



# WHAT DO YOU KNOW???????

Colorado Kids: May 12, 2009

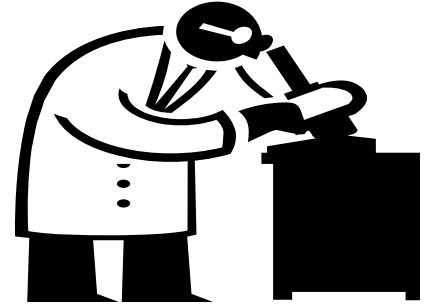


**1) Where did the recent outbreak of swine flu virus begin?**

- c) Atlanta, Georgia
- s) Mexico
- u) Ithaca, New York
- h) Colorado

**2) Why did children eat 50 percent more of their vegetables?**

- w) They were hungry.
- o) They grew them themselves.
- m) They had intriguing names.
- k) They were served in a fancy restaurant.



**3) The American Academy of Pediatrics advises spending no more than how many hours per day on total entertainment screen time?**

- l) four
- j) three
- o) two
- p) one

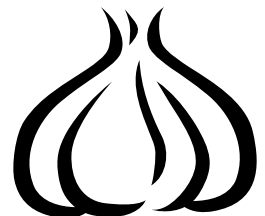
**4) Why were there less heart-attack hospitalizations in Pueblo?**

- n) More residents went to the doctor for a check-up.
- t) People took daily doses of vitamins.
- g) Residents exercised more.
- k) An ordinance was passed to stop smoking in public places.

**5) Which of the answers below is NOT a sign that gaming may be a problem?**

- i) changing sleep patterns
- e) increased appetite
- t) anxiety
- b) problems with schoolwork

**6) Think about some foods that you do not like to eat. Draw pictures below of those items and create an intriguing name for each one. Then make a promise to yourself that you will at least try that food the next time it is presented to you.**



**7) Look carefully at each underlined word or phrase. If there is a mistake, use a pencil to make the correction in the space above it. If there is no mistake, write "OK" above the underlined word or phrase.**

“Wash your hands, cover your cough into you’re sleeve and not your hand.; he said.

“Stay home when you’re sick.” If you have a fever, cough, sore throat, aches, chills and fatigue, stay out of public places and get to a Doctor.

8) From this lead paragraph, write in the “who,” “what,” “when,” “where,” and “why.” Some news articles also include the “how” in the lead – which is the first few sentences of a news story?

**Pueblo, COLORADO** – A recent study tracked heart-attack victims before and after Pueblo banned smoking in public places. The number of heart-attack hospitalizations dropped dramatically.

Who (subject) \_\_\_\_\_ What happened? (action) \_\_\_\_\_

When \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_

Why \_\_\_\_\_

9) Make up a new, funny, silly, or zany headline out of all the words in today’s Real News headlines. Can you top this one?

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10) Make a list of 4 things that you can do indoors, instead of game-playing, and 4 things that you can do outside. Choose one to illustrate on the computer screen.

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Fill in the letter of the correct answer from the questions above to finish this rhyme:

Don’t kill your lungs or cough or choke.  
Put down the cigarette; don’t ever \_\_\_\_\_.

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