



-ANSWER SHEET-

# NATIONAL SOCIAL STUDIES LEAGUE - 2022

Grade 3 and Grade 4 Contest

TIME: 35 Minutes

DATE: April 25 through May 6, 2022

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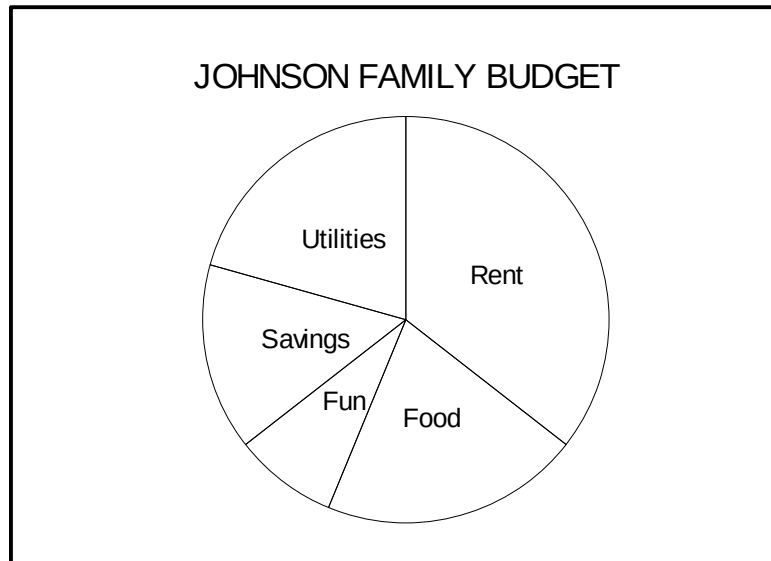
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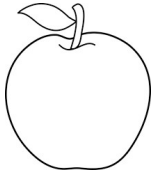
USE THIS CIRCLE GRAPH TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 8 AND 9:



8. This graph tells us \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. how much money the Johnsons make
  - B. how the Johnsons use their money
  - C. where the Johnsons work
  - D. what the Johnsons do for fun
9. According to this circle graph, the Johnsons spend an equal amount of money on \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. food and utilities
  - B. savings and rent
  - C. utilities and rent
  - D. fun and savings
10. George Washington served in this position during the American Revolution.
- A. Architect for the new city of Washington, D.C.
  - B. Ambassador of France
  - C. President of the United States
  - D. Commander of the Continental Army
11. The way of life of a group of people that includes their language, clothes, food, and religion is their \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. ritual
  - B. culture
  - C. custom
  - D. faith
12. Useful acts that people do for others are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. products
  - B. goods
  - C. services
  - D. consumers
13. A building or statue made to honor a person or a special event is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. monument
  - B. coliseum
  - C. landmark
  - D. museum

14. Three of these are pictures of goods. Which one is not?

A.



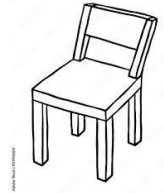
B.



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D.



15. The place in the United States where four states come together is at Four Corners. The four states that meet here are Colorado, New Mexico, Utah and \_\_\_\_\_.

A. Michigan

B. Montana

C. Arizona

D. Nevada

16. I spoke out against violence and fought for racial equality. I won the 1964 Nobel Peace Prize and was killed by an assassin in 1968. Who am I?

A. Malcolm X

B. Martin Luther King, Jr.

C. George Washington Carver

D. Abraham Lincoln

USE THE FOLLOWING MAP TO HELP YOU ANSWER QUESTIONS 17 AND 18:



17. Amy has to leave her home in Baltimore to go to a convention in San Francisco. After the convention is over she will visit friends in Seattle before going back home to Baltimore. In what directions will she travel to complete the entire trip?

