1) CHEMISTRY Short Answer Which element has the highest electronegativity?

ANSWER: Fluorine

BONUS

1) CHEMISTRY Short Answer Which element has the lowest electronegativity?

ANSWER: Cesium

TOSS-UP

- 2) EARTH AND SPACE *Multiple Choice* What mineral is termed 10 on the Moh's hardness scale?
- W) Diamond
- X) Quartz
- Y) Granite
- Z) Plastic

ANSWER: W) Diamond

BONUS

2) EARTH AND SPACE *Short Answer* What value is given to Apatite on the Moh's hardness scale?

ANSWER: 5

TOSS-UP

3) MATH Short Answer What is the sum of the first 10 positive odd integers?

ANSWER: 100

BONUS

3) MATH Short Answer Jeffrey rolls 2 dice. What is the probability he rolls a sum of 11?

ANSWER: $\frac{1}{18}$

TOSS-UP

4) PHYSICS *Short Answer* Richard walks 30 feet north, 53 feet west, 42 feet south, and 69 feet east. What is the magnitude of his displacement, in yards, to the nearest whole number?

ANSWER: 7

BONUS

- 4) PHYSICS *Multiple Choice* Devin falls off of a 50 kilometer high cliff. Approximately how long does it take him to fall to the ground?
- W) 100 seconds
- X) 500 seconds
- Y) 700 seconds
- Z) 10 minutes

ANSWER: W) 100 seconds

TOSS-UP

- 5) BIOLOGY *Multiple Choice* A typical human inherits how many chromosomes from each parent?
- W) 21
- X) 23
- Y) 24
- Z) 46

ANSWER: X) 23

BONUS

- 5) BIOLOGY *Multiple Choice* What term describes the complete set of chromosomes in an individual organism?
- W) Genotype
- X) Phenotype
- Y) Karyotype
- Z) Ploidy

ANSWER: Y) Karyotype

TOSS-UP

6) CHEMISTRY Short Answer What is the name of a substance with a pH higher than 7?

ANSWER: Base

- 6) CHEMISTRY *Multiple Choice* Which of the following does not affect equilibrium concentrations?
- W) Catalyst
- X) Temperature
- Y) Addition of Products
- Z) Pressure

ANSWER: W) Catalyst

TOSS-UP

- 7) EARTH AND SPACE *Multiple Choice* What planet is closest in size to Earth?
- W) Venus
- X) Mars
- Y) Mercury
- Z) Neptune

ANSWER: W) Venus

BONUS

7) EARTH AND SPACE Short Answer Which of the Jovian planets is closest to earth?

ANSWER: Jupiter

TOSS-UP

8) MATH Short Answer A triangle has angles of measures 34° , 45° , and x° . Compute x.

ANSWER: 101°

BONUS

- 8) MATH *Multiple Choice* Which of the following sequences starts with 0 and 1 with each subsequent term being computed by adding the sum of the previous two numbers:
- W) Euler Sequence
- X) Euclid Sequence
- Y) Fibonacci Sequence
- Z) Gauss Sequence

ANSWER: Y) Fibonacci Sequence

- 9) PHYSICS *Multiple Choice* Assuming a g of 10 meters per second squared, what is the impact velocity of an object that falls from a height of 5 meters?
- W) 1 m/s (READ AS: meter per second)
- X) 5 m/s
- Y) 10 m/s
- Z) 20 m/s

ANSWER: Y) 10 m/s

BONUS

9) PHYSICS *Short Answer* Jean-Jacques Rousseau is standing on a platform 100 meters above the ground. He throws a ball with a velocity of 20 m/s (read as: meters per second) at an angle of 45 degrees from the platform. Assuming that g is 10 m/s² (read as: meters per second squared), in how many seconds, to the nearest second, does the ball land?

ANSWER: 7 seconds

TOSS-UP

- 10) BIOLOGY *Multiple Choice* If a cell is placed into a hypertonic solution, which of the following will happen to the cell?
- W) The cell will lyse
- X) The cell will shrivel
- Y) The cell will stay the same
- Z) The cell will absorb solutes

ANSWER: X) The cell will shrivel

BONUS

10) BIOLOGY *Short Answer* What is the scientific word for the process in which plant cell membrane separates from the cell wall?

ANSWER: Plasmolysis

TOSS-UP

11) CHEMISTRY *Short Answer* What law states that if pressure is constant, the volume and temperature are directly proportional?

ANSWER: Charles' Law

BONUS

11) CHEMISTRY Short Answer At most how many bonds can one carbon atom form?

ANSWER: 4

TOSS-UP

- 12) EARTH AND SPACE Multiple Choice Which of the following layers of the atmosphere is farthest from the surface?
- W) Mesosphere
- X) Troposphere
- Y) Stratosphere
- Z) Exosphere

ANSWER: Z) Exosphere

BONUS

12) EARTH AND SPACE *Short Answer* What type of radiation has the shortest wavelength?

ANSWER: Gamma Rays

TOSS-UP

13) MATH Short Answer The 25-member Lexington High School DOE Team was to meet Thursday, but only Derik and Aiyappa showed up. What percentage of the team did not show up to the meeting?

