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Homework Packet 8th Grade, Week 26

Name _____

Week begins _____ Due on _____

Each week, you are to complete your entire homework packet and turn it in the day your teacher assigns. You and your parent/guardian must also sign below, confirming you have completed and finished your homework to the best of your ability.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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Noun-Forming Suffix ity

Lesson 26

TIP

The suffix **ity** can form a noun from an adjective. For example, legal becomes legality. When the suffix is added to words ending in **ble**, the ending of the base word changes, as in visible/visibility. A few other words, such as generous and hospitable, change in different ways to become generosity and hospitality.

Vocabulary Development

Write the **list word** that matches each definition clue.

1. ability to be on time _____
2. ability to move _____
3. ability to be taken or purchased _____
4. singularity _____
5. following prescribed customs _____
6. abilities not yet developed _____
7. ability to be seen _____
8. state of being lesser _____
9. ability to bend _____
10. temperament _____
11. unselfish act _____
12. a possible event _____

Dictionary Skills

Rewrite each of the following **list words** to show how they are divided into syllables.

1. legality _____
2. similarity _____
3. eligibility _____
4. liability _____
5. formality _____
6. mobility _____
7. superiority _____
8. hospitality _____
9. practicality _____
10. technicality _____
11. capability _____
12. generosity _____



LIST WORDS

1. punctuality
2. personality
3. liability
4. practicality
5. formality
6. individuality
7. technicality
8. availability
9. inferiority
10. mobility
11. visibility
12. hospitality
13. eligibility
14. capability
15. generosity
16. eventuality
17. superiority
18. legality
19. flexibility
20. similarity

Spelling word practice

In the space provided write each of your 20 spelling words 5 times, focus on writing legibly and spelling correctly.

Spelling Practice

DID YOU KNOW?

Technicality is formed from the word *technical* and the suffix **ity**. *Technical* comes from the Greek word *tekhnikos*, meaning "of art," which comes from the Greek word for "art," *tekhn*. It also shares the root **teks**, meaning "to weave" or "to fabricate," which is the basis for other English words such as *text*, *tissue*, *context*, *pretext*, *subtle*, *architect*, and *technology*.

Word Analysis

Form **list words** by adding the suffix **ity** to these adjectives to make nouns.

1. mobile _____
2. inferior _____
3. practical _____
4. formal _____
5. liable _____
6. personal _____
7. punctual _____
8. available _____
9. individual _____
10. technical _____
11. visible _____
12. similar _____
13. hospitable _____
14. eventual _____
15. superior _____
16. generous _____
17. capable _____
18. legal _____
19. flexible _____
20. eligible _____

Word Application

Select a **list word** from the choices in parentheses to complete each sentence. Write the **list word** on the line.

1. Due to his _____, Bill got to work on time. (punctuality, similarity)
2. This engine has the _____ to pull both boxcars. (formality, capability)
3. Bowing before the prince is merely a _____. (generosity, formality)
4. Tara called to let us know of her _____ for the job. (legality, availability)
5. Emily's clothing reflected her sense of _____. (eventuality, individuality)
6. The glass door's breaking was an _____. (availability, eventuality)
7. Our insurance company has _____ for the accident. (flexibility, liability)
8. _____ was why Rick chose a small dog. (practicality, visibility)
9. Some exercises increase the body's _____. (visibility, flexibility)
10. Crossing guards wear orange vests for _____. (punctuality, visibility)
11. Mark's and your voice have a great _____. (similarity, practicality)
12. Jan's wheelchair has greatly increased her _____. (mobility, liability)
13. The club thanked the donor for her _____. (individuality, generosity)
14. A lawyer researched the _____ of the situation. (mobility, legality)

LIST WORDS

visibility	individuality	punctuality	capability
mobility	technicality	hospitality	inferiority
liability	availability	practicality	eligibility
formality	personality	superiority	flexibility
legality	generosity	eventuality	similarity

Puzzle

Unscramble the **list words** using the blank spaces to the right. Then, transfer the numbered letters to the spaces below to solve the riddle.

