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1. Margie borrowed \$700. The interest rate is 8%. Find the interest for one year.

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- ① \$5.60
- ② \$15.00
- ③ \$56.00
- ④ \$560.00
- ⑤ \$5,600.00

2. Henrietta has a savings account. Find the interest for one year on her savings of \$955 if the interest rate is 5%.

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- ① \$.47
- ② \$4.75
- ③ \$4.77
- ④ \$47.75
- ⑤ \$477.75

3. Find the interest for 3 months on a school loan of \$1,500 when the interest rate is 8.5%. Round your answer off to the nearest penny.

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- ① \$12.75
- ② \$31.88
- ③ \$127.00
- ④ \$127.50
- ⑤ \$127.75

4. Find the interest for one year on a loan of \$8,500 when the interest rate is 9%.

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- ① \$7.65
- ② \$76.50
- ③ \$76.59
- ④ \$765.00
- ⑤ \$768.00

5. Find the interest for six months on a loan of \$500. The interest rate is 7%.

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- ① \$3.50
- ② \$17.50
- ③ \$35.00
- ④ \$175.50
- ⑤ \$350.00

6. The rate is 6%. Find the interest for nine months on a loan of \$700.

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- ① \$4.20
- ② \$31.50
- ③ \$35.00
- ④ \$42.00
- ⑤ \$45.00

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7. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$2000 at a rate of 10% for 1 year?

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- ① $\$2000 \times 10 \times 12$
- ② $\$2000 \times 10 \times 1$
- ③ $\$2000 \times .1 \times 12$
- ④ $\$2000 \times .1 \times 1$
- ⑤ $\$2000 \times .01 \times 1$

8. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$500 at a rate of 8% for 6 months?

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- ① $\$500 \times 8 \times 6$
- ② $\$500 \times .08 \times 6$
- ③ $\$500 \times .8 \times 6$
- ④ $\$500 \times .08 \times .5$
- ⑤ $\$500 \times .08 \times 1.2$

9. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$800 at a rate of 6% for 3 months?

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- ① $\$800 \times .6 \times 3$
- ② $\$800 \times .06 \times 3$
- ③ $\$800 \times .06 \times .75$
- ④ $\$800 \times .06 \times .25$
- ⑤ $\$800 \times .06 \times .5$

10. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$1500 at a rate of $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ for 1 year and 6 months?

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- ① $\$1500 \times 12.5 \times 1.5$
- ② $\$1500 \times 1.25 \times 1.5$
- ③ $\$1500 \times .125 \times 1.5$
- ④ $\$1500 \times 125 \times 1.5$
- ⑤ $\$1500 \times .125 \times 1.6$

11. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$3000 at a rate of 4.5% for 2 years?

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- ① $\$3000 \times 4.5 \times 24$
- ② $\$3000 \times .45 \times 2$
- ③ $\$3000 \times .045 \times 2$
- ④ $\$3000 \times 45 \times 2$
- ⑤ $\$3000 \times .045 \times 24$

12. Which of the following expressions represents the interest on \$900 at a rate of 9% for 8 months?

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- ① $\$900 \times .09 \times \frac{1}{2}$
- ② $\$900 \times .09 \times \frac{1}{4}$
- ③ $\$900 \times .9 \times \frac{3}{4}$
- ④ $\$900 \times .09 \times \frac{1}{3}$
- ⑤ $\$900 \times .09 \times \frac{2}{3}$