

Kansas City Area Teachers of Mathematics  
2017 KCATM Math Competition

**NUMBER SENSE  
GRADES 7-8**

**NO CALCULATOR**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- **Do not open this booklet** until instructed to do so.
- Time limit: **20 minutes**
- You **may NOT use calculators**.
- Mark your answer on the Scantron sheet by **FILLING in the oval**.
- You **may not use rulers, protractors, or other measurement devices** on this test.
- Letter “**E**” is “**None of the above**”, which is a correct answer for some of the problems.
- With circles, **exact answers** will be given in terms of  $\pi$ .

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

#1-4 Find the value of each expression when  $x = -2$  and  $y = 3$

1.  $2x + y$       A. 7      B. -6      C. -1      D. 4      E. None of the above
2.  $x^3$       A. -6      B. -8      C. 6      D. 8      E. None of the above
3.  $x^2 - 4y$       A. -8      B. -16      C. 8      D. -10      E. None of the above
4.  $(-1x^2y)^2$       A. 144      B. 81      C. -12      D. -144      E. None of the above

#5-17. Evaluate.

5.  $7(5 - 2) \div 3 + 1$       A. 12      B. 8      C. 5.25      D.  $17\frac{1}{3}$       E. None of the above
6.  $\frac{5-6(2)}{6(8)+1}$       A. 7      B.  $1/7$       C.  $-1/7$       D. -7      E. None of the above
7.  $\frac{4^2-1(2)}{9\div 3(3)-2}$       A. 1      B. 3      C. 5      D. 15      E. None of the above
8.  $\frac{6!}{5!}$  equals      A. 1      B. 6      C. 30      D. 11      E. None of the above
9.  $47(100 - 1)$       A. 4653      B. 4695.3      C. 4699.53      D. 4700      E. None of the above
10.  $\frac{5^6}{5^4}$       A. 10      B.  $1/25$       C.  $1/10$       D. 25      E. None of the above
11.  $16^{1/2} =$       A. 256      B. 8      C. 32      D. 4      E. None of the above
12.  $8^{2/3} =$       A. 2      B. 3      C. 4      D. 8      E. None of the above
13.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a  $\frac{1}{4}$  =      A.  $\frac{1}{2}$       B.  $1/8$       C.  $1/16$       D. 1      E. None of the above
14. 125% of 10 is      A. 12.5      B. 1,250      C. 125      D. 8.75      E. None of the above
15.  $9 \times 9 + 9 \div 9 - 9$       A. 73      B. 1      C. 9      D. 89      E. None of the above
16. Expand the scientific notation:  $3.47 \times 10^{-4}$   
A. 34,700      B. 0.0347      C. 0.000347      D. 347      E. None of the above
17. Evaluate and leave in scientific notation:  $\frac{9.8 \times 10^1}{4.9 \times 10^3}$   
A.  $2 \times 10^{-2}$       B.  $3 \times 10^{-2}$       C.  $2 \times 10^4$       D.  $2 \times 10^{-4}$       E. None of the above

18. Your parent's employer is raising funds for a homeless shelter. If each of 250 employees put \$25 into the fund, how much money would they raise?

- A. \$5000      B. \$6250      C. \$6500      D. \$7250      E. None of the above

19. A googol has how many zeroes?

- A. 10      B. 100      C. 1,000      D. 1,000,000      E. None of the above

20. A negative base to an even exponent is always ...

- A. positive    B. negative    C. an even number    D. an odd number    E. None of the above

21. Squaring a square root is...

- A. the number times itself  
B. The number under the radical sign  
C. A number twice the original number  
D. A smaller number than the base  
E. None of the above

22. Find the sum of the first 99 natural numbers:  $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 97 + 98 + 99$

- A. 5,000      B. 9,900      C. 4,550      D. 4,950      E. None of the above

23. A  $15^\circ$  angle at the center of a circle is what fractional part of the entire circle?

- A.  $1/2$       B.  $1/4$       C.  $1/6$       D.  $1/24$       E. None of the above

24. How many seconds are in a day?

- A. 60      B. 3,600      C. 86,400      D. 1,440      E. None of the above

25. To the **nearest miles per hour**, what is the average rate of speed when you travel 320 miles in 5 hours?

- A. 67 mph    B. 64 mph    C. 70 mph    D. 71 mph    E. None of the above

26. How far can you drive in 3.5 hours traveling 75 miles per hour?

- A. 262.5 miles    B. 245 miles    C. 250.5 miles    D. 275 miles    E. None of the above

27. A number times its multiplicative inverse is what number?

- A. 0      B. 1      C. -1      D. the original number    E. None of the above

28.  $\sqrt{32} =$       A.  $4\sqrt{32}$       B.  $4\sqrt{2}$       C.  $2\sqrt{2}$       D.  $8\sqrt{2}$       E. None of the above

29. How factors are there in 128?    A. 4      B. 6      C. 8      D. 10      E. None of the above

30. What is the next number in the sequence: 8, 27, 64, \_\_\_?

- A. 130      B. 125      C. 225      D. 256      E. None of the above

31. Change 0.125 into a reduced fraction.

- A.  $\frac{1}{4}$       B.  $\frac{1}{5}$       C.  $\frac{1}{6}$       D.  $\frac{1}{8}$       E. None of the above

32. What is the next consecutive odd number when you start with an odd number, N?

- A.  $N + 2$       B.  $N + 1$       C.  $N$       D.  $2n$       E. None of the above

33.  $1^{1345}$  is what number?

- A. 0      B.  $\frac{1}{1345}$       C. 1      D. 1345      E. None of the above

34. Given the perimeter of 24, what is the shape that gives you the largest area with that same perimeter?

- A. Rectangle      B. Square      C. Octagon      D. Circle      E. None of the above

35. How many perfect squares are there less than 1000?

- A. 100      B. 62      C. 41      D. 32      E. None of the above

36. If the US population in 2017 is 326.5 million, what place is it rounded to?

- A. 1,000s      B. 10,000s      C. 100,000s      D. 1,000,000      E. None of the above

37. Approximately 20% of the US population is between 0-14. If the 2017 population is 326.5 million, approximately how many people are 14 and under?

- A. 65,200,000      B. 6,520,000      C. 652,000      D. 65,200      E. None of the above

38.  $((((10)^{-1})^{-1})^{-1})^{-1} =$       A. 10,000      B. 0.10      C. 1      D. 10      E. None of the above

39.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{-2} =$       A.  $\frac{4}{6}$       B.  $\frac{6}{4}$       C.  $\frac{9}{4}$       D.  $-\frac{4}{9}$       E. None of the above

40. A 20% discount on a \$100 item has an additional 10% off. What is the final cost?

- A. \$70      B. \$72      C. \$75      D. \$77      E. None of the above