

Languages of the World

Name _____ Class _____ No. _____

Instructions: Read each sentence carefully. Circle True or False.

1. There are about 7,000 languages spoken in the world.

2. Some languages have disappeared because no one speaks them anymore.

3. Mandarin is the most widely spoken language in the world.

4. English is spoken as a first language in the UK and the USA.

5. Hindi, English, and Spanish are each spoken by over 300 million native speakers.

6. Latin is still spoken by millions of people today.

7. English is an international language because it is spoken on many continents.

8. About 2,000 languages in the world have more than 1,000 speakers.

9. International companies can be one reason why some languages disappear.

10. Scientists predict that all languages in the world will disappear by the end of the century.