

### Animal Management Skills Test – 2005

- 1.) Canned dog food contains what percentage of moisture?
  - a.) 90%
  - b.) 10%
  - c.) 75%
  - d.) 25%
- 2.) Which breed of cat is believed to be the Sacred Cat of Egypt?
  - a.) Egyptian Mau
  - b.) Oriental Shorthair
  - c.) Sphynx
  - d.) Abyssinian
- 3.) Which rodent is used in the controversial Draize Eye Test?
  - a.) Rabbits
  - b.) Hamsters
  - c.) Guinea Pigs
  - d.) Mice
- 4.) What breed of guinea pig looks like a mop with no difference between the front and back?
  - a.) Satin
  - b.) Peruvian
  - c.) Silkie
  - d.) Teddy
- 5.) All amphibians do not have what?
  - a.) Tongues
  - b.) Toes
  - c.) Teeth
  - d.) Bones
- 6.) Which category is not a reptile order?
  - a.) Testudines
  - b.) Squamata
  - c.) Caudata
  - d.) Crocodilia
- 7.) The small, finger-like projections on the walls of a male birds' cloaca are called what?
  - a.) Papilla
  - b.) Isthmus
  - c.) Preen
  - d.) Mantle
- 8.) What is not a consideration you should have before selecting a small animal for a pet?
  - a.) Current family pets
  - b.) New pets temperament
  - c.) Size of pet
  - d.) Intentions of breeding
- 9.) Of all the 2000 species of rodents, how much of the mammalian species do they comprise?
  - a.) 20%
  - b.) 30%
  - c.) 40%
  - d.) 50%
- 10.) What does the term crepuscular mean?
  - a.) Having a stubby tail
  - b.) Most active at dusk and dawn
  - c.) Having large eyes
  - d.) Sleeping all night, awake during the day
- 11.) Where did gerbils originate?
  - a.) India
  - b.) China
  - c.) South America
  - d.) Africa
- 12.) Your mouse will eat about \_\_\_\_ grams of food a day:
  - a.) Five
  - b.) Four
  - c.) Three
  - d.) Two
- 13.) From a standstill, about how high can a rat jump?
  - a.) Six inches
  - b.) One foot
  - c.) Two to three feet
  - d.) Four feet

- 14.) What type of people are good owners for chinchillas?
- Active lifestyle with many children
  - Singles who are gone during the day and home at night
- 15.) A group of ferrets is called a what?
- Clan
  - Pride
  - School
  - Business
- 16.) At what age should puppies be completely weaned from their mothers?
- Five weeks
  - Six weeks
  - Seven weeks
  - Eight weeks
- 17.) How many muscles does the cat have compared with the human body?
- 20 more
  - 20 less
  - 150 more
  - 150 less
- 18.) What is the proper term for the breathing process of amphibians?
- Amphiuma
  - Osmosis
  - Metamorphosis
  - Respiration
- 19.) What is the upper part of a turtles shell called?
- Carapace
  - Plastron
  - Brille
  - Scutes
- 20.) Goiter can be caused by a deficiency in what?
- Calcium
  - Iodine
  - Vitamin A
  - Vitamin D
- 21.) Newspaper and \_\_\_ are types of bedding you should not use:
- Corn cobs
  - Aspen shavings
  - Cedar shavings
  - Sawdust
- 22.) Vomiting, diarrhea, tremors and epileptic fits are symptoms of what disease in dogs?
- Canine hepatitis
  - Kennel cough
  - Canine distemper
  - Herpesvirus
- 23.) What is the third eyelid on a cat called?
- Coclea
  - Nictitating membrane
  - Jacobson's organ
  - Papillae
- 24.) What is one type of enteritis?
- Coccidiosis
  - Syphilis
  - Mastitis
  - Papillomatosis
- 25.) Unlike other animals, what do guinea pigs lack?
- An immune system
  - Peripheral vision
  - Ticked coat
  - Synthesized Vitamin C
- 26.) What can feeding a cat strictly meat not do?
- Bone disease
  - Destroy the B vitamin biotin
  - Stunted growth in kittens
  - Poor eyesight
- 27.) How old should a rat be when weaned?
- 15 days
  - 18 days
  - 21 days
  - 25 days

