Physics Chapter 1

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

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1. Physics studies how thing move in the natural world. What are some examples of questions you can ask how they move?

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1. What happens when you stop your car really fast? Does the car stop? Does the car skid?

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1. What happens when you throw a tennis ball in the air?

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1. What happens when you turn on the flashlight? Can you see the beam from a flashlight in the daytime?

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1. What is a law?

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1. Is there a law against driving too fast or a law against stealing? Are they the same?

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1. Physics has laws that are statements that tell us about how the physical world works around us. Driving laws can be broken. Can Physical laws be broken too? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. When you hit a baseball, can it break the laws of physics and land on the moon?

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**9. Who makes our laws for our country?**

**a. congress and the senate**

**b. governor**

**c. mayor**

**10. Who makes our laws for the state of Michigan?**

**a. congress and the senate**

**b. governor**

**c. mayor**

**11. Who makes our laws for your city?**

**a. congress and the senate**

**b. governor**

**c. mayor**

**12. Why are government laws different from, country to country, state to state, and city to city?**

**a. because the laws are made from precise formulas of mathematics, so the laws are always the same**

**b. because the laws are made from peoples opinions, so laws are sometimes different.**

**13. Which is an example of a city law?**

**a. gravity- when ever you drop something it will fall to the ground.**

**b. The speed limit in Grosse Pointe on Moross Rd is 30 and the speed limit in Harper Woods on Mac Rd is 40.**

**14. Which an example of a physics law?**

**a. gravity- when ever you drop something it will fall to the ground.**

**b. The speed limit in Grosse Pointe on Moross Rd is 30 and the speed limit in Harper Woods on Mac Rd is 40.**

**15. Government laws will\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because people determine the laws.**

**a. they will never change, and are always the same.**

**b. Are always the same, and will change sometimes.**

**16. Physics laws will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because math determines the laws.**

**a. they will never change, and are always the same.**

**b. Are always the same, and will change sometimes.**

**17. Who is the founder of physics?**

**a. Lyndon Johnson**

**b. Donald Trump**

**c. Isaac Newton**

**18. Who was the greatest mathematician who figured out how objects moved?**

**a. Lyndon Johnson**

**b. Donald Trump**

**c. Isaac Newton**

**19. What is one law Isaac Newton figure out?**

**a. cold**

**b. summer**

**c. gravity**

**20. Write a complete sentence stating what is gravity. You learned about gravity last year.**

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21. How are the laws of motion discovered?

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22. What is the first step in the scientific method?

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23. What does observation mean?

a. to make a guess what you think will happen

b. to test something

c. to watch something

24. What senses do you use to observe something?

a. sight

b. hearing

c. taste

d. smell

e. touch

f. all of the above

25. What sense are you using when you are observing salt being poured on icy roads when it snows.

a. sight

b. hearing

c. taste

d. smell

e. touch

26. What sense are you using when you are observing lemons are sour and oranges are sweet?

a. sight

b. hearing

c. taste

d. smell

e. touch

27. What sense are you using when you observe thunder is loud?

a. sight

b. hearing

c. taste

d. smell

e. touch

28. What sense are you using when you observe steel balls or marbles sometimes feel cold, but cotton balls do not.

a. sight

b. hearing

c. taste

d. smell

e. touch

29. What is the second step in the scientific method?

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30. What is a hypothesis?

a. a true fact

b. a guess

31. A hypothesis is something you observe and you want to know more information about your observation. Make the following observation into a question. Salt is poured on icy roads when it snows.

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32. Now that you made your observation into a question, circle 2 answers that answer your question about salt and icy roads. Your guess is a hypothesis.

a. lemons are sour because they have no sugar.

b. salt is put on roads to make rubber tires sticky.

c. salt is used to lower the freezing temperature of ice, causing the ice to melt.

33. Now that you have 2 hypothesis you need to test them to see if each guess is true or false. What is the 3rd step in the scientific method?

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34. You observed ice cubes float in a glass of water. You want to know why ice cubes float in water and soda.? Will ice cubes float in oil too? You make a guess that ice cubes push the liquid away or it is because you think ice cubes might be lighter than water. To test your hypothesis you conduct an experiment. Circle the answer that would be a good experiment to test your hypothesis.

a. place ice cubes in different liquids, such as water, milk, soda, and oil, to determine if ice cubes float in these liquids.

b. lemon juice could be collected and the water evaporated. Sugar might be visible in the remaining residue.

35. After you complete your experiment, what is the 4th step in the scientific method?

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36. What are the results in the scientific method?

a. what you observed during your experiment and wrote down (recorded) your answers.

b. what you think should have happened during your experiment.

37. Circle the following answers that are results of your ice cube experiment. Circle 2 answers

a. the ice cube floated in the glass with oil, water, and soda.

b. the oil is thicker than the ice cube and the ice cube floated in the oil.

c. the rubber is not stickier with salt on the tire.

38. What is the 5th step in the scientific method?

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39. What is a conclusion?

a. a estimated guess

b. a test to see if your hypothesis is true

c. look at the results and make a statement about your hypothesis.

40. Which answer would be a good conclusion about your ice cube experiment?

a. Ice cubes sunk to the bottom of the glass of water

b. Ice cubes turn blue in water

c. Ice cubes float because ice is less thick than liquid water and oil

41. Will your hypothesis always be correct after you tested your guess?

a. yes

b. no

42. Complete Newton’s First Law of Motion experiment.