

HSPT Practice Questions



Now on day four... don't forget to work quickly. Give yourself only one minute to answer all four.

Sample questions – DAY FOUR

***** BASIC OPERATIONS *****

Add $0.12 + 2.011 + 45.5555 + 2 + 0.00001$

- A. 49.6866
- B. 59.86555
- C. 4.956721
- D. 49.68651
- E. 67.68651

Answer D.

This is a matter of lining the decimals up correctly. Work carefully, and write it out!

$(4 \div 2) \times (12 \div 24) =$

- A. 1
- B. 6
- C. 36
- D. 72
- E. 144

Answer A.

Order of operations dictates that we figure the parentheses first. So $2 \times .5 = 1$

***** GRAMMAR *****

The symphony planned to rehearse for their performance for the Mayor.

- A. Capitalization
- B. Punctuation
- C. Spelling
- D. Grammar

Answer A.

Mayor is not capitalized unless it is in front of the person's name, such as Mayor McCheese.

They were to happy that they were going to win; the official penalized them fifteen yards for the illegal celebration in the end zone.

- A. Capitalization
- B. Punctuation
- C. Spelling
- D. Grammar

Answer C.

Be sure to be on the lookout for the common misspellings involving homonyms:

Too-to-two

Their-there-they're

Its-it's

Your-you're

Whose-who's

Seam-seem

Cite-sight-site