- 28.) Chinchillas are born nidifugous, which means they are:
- Blind and naked
  - Fully developed and independent
  - Slow to develop
  - Mature into adult coloring
- 29.) A serious health problem in gerbils is:
- Seizures
  - Blindness
  - Tumors
  - Diarrhea
- 30.) Where did the cockatiel originate?
- Hawaii
  - Asia
  - Australia
  - Africa
- 31.) Laying eggs that hatch after leaving the females body is called what?
- Ovoviviparous
  - Omnivorous
  - Viviparous
  - Oviparous
- 32.) A cat infected with toxoplasmosis may develop what?
- Jaundice
  - Keratitis
  - Conjunctivitis
  - Depression
- 33.) When an amphibian lives completely in the water, what life stage are they in?
- Adult
  - Larval
- 34.) What year did Canine Parvovirus appear in the United States?
- 1975
  - 1976
  - 1977
  - 1978
- 35.) Since they lack complex stomachs, what do rodents need help digesting?
- Vitamin D
  - Cellulose
  - Fibers
  - Calcium
- 36.) About how long is a hamster's gestation period?
- 15-17 days
  - 18-20 days
  - 21-22 days
  - 23-25 days
- 37.) What type of disease is ringworm?
- Infectious
  - Non-infectious
  - Virus
  - Fungus
- 38.) What is an improper way of picking up a mouse?
- By the scruff
  - Base of tail
  - Tip of tail
  - Cupped hands
- 39.) Neoplasia refers to what common ailment of rats?
- Ringtail
  - Tumors
  - Ear infections
  - Myelopathy
- 40.) What is a disadvantage for using inter-connecting tubes as a home for your rodent?
- Allows them to explore
  - Provides natural setting
  - Come in various shapes and sizes
  - Disconnecting for cleaning purposes
- 41.) If the cere of a parakeet is blue, what does it mean?
- They are male
  - They are female
  - They haven't matured yet
  - They have a repertory infectio

- 42.) Pseudomonas are what?  
 a.) Disguising camouflages  
 b.) Bacteria that causes digestive infections  
 c.) Mineral supplement  
 d.) Visible differences between males and females
- 43.) What are marine toads also known as?  
 a.) American toad  
 b.) Green toad  
 c.) Cane toad  
 d.) Ornate horned toad
- 44.) What is not a visible sign of anemia?  
 a.) White gums  
 b.) Dark-colored feces  
 c.) Appear weak and listless  
 d.) Constipation
- 45.) White cats with blue eyes are more prone to what?  
 a.) Deafness  
 b.) Blindness  
 c.) Tooth decay  
 d.) Feline leukemia
- 46.) Which is not an essential nutrient needed by small animals?  
 a.) Water  
 b.) Proteins  
 c.) Bones  
 d.) Fats
- 47.) During a female ferrets heat; producing estrogen that becomes toxic over time and is eventually fatal is called what?  
 a.) Insulinoma  
 b.) Aplastic anemia  
 c.) Enteritis  
 d.) Adrenal gland disease
- 48.) About how old will your male mouse be when he reaches sexual maturation?  
 a.) 4 weeks  
 b.) 5-7 weeks  
 c.) 8-9 weeks  
 d.) 10 weeks
- 49.) A finches foot has what?  
 a.) Two toes forward, two toes back  
 b.) One toe forward, three toes back  
 c.) Three toes forward, one toe back  
 d.) Two toes forward, one toe back
- 50.) Because hamsters are very \_\_\_ you should watch them so they don't fall:  
 a.) Nearsighted  
 b.) Farsighted  
 c.) Clumsy  
 d.) Skilled at jumping
- 51.) What is the proper term for heartworms?  
 a.) Ancylostoma caninum  
 b.) Trichuris vulpis  
 c.) Dipylidium caninum  
 d.) Dirofilaria immitis
- 52.) What is a suitable type of wood for your pets to gnaw on?  
 a.) Cherry  
 b.) White pine  
 c.) Cedar  
 d.) Nutwood
- 53.) The process when a male gerbil secretes a gland and rubs it over the area he's marking is called what?  
 a.) Skimming  
 b.) Chirping  
 c.) Spraying  
 d.) Dripping

