

How I Am Being Assessed _____

_____**1. Weather Trivia—20 Questions**

How much do you know about the weather? Place a T in front of the statement if it is true. Place an F in front of the statement if it is false.

1. _____ A barometer is used to measure precipitation.
2. _____ The hygrometer measures the amount of dust in the air.
3. _____ Thunder is heard before the flash of lightning is seen.
4. _____ Jet streams are high-altitude belts of high-speed winds.
5. _____ Hurricanes form over land.
6. _____ The boundary between air masses is called a front.
7. _____ Weather balloons carry instruments high into the hydrosphere.
8. _____ Weather usually moves from east to west in Canada.
9. _____ Evaporation occurs when liquid water turns into water vapour.
10. _____ A scientist who specializes in weather is called a paleontologist.
11. _____ A barometer reading usually rises sharply before a storm.
12. _____ Fog is a cloud at ground level.
13. _____ A wind vane measures the speed of the wind.
14. _____ All life on Earth exists in the ionosphere.
15. _____ Winds blow clockwise in high-pressure areas north of the equator.
16. _____ Weather predictions such as “red sky at night” are weather proverbs.
17. _____ Weather conditions are caused by the Sun, air, water, and Earth.
18. _____ Dew is water vapour dropping from thunderstorms.
19. _____ Water heats up and cools down faster than land.
20. _____ Computers are extremely helpful today in weather forecasting.