ANSWER: 92%

BONUS

13) MATH Short Answer The 25-member Lexington High School DOE Team has Disney movie marathons together. If the team has 5 distinct Disney movies they can watch, how many distinct orders of 5 movies can be made?

ANSWER: 120

14) PHYSICS *Short Answer* A horse starts at rest and then accelerates at a constant rate of 4 m/s². After 5 seconds, how many meters has the horse travelled from the starting point? ANSWER: 50

BONUS

- 14) PHYSICS Multiple Choice Which of the following particles has a negative charge?
- W) Neutron
- X) Photon
- Y) Muon
- Z) Gluon

ANSWER: Y) Muon

TOSS-UP

15) BIOLOGY Short Answer What protein carries oxygen in the blood?

ANSWER: Hemoglobin

BONUS

- 15) BIOLOGY *Multiple Choice* In what organelle do the Krebs cycle and Electron Transport Chain of cellular respiration take place?
- W) Mitochondria
- X) Cytoplasm
- Y) Nucleus
- Z) Lysosome

ANSWER: W) Mitochondria

TOSS-UP

16) CHEMISTRY *Short Answer* Which Russian chemist formulated the Periodic Law and drafted the first periodic table of elements?

ANSWER: Dmitri Mendeleev

BONUS

16) CHEMISTRY *Multiple Choice* In Mendeleev's periodic table models, he predicted the identities of elements not yet discovered. What element known today was known to Mendeleev as eka-aluminum?

- W) Silicon
- X) Potassium
- Y) Calcium
- Z) Gallium

ANSWER: Z) Gallium

TOSS-UP

- 7) EARTH AND SPACE *Multiple Choice* What type of rock is formed when lava from a volcano cools?
- W) Metamorphic rock
- X) Igneous rock
- Y) Sedimentary rock
- Z) Pebbles

ANSWER: X) Igneous rock

BONUS

- 7) EARTH AND SPACE *Multiple Choice* What percent of the Earth atmosphere is carbon dioxide?
- W) 0.007%
- X) 0.04%
- Y) 1%
- Z) 9%

ANSWER: X) 0.04%

TOSS-UP

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TOSS-UP

19) PHYSICS *Short Answer* The isotopes of an element differ in numbers of what subatomic particle?

ANSWER: Neutron

BONUS

- 19) PHYSICS *Multiple Choice* What fissile isotope of uranium is often used in nuclear power generation?
- W. Uranium 234
- X. Uranium 235
- Y. Uranium 238
- Z. Uranium 241

ANSWER: X (Uranium 235)

TOSS-UP

20) BIOLOGY Short Answer What genus do domestic cats belong to?

ANSWER: Felis

BONUS

- 20) BIOLOGY *Short Answer* By name or number, order the following from least to most specific:
 - 1. Order
 - 2. Class
 - 3. Species
 - 4. Kingdom
 - 5. Family

ANSWER: 4, 2, 1, 5, 3

TOSS-UP

- 21) CHEMISTRY *Short Answer* By name or number, order the following three liquids by increasing density
 - 1. Oil
 - 2. Water
 - 3. Glycerin

ANSWER: 1, 2, 3

BONUS

- 21) CHEMISTRY *Multiple Choice* Which of the following statements best explains why ice is less dense than liquid water?
- W) Solids are always less dense than their corresponding liquids
- X) Ice's lattice structure spaces out the molecules more than that of water
- Y) Ice is not affected by gravity as much as liquid water
- Z) Ice is more reflective than liquid water

ANSWER: X) Ice's lattice structure spaces out the molecules more than that of water

TOSS-UP

- 22) EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE *Multiple Choice* What type of rocks are associated with volcanoes?
- W) Sedimentary Rock
- X) Igneous Rock
- Y) Metamorphic Rock
- Z) Pebbles

ANSWER: X) Igneous Rock

BONUS

22) EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE *Short Answer* What rock comprises most of Earth's continental crust?

ANSWER: Granite

23) MATH *Multiple Choice* x=1 is a solution to the equation $x^2-9000x+8999=0$. Which of the following is the other solution?

W) 0

X) 4499

Y) 8999

Z) 17999

ANSWER: X) 8999

BONUS

23) MATH *Short Answer* The price of a dinner before tax and tip was \$30. If tax is 10% and the tip is 15%, how much does the dinner cost after tax and tip? Round your answer to the nearest whole dollar.

ANSWER: \$38

TOSS-UP

- 24) PHYSICS *Multiple Choice* Which of the following colors do NOT exist in the visible portion of the electromagnetic spectrum?
- W) Cyan
- X) Magenta
- Y) Pink
- Z) Red

ANSWER: Y) Pink

BONUS

24) PHYSICS *Short Answer* The phenomenon of an object changing direction due to the crossing of the border between two media (plural of medium) with a non-perpendicular angle of incidence is called?

ANSWER: Refraction

25) BIOLOGY Short Answer To what phylum to all vertebrates belong to?

ANSWER: Chordata

BONUS

25) BIOLOGY *Short Answer* What is the term for the study of insects?

ANSWER: Entomology