- 54.) About how long is the gestation period in cats?  
 a.) 63 days  
 b.) 72 days  
 c.) 85 days  
 d.) 65 days
- 55.) How long will it take for guinea pigs to be weaned?  
 a.) 2 weeks  
 b.) 24 hours  
 c.) 5 days  
 d.) 3 weeks
- 56.) Modification of a cloaca to form a double penis is called what?  
 a.) Dimorphism  
 b.) Casque  
 c.) Ectotherms  
 d.) Hemipenes
- 57.) What is not a good treat for rabbits?  
 a.) Green lettuce  
 b.) Papaya  
 c.) Wheat germ  
 d.) Banana
- 58.) What is one of the things that newly hatched tadpoles lack?  
 a.) Gills  
 b.) Eyelids  
 c.) Long tails  
 d.) High fins
- 59.) Why are water bowls not suitable for rodent cages?  
 a.) Tip over easily  
 b.) Become filled with food, fecal and bedding  
 c.) Can cause drowning  
 d.) All of the above
- 60.) What is the recommended temperature for housing rats?  
 a.) 45-50 degrees  
 b.) 60-65 degrees  
 c.) 65-80 degrees  
 d.) 80-85 degrees
- 61.) What age do female dogs usually have their first estrus?  
 a.) 4 months  
 b.) 6 months  
 c.) 9 months  
 d.) 12 months
- 62.) Lack of Vitamin \_\_\_\_ in hamsters will lead to death in four to eighteen hours:  
 a.) A  
 b.) B  
 c.) D  
 d.) E
- 63.) A listless, dehydrated, emaciated animal may have what?  
 a.) Hypothermia  
 b.) Coccidiosis  
 c.) Salmonella  
 d.) Pneumonia
- 64.) What breed of cat is said to feel no pain or fear?  
 a.) Cymric  
 b.) Himalayan  
 c.) Scottish fold  
 d.) Ragdoll
- 65.) Kindling is the term used for what?  
 a.) Breeding  
 b.) Overgrowth of teeth  
 c.) Birth process  
 d.) Becoming sexually mature
- 66.) Which species of bird belongs to the subfamily Cacatuinae?  
 a.) Rainbow lorry  
 b.) Cockatiel  
 c.) Toucan  
 d.) Zebra finch
- 67.) What is the average litter size of gerbils?  
 a.) 3-4 pups  
 b.) 5-6 pups  
 c.) 8-9 pups  
 d.) 10-11 pups

- 68.) What is colostrum?  
a.) Placental membrane  
b.) The double breeding of dogs  
c.) Metal poisoning  
d.) First milk from mother to puppy
- 69.) What is the average litter size of cavies?  
a.) 2-4 pups  
b.) 1-2 pups  
c.) 3-5 pups  
d.) 6-7 pups
- 70.) Although not all breeds are recognized by popular cat clubs, how many longhaired breeds are there?  
a.) 11  
b.) 12  
c.) 13  
d.) 14
- 71.) Match the following family with the correct amphibian: *Proteidae*  
a.) Sirens  
b.) Newts  
c.) Poison arrow frogs  
d.) Mud puppy
- 72.) A mouse with a poor sense of balance probably has what?  
a.) Ataxia  
b.) Dystocia  
c.) Wet tail  
d.) Epilepsy
- 73.) Eclampsia is a deficiency of what nutrient?  
a.) Iron  
b.) Calcium  
c.) Protein  
d.) Vitamin B
- 74.) Where should you set the cage of your new rodent?  
a.) On the floor  
b.) By a heater duct  
c.) On a table top  
d.) Next to a window
- 75.) Match the following family with the correct reptile: *Agamidae*  
a.) Bearded dragons  
b.) Green lizards  
c.) Tokay gecko  
d.) Common garter snake