A. west, north, southeast

B. east, south, and northwest

C. west, south, northeast

D. east, north, and southwest

18. The state Amy lives in is nearly cut in two by the Chesapeake Bay. What state is this?

A. Delaware

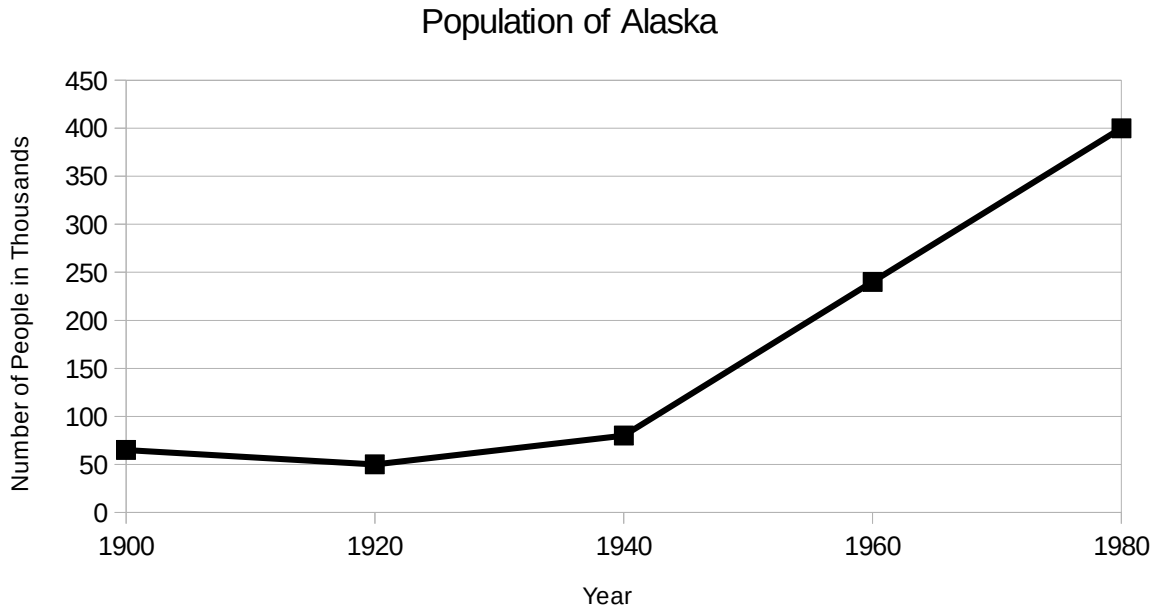
B. New Jersey

C. Virginia

D. Maryland

19. The bird identified as the national symbol of America is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. the robin
  - B. the bald eagle
  - C. the sparrow
  - D. the turkey
20. The United States Congress is made up of two houses called \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. the Post Office and the Treasury Department
  - B. the Cabinet and the Senate
  - C. the Supreme Court and the President
  - D. the House of Representatives and the Senate
21. During what war did Abraham Lincoln give command of the Union Army to Ulysses S. Grant?
- A. American Revolution
  - B. War of 1812
  - C. Civil War
  - D. World War I
22. The president who purchased the Louisiana Territory from France was \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Thomas Jefferson
  - B. Abraham Lincoln
  - C. Theodore Roosevelt
  - D. Woodrow Wilson
23. What did American colonists toss into Boston Harbor to protest British taxes?
- A. cranberry juice
  - B. lumber
  - C. molasses
  - D. tea
24. The purpose of businesses in a community is to \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. make law to keep order
  - B. print money to use in buying goods
  - C. supply goods and services to consumers
  - D. provide protection from rain or snow

USE THE FOLLOWING LINE GRAPH TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 25 AND 26:

