

SKILLS LIST and SAMPLE TEST ITEMS

FOR

PRACTICE TEST FOR SOCIAL STUDIES, GRADE 3

(Test items developed for skills measured in CAT-5)*

Skills

1.0 Social Studies

1.1 Demonstrating Understanding of Physical and Cultural Characteristics of Human Environment Involving Location, Place, Region, Movement, and Human Environment Interaction

1.2 Demonstrating Understanding of Community, National, and Global Economic Concepts Involving Employment, Technology, Commerce, Systems, and Interdependence

1.3 Demonstrating Understanding of Chronology and the Interrelationships of Social, Political, and Economic History Involving Events, Movements, Eras, and Individuals

1.4 Demonstrating Understanding of the Structure and Functions of Various Political Systems, the Democratic Process, and the Rights and Responsibilities of Citizens

1.5 Demonstrating Understanding of Various Individuals and Cultures in Different Regions of the World, and Their Impact on Society

1.6 Demonstrating Ability to Apply Reasoning Skills to Interrelated Concepts of Social Studies by Assessing Information and Using Problem Solving Techniques

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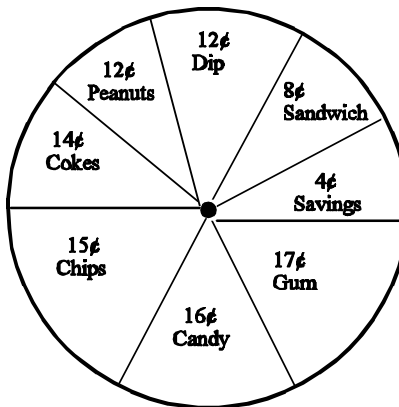
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CAT-5 SOCIAL STUDIES PRACTICE TEST - GRADE 3

1. The United States is located on the continent of _____.
- A. Europe
 - B. Asia
 - C. North America
 - D. South America
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How Cindy
spent
\$1.00



2. On what did Cindy spend the most money?
- A. chips
 - B. dip
 - C. cokes
 - D. gum
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3. An area of land surrounded by water is called _____.
- A. a peninsula
 - B. a bay
 - C. a plateau
 - D. an island
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