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## ANSWER SHEET

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| 1. C  | 43. C |
| 2. D  | 44. D |
| 3. A  | 45. A |
| 4. B  | 46. C |
| 5. C  | 47. B |
| 6. C  | 48. B |
| 7. A  | 49. C |
| 8. D  | 50. A |
| 9. C  | 51. D |
| 10. B | 52. B |
| 11. D | 53. A |
| 12. A | 54. D |
| 13. C | 55. B |
| 14. B | 56. D |
| 15. D | 57. A |
| 16. B | 58. B |
| 17. D | 59. D |
| 18. B | 60. C |
| 19. A | 61. B |
| 20. B | 62. D |
| 21. D | 63. B |
| 22. C | 64. D |
| 23. B | 65. C |
| 24. A | 66. B |
| 25. D | 67. C |
| 26. B | 68. D |
| 27. C | 69. A |
| 28. B | 70. C |
| 29. A | 71. D |
| 30. C | 72. A |
| 31. D | 73. B |
| 32. A | 74. C |
| 33. B | 75. A |
| 34. C |       |
| 35. B |       |
| 36. A |       |
| 37. D |       |
| 38. C |       |
| 39. B |       |
| 40. D |       |
| 41. A |       |
| 42. B |       |

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1. “Tomarctus” is considered the ancestor of what type of mammals?
  - A. Canine
  - B. Feline
  - C. Rodentia
  - D. All Mammals
  
2. The general structure, look and make-up of the animal are called what?
  - A. Pedigree
  - B. Source
  - C. Conformation
  - D. Ancestry
  
3. More accurately called infectious tracheobronchitis; this is an \_\_\_\_\_ infectious respiratory disease of dogs called;
  - A. Leptospirosis
  - B. Kennel cough
  - C. Canine Parvovirus
  - D. Canine Brucellosis
  
4. The gestation in a dog usually lasts:
  - A. 63 days
  - B. 66 days
  - C. 70 days
  - D. 72 days
  
5. The first milk produced by the mother is called what?
  - A. Whelp
  - B. Eclampsia
  - C. Estrus
  - D. Colostrum
  
6. Which dog breed was used to herd reindeer and pull sleds over long distance?
  - A. Great Pyrenees
  - B. Samoyed
  - C. Siberian Husky
  - D. Saint Bernard
  
7. *Ctenocephalides canis* is the proper term for what parasite?
  - A. Heartworms
  - B. Hookworms
  - C. Dog Flea
  - D. Ringworm
  
8. The Manchester Terrier is in what group of dogs?
  - A. Herding
  - B. Terrier
  - C. Working
  - D. Toy

9. What kind of dog food has the advantage of being cheap, easy to use and won't spoil?
  - A. Dry
  - B. Semi-moist
  - C. Canned
  - D. All of the above
  
10. There are two types of heart disease in dogs, congenital and what?
  - A. Fatal
  - B. Acquired
  - C. Progressive
  - D. Fast
  
11. If someone were to ask you, what does the Bombay cat look like?
  - A. Dark grey with blue eyes
  - B. All colors and markings
  - C. Jet Black with copper eyes
  - D. White with seal points
  
12. How many bones does the feline body have?
  - A. 250
  - B. 270
  - C. 264
  - D. 244
  
13. Cats shed oocysts in their fecal is one symptom of what disease?
  - A. Feline Pneumonitis
  - B. Feline Leukemia
  - C. Toxoplasmosis
  - D. Entropion
  
14. The organ inside a cat's ear that enables it to detect sounds higher than humans is called?
  - A. Papillae
  - B. Nictitating membrane
  - C. Jacobs organ
  - D. Cochlea
  
15. If an unsprayed cat is not bred, how often will she come in heat?
  - A. Every 15-21 days
  - B. Every 6 months
  - C. Every 2 months
  - D. She stays in heat until bred
  
