## Math 7: MCA 3 Practice - Proportions

**Directions:** Read each question carefully. Show your work or explain your answer for each problem.

- 1. A florist sells 8 roses for a total of \$10. Each rose costs the same amount. What is the cost of 12 roses?
  - A. \$9.60
  - B. \$10.40
  - C. \$14.00
  - D. \$15.00
- 2. A chef has a frying pan that weighs  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds. Which of the following is closest to the weight, in kilograms, of the frying pan? (1 pound  $\approx$  0.454 kilogram)
  - A. 0.303 kilogram
  - B. 0.681 kilogram
  - C. 0.954 kilogram
  - D. 1.046 kilogram
- 3. Which represents a proportional relationship?



- 4. Which represents a proportional relationship? Explain your answer.
  - A. np = 5B.  $n = \frac{4}{p}$ C. n = 2
  - D.  $\frac{n}{p} = 3$

5. Create a table of values to identify which equations represent a proportional relationship.



- 6. Donnie has a spool that contains 18 yards of wire. What is the total number of inches of wire that the spool contains? (Hint: 1 yard = 36 inches)
  - A. 162
  - B. 216
  - C. 540
  - D. 648
- 7. Solve the proportion using cross products.

$$\frac{8}{15} = \frac{18.4}{x}$$



9. Find the value of **a** and **b** 



10. Joan is 5 feet tall and casts a shadow 12 feet long. The tree she is standing next to casts a shadow of 128.4 feet long. How tall is the tree? (HINT: Draw a picture)

- 11.  $\Delta$  EFG is similar to  $\Delta$ JKL.  $\Delta$ JKL is similar to  $\Delta$ QRS. Which statement must be true?
  - A.  $\Delta$ EFG is congruent to  $\Delta$ QRS
  - B.  $\Delta$ EFG is similar to  $\Delta$ QRS
  - C.  $\Delta$ EFG is a reflection of  $\Delta$ QRS
  - D. There is no relationship between  $\Delta$ EFG and  $\Delta$ QRS
- 12. The triangles shown are similar. What is the value of *x*?
  - A. 8 ft.
  - B. 10 ft.
  - C. 12 ft.
  - D. 14 ft.



- 13.  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle DEF$ . If the angle measure of B is 80 degrees. What is the angle measure of E?
  - A. 40 degrees
  - B. 80 degrees
  - C. 100 degrees
  - D. 160 degrees



14. The two figures shown are similar. Make a proportion to show the relationship between the lengths of the sides.



- 15. A map uses the scale 1.5 cm = 30 miles. The cities of Pineview and Oakwood are 90 miles apart. How far apart are Pineview and Oakwood **on the map?** 
  - A. 3.15 cm
  - B. 31.5 cm
  - C. 4.5 cm
  - D. 45.0 cm

16. Mr. Craig made a scale drawing of his office. The width of the scale drawing of the office is 2 inches. What is the actual width, in feet of Mr. Craig's office?

| A. | 3 feet  | Î     |
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| В. | 6 feet  |       |
| C. | 9 feet  | 2 in. |
| D. | 12 feet |       |
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- 17. Anne and Linda are using different road maps of the city. On Anne's map a road 3 inches long is really 15 miles long. On Linda's map a road 9 inches long is really 45 miles long. Who is using the larger city map?
  - A. Anne
  - B. Linda
  - C. their maps are the same
  - D. not enough information to tell
- 18. A quality inspector examines a sample of 25 strings of lights and finds that 6 strings of lights are defective. What is the best prediction of the number of defective strings in a delivery of 1000 strings of lights?
  - a. 6 lights
  - b. 24 lights
  - c. 25 lights
  - d. 240 lights