

Part One: Grammar

Change these incomplete sentences to complete sentences. (2 points)

1. go to school

Example: I will go to school today.

2. my brother played

Example: My brother played baseball with his friends.

Underline the subject in each sentence. (2 points)

3. I went to the movies this weekend.

4. My best friend came too.

Underline the predicate in each sentence. (2 points)

5. I ate popcorn during the movie.

6. My mom picked us up when the movie was over.

Add the correct punctuation to each sentence below. (2 points)

7. I was really hungry after school.

8. Do we have any snacks at home?

Find the errors with the common or proper nouns in each sentence below and correct them. (6 points)

9. San F rancisco is a great c ity to visit.

10. Have y ou ever visited C alifornia?

11. My b rother took a t our of the city.



Benchmark Assessment Exam Key (Mods 1-9)

Write one singular noun and one plural noun that appear in each sentence. (4 points)

12. I counted three eggs and cracked them into the bowl.

Singular Noun: **bowl**

Plural Noun: **eggs**

13. I measured the sugar and mixed the ingredients together.

Singular Noun: **sugar**

Plural Noun: **ingredients**



Underline the collective noun in each sentence. (2 points)

14. I ate a delicious stack of pancakes for breakfast.

15. He ran as fast as he could away from the swarm of bees.

Part Two: Reading

Select the best answer to each question below.

1. Which word would you choose if you wanted to **contrast** these two items? (1 point)

My bike is blue, _____ my sister's bike is red.

- a. so
- b. and
- c. **but***

2. What do we know about informational text? (1 point)

- a. **It is based on facts. ***
- b. It is a made up story.
- c. It is a story that could really happen.

3. The people that appear in a story are the _____. (1 point)

- a. **characters***
- b. setting
- c. plot



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4. Where and when the story takes place is the _____. (1 point)
- a. characters
 - b. setting*
 - c. plot
5. When you try to figure out what will happen next in a story, you _____. (1 point)
- a. visualize
 - b. monitor
 - c. predict*

Part Three: Vocabulary

Write a sentence using each of the vocabulary words below. (2 points each – 1 point for proper use of the word and one point for a complete sentence)

1. trouble

Example: He got in trouble for forgetting his homework.

2. ready

Example: Are you ready for the big test tomorrow?

3. won't

Example: Won't she be mad if you take her new book?

4. healthy

Example: My doctor gave me a check-up to make sure I was healthy and strong.

5. towards

Example: He was running towards the finish line.