1. lenittchcaiy — 15 — 2

2. tivabyaiilla — 9

3. cuttiypunal — 4

4. pioyurerits — 7

5. ernoitifiry — 12 — 18

6. tyinegrose — 3 — 17

7. mitboily — 11

8. tiallibiy — 5

9. undidailyivit — 10 — 1

10. spoalyernit — 14 — 6

11. sitopithaly — 13

12. yuittneeval — 8

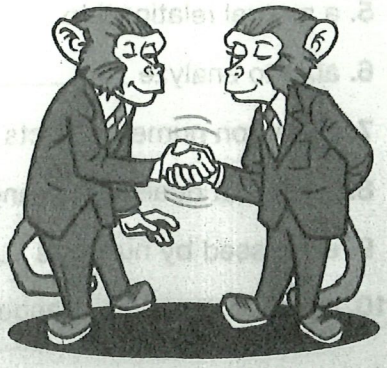
13. mayrlfito — 16 — 19

RIDDLE: Why isn't your nose twelve inches long?

ANSWER:

1	2	3	4		5	6	W	7	8	9	10

11	12		13	14	15		16	17	18	19



Proofreading

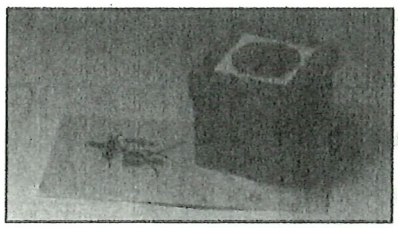
Proofreading Marks

spelling mistake | add period
capital letter | add space

Use the proofreading marks to correct the mistakes in the following article. Then, write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

Good manners, such as punctualety when keeping an appointment, are always an admirable social asset. in the eventuallity that you travel to another country, it is always a good idea to read upon what is considered polite and impolite in the country you will be visiting After all, offending someone unknowingly canbe a definite lyeability! In japan, for example, it is impolite to eat something while walking down the street. Gift giving is very important in japan, but extravagant gifts require an equally extravagant gift in return It's best to avoid giving pricey gifts to repay a host's hospetality and genirosity.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____



Writing a Persuasive Paragraph

A metaphor compares two things without using the words like or as. For example, "Good manners are a paved road to success" is a metaphor. Write a short persuasive paragraph on why good manners are an asset, using one or two metaphors and as many **list words** as you can. Proofread and revise your paragraph, and then share it with the class.

BONUS WORDS

trigonometry	abacus	logarithm	correlation	statistical
geometric	finite	analytical	numerical	calculus

Write the **bonus word** that matches each clue.

1. not infinite _____
2. having lines, circles, or other forms _____
3. early kind of calculator _____
4. kind of exponent _____
5. a mutual relationship _____
6. able to analyze _____
7. based on numerical facts or data _____
8. math that deals with triangles _____
9. expressed by numbers _____
10. math dealing with changes _____

Paragraph writing using spelling words

Use the space below to complete the paragraph writing prompt found in your spelling assignments. Carefully read and follow the directions provided, including proper sentence and paragraph structure.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Historical Document: Declaration of Independence

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.

Directions: Copy the excerpt using proper cursive writing form.

Multiplying and Dividing (B)

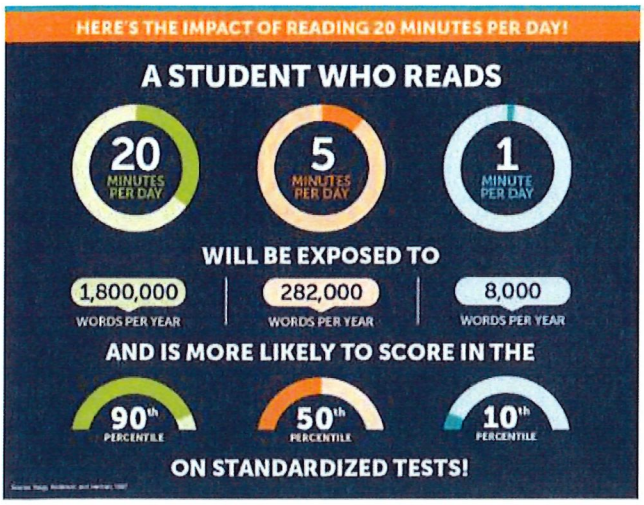
Calculate each product or quotient.