16. The Russian Blue cat is in which category?
  - A. Long haired
  - B. Short haired
  
17. True or False: Cats require almost twice as much protein as dogs.
  - A. True
  - B. False

18. Cats are pregnant for how many days?
- A. 40 days
  - B. 55 days
  - C. 65 days
  - D. 70 days
19. Rabbit blood is one of the best mediums for growing what?
- A. AIDS virus
  - B. Herpes virus
  - C. Parasites
  - D. Sodium
20. The term associated with the eating of fecal material is called?
- A. Enteritis
  - B. OOCysts
  - C. Toxemia
  - D. Coprophagy
21. About how long ago were cats domesticated?
- A. 2,000 years
  - B. 3,000 years
  - C. 4,000 years
  - D. 6,000 years
22. An inflammation of the mammary tissue in rabbits is called?
- A. Mastitis
  - B. Syphilis
  - C. Snuffles
  - D. Wry Neck
23. What is the correct term for the birth process in rabbits?
- A. Whelping
  - B. Kindling
  - C. Lagomorpha
  - D. Gestation
24. True or False: Guinea Pigs have excellent peripherals vision.
- A. True
  - B. False
25. How many species of cavy are there?
- A. 4
  - B. 5
  - C. 6
  - D. 7
26. Guinea pig young are born how?
- A. Pink and helpless
  - B. Blind, deaf with fur
  - C. Fully developed
  - D. Blind and deaf without fur

27. What can guinea pigs not develop naturally?
- A. Vitamin B
  - B. Vitamin C
  - C. Vitamin D
  - D. They have no Vitamin problems
28. Having thin, moist skin that allows breathing through it is called?
- A. Osmosis
  - B. Ohm
  - C. Siren
  - D. Spermatophore
29. There are three different types of habitats for amphibians; aquatic, semi-aquatic and
- A. Woodland
  - B. Terrestrial
  - C. Vivarium
  - D. Aquarium
30. Caused by the bacteria *Aeromonias Hydrophila*, frogs get;
- A. Metamorphosis
  - B. Wet Tail
  - C. Red Leg
  - D. Wry Neck
31. What temperature should salamanders be kept at?
- A. 20-30
  - B. 40-50
  - C. 60-70
  - D. 80-90
32. The African Clawed Frog is in what family?
- A. Discoglosidae
  - B. Pipidae
  - C. Pelobatidae
  - D. Ranidae
33. Amphibians do not have what?
- A. Tongues
  - B. Ears
  - C. Claws
  - D. Teeth
34. The lower portion of a turtles shell is called?
- A. Carapace
  - B. Scutes
  - C. Brille
  - D. Plastron

35. True or False; All reptiles have a four chambered heart.  
A. True  
B. False
36. Reptiles can not generate their own body heat, making them;  
A. Ectotherms  
B. Warm Blooded  
C. Arboreal  
D. Hemipenes
37. Dimorphism is common in all reptiles.  
A. True  
B. False
38. What kind of eggs do crocodilians bear?  
A. Hard shelled  
B. Soft shelled  
C. They can be both  
D. They bear their young live
39. The Ball Python reaches about what average length?  
A. 4-5 feet  
B. 5-6 feet  
C. 7-8 feet  
D. 9-10 feet
40. How are parrots toes assembled?  
A. Three forward, one back  
B. Two forward, two back  
C. One forward, three back  
D. Four forward
41. Causes high mortality in young birds, appear sleepy and white feces is what bird disease?  
A. Parrot Fever  
B. Tapeworms  
C. Bumblefoot  
D. Pullorum Disease
42. The upper and lower beak on a bird are called?  
A. Mandibles  
B. Sternum  
C. Lores  
D. Ceres
43. How do you determine the sex of a mature budgerigar?  
A. Flight Feathers  
B. Size of the bird  
C. Color of Cere  
D. Ability to fly

44. The Hyacinth Macaw would be found in what subfamily?
- A. Cacatuinae
  - B. Psittacinae
  - C. Sturnidae
  - D. Plaoceidae
45. After bringing home a new bird, how long should it be left alone?
- A. A few hours
  - B. Not at all
  - C. A few days
  - D. A few months
46. What is the number one thing that you should not buy a small animal for?
- A. Breeding
  - B. Company for another pet
  - C. Replacement of a dead pet
  - D. As a present for someone
47. What is the best type of food dishes for small animals?
- A. Light, metal bowls
  - B. Heavy, plastic bowls
  - C. Scatter food in various bowls
  - D. Paper bowls
48. True or False; High humidity levels are necessary to keep your small animal healthy.
- A. True
  - B. False
49. What should you feed your small animal?
- A. Leafy greens only
  - B. Wild Flower mixture
  - C. Seeds
  - D. Commercially prepared diet
50. What kind of lighting makes small animals nervous?
- A. Normal light bulbs
  - B. Direct sunlight
  - C. Dark, shadowy lighting
  - D. Lights really don't make them nervous
51. The gap between the molars and incisors on a rodent is called?
- A. Malocclusion
  - B. Cellulose
  - C. Diastema
  - D. Muridae
52. True or False; Males house better together than female rodents.
- A. True
  - B. False

