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Date _____

Proof of Facts and Opinions

Directions: Tell if each sentence is a fact or opinion. If it's a fact, explain how it can be proven. If it is an opinion, write "No Proof!"

1. Maurice Sendak wrote *Where the Wild Things Are*.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

2. Ayers Rock is a large rock formation in central Australia.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

3. Everyone should go to Europe at least once in their lifetime.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

4. People shouldn't eat meat.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

5. Ukraine used to be part of the Soviet Union, but it is now independent.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

6. Science is the most interesting subject in school.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

7. Learning how to cook gourmet meals is too difficult to be worthwhile.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

8. The Thirteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution outlawed slavery.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

9. If you're feeling lonely or sad, a dog will cheer you up.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

10. Saturn's rings are mainly made up of ice.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

11. Movie stars are luckier than other people.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

12. Lake Superior is the largest of the Great Lakes.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

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13. Lima beans taste terrible.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

14. Navel oranges have a long growing season.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

15. My bedroom is on the second floor of our house.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

16. You can never have too many friends.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

17. It would be a mistake to miss seeing fireworks on the Fourth of July.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

18. The eruption of Mount Vesuvius in AD 79 destroyed the city of Pompeii.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

19. It's too dark in here.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

20. Geese use the same migration route year after year.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

21. Some cave art found in France may be 35,000 years old.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

22. My sister is taller than I am.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

23. Chimpanzees are more attractive animals than gorillas.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

24. If you were born in early March, your zodiac sign is Pisces.

Fact or Opinion How can this be proven? _____

25. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson own the nicest home on the block.

Fact or Opinion Explain: _____