

Pretest and Post-test

Questions for Whole-Group Oral Testing

Date _____

Class _____

Pretest ____ Post-test ____

Please administer this test orally. Have students answer by holding up either one or two fingers, or writing the number 1 or the number 2 on a whiteboard. Then indicate whether most, some, few, or none of the students answered the question correctly, by circling the appropriate answer.

1. Kim plays soccer on Saturday mornings. What is Kim taking part in?
 1) A family chore 2) A leisure activity
 Most Some Few None
2. The boys and girls were dressed in their finest clothes for the party. Which of the following is another way to say this?
 1) They were neatly attired 2) They were neatly composed
 Most Some Few None
3. Jimmy didn't study for today's test. What will happen when he gets to school?
 1) He will have an opportunity 2) He will have a disadvantage
 Most Some Few None
4. Roz put a shell and a rock side by side in a photograph. What was she doing?
 1) Expressing the objects 2) Juxtaposing the objects
 Most Some Few None
5. Which of the following objects is usually opaque?
 1) A glass 2) A shoe
 Most Some Few None
6. Yoki will drink just a little bit of milk because there is not much left. What is she doing?
 1) Conserving milk 2) Recycling milk
 Most Some Few None
7. Theo wrote a story about growing up in Spain. What did he write?
 1) A narrative 2) An inscription
 Most Some Few None
8. When a family was caught in a storm while hiking, they made a shelter out of branches. What was the family doing?
 1) Automating 2) Improvising
 Most Some Few None
9. The puppy has a cold nose and a long tail. What type of qualities are these?
 1) Advantages 2) Attributes
 Most Some Few None
10. Pioneers traveled from east to west across the Great Plains. What did they do?
 1) Traverse the Great Plains 2) Transmit the Great Plains
 Most Some Few None

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Answers

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2. The boys and girls were dressed in their finest clothes for the party. Which of the following is another way to say this? (They were neatly attired.)
3. Jimmy didn't study for today's test. What will happen when he gets to school? (He will have a disadvantage.)
4. Roz put a shell and a rock side by side in a photograph. What was she doing? (juxtaposing the objects)
5. Which of the following objects is usually opaque? (a shoe)
6. Yoki will drink just a little bit of milk because there is not much left. What is she doing? (conserving milk)
7. Theo wrote a story about growing up in Spain. What did he write? (a narrative)
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