53. What is the best all-around choice for housing for your rodent?
- A. Commercially hard plastic with wires
  - B. Aquarium
  - C. Interconnecting Tubes
  - D. Cardboard tubing
54. Coccidiosis is generally caused by what?
- A. Overcrowding
  - B. Poor Sanitary conditions
  - C. Bad breeding
  - D. Both A&B
55. What type of toys are the best for rodents?
- A. Rubber balls
  - B. Plastic, small toys
  - C. PVC pipe toys
  - D. Rodents don't need toys
56. The word hamster means;
- A. Sneaky
  - B. To hoard
  - C. To gnaw
  - D. Fuzzy
57. Ideally hamsters should be housed at what temperature?
- A. 65-70 degrees
  - B. 75-80 degrees
  - C. 85-90 degrees
  - D. 95-100 degrees
58. The lack of what vitamin will cause hamsters to die quickly?
- A. Niacin
  - B. Riboflavin
  - C. Vitamin C
  - D. Vitamin A
59. How old can a hamster be to be bred?
- A. 3 months
  - B. 6 months
  - C. 1 year
  - D. 2 years
60. If a male gerbil is "skimming", what is he doing?
- A. Running on a wheel
  - B. Scent marking
  - C. Communicating to other gerbils
  - D. Making a breeding nest

61. Gerbils are social animals, you should select;  
A. Same sex house mates  
B. Opposite sex house mates
62. About how long after they are born will gerbils begin to get their fur?  
A. They are born with fur  
B. One week  
C. Two weeks  
D. Three weeks
63. True or False; Gerbils mate for life.  
A. True  
B. False
64. How many species are included in the family muridae?  
A. 200  
B. 300  
C. 400  
D. 500
65. How much food should a mouse eat per day?  
A. 1/5 oz.  
B. 1/6 oz.  
C. 1/7 oz.  
D. 1/8 oz.
66. How long is the average gestation period in mice?  
A. 15-17 days  
B. 18-21 days  
C. 22-26 days  
D. 27 30 days
67. A “\_\_\_\_\_” mouse is often described as a mouse with ataxia.  
A. Waltzing  
B. Sleeping  
C. Dizzy  
D. Shutter
68. Around when did the black rat reach North America?  
A. 1400’s  
B. 1600’s  
C. 1500’s  
D. 1700’s
69. Which sex of rats lives longer?  
A. Males  
B. Females

70. Rats reach sexual maturity when?
- A. 30-39 days
  - B. 40-49 days
  - C. 50-59 days
  - D. 60-69 days
71. Neoplasia is very common in rats, what is this?
- A. Nearsightedness
  - B. Aggression
  - C. Heart problems
  - D. Tumors
72. About how long is the life expectancy for a chinchilla?
- A. 5 years
  - B. 6-7 years
  - C. 8-12 years
  - D. 15 years
73. Around what temperature should you house a chinchilla?
- A. 50-55 degrees
  - B. 56-60 degrees
  - C. 61-65 degrees
  - D. 66-60 degrees
74. If your ferret is referred to as a hob, what is it?
- A. An unspayed female
  - B. A spayed female
  - C. A neutered male
  - D. An unneutered male
75. What percent of fiber should a ferret have in its daily diet?
- A. 10 percent
  - B. 6 percent
  - C. 4 percent
  - D. 2 percent

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1. A
2. C
3. B
4. A
5. D
6. B
7. C
8. D
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10. B
11. C
12. D
13. C
14. D
15. A
16. B
17. A
18. C
19. A
20. D
21. C
22. A
23. B
24. A
25. D
26. C
27. B
28. A
29. A
30. C
31. C
32. B
33. D
34. D
35. B
36. A
37. B

- 38. A
- 39. B
- 40. B
- 41. D
- 42. A
- 43. C
- 44. B
- 45. C
- 46. A
- 47. B
- 48. A
- 49. D
- 50. B
- 51. C
- 52. B
- 53. A
- 54. D
- 55. C
- 56. B
- 57. A
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