

# Singin' the Standards

## Pretest

Name \_\_\_\_\_ KEY \_\_\_\_\_

### **SKIP COUNTING SONGS CAN BE ASSESSED THROUGH REGULAR MULTIPLICATION FACTS ASSESSMENTS**

1. Explain what good readers think about when they read. SONG 1  
**PREDICT, REREAD WHEN CONFUSED, MIND MOVIES, DETERMINE IMPORTANCE AND SLOW DOWN, MAKE CONNECTIONS, QUESTION THE TEXT, MAKE INFERENCES, USE CONTEXT CLUES TO UNDERSTAND NEW WORDS, ETC.**

2. What are the meanings of the following prefixes? SONG 2

Inter \_\_\_\_\_ **BETWEEN** \_\_\_\_\_

Dis \_\_\_\_\_ **NOT** \_\_\_\_\_

Anti \_\_\_\_\_ **AGAINST** \_\_\_\_\_

Re \_\_\_\_\_ **AGAIN** \_\_\_\_\_

Ir \_\_\_\_\_ **NOT** \_\_\_\_\_

3. Explain some of the things that good writers are worried about when they write. SONG 4  
**TOPIC SENTENCE, DETAILS, PERIODS AND OTHER PUNCTUATION, CAPITALS, SPELLING INDENT PARAGRAPHS, ELIMINATE DEAD WORDS, ADD DIALOGUE, DESCRIPTIVE LANGUAGE**

4. Write the plural form of the following words: SONG 5

Family \_\_\_\_\_ **FAMILIES** \_\_\_\_\_

Turkey \_\_\_\_\_ **TURKEYS** \_\_\_\_\_

Loaf \_\_\_\_\_ **LOAVES** \_\_\_\_\_

5. What is a pronoun? Give three examples of pronouns. SONG 7

**PRONOUNS REPLACE NOUNS**

**EX: HE SHE WE THEY I YOU THEM US IT ME (ANY 3)**

6. Add correct punctuation and capitalization to this "talking" sentence. SONG 8

**"The storm is expected this afternoon," said my dad.**

7. What are the 4 kinds of sentences? SONG 10

**STATEMENT, COMMAND, QUESTION, EXCLAMATION**

8. Give a synonym for pretty \_\_\_\_\_ **BEAUTIFUL, CUTE, ETC.** \_\_\_\_\_ SONG 11

9. Give an antonym for tall \_\_\_\_\_ **SHORT, LITTLE, ETC.** \_\_\_\_\_ SONG 11

10. Give a homonym for brake \_\_\_\_\_ **BREAK** \_\_\_\_\_ SONG 11

11. What are the main parts to a fiction story? SONG 12  
**CHARACTERS, SETTING (WHERE AND WHEN), AND PLOT (PROBLEM, SOLUTION)**
12. Draw an acute angle. SONG 14  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE AN ACUTE ANGLE, LESS THAN 90 DEGREES**
13. Draw an obtuse angle. SONG 14  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE AN OBTUSE ANGLE, GREATER THAN 90 DEGREES**
14. Draw a right angle. SONG 14  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE A RIGHT ANGLE, 90 DEGREES**
15. Draw a set of parallel line segments. SONG 15  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE ANY PAIR OF PARALLEL LINES, LINE SEGMENTS**
16. Draw a set of perpendicular line segments. SONG 15  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE A PAIR OF LINE SEGMENTS THAT MEET OR WOULD MEET AND FORM 90 DEGREE ANGLES**
17. Draw an isosceles triangle. SONG 17  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE A TRIANGLE WITH 2 CONGRUENT SIDES, NOT 3**
18. Draw a right triangle. SONG 17  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE A TRIANGLE THAT CONTAINS ONE RIGHT ANGLE.**
19. Draw a rhombus. Why is it a rhombus? SONG 18  
**DRAWING SHOULD BE A SQUISHED SQUARE, 4 CONGRUENT SIDES, 2 OBTUSE ANGLES, 2 ACUTE ANGLES. WHY? IT'S LIKE A SQUARE BUT WITH CORNERS FAT AND THIN (OR ACUTE AND OBTUSE)**
20. Draw a parallelogram. Why is it a parallelogram? SONG 18  
**STUDENTS SHOULD DRAW ANY PARALLELOGRAM. WHY? BOTH SETS OF SIDES ARE PARALLEL.**
21. Find the perimeter of a rectangle that measures 4 inches by 3 inches. **14 IN.** SONG 19
22. Find the area of a rectangle that measures 5 inches by 6 inches. **\_30 SQUARE IN.**  
SONG 19
23. How many feet in a yard? **\_3\_** SONG 21
24. How many grams in a kilogram? **\_\_1000\_** SONG 21
25. How many days in a year? **\_365\_** SONG 21
26. Would you use ounces, gallons, or grams to measure the water in your pool? SONG 21  
**\_\_GALLONS\_\_**

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5. What is an adverb? Give three examples of adverbs. SONG 7

**IT HELPS ADJECTIVES, VERBS, AND OTHER ADVERBS**

**EXAMPLES: SO, THEN, VERY, ALSO, AND MOST -LY WORDS (AND MANY OTHER WORDS)**

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