

Target Area 2 | Choosing Equipment Problem Solving | To Fit Descriptions

DIRECTIONS: Each sentence is incomplete. Choose one of the words below it that best fits the sentence. Circle that word.

EXAMPLE: If you were taking a temperature, you would need a

ruler

thermometer

pen

glass

1. If you wanted to make a piece of felt stick to some wood, you would need

water

glue

string

Scotch tape

2. If you were mending a page torn from a book, you would need

tape

twine

gum

rope

3. If you were installing a door, you would need

tacks

hinges

scissors

wire

4. If you were digging a hole, you would need a

hammer

yardstick

shovel

rake

5. If you were changing a tire, you would need a

spark plug

cable

tow truck

jack

6. If you were camping in the woods, you would need a

sleeping bag

reservation

TV

hair dryer

7. If you were making tea, you would need

dirt

plates

coffee

water

8. If you were making a cheese sandwich, you would need

salt

bacon

jam

bread

9. If you were taking a photograph, you would need a

ruler

frame

brush

camera

10. If you were unlocking a door, you would need a

padlock

key

chain

screwdriver

11. If you were cutting the grass, you would need a

scissors

knife

lawnmower

blade

12. If you were wrapping a gift, you would need

glue

ribbon

paint

newspaper

13. If you were playing poker, you would need

nuts

cues

chips

pieces

14. If you were washing clothes, you would need

wax

detergent

iron

dryer

15. If you were storing leftover food, you would need

towels

bags

newspapers

foil

16. If you were making French toast, you would need

garlic

eggs

cheese

bacon

17. If you were knitting a scarf, you would need

needles

cotton

thread

spools

18. If you were tying a boat to a dock, you would need

rope

string

thread

ribbon

19. If you were putting up wallpaper, you would need

putty

paint

paste

plaster

20. If you were planting flowers, you would need a

hammer

trowel

carton

flashlight

Selective Attention and Comprehension

Task F: Recognizing Relevant Information

Tell whether or not you need to know each piece of information to do the activity described.

11. You're buying a wedding gift for a friend. Do you need to know:
- a. how old your friend is?
 - b. what your friend's favorite color is?
 - c. how long your friend has been engaged?
 - d. if your friend likes to cook?
 - e. what other gifts your friend has received?
12. You're choosing a place to set up camp. Do you need to know:
- a. if you are allowed to camp at a certain spot?
 - b. if you are allowed to build fires at the campsite?
 - c. if there are wild animals in the area?
 - d. if you remembered to pack the flashlight?
 - e. if the ground is wet?
13. You're trying to decide what to wear to a party. Do you need to know:
- a. how many people will be at the party?
 - b. what type of party it is?
 - c. what the weather will be like on the day of the party?
 - d. the hostess's favorite color?
 - e. if the party will be held indoors or outside?
14. You're trying to decide whether to buy some magazines from a boy who is selling them door-to-door. Do you need to know:
- a. what group the boy represents?
 - b. how many magazines the boy subscribes to?
 - c. how much the magazines cost?
 - d. how many blocks the boy has walked to get to your home?
 - e. if your next-door neighbor bought a magazine from the boy?
15. You're trying to decide which of several jackets to buy for yourself. Do you need to know:
- a. what size you wear?
 - b. how much money you can afford to spend?
 - c. if you will be wearing the jacket over heavy clothing?
 - d. if the salesclerk thinks you should buy it?
 - e. how many more days are left until spring?

Goal: The client will tell whether or not specific information is needed to perform common tasks, with 90% or greater accuracy.

Complex Problem Solving

1. You drop a cookie behind a couch. You try to reach it but you can't.
 2. Your mother lives alone and is usually home in the evening. You have tried calling her every hour since dinner. It is now 10:00 p.m. and there is still no answer.
 3. You sent a check to a company to buy a set of knives. A month goes by, and no knives arrive. You call the number in the ad and there's no answer.
 4. It is an emergency, and you must contact someone who has an unlisted number. The operator will not give you the number.
 5. You bought a wedding gift and had the store mail it directly. You never received a thank-you from the couple, and they haven't ever mentioned it to you.
 6. You want an article in yesterday's newspaper. The paper is already in the trash.
 7. You take a medication twice daily. You took the last pill, and when you try to get a refill, the pharmacist says your prescription has expired.
 8. You stop and ask a man for directions. He starts talking but you can't understand the directions because of his accent.

 9. There is a grape juice stain on the kitchen counter. You try to get rid of it with soap and water, but that doesn't work.
 10. Your credit card statement shows you were billed for a purchase you did not make.
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Selective Attention and Comprehension

Task K: Understanding Quantity, Time, and Distance

Here are some questions about quantity, time, and distance. Choose the best answer for each question. The first one is done for you.

1. If a friend asked you to bring a couple of extra chairs to a party, would you bring two or 15? two
2. If you got 50 cards for your birthday, did you get a lot of cards or a few cards? _____
3. If someone is celebrating her 100th birthday, is she old or young? _____
4. If you won a million dollars, would you be rich or poor? _____
5. If three people work in your office, do many or few people work there? _____
6. If you're in a group of 500 people, are you in a large or a small group? _____
7. If a train has 60 cars in it, is it a long or a short train? _____
8. If you have several dozen cats, do you have a few or many cats? _____
9. If someone has 11 brothers and sisters, does he come from a large or a small family? _____
10. If you're outside and someone yells for you to hurry inside right away, should you walk or run? _____
11. If you talked on the telephone to a friend for two hours, was it a long or a short conversation? _____
12. If cars are backed up in front of you on the interstate highway for four miles, are there many or several cars in line? _____
13. If you're riding in an elevator with one other person, is the elevator crowded or nearly empty? _____
14. If you drop a jar containing 400 marbles on the floor and they all fall out, will you have to pick up a few or hundreds of marbles? _____
15. If someone was born in 1890, was she born recently or long ago? _____

Goal: The client will answer questions about quantity, time, and distance, with 90% or greater accuracy.

[PUZZLES]

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HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally, even backward. Find them and **CIRCLE THEIR LETTERS ONLY. DO NOT CIRCLE THE WORD.** The leftover letters spell the Wonderword.

DANCE CRAZE

Solution: 10 letters

E	E	M	U	T	S	O	C	R	E	C	I	T	A	L
K	C	I	K	B	C	E	L	T	I	C	W	E	I	V
N	I	N	U	D	G	C	D	S	G	T	Y	S	A	E
U	T	L	E	A	R	N	U	N	A	U	D	T	H	E
F	C	P	T	I	A	M	I	B	G	R	O	O	V	E
P	A	S	S	B	D	S	M	P	A	N	M	O	I	T
T	R	H	Y	M	E	U	T	W	S	L	M	S	D	E
E	P	O	C	L	R	A	A	U	R	ⓔ	L	L	E	P
L	B	E	J	A	Z	Z	N	F	D	Ⓥ	R	E	O	M
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