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  - 70 minutes

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  - 80 minutes

- **Language Arts – Reading**
  - 40 multiple choice
  - 65 minutes

- **Mathematics**
  - 50 multiple choice
  - 90 minutes

- **Language Arts – Writing**
  - Part 1: 50 multiple choice
  - 75 minutes
  - Part 2: 1 essay
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- Commercial Pilot
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Language Arts – Reading

Jukes was as ready a man as any half-dozen young mates that may be caught by casting a net upon the waters; and though he had been somewhat taken aback by the startling viciousness of the first squall, he had pulled himself together on the instant, had called out the hands, and had rushed them along to secure such openings about the deck as had not been already battened down earlier in the evening.

The description of Jukes as “as ready a man as any half-dozen young mates that may be caught by casting a net upon the waters” means that he

A) is better at fishing than other men on his ship.
B) is a good catch because he has had many years of experience.
C) is as generally capable as other first mates.
D) does the work of six men.

Language Arts – Writing

Which of the following would be the best choice for the following?

It's worth the cost to identify potential problems. Before you make a major investment.

A) (No change)
B) problems before
C) problems; before
D) problems: before

Mathematics

Kyle purchased a padlock with a resettable combination that uses 3 digits from 0 through 9 that must be entered in the proper order. A digit may be repeated in the combination. Which expression shows the total number of possible combinations for the padlock?

A) 3^10
B) 10^1
C) 10+9+8
D) (10)(9)(8)
E) 10 +10 +10

Science

Consider the following statement:

When tomato seedlings were grown at a constant temperature of either 25°C or 30°C, their growth rates were the same.

This statement is best described as

A) an observation.
B) an assumption.
C) a theory.
D) a hypothesis.

Social Studies

Which of the following questions about a state’s budget would be most difficult to answer?

A) Did the state provide enough money for education this year?
B) Did education receive the greatest proportion of the state’s budget this year?
C) Was the amount of money provided for education this year greater than it was last year?
D) How much money did the state provide for education this year?

Language Arts – Reading

The figurative language of the quotation means that

Jukes is as good at his job as others in his position are.

Language Arts – Writing

The second sentence is a fragment. The idea is easily combined with the previous sentence as a subordinate clause that requires no punctuation.

Mathematics

There are 10 possible choices for each number in the combination; therefore, to find the total number of possible combinations, each of the individual number of possibilities must be multiplied: (10)(10)(10) = 10^3.

Science

The statement reports the results of an experiment, so is best described as an observation.

Social Studies

Deciding whether the state provided enough money for education requires complex analysis and discussion of what an adequate amount would be.