepts	Perform operations with mixed measurement units (linear/area)	3 of 3	
	Operational Concepts	Perform operations with mixed measurement units (regrouping)	6 of 6	
	Operational Concepts	Perform operations with mixed measurement units (time)	1 of 1	
	Operational Concepts	Perform operations with mixed measurement units (weight/mass)	1 of 1	
	Operational Concepts	Use correct order of operations	4 of 5	
	Problem Solving Skills	Apply math to other areas (everyday life)	13 of 15	
	Problem Solving Skills	Identify steps in a process	5 of 6	
	Problem Solving Skills	Simplify a problem (removing irrelevant information)	2 of 2	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract by multiple-digit numbers (subtrahends) (2 to 3 digits)	4 of 4	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract by multiple-digit numbers (subtrahends) (4 or more digits)	3 of 4	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract from multiple-digit numbers (minuends) (2 to 3 digits)	3 of 3	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract from multiple-digit numbers (minuends) (4 or more digits)	4 of 5	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract numbers with decimals	3 of 4	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract numbers with fractions	3 of 4	
	Subtraction Computation	Subtract numbers with regrouping (borrowing)	5 of 6	
Data Analysis & Probability	Charts and Tables	Locate information on a table	0 of 1	
	Ranges, Mean, Median, Mode	Collect information on a set of data (mean)	1 of 2	
Geometry & Spatial Sense	Angles	Identify angles (Acute, Obtuse)	1 of 1	
	Line Relationships	Identify symbols for line relationships (, ⊥, ≡)	1 of 1	
Measurement	Area	Calculate area of a given shape (rectangle)	1 of 1	
	Area	Identify the formula used to calculate area (rectangle)	1 of 1	
	Area	Identify the formula used to calculate area (triangle)	0 of 1	
	General	Work with metric prefixes (convert between)	0 of 1	
	General	Work with metric prefixes (identify)	0 of 1	
	Maps & Scale	Make estimates based on map (area)	0 of 1	
	Maps & Scale	Make estimates based on map (perimeter)	0 of 1	
	Volume & Capacity	Calculate volume of a prism (rectangular)	1 of 1	
	Volume & Capacity	Identify the formula used to find volume of a prism (rectangular)	1 of 1	
Numbers & Number Sense	Digits & Place Values	Write numbers in expanded form (convert to standard)	1 of 1	
	Digits & Place Values	Write numbers in expanded form (decimals)	1 of 1	
	Digits & Place Values	Write numbers in expanded form (with powers of 10)	1 of 1	
	Misc Concepts	Identify integers	0 of 1	
	Multiples & Factors	Identify factors of a given number	1 of 1	
	Multiples & Factors	Identify prime and composite numbers	1 of 1	
	Odd & Even	Identify even and odd numbers	1 of 1	
	Ordering	Compare numbers and specify greater than and less than (3 or more digits)	1 of 1	
	Ordering	Order a set of given numbers	1 of 1	
	Powers & Roots	Identify symbols associated with powers and roots ($\sqrt{\quad}$, $\sqrt[3]{\quad}$, 2 , 3)	1 of 1	
	Reading and Writing	Read and write whole numbers (up to 10,000)	1 of 1	
	Reading and Writing	Write numbers with numerals	2 of 2	
	Reading and Writing	Write numbers (decimals)	1 of 1	
	Reading and Writing	Write numbers with words	2 of 2	
	Roman Numerals	Read and write Roman numerals	1 of 1	
Patterns, Functions, Algebra	Expressions	Combine positive and negative numbers (addition, subtraction)	1 of 1	
	Expressions	Simplify operations containing parentheses (multiplication, division)	2 of 2	
	Number Sentences and Equations	Combine terms with variables (addition, subtraction)	1 of 1	
	Number Sentences and Equations	Combine terms with variables (multiplication, division)	1 of 1	

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Number Sentences and Equations	Identify and use comparison symbols: =, >, < (basic)	0 of 1	○
Number Sentences and Equations	Solve one-step equations (with whole numbers)	1 of 1	●
Number Sentences and Equations	Solve two-step equations (with whole numbers)	1 of 1	●
Number Sentences and Equations	Use variables and letters (replace with numbers or letters)	0 of 2	○
Number Sentences and Equations	Use variables and letters (solve for in sentences)	1 of 1	●
Number Sentences and Equations	Write and solve number sentences (addition, subtraction)	0 of 1	○
Number Sentences and Equations	Write and solve number sentences (inequalities)	0 of 2	○
Number Sentences and Equations	Write and solve number sentences (multiplication, division)	0 of 1	○

