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Visuteach Verbal Reasoning Sample Test

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This is a multiple-choice test with different types of question.

Each question type starts with an explanation, usually followed by a worked example.

You may do rough working on a separate sheet of paper.

Answers should be marked on the answer sheet provided, not on the test paper.

If you cannot do a question, do not waste time, move onto the next question.

If you are not sure of an answer, you should make a guess.

There are 40 questions and you have 25 minutes to do the test.

In the following questions, two new words can be made by moving one letter from the first word to the second word. The other letters must **not** be rearranged, and both new words must make sense. Find the letter that moves and mark it on the answer sheet.

Example

house for

Answeru (The two new words are **hose** and **four**)**QUESTION 1**

beret are

QUESTION 2

dusty ate

QUESTION 3

float pal

QUESTION 4

found got

QUESTION 5

broom tip

QUESTION 6

steer ear

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
The alphabet can help you with the following questions. Find the letters that complete each statement in the best way, and mark the correct answer on the answer sheet.

ExampleEF is to GH
as MN is to (?)**Answer****OP****QUESTION 7****FU** is to **HS**
as **IR** is to (?)**QUESTION 8****WT** is to **DG**
as **UR** is to (?)**QUESTION 9****CH** is to **GL**
as **EJ** is to (?)**QUESTION 10****TV** is to **NP**
as **IK** is to (?)**QUESTION 11****BE** is to **DH**
as **EH** is to (?)**QUESTION 12****NP** is to **KR**
as **SW** is to (?)**QUESTION 13****CL** is to **VN**
as **DF** is to (?)

In the following questions, three of the five words are related. Mark the answer sheet with the **two** words that do not go with the three related words.

Example

plate spaghetti pie knife pizza

Answer

plate knife

QUESTION **14**

church house temple tent mosque

QUESTION **15**

ship seat bike hammock car

QUESTION **16**

swim novel run book jump

QUESTION **17**

freezer dish kettle plate bowl

QUESTION **18**

happy ready gay joyful pensive

QUESTION **19**

weed water grass flower rain

QUESTION **20**

scarf watch bracelet silk brooch

In the following questions, choose **two** words, **one** from each group, that are **closest in meaning**. Mark **both** words on the answer sheet.

Example

(deep nap keep)
(toil best snooze)

Answer

nap snooze

QUESTION **21**

(chase maze brunt)
(rail sail hunt)

QUESTION **22**

(happy best crazy)
(depressed mad blue)

QUESTION **23**

(walk fast ride)
(flow river rapid)

QUESTION **24**

(ample famous idle)
(angry enough weak)

QUESTION **25**

(loaf bread cake)
(sugar tart fruit)

QUESTION **26**

(foil take make)
(give brunt prevent)

QUESTION **27**

(grill sketch modern)
(ancient boil drawing)

<p>In the following questions, letters stand for numbers. Work out the answer to each sum, then find its letter and mark it on the answer sheet.</p> <p>Example</p> <p>If $A = 3$, $B = 5$, $C = 9$, $D = 11$, $E = 17$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$A + B + C = (?)$</p> <p>Answer E</p>	
QUESTION	<p>28</p> <p>If $A = 3$, $B = 4$, $C = 9$, $D = 11$, $E = 15$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$E - D = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>29</p> <p>If $A = 4$, $B = 5$, $C = 6$, $D = 10$, $E = 16$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$A \times B - E + C = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>30</p> <p>If $A = 3$, $B = 5$, $C = 9$, $D = 11$, $E = 17$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$B - A + C = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>31</p> <p>If $A = 2$, $B = 3$, $C = 4$, $D = 8$, $E = 11$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$A \times C + B = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>32</p> <p>If $A = 3$, $B = 4$, $C = 5$, $D = 11$, $E = 17$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$A \times C - D = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>33</p> <p>If $A = 1$, $B = 2$, $C = 9$, $D = 12$, $E = 16$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$D - C - A = (?)$</p>
QUESTION	<p>34</p> <p>If $A = 3$, $B = 5$, $C = 10$, $D = 30$, $E = 60$, what is the answer to this sum written as a letter?</p> <p>$E \div C \times B = (?)$</p>

In each of the following sentences, a word of **four letters** is hidden at the **end** of one word and the **beginning** of the following word. Find the two words that contain the hidden word and mark these two words on the answer sheet.

Example

He was ignorant of the facts.

Answer

was ignorant
(The hidden word is **sign**.)

QUESTION 35

He was definitely an ambitious type.

QUESTION 36

So then they drove straight on.

QUESTION 37

He was sinking lower down the ladder.

QUESTION 38

They grew artichokes in their garden.

QUESTION 39

His report was more ambiguous about it.

QUESTION 40

They said they would come another time.