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TAKS Practice Test**

**Grade 1, Chapter 3
The Skies Above**

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Date _____

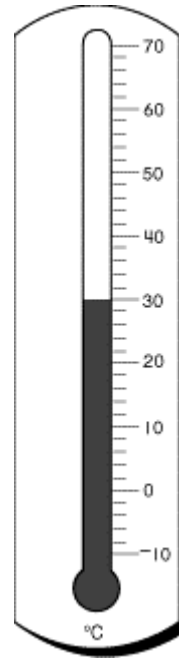
Use the picture to answer Questions 1, 2, and 3.

1 What does this tool show?

- Length
- Temperature
- Size

2 What is the name of this tool?

- Thermometer
- Meterstick
- Red stick



3 Read the tool.
What does it show?

- 25°C
- 30°C
- 35°C

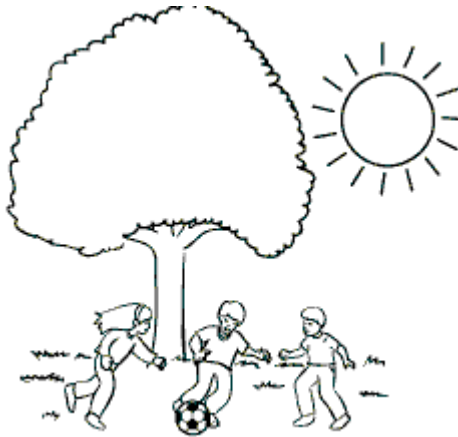
4 Which of these things is hottest?

- A hot bath
- The flame from a candle
- The Sun

Use the pictures to answer Questions 5 and 6.



A



B



C



D

5 What is the correct order of the pictures?

- C -> A -> D -> B
- C -> B -> D -> A
- C -> B -> A -> D

6 What is the best title for the four pictures?

- Spring and Summer
- How a Tree Grows
- One Year in the Life of a Tree

- 7 What could the time be?
- 6 o'clock in the morning
 - 1 o'clock in the afternoon
 - 6 o'clock in the afternoon








- 8 Where is the boy pointing?
- Toward the Sun
 - Away from the Sun
 - Toward the shade



- 9 What are clouds made of?
- A gas that we can see
 - Small drops of water
 - Cotton

Use the chart to answer Questions 10, 11, and 12.

Weather Chart for 5 Days

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Weather					
Temperature	20°C	22°C	24°C	19°C	20°C

Key:

Sunny

Cloudy

Rainy



10 What day was coldest?

- Monday
- Thursday
- Friday

11 How many days had sunny weather?

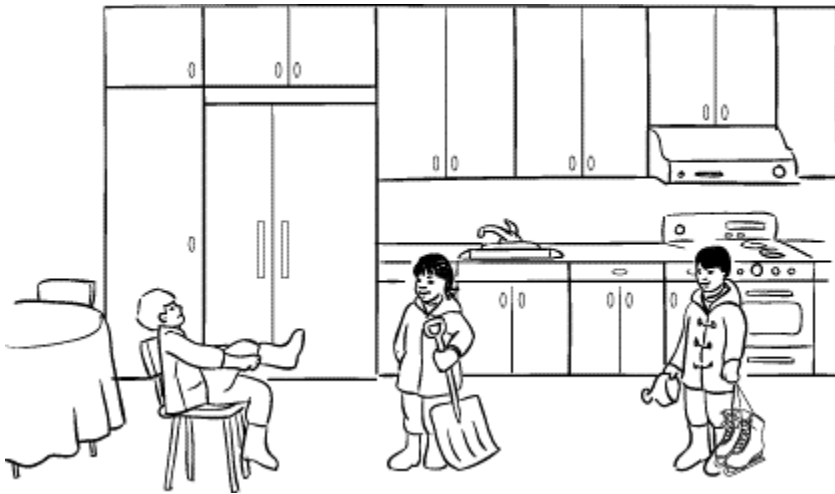
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days

12 What was the weather like on Saturday?

- Cloudy
- Sunny
- The chart does not tell.

13 What is fog?

- Balls of ice
- Snow that has melted in the air
- A cloud that is on the ground



14 These children are getting ready to go outside.

What season is it?

- Summer
- Fall
- Winter

ANSWER KEY and CORRELATIONS:

Question	Answer	TAKS	McGraw-Hill Science Grade 1 textbook
1	Temperature	5.4A	pp. 51, R12
2	Thermometer	5.4A	pp. 51, R12
3	30°C	5.4A	pp. 51, R12
4	The Sun	3.11D, 4.11C	p. 53
5	C -> B -> A -> D	4.6A, 5.6A	p. 72
6	One Year in the Life of a Tree	4.6A, 5.6A	p. 72
7	1 o'clock in the afternoon	4.6A, 5.6A	p. 56
8	Toward the Sun	5.2B, 5.2C, 5.2D	p. 61
9	Small drops of water	3.11A, 4.6A	p. 67
10	Thursday	5.2E	p. 65
11	2 days	5.2E	p. 65
12	The chart does not tell.	5.2E	p. 65
13	A cloud that is on the ground	4.6A	p. 68
14	Winter	5.2B, 5.2C	p. 54