END OF EIGHTH GRADE ASSESSMENT

CUMULATIVE

1. Reading Assessment: Student Passage
2. English Assessment
3. Spelling Assessment: Answer Sheet
4. Math Assessment

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Student’s Name

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Date

(EO8G: Student)
About the story: Read this story to find out some interesting facts about elephants.

The perfect place to observe elephants is at a water hole, for elephants consume a great deal of water and must drink at least every second day to survive. An adult elephant will drink between forty and eighty gallons of water. If the water holes go dry, the elephants die. However, the elephant is the only creature besides a human being that can dig a water hole. I have witnessed such a feat in the dried-out Letaba River. The elephants wandered into the middle of the riverbed, and the strongest bulls and the largest females began to dig with their tusks and forefeet where they smelled water below. In half an hour, they had dug a four-foot-deep hole. They then inserted their trunks, and by sucking they created a vacuum that sipped up water from below. The water began to flow into their trunks through the soft sand. A new well had been created. We once photographed a whole sector full of elephant-made wells which had saved not only the elephants but all the other animals in the region, who did not possess the intellect and the strength of the resourceful elephants.
Rewrite making all necessary corrections.

1. the teacher said give synonyms for the following words aim alike change courageous do
   fiction faithful

2. we have flew to five countrys already this summer

3. you must said the teacher describe the motion of the earth as good as you are able

4. who did you go to see in phoenix arizona on may 10 1990

5. im quite sure that its leg is broke so we must do something quick

6. everybody must do their best work

7. we studied our lesson before paul returned
8. richard where have you lain my hat coat and gloves

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9. john didn't have no money to give he and i for the show

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10. that is the lake where we swim at every day sue

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Write the plural form of the following singular nouns.

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Write the singular possessive form and the plural possessive form for each of these nouns.

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Name the parts of speech of the words in the following sentence. (noun, pronoun, adjective, verb, adverb, preposition, conjunction, article)

A fairly young woman stood up and spoke to us.

a__ ___________________________ fairly ____________________________
young________________________ woman_________________________
stood________________________ up____________________________
and_________________________ spoke___________________________
to____________________________ us____________________________

What is the subject and predicate of the above sentence?

subject______________________ predicate________________________

Name the parts of speech of the words in the following sentence. (noun, pronoun, adjective, verb, adverb, preposition, conjunction, article)

That man in the picture is my uncle.

that_________________________ man___________________________
in___________________________ the___________________________
picture_______________________ is___________________________
my___________________________ uncle________________________

What is the subject and the predicate nominative in the above sentence?

subject_______________________ predicate nominative____________

On a separate piece of paper write two good paragraphs describing your most enjoyable vacation or favorite pet. Write it in your best cursive.
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1. $6,439 \quad 2. \quad 43,040 \quad 3. \quad 7,432 \quad 4. \quad 423 \div 68 = 74,362$

8,513
\underline{-19,279}
8,246
+ 9,357

Multiply or divide.

5. $10^5 \cdot 10^3 \quad 6. \quad \frac{10^5}{10^3}$

Make true sentences. Use $>$, $<$, or $=$.

7. $.379 \quad \_ \quad .4 \quad 8. \quad .64 \quad \_ \quad .640 \quad 9. \quad .6 \quad \_ \quad .09$

10. $8.3 + 2.7 + 6.8 = ____ \quad 11. \quad 2.3 - .056 = ____$

Estimate to the nearest whole number.

12. $3.468 + 8.756 + .674 = ____ \quad 13. \quad 4.63 \approx 5.497$

14. What kind of angle is represented by $40^\circ$?
What kind of angle is represented by $165^\circ$?

15. What is the sum of the measures of angles of a square?

Add

16. $-16 + 8 = ____ \quad 17. \quad -3 + 4 + 4 + 6 = ____$

Subtract

18. $+6 - 9 = ____ \quad 19. \quad -3 - 6 = ____$

Multiply

20. $+8 \cdot +9 = ____ \quad 21. \quad -4 \cdot -8 = ____$

Divide

22. $+18 \div -3 = ____ \quad 23. \quad -49 \div +7 = ____$

Solve

24. $x - 10 = -31 \quad 25. \quad +2x = -6$
26. If 2 pencils cost $.15, find the cost of 4 dozen pencils.

Solve

27. The perimeter of a rectangle is 96 meters. The width of the rectangle is 12 meters. What is the length of the rectangle?

28. List the factors of 21.

29. At a football game there were 3 times as many girls as boys. There were 129 girls. How many boys were there?

Solve and simplify.

30. \(2 \frac{3}{8} + 1 \frac{3}{4} = \) _____

31. \(13 \frac{1}{8} - 3 \frac{9}{10} = \) _____

32. \(2 \frac{1}{3} \cdot 1 \frac{3}{4} = \) _____

33. \(2 \frac{1}{2} \div \frac{3}{4} = \) _____

Change to a percent.

34. .036

35. .2%

Change to a fraction.

36. 40%

37. 67% of 200 = _____

38. \((-3)^2 = \) _____

39. Write the decimal for \(\frac{7}{2}\).

40. Pyramid \(B = 60 \text{ cm}^2, h = 20 \text{ cm}; \text{volume} = \) _____