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***** PLEASE BRING ON TESTING DAY *****

FIRST GRADE KNOWLEDGE-A-THON

1. What is your address? _____
2. What is your telephone number? _____
3. A globe is a model of what? ***The Earth***
4. Is this true or false? Ten pennies equal a dime. ***True***
5. How does a tree get food? ***Through its roots***
6. In what city and state do we live? ***Cape Girardeau, Missouri***
7. Count by 2's up to 20. ***2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20***
8. Count by 5's to 50. ***5,10,15,20,25,30,35,40,45,50***
9. What is the capital of Missouri? ***Jefferson City***
10. Who was your school named after? ***Alma Schrader***
11. What do the letters U.S.A. mean? ***United States of America***
12. How many stars are on the American flag? ***50***
13. What does each star on the flag represent? ***A state***
14. How many minutes are in one hour? ***60 minutes***
15. What kind of pattern using letters would red blue red blue red blue be? ***An A/B pattern***
16. Name the five senses. ***Hearing, sight, smell, taste & touch***
17. What telephone number should you dial to report an emergency? ***911***
18. Which word always begins with a capital letter? Day or Sunday? ***Sunday***
19. What day comes before Wednesday? ***Tuesday***
20. In what month is Thanksgiving? ***November***

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| 21. Which is longer, one foot or one inch? | <i>One foot</i> |
| 22. Who is the President of the United States? | <i>Barack Obama</i> |
| 23. On what planet do we live? | <i>Earth</i> |
| 24. Who was the first President of the United States? | <i>George Washington</i> |
| 25. How much is a nickel worth? | <i>Five cents or five pennies</i> |
| 26. Name the four seasons. | <i>Spring, summer, fall and winter</i> |
| 27. Name the days of the week. | <i>Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday</i> |
| 28. How many months are in one year? | <i>12</i> |
| 29. What is the name of the boat on which the Pilgrims sailed to America? | <i>The Mayflower</i> |
| 30. How many days are in one week? | <i>7</i> |
| 31. Recite the alphabet. | <i>a, b, c, d, e, f, g, etc.</i> |
| 32. Which shape has three sides and three corners? | <i>A triangle</i> |
| 33. What do we call frozen water? | <i>Ice</i> |
| 34. In music, what do you call a beat with no sound? | <i>A rest</i> |
| 35. How many eggs are in one dozen? | <i>12</i> |
| 36. Are fiction books true factual books or pretend made-up stories? | <i>Pretend or made-up stories</i> |
| 37. What is a person who writes books called? | <i>An author</i> |
| 38. What is the person who draws pictures for a book called? | <i>An illustrator</i> |
| 39. Who is the governor of Missouri? | <i>Jay Nixon</i> |
| 40. What symbol tells you to add? | <i>+ or plus</i> |

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41. What symbol tells you to subtract? **- or minus**
42. If you want to find out how many are left over, do you add or subtract? **Subtract**
43. If you want to find out how many in all do you add or subtract? **Add**
44. Name a healthy snack for school. **Apples, carrots, yogurt, raisins, bananas, etc.**
45. Sticky foods like candy or fruit roll-ups are bad for what? **Teeth**
46. True or False: Objects can be balanced in many ways. **True**
47. What is needed to start a motion? **A force (a pull or a push)**
48. What is a slope? **A surface that is higher on one end**
49. True or False: Round things roll. **True**
50. How do you make a marble roll down a runway? **Start at the high end and roll toward the low end**
51. What do plants need to grow? **water, air, light, space and nutrients**
52. What do bees and insects help move from plant to plant? **Pollen**
53. Name three parts of a plant. **Roots, leaves, stems, flowers**
54. Who had a dream that all people would be treated equally? **Martin Luther King, Jr.**
55. What colors are on the American flag? **Red, white, blue**
56. What does a sentence begin with? **A capital letter**
57. Who discovered America? **Christopher Columbus**
58. What is the job of the heart? **Pump blood**

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59. What should you cover when coughing or sneezing? ***Mouth***
60. What can you do to stop germs from spreading? ***Wash your hands with soap and water***
61. How many hours of sleep at night should you get? ***10 to 12***
62. What chart shows you the type of foods and number of servings we should have each day? ***Food pyramid***
63. What are the “sometimes foods” at the top of the Food Pyramid? ***Sugar and bad fats***
64. What fluid is the most important to drink every day? ***Water***
65. What is the most important meal of the day? ***Breakfast***
66. Cheerios is an example of what food group? ***Bread, whole grains, cereals***
67. What do we call oranges and bananas? ***Fruits***
68. What do we call carrots and peas? ***Vegetables***
69. What should you always wear when biking, skiing, snowboarding or skating? ***Helmet***
70. What should you wear to protect your skin from sun damage? ***Sunscreen***
71. What should you wear to protect your head from the sun? ***Hat***
72. Your friend asks if you want some of their medicine for your cough. What should you say? ***No thank you***
73. Name the coin that is worth 25 cents. ***Quarter***
74. What is one thing you can do to be a good friend? ***Share, ask someone to play, help someone, etc.***
75. What is something you say to show good manners? ***Please, thank you, excuse me***
76. What should you do if your clothes catch on fire? ***Stop, drop and roll***

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77. What should you do if your nose is running? ***Use a Kleenex***
78. How many days per week do doctors recommend exercising? ***3 or more***
79. How does your body cool itself during exercise? ***Sweating***
80. What does exercise do for bones and muscles? ***Makes them strong***
81. What habits help prevent tooth decay? ***Brushing and flossing***
82. For what are sleep, exercising and healthy eating important? ***Growth***
83. What does a sentence that asks a question end with? ***? / a question mark***
84. What should you do after playing a game with another person or team? ***Shake hands and say something positive***
85. What are the vowel letters? ***A E I O U***
86. What should you always do when you accidentally hurt someone during an activity? ***Apologize and make sure they are okay***
87. What must you do in order to improve your skills? ***Practice***
88. What is a noun? ***A person, place or thing***
89. What part of your body do you protect with a helmet? ***Skull / head***
90. What body part does your skull protect? ***Brain***
91. What body part pumps blood to the rest of the body? ***Heart***
92. How can you exercise your brain? ***Read, do math, play a game, sing a song, etc.***
93. Is your heart really heart-shaped? ***No, it is shaped like your fist***
94. Why is it important to warm up before exercising? ***To stretch and loosen your muscles to avoid injuries***
95. What is the shiny coating that covers each tooth called? ***Enamel***

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96. What do you get when you don't clean food and bacteria from your teeth? ***Cavity***
97. We should get low and protect what during a tornado drill? ***Our heads***
98. We should sit quietly and do what during an intruder drill? ***Listen***
99. You should wash fruits and vegetables before you eat them. (True or False) ***True***
100. What does milk strengthen? ***Bones and teeth***

BONUS QUESTIONS

1. Name two healthy snacks. ***Fruit, vegetables, pretzels, raisins, yogurt***
2. How do you move through the halls safely? ***Walk***
3. Recite the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. ***I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.***

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