Language

Category	Subcategory	Learning Objective	Correct
Capitalization	Beginning Words: Quotations	Capitalize beginning words (quotations)	3 of 4 ●
	Beginning Words: Sentences	Capitalize beginning words (sentences)	3 of 3 ●
	Pronoun "I"	Capitalize the pronoun "I"	1 of 1 ●
	Proper Adjectives	Capitalize proper adjectives	2 of 2 ●
	Proper Nouns: Dates	Capitalize proper nouns (days & dates)	1 of 1 ●
	Proper Nouns: Groups	Capitalize proper nouns (groups)	3 of 3 ●
	Proper Nouns: Languages	Capitalize proper nouns (languages)	1 of 1 ●
	Proper Nouns: Names	Capitalize proper nouns (names of persons)	3 of 3 ●
	Proper Nouns: Places	Capitalize proper nouns (names of places)	10 of 10 ●
	Recognize Correct	Recognize correct capitalization	4 of 5 ●
	Titles	Capitalize titles (literature)	4 of 4 ●
	Titles	Capitalize titles (personal)	3 of 3 ●
	Punctuation	Apostrophe: Contraction	Use apostrophes correctly (contraction)
Apostrophe: Possession		Use apostrophes correctly (possession)	1 of 4 ○
Comma: Addresses		Use commas correctly (addresses)	1 of 1 ●
Comma: Correspondence		Use commas correctly (correspondence)	1 of 1 ●
Comma: Dates		Use commas correctly (dates)	2 of 2 ●
Comma: Sentence Interrupters		Use commas correctly (sentence interrupters)	5 of 5 ●
Comma: Series		Use commas correctly (series)	1 of 2 ○
Comma: With Clauses		Use commas correctly (with clauses)	1 of 1 ●
Period: Abbreviations		Use periods correctly (abbreviation)	0 of 1 ○
Period: Ending Sentence		Use periods correctly (ending sentence)	6 of 7 ●
Question Mark		Use question marks correctly	1 of 1 ●
Quotation Mark		Use quotation marks correctly (closing)	3 of 3 ●
Quotation Mark		Use quotation marks correctly (opening)	0 of 1 ○
Recognize Correct		Recognize correction punctuation	7 of 8 ●
Spelling		Basic Spelling	Recognize and use correct spelling (letter insertion)
	Basic Spelling	Recognize and use correct spelling (letter inversion)	2 of 4 ○
	Basic Spelling	Recognize and use correct spelling (letter omission)	5 of 8 ●
	Basic Spelling	Recognize and use correct spelling (letter substitution)	6 of 11 ●
	Double Consonant	Recognize and use correct spelling (double consonants)	3 of 4 ●
	Internal Vowel	Recognize and use correct spelling (internal vowels)	9 of 13 ●
	Letter Reversal: General	Recognize and use correct spelling (letter reversal)	1 of 3 ○
	Letter Reversal: ie - ei	Recognize and use correct spelling (ie-ei reversal)	1 of 3 ○
	Multi-sound Consonant	Recognize and use correct spelling (multi-sound consonants)	2 of 5 ○
	Recognize Correct	Recognize and use correct spelling (no errors)	5 of 5 ●
	Silent Letter	Recognize and use correct spelling (silent letters)	6 of 10 ●
	Suffix	Recognize and use correct spelling (suffix)	2 of 4 ○
	Vowel + r	Recognize and use correct spelling (vowel + r)	0 of 1 ○
Structure	Inflectional Morphemes	Identify inflectional morphemes	0 of 2 ○
	Sentence Parts: Connectors	Identify parts of sentences (connectors, prepositions)	0 of 1 ○
	Sentence Parts: Modifiers	Identify parts of sentences (modifiers)	2 of 3 ●
	Sentence Parts: Noun	Identify parts of sentences (nouns, pronouns, phrases)	1 of 4 ○
	Sentence Parts: Other	Identify parts of sentences (prepositional phrases)	1 of 1 ●
	Sentence Parts: Verb	Identify parts of sentences (subject, predicate)	0 of 1 ○
	Sentence Parts: Verb	Identify parts of sentences (verbs, verbals, phrases)	3 of 6 ○
	Sentence Structure: Complete	Identify types of sentences (complex)	0 of 1 ○
	Sentence Structure: Complete	Identify types of sentences (compound)	0 of 1 ○
	Sentence Structure: Complete	Identify types of sentences (run-on)	1 of 1 ●
	Sentence Structure: Complete	Identify types of sentences (simple)	1 of 2 ○
	Sentence Structure: Incomplete	Identify types of sentences (incomplete or fragment)	1 of 1 ●
	Transformation	Transform sentences from one type to another	3 of 3 ●
	Transformation	Transform sentences from one type to another (active/passive)	1 of 1 ●

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	Transformation	Transform sentences from one type to another (question)	1 of 1	●
Usage	Standard English: Case	Use correct case in nouns and pronouns (nominative)	2 of 2	●
	Standard English: Case	Use correct case in nouns and pronouns (objective)	7 of 7	●
	Standard English: Number	Use subject-verb number agreement	6 of 6	●
	Standard English: Tense	Use correct verb tense (simple)	1 of 1	●
	Standard English: Tense	Use correct verb tense (with auxiliary)	4 of 4	●
	Standard English: Usage	Use standard English usage (confused verbs)	4 of 4	●
	Standard English: Usage	Use standard English usage (misc errors)	0 of 1	○
	Standard English: Usage	Use standard English usage (no error)	1 of 3	●
	Standard English: Usage	Use standard English usage (reflexive pronouns)	1 of 1	●
	Standard English: Usage	Use standard English usage (use of negatives)	0 of 1	○

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