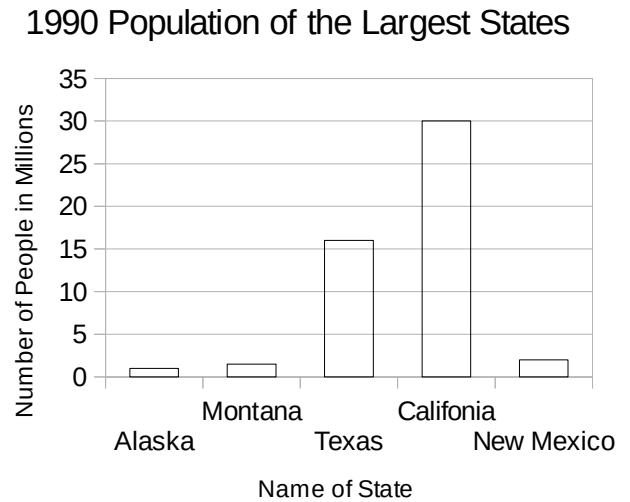
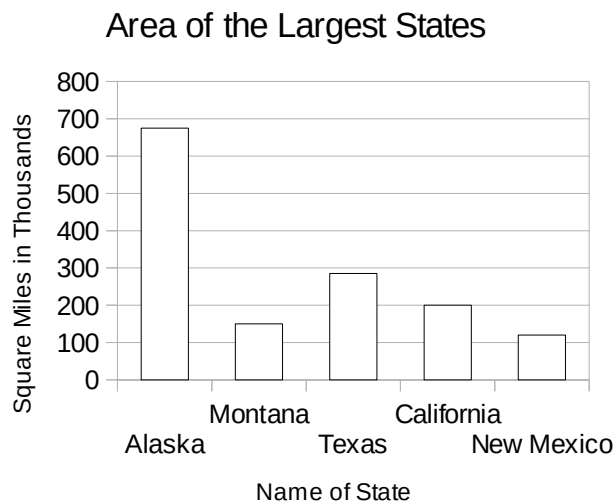


25. This line graph tells us \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. how many people live in Alaska today
  - B. why the population of Alaska decreased over the years
  - C. where the people in Alaska lived between 1900 and 1980
  - D. how the population of Alaska changed from 1900 to 1980
26. According to the line graph, \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. more people lived in Alaska in 1920 than in 1940
  - B. the population of Alaska decreased between 1900 and 1920
  - C. the population of Alaska increased continually from 1900 to 1980
  - D. less people lived in Alaska in 1960 than in 1920
27. The movement of an animal from one part of the world to another on a regular basis is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. immigration
  - B. hibernation
  - C. migration
  - D. extinction
28. The part of a map that shows the distance on the Earth for each inch on the map is the \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. scale
  - B. symbol
  - C. compass
  - D. key
29. The “I Have a Dream” speech was given, on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial in 1963, by \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Booker T. Washington
  - B. Harriet Tubman
  - C. Frederick Douglass
  - D. Martin Luther King, Jr.

30. This holiday is celebrated in most states on the last Monday in May. It was originally called Decoration Day. On this day we honor those who were killed while fighting for our country. What holiday is this?

- A. Memorial Day      B. Veterans Day      C. Independence Day      D. Labor Day

USE THESE BAR GRAPHS TO ANSWER QUESTIONS 31 AND 32:



31. These bar graphs can help us learn about \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. why the population of the largest states has changed  
 B. the future population of the largest states  
 C. the kind of people that live in the largest states  
 D. the size and population of the largest states

32. According to these bar graphs, \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Alaska has the largest area and the smallest population  
 B. Texas has the largest area and the smallest population  
 C. Alaska has the largest area and the largest population  
 D. California has the largest area and the smallest population

33. The branch of our government that makes the laws for our country is the \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. legislative      B. judicial      C. executive      D. community

34. One-fifth of the world's population lives in this country, and it is the third largest country in the world in area. What country is this?

- A. Russia      B. China      C. South Africa      D. United States

35. This building is the seat of our country's government. It is the place where Congress meets to carry out the business of running the country.

Located in Washington, D.C., this building is the \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. Washington Monument      B. Capitol  
 C. Lincoln Memorial      D. White House

