

**Pre-Algebra  
Mid-Term Cumulative Test**

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**Multiple Choice.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Which equation illustrates the identity property of multiplication?  
A.  $(xy)z = x(yz)$     B.  $x \cdot 0 = 0$     C.  $x \cdot 1 = x$     D.  $\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = 1$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. What is the LCM of 18 and 24?  
A. 6    B. 48    C. 72    D. 504
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. List from least to greatest?  
A.  $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{31}{50}, .61, \frac{3}{5}$     B.  $\frac{3}{5}, .61, \frac{31}{50}, \frac{2}{3}$     C.  $\frac{2}{3}, .61, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{31}{50}$     D.  $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{31}{50}, .61$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. In which quadrant is the point (-9, 6) located?  
A. I    B. II    C. III    D. IV
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Which property is best illustrated by the statement  $-5(z+1) = -5z - 5$ ?  
A. Identity Property of Multiplication    B. Commutative Property of Multiplication  
C. Distributive Property    D. Associative Property of Multiplication
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Which expression is equivalent to  $5a + 8 - 2(a + 4)$ ?  
A.  $3a$     B.  $3a + 4$     C.  $3a + 12$     D.  $3a + 16$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. What is the value of  $\frac{x}{-2}(4y - z) + 6$  when  $x = -12$ ,  $y = -2$  and  $z = -3$ ?  
A. 24    B. -30    C. -24    D. 36
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Which number is not a coefficient of  $n$  in the expression  $3n + 8 - n + 4n$ ?  
A. -1    B. 1    C. 3    D. 4

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Which equation does not have 6 as a solution?  
A.  $x + 5 = 11$                       B.  $3 - x = -3$                       C.  $7t = 42$                       D.  $\frac{24}{x} = 3$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. What is the value of  $|-3x| + |2y|$  when  $x = -4$  and  $y = -8$ ?  
A. 24                      B. 30                      C. 28                      D. 4
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. What is the least common denominator of  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$ , and  $\frac{1}{6}$ ?  
A. 3                      B. 6                      C. 12                      D. 24
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Which expression represents 6 more than 3 times a number  $n$ .  
A.  $6(3n)$                       B.  $3n + 6$                       C.  $3(6 + n)$                       D.  $6 + 3 + n$
- \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Which equation represents the sentence one half a number  $n$  is 12.  
A.  $2n = 12$                       B.  $\frac{1}{2}n = 12$                       C.  $\frac{2}{n} = 12$                       D.  $\frac{12}{x} = 2$

**Simplify.**

14.  $3\frac{5}{8} + \frac{2}{3}$

15.  $\frac{4}{9} + \frac{16}{6} \div \frac{4}{7}$

16.  $(2x - 7) - (7x - 3) + 2$

17.  $-3(y - 4) + 5y$

18.  $2x + 4 - x - 4(1 - x)$

19.  $|-45| - |-25| + 10$

**Solve.**

20.  $-3x = 6$

21.  $\frac{y}{6} = -\frac{1}{12}$

22.  $-34 + x = 17$

23.  $x + 46 = -54$

24. One type of thermal ice drill can drill through ice at a rate of 15 feet per minute by using heat to melt the ice. Find the time (t) it takes the drill to melt through a sheet of ice 75 feet thick.

a. finish the equation \_\_\_\_\_  $\cdot t =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b. solve the above equation for t.

25. Write the property that best identifies each situation/equation.

$$(x + 4)(-3) = -3(x + 4) \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$5(x + 4) = 5x + 20 \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$6 \cdot \frac{y}{6} = 3 \cdot 6 \quad \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$