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

TEACHER \_\_\_\_\_

**FIRST GRADE KNOWLEDGE-A-THON (2020)**

1. What is your address? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is/are your parent(s)/guardian(s) names? \_\_\_\_\_
3. A globe is a model of what? ***The Earth***
4. Do ten pennies equal a dime? ***Yes***
5. How does a plant get water and 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 name of Missouri's state capital? ***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 2 of the five senses. ***Hearing, sight, smell, taste & touch***
17. What number do you dial to report an emergency? ***911***
18. Which begins with a capital letter: cat or Saturday? ***Saturday***
19. What are the places you go in a story called? ***Setting***
20. In what month is Thanksgiving? ***November***
21. Which is longer, one foot or one inch? ***One foot***
22. Who is the President of the United States? ***Donald Trump***

23. On what planet do we live? **Earth**
24. Who was the first President of the United States? **George Washington**
25. How much is a nickel worth? **Five cents or five pennies**
26. Spring, summer, fall and winter are called what? **Seasons**
27. Which day of the week comes after Tuesday? **Wednesday**
28. How many months are in one year? **12**
29. What is the name of the boat on which the Pilgrims sailed to America? **The Mayflower**
30. How many days are in one week? **7**
31. Give an example of a verb. **[Any action word (run, jump, etc.)]**
32. Which shape has three sides and three corners? **A triangle**
33. What do we call frozen water? **Ice**
34. In music, what do you call a beat with no sound? **A rest**
35. How many eggs are in one dozen? **12**
36. Are fiction books true or pretend made-up stories? **Pretend or made-up stories**
37. What is a person who writes the story called? **An author**
38. Who draws the pictures for a book? **An illustrator**
39. Name a National Symbol. **American Flag, Statue of Liberty, White House, Liberty Bell, Eagle**
40. What symbol tells you to add? **+ or plus**
41. What symbol tells you to subtract? **- or minus**
42. Do you add or subtract to find out how many are left over? **Subtract**
43. Do you add or subtract to find out how many in all? **Add**
44. Name a healthy snack for school. **Apples, carrots, yogurt, raisins, etc.**
45. Sticky foods like candy/fruit roll-ups are bad for what? **Teeth**

46. True/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**
51. What do plants need to grow? **Water, air, light, space and nutrients**
52. Bees and insects move what from plant to plant? **Pollen**
53. Which part of the plant helps it get food and keep it from moving away? **Roots**
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. What are the people or animals in a story called? **Characters**
58. What is the job of the heart? **Pump blood**
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**
61. How many hours of sleep at night should you get? **10 to 12**
62. Where does our body get its fuel? **From the food we eat**
63. Name 2 foods in the dairy food group. **Milk, butter, cheese, yogurt, etc.**
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? **Whole grains, cereals, bread**
67. Which food group has oranges and bananas? **Fruit group**
68. Which food group has carrots and broccoli? **Vegetable group**
69. What should you wear on your head when biking? **Helmet**

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| 70. How can you protect your skin from sun damage?                                   | <b>Sunscreen or clothing</b>                  |
| 71. How can you protect your head from the sun?                                      | <b>Wear a hat, etc.</b>                       |
| 72. Is it OK to use your friend's cough medicine?                                    | <b>No</b>                                     |
| 73. Name the coin that is worth 25 cents.  | <b>Quarter</b>                                |
| 74. What is one thing you can do to be a good friend?                                | <b>Share, ask someone to play, etc.</b>       |
| 75. What is something you say to show good manners?                                  | <b>Please, thank you, excuse me</b>           |
| 76. What should you do if your clothes catch on fire?                                | <b>Stop, drop and roll</b>                    |
| 77. What should you do if your nose is running?                                      | <b>Use a tissue</b>                           |
| 78. How often do doctors recommend exercising?                                       | <b>3 or more per week</b>                     |
| 79. How does your body cool itself during exercise?                                  | <b>Sweating</b>                               |
| 80. What does exercise do for bones and muscles?                                     | <b>Makes them strong</b>                      |
| 81. What habits help prevent tooth decay?  | <b>Brushing and flossing</b>                  |
| 82. Why are exercising and healthy eating important?                                 | <b>Growth</b>                                 |
| 83. What does a sentence that asks a question end with?                              | <b>? / a question mark</b>                    |
| 84. What should you do after playing a game with another person or team?             | <b>Shake hands and say something positive</b> |
| 85. What are the vowel letters?  | <b>A E I O U</b>                              |
| 86. What should you always do when you accidentally hurt someone during an activity? | <b>Apologize and make sure they are okay</b>  |
| 87. What must you do in order to improve your skills?                                | <b>Practice</b>                               |
| 88. What is a noun?  | <b>A person, place or thing</b>               |
| 89. What part of your body do you protect with a helmet?                             | <b>Skull / head</b>                           |
| 90. What body part does your skull protect?  | <b>Brain</b>                                  |
| 91. What body part pumps blood to the rest of the body?                              | <b>Heart</b>                                  |
| 92. How can you exercise your brain?   | <b>Read, sing, do math, play games, etc.</b>  |
| 93. Is your heart really heart-shaped?   | <b>No, it is shaped like your fist</b>        |

94. Why is it important to warm up before exercising? ***To avoid injuries***
95. What is the shiny coating on your teeth called? ***Enamel***
96. Why is it important to clean your teeth? ***To avoid cavities***
97. We get low and protect what during a tornado drill? ***Our heads***
98. We sit quietly and do what during an intruder drill? ***Listen***
99. Should you wash fruits/vegetables before eating? ***Yes***
100. What does milk strengthen? ***Bones and teeth***

### **BONUS QUESTIONS**

1. Who was President during the Civil War? ***Abraham Lincoln***
2. What is Alma Schrader line behavior? ***Eyes facing front, hands at your side, mouth closed, follow the leader.***
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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