

## Critical Thinking Final Exam

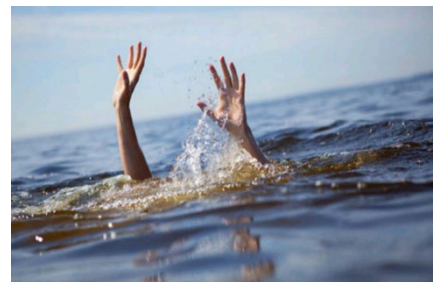
Choose the best answer that makes the most sense.

- 1) You are walking down a path and you come across this lake. It's freezing cold outside, and you have to get across the lake before it gets too dark. What should you do?



- A. I should lie down on the ground and take a nap. I will swim across the lake in the morning when the sun comes back up.
  - B. I should get in the boat and ride the boat across the lake right away.
  - C. I should yell for help.
  - D. I should ask the fish in the lake if there is another way across.
- 2) It is getting dark, but you are walking down the street on your way home. As you are walking, a strange man begins walking quickly behind you. He seems very scary and dangerous. What should you do?
- A. Stop walking and call my parents. The man may want to speak to them.
  - B. Run and get away as fast as possible. If I get far away from him, I will call the police then. I will call my parents after I get off the phone with the police.
  - C. Ask the man if he can help me get home.
  - D. Run while screaming "help!"
- 3) Your mom told you to be home by 5:00pm. It is now, 4:30pm. It takes 20 minutes to get home from where you are now, but your friend asked you to go with them to the candy store to get some chocolate bars. Going to the store and back will take 15 extra minutes. If you go, you will be late getting home. What should you do?
- A. Go to the store with my friend and get in trouble at home later.
  - B. Go to the store with my friend and tell my mom I will be late.
  - C. Call my mom and ask her if it is okay for me to go to the store with my friend.
  - D. Tell my friend no because I have to be home by 5:00pm.
  - E. Call my aunt Tye and ask her if I can go get a chocolate bar with my friend.
- 4) You are lying in bed when you hear the fire alarm go off. You begin to smell smoke. You are upstairs on the second floor, and it is a long jump down to the ground. You hear your dad yell, "Stay in the room boys!" What should you do?
- A. Jump out of the window and try to fly.
  - B. Run to my parents' room.
  - C. Close my room door, back away from the door, call 911 to tell them it's a fire downstairs, and wait for my parents or firefighters to rescue me.
  - D. Run to the bathroom, fill a bucket with water, and throw the bucket of water downstairs.

- 5) It is really late in the middle of the night. Your parents are asleep. You wake up with your tummy hurting really bad. What should you do?
- A. Try to go back to sleep.
  - B. Go knock on my parents' door to let them know my tummy hurts.
  - C. Go downstairs to find some medicine to take. Drink the whole medicine bottle, and then head back upstairs to go back to sleep.
  - D. Sit on the toilet for hours until my parents wake up.
  - E. Pour some warm water over my belly.
- 6) You are playing outside when you see a tiger headed in your direction from down the street. What should you do?
- A. Throw a ball at the tiger.
  - B. Yell and scream "It's a tiger!"
  - C. Call the tiger to come and play.
  - D. Quietly rush into the house and close the door. Then tell a parent what you saw.
- 7) Your baby sister is in your room playing with you and your brothers. She falls by accident and hits her head. After she hits her head, she does not cry. Instead, she quickly falls asleep on the floor and does not move. What should you do?
- A. Let her get her rest because she is just sleepy.
  - B. Run and tell an adult that she hit her head and went to sleep.
  - C. Ignore her and keep playing.
  - D. Yell and call an adult to hurry up and get in your room to see her.
  - E. Scream at MJ for pushing her.
- 8) You are playing at the beach and having lots of fun. You see a boy far out in the ocean with their hands up yelling for help. What should you do?
- A. Run and tell an adult that a boy is far in the ocean.
  - B. Keep playing in the water.
  - C. Run and tell the closest lifeguard or beach police officer that a boy in the ocean needs help fast.
  - D. Put your hands up and wave at the boy.
  - E. Jump in the water and swim really fast to go save the boy and bring him back to shore.



9) On your way home, you come across a gate with this sign posted on the front. There is another way to get home, but it takes longer to get home that way and you are really tired. What should you do?



- A. Ignore the sign and keep walking through the gate. I am not scared of danger.
- B. Walk the other path that takes longer. Call a parent and tell them I may be late getting home because there is a roadblock.
- C. Ask a man I do not know to take me home.
- D. Pick up someone's bike lying in the road and ride the bike down the longer path to get home quicker.

10) You are out fishing with your father. The lake is really deep. You cannot swim, but your dad is a great swimmer. You throw the fishing rod in the water hoping to catch a big fish. As you are holding the fishing rod in the water, a big fish bites on your hook. You begin to pull the big fish up, but it gets too heavy. The fish is trying to get away almost causing you to fall in. What should you do?

- A. Hold on for as long as I can while yelling "daddy!"
- B. Hold the rod with one hand and grab the gun with my other hand. Shoot the fish with the gun to get it to stop moving.
- C. Fall in the water and grab the fish myself. It is not stronger than me.
- D. Hurry and let go of the rod because I cannot swim.
- E. Think like a fish and take off running.
- F. Try to fly up in the sky to pull the fish out from above.

11) You are outside playing with your brothers. A woman pulls up in her car. Her little boy is in the car with her. She calls you and your brothers over to the car to see if you want to go for a ride to the park and get ice cream. Which is the best thing to do?

- A. Tell the lady, "Yes," and get in the car.
- B. Tell the lady, "No," and run in house to tell your parents.
- C. Say nothing to the lady and run in the house to tell your parents.
- D. Go ask a parent if it's okay to go with the woman and her son for ice cream.

**This is the end of your final exam.**

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