

Year 7 Algebraic Expressions – Knowledge Indicator

INSTRUCTIONS

Place your answers on the scan cards provided.

Completely shade in the bubble for the answer of your choice.

No Calculator allowed.

If you need to change an answer, put an X through the incorrect bubble and shade in another answer.

Q1. Which expression is equivalent to 4×2 ?

$2 + 2 + 2 + 2$
A

4^2
B

2^4
C

$4 + 4 + 4 + 4$
D

Q2. Which expression is equivalent to $6 + 6 + 6 + 6$?

$6 + 4$
A

6^4
B

$4(3 + 3)$
C

6×6
D

Q3. How many matches will it take to make the next shape?



8
A



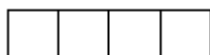
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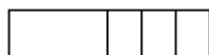
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Q4. There is a bag of apples. Joe is not sure how many apples are in the bag. Liana gives him 3 more apples. Which bar model represents this situation?



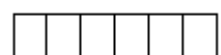
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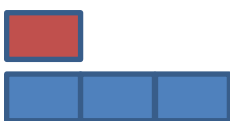


C



D

Q5. Zach has four hats. Lane has three times as many hats as Zach. Which bar model represents this situation?



A



B



C



D

Q6. Which of the following represents an **equation**?

$4x + 2 = 10$

A

10

B

$4x + 2$

C

x

D

Q7. Which of the following is a **pronumeral**?

<

A

4

B

×

C

a

D

Q8. Which is the **variable** in the following equation?

$2x + 3 =$

2

A

x

B

+

C

3

D

Q9. Which of the following is a **constant**?

a

A

$5y$

B

×

C

7

D

Q10. What is the **coefficient** in the following equation?

$9x - 3 =$

9

A

x

B

−

C

3

D

Q11. Which algebraic expression represents the following situation?

‘Simon has x fish in his aquarium. He buys 10 more fish. How many fish does he have now?’

$x + 10$

A

$10x$

B

$x - 10$

C

$\frac{x}{10}$

D

Q12. Which algebraic expression represents the following situation?

'The sum of x and 5 is multiplied by 3.'

$x + 5 \times 3$
A

$3x + 5$
B

$3(x + 5)$
C

$5 - x \times 3$
D

Q13. Which is the correct expression for the following case?

' y is equal to the sum of x and 12.'

$y = x + 12$
A

$y + 12 = x$
B

$y = 12x$
C

$y = \frac{x}{12}$
D

Q14. The length of a rectangular vegetable garden is 4 m. The perimeter of wire fencing needed to enclose this garden is 13 m. If w represents the width (in m) of the vegetable garden, the equation that can be formed is:

$w + 4 = 13$
A

$w + 8 = 13$
B

$2w = 8 = 13$
C

$2w + 8 = 13$
D

Q15. Which expression best matches the following instruction?

'Choose a number and multiply it by three, then subtract any other number.'

$3a - 1$
A

$3n - y$
B

$3m - 3$
C

$3t$
D

Q16. Which of the following **cannot** be simplified?

$6c + 9c$
A

$3a + 4b$
B

$12y + 3y - 4y$
C

$7ab + 2ba$
D

Q17. The simplified expression for $x + 4y + 6x$ is:

$10xy$
A

$6x^2 + 4y$
B

$7x + 4y$
C

Cannot be simplified.
D

Q18. Collect the like terms and simplify this algebraic expression $a + 4b + 3a - 3b$

$4a^2 + 7b^2$
A

$3a^2 + 7b$
B

$4a + 7b$
C

$4a + b$
D

Q19. The simplified expression for $y^2 + 2y - 3y$ is:

$y^2 - y$
A

$2y^2 - 3y$
B

y
C

$y^2 + 5y$
D

Q20. Simplify the expression $-x + 2y - 3y$

$x + 5y$
A

$-x - y$
B

$-x + 2y - 3y$
C

$-y + x$
D

Q21. What is the following in expanded form?

$2a(3a - 5b)$

$2a \times 2ab$
A

$a - 3b$
B

$5a^2 - 7ab$
C

$6a^2 - 10ab$
D

Q22. When expanded, $4(3m + 5)$ is:

$7m + 9$
A

$17m$
B

$12m + 20$
C

$12m + 5$
D

Q23. When factorised, $4x + 28$ is:

$2(x + 14)$
A

$4(2x + 7)$
B

$4(x + 7)$
C

$4(x + 28)$
D

Q24. Simplify the following expression

$\frac{1}{2}x + 9 + 2x - \frac{3}{2}x$

$11x - \frac{2x}{2}$
A

$10x$
B

$2x - \frac{2x}{2} + 9$
C

$x + 9$
D

Q25. The pool is 3 m longer than it is wide, as shown in the diagram.

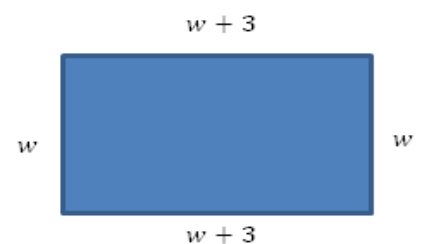
If w represents the width of the pool (in m), the equation to find the area is:

$w^2 + 3w$
A

$w + w + 3$
B

$2w + 3$
C

$w^2 + 3$
D



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