

Ability Practice Paper 1

Portmore Missionary Preparatory School

Name: _____

Date: _____

1. **book : _____ :: comb :**

- A. title B. page C. library D. knowledge

2. **grass: soil : : seaweed : _____**

- A. water B. river C. salty D. fish

3. **Stone : Sculpture ::**

- A. Mural : Painting B. opera : stage C. canvas : easel D. clay : pottery

4. **truthfulness: court : : cleanliness : _____**

- A. virtue B. bath C. restaurant D. pig

Based on the following statements, which is the **correct conclusion** drawn.

5. Only gentlemen can become members of the club. Many of the members of the club are officers. Some of the officers have been invited for dinner.
- A. All the members of the club have been invited for dinner
B. Some of the officers are not gentlemen
C. All gentlemen are members of the club
D. Only gentlemen have been invited for dinner
6. Pointing to a photograph, a man said, "I have no brother or sister but that man's father is my father's son." Whose photograph was it?
- A. His own B. His nephew's C. His father's D. His son's
7. A is the mother of B and C. If D is the husband of C. What is A to D?
- A. Mother B. Sister C. Aunt D. Mother-in-law

8. A man said to a lady, "Your mother's husband's sister is my aunt." How is the lady related to the man

- A.** Sister **B.** Daughter **C.** Mother **D.** Grand daughter

9. Select the odd one out

- A.** Echo **B.** Resonance **C.** Tone **D.** Ear

10. Select the odd one out

- A.** Mew **B.** Howl **C.** Bark **D.** Shout

11. Select the odd one out

- A.** Island **B.** Coast **C.** Peninsula **D.** Oasis

12. Select the odd one out.

- A. salt and water B. water and sugar
C. water and sand D. syrup and water

13. Here is a table that shows you which children in a group of five like the fruits named.

	apples	oranges	bananas	pineapples	grapes
John	✓	✓	✓		✓
Mary	✓		✓	✓	
Peter		✓		✓	✓
Ann	✓		✓	✓	✓
zDavid	✓	✓			✓

Write the correct answers to the questions below:

- a. Who likes pineapples but not bananas? _____
b. Who likes apples and oranges but not bananas? _____
c. Who likes oranges and grapes but not pineapples? _____
d. Who likes apples, pineapples and grapes? _____
e. Who likes oranges but not apples? _____

14. Look at each group of four things below and put them in ascending order. Number them from 1 - 4

- a. annually _____
- b. weekly _____
- c. fortnightly _____
- d. monthly _____

- a. millennium _____
- b. decade _____
- c. annual _____
- d. century _____

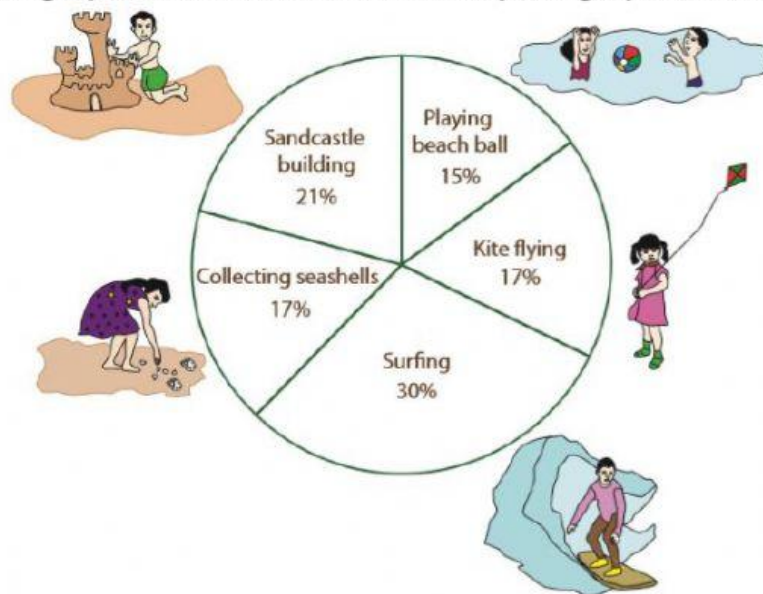
15. Mountain is to _____ as _____ is to sea.

- A. river, plain B. hill, sea C. hill, ocean D. plain, river

16. Horse : Mare :: _____ : _____

- A. Fox : Vixen B. Duck : Geese C. Dog : Puppy D. Donkey : Pony

17. Mrs. Carolyn, teacher of Grade 5 recorded the favorite beach activities of her class. She made a pie graph based on the results. Study the graph below and answer the questions.



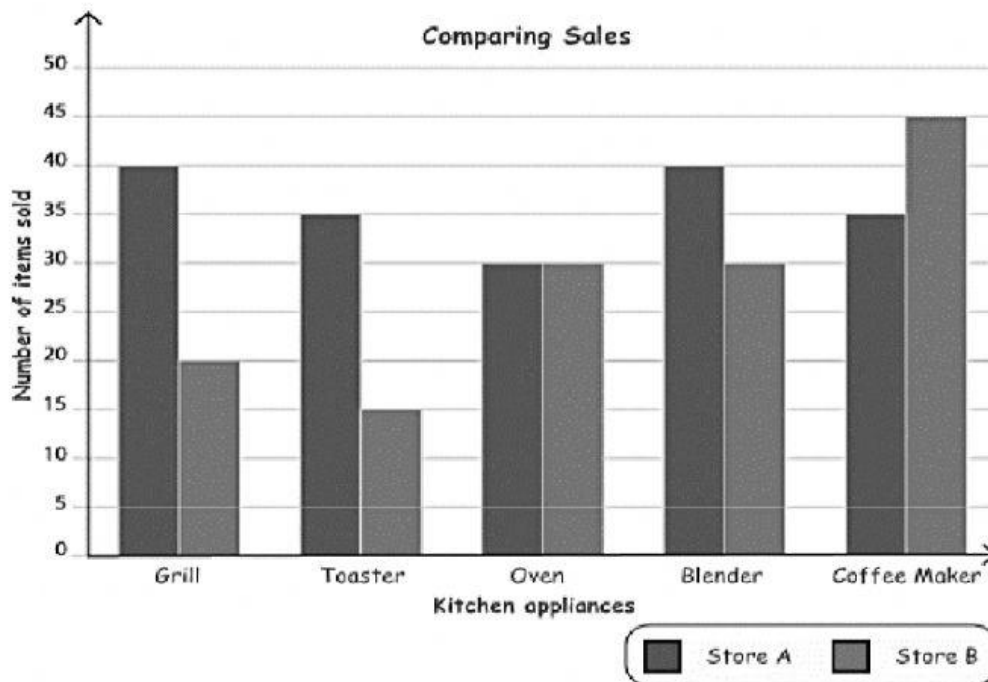
a. Which activity is least popular among the fifth graders?

b. What percentage of students like surfing?

c. Which two activities are equally popular?

- d. Which activity is the favorite of 21% students? _____
- e. What percentage of students like an activity other than sandcastle building? _____

18. Mr. Peter owns two kitchen appliance stores. He compares the sales of two stores and recorded the information in a bar graph to answer the questions.



- 1) Which item sold the most in Store B? _____
- 2) Which store sold the least number of toasters? _____
- 3) The number of grills sold by Store A is twice of Store B. Is it correct? _____
- 4) What is the difference on sales of blenders between Store A and Store B? _____
- 5) How many total appliances were sold by Store A? _____