5 × 1 =	18 ÷ 2 =	45 ÷ 9 =	4 ÷ 2 =
9 × 2 =	8 × 9 =	9 × 6 =	3 ÷ 3 =
7 × 5 =	27 ÷ 3 =	3 × 6 =	1 × 3 =
7 × 7 =	1 × 9 =	6 ÷ 3 =	5 × 1 =
24 ÷ 6 =	45 ÷ 5 =	6 × 8 =	16 ÷ 2 =
2 × 5 =	6 ÷ 6 =	32 ÷ 4 =	2 × 5 =
9 × 5 =	4 × 8 =	35 ÷ 5 =	30 ÷ 5 =
24 ÷ 3 =	10 ÷ 2 =	40 ÷ 8 =	7 ÷ 1 =
6 × 4 =	45 ÷ 9 =	24 ÷ 3 =	9 × 3 =
5 × 6 =	4 ÷ 1 =	2 × 1 =	6 × 6 =
28 ÷ 4 =	2 × 6 =	8 × 2 =	8 × 4 =
6 × 6 =	18 ÷ 2 =	5 × 1 =	4 × 4 =
18 ÷ 2 =	18 ÷ 9 =	5 × 9 =	2 × 1 =
4 × 8 =	2 × 7 =	2 × 4 =	7 × 3 =
24 ÷ 3 =	10 ÷ 5 =	6 × 6 =	12 ÷ 3 =
14 ÷ 2 =	12 ÷ 2 =	15 ÷ 3 =	6 × 9 =
21 ÷ 3 =	7 × 4 =	7 ÷ 7 =	3 × 2 =
18 ÷ 2 =	9 ÷ 3 =	5 ÷ 1 =	2 × 1 =
5 × 9 =	8 × 7 =	9 × 3 =	8 × 2 =
1 ÷ 1 =	40 ÷ 8 =	1 × 6 =	72 ÷ 8 =
9 × 4 =	35 ÷ 5 =	12 ÷ 3 =	2 × 4 =
6 × 7 =	3 ÷ 1 =	7 ÷ 1 =	36 ÷ 6 =
54 ÷ 9 =	6 ÷ 2 =	6 × 4 =	9 × 4 =
4 ÷ 1 =	9 ÷ 1 =	12 ÷ 4 =	64 ÷ 8 =
5 × 9 =	2 × 6 =	9 × 6 =	14 ÷ 2 =

Missing Numbers in Equations (H)

Find the value of each unknown.

$266 \div n = 19$	$f \times 11 = 154$	$q + 18 = 32$	$11 - j = 8$
$m - 19 = 8$	$12 + k = 17$	$q \div 15 = 2$	$12 \times g = 108$
$9 + q = 12$	$n + 18 = 36$	$1 \times n = 6$	$10 + a = 30$
$z + 3 = 7$	$112 \div m = 7$	$c - 6 = 16$	$19 - f = 12$
$15 + x = 18$	$19 - n = 18$	$s \times 9 = 9$	$j - 17 = 15$
$u - 17 = 14$	$w - 3 = 19$	$14 - w = 10$	$y - 7 = 12$
$33 - w = 13$	$9 \times a = 126$	$t \div 20 = 9$	$18 + y = 34$
$k - 11 = 13$	$150 \div u = 15$	$110 \div p = 10$	$266 \div p = 19$
$14 \times r = 140$	$q \div 15 = 10$	$s \div 6 = 5$	$d \div 11 = 11$
$u + 12 = 14$	$m + 20 = 33$	$j - 17 = 5$	$m + 9 = 19$



Part of the homework is reading 40 minutes a day. Weekend reading is encouraged and students can get credit for reading on Friday, Saturday and or Sunday. Reading each day is very important to help you become a better reader. Complete the log below each day you read.

Days I read:	What I read including book's title(s), chapter(s), or page number(s)	Amount of time I read: (Minutes)	Write a complete sentence explaining what you enjoyed, learned or read about.
Weekend			_____ _____
Monday			_____ _____
Tuesday			_____ _____
Wednesday			_____ _____
Thursday			_____ _____
Total amount of time I read.		_____ Minutes	