



Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) Measures of Academic Progress® (MAP®) creates a **personalized assessment experience** by adapting to each student’s learning level—precisely measuring student progress and growth for each individual. MAP is given via computer to children in grades K-12. Its structure is cross-grade, which provides measurement of students who perform on, above, and below grade level.

### Free 8th Grade MAP Test Practice Questions

1. She wrote the story that won first prize in the magazine.

Which is the main clause in this sentence?

a.

She wrote the story

c.

that won first prize

b.

in the magazine

d.

the story that won

2. Choose the sentence that contains an error in verb tense.

a.

Ralph turns on the television and watched a baseball game.

c.

Jordan finishes his paper route before he goes to school.

b.

Sue read the directions then completed the assignment.

d.

Great literature, which stirs the imagination, also challenges the intellect.

3. Which is NOT a complex sentence?

a.

After the bell, we handed in our exam.

c.

We took the exam, but our teacher hasn't graded it.

b.

After we completed reading the novel, we were given an exam.

d.

Students may need help when the writing becomes difficult.

**4. Read the passage and answer the question.**

Janet looked out her bedroom window and saw the beautiful, new, white snow covering the ground outside. She quickly got dressed and ran out the front door to make the first snowman of the season. "Don't forget your gloves! Your fingers will freeze!" called her mother, as the door slammed. "Don't need them! No time!" yelled Janet as she jumped into the snow. After about 5 minutes of working in the ice-cold snow with her bare hands to make the snowman, Janet realized that her fingers were so cold they were starting to hurt.

**What will Janet most likely do next?**

- a. Go back in the house for her coat.
- b. Take off her coat and boots.
- c. Go back in the house for her gloves.
- d. Ask her mother to help her make the snowman.

**5. Read the advertisement and answer the question.**

Do you enjoy kites? If you order right away, we will give you directions for making kites out of all kinds of materials—sticks, straws, socks, and more. All of this for only \$10.95. Hurry! Time is limited.

**What is this ad trying to get the reader to do?**

- a. Buy a ready-to-fly kite.
- b. Buy information about sock puppets.
- c. Buy information about sticks and straws.
- d. Buy information about kite making.

**6. Read the passage.**

One time, Henry Thoreau and his friend decided to meet in a town many miles away. Henry decided to walk, but his friend chose to do odd jobs all day in order to earn enough money for train fare. Henry walked from earliest light to evening and saw fascinating things along the way. He picked fresh huckleberries, watched baby ducklings take their first swim, and admired the beautiful purple mountains as the sun set.

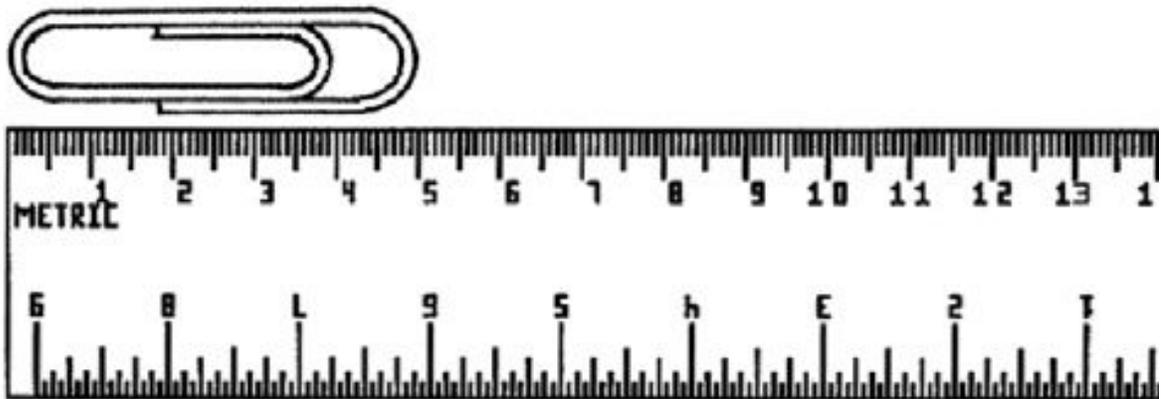
His friend, on the other hand, chopped wood, carried logs, and cleaned out stables all day. By late afternoon he had earned enough money for his train ticket. Both Henry and his friend arrived in town at the same time and had dinner together.

**Both Henry and his friend made it to town in different fashions. What might a reader conclude about the experience?**

- a. It was worth the hard work to avoid such a long walk.
- b. Though hard work is important, sometimes there's more value to enjoying the journey.
- c. Henry would have learned more if he had earned money for a train ticket.

7.

Measurement – Length, Weight, Volume – RIT 221 – 230



What is the length of the paper clip?

- a. 5 cm
- b. 5 mm
- c. 3 cm
- d. 4 cm
- e. 4 mm

8. Fill in the boxes from left to right with the correct exponent.

