

# Test — Sparks Leader

Version: 2012

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Achieving a grade of 75 percent or better is required to pass this test. After completing this test, have your director score it for you. This contributes to becoming a certified Sparks® leader. Be sure to record your achievement on the Sparks Leader Certification Completion Record.

Each of the 50 questions is worth two points for a total of 100 points.

**1-3.** Our prayer is that all children and youth throughout the world will come to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord Jesus Christ.

**4.** What is the best way to protect children, leaders and the church from child abuse situations?

- a. Implement a child protection policy.
- b. Ask all leaders to be very careful.
- c. Instruct leaders not to speak to Sparkies outside of church.
- d. None of the above.

**5.** Which of the following is not a leader qualification?

- a. Trust in Jesus Christ as Savior
- b. Be growing in relationship with Jesus Christ
- c. Church leadership approval
- d. Experience working with children

**6.** What helps promote unity and discipline?

- a. Awards
- b. Red Jewels
- c. The Sparky character
- d. Uniforms

**7.** Which of the following is not a Sparkie award?

- a. Green Jewel
- b. Yellow Jewel
- c. Sparky Award
- d. First Book Award

**8.** Who is ultimately responsible for the Awana® program in a church?

- a. Commander
- b. Pastor
- c. Director

**9.** What is the main teaching segment of Sparks club called?

- a. Large Group Time
- b. Handbook Time
- c. Game Time

**10.** What is the small group segment of Sparks club called?

- a. Large Group Time
- b. Handbook Time
- c. Game Time

**11 - 13.** List three activities that might occur during Large Group Time.

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**14-18.** Indicate the correct award.

(14) Section completion

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(15) Completion of all three handbooks

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(16) Attendance

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(17) Completion of all Basic Training steps

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(18) Completion of *Flight 3:16*

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**19.** How many service pins may a leader earn in a year? \_\_\_\_\_

**20.** What grade is the lowest a Sparkie can be in to receive a Second Book Award?

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**21.** Which handbook would you give a new first-grader?

- a. *HangGlider*® handbook
- b. *WingRunner*™ handbook
- c. *SkyStormer*™ handbook

- 22.** Which handbooks may a kindergartner complete?
- HangGlider* handbook, review of handbook and *Frequent Flyer Extra Credit Cards*
  - HangGlider* and *WingRunner* handbooks and reviews
  - HangGlider*, *WingRunner* and *SkyStormer* handbooks and reviews

**23-28.** True or False.

- (23) \_\_\_ Awana is an integral part of the total church ministry.
- (24) \_\_\_ The goal is for each child to complete one handbook per year.
- (25) \_\_\_ The names of the Sparks handbooks, in order, are *HangGlider*, *WingRunner* and *SkyStormer*.
- (26) \_\_\_ Sparks Game Time is important because attracts children to attend club, so they will hear the gospel.
- (27) \_\_\_ Award presentations should always be scheduled at the beginning of club to ensure awards are given from the previous week.
- (28) \_\_\_ Leaders do not need to participate during Large Group Time.

**29.** What is the name of the first booklet a child new to Sparks is given to complete?

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**30.** What is the first handbook you give a new Sparkie?

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**31.** True or False.

\_\_\_\_\_ Sparkies do not need to complete sections in order.

**32-36.** Match the verses with the components of the Gospel Wheel.

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| (32.) God    | Romans 3:23 and 6:23          |
| (33.) Gospel | 1 Corinthians 15:3-4          |
| (34.) Trust  | John 3:16 and Revelation 4:8b |
| (35.) Cross  | Romans 5:8                    |
| (36.) Man    | Acts 16:31                    |

**37-43.** Write out the following Scripture verses. (You can look them up if you haven't memorized them yet.)

Acts 16:31

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Romans 3:23

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1 Corinthians 15:3-4

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John 3:16

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Romans 5:8

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Revelation 4:8b

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- 44.** What must a Sparkie do to be saved?
- a. Go to church regularly.
  - b. Believe that Jesus died to pay for his (the Sparkie's) sins and that He rose on the third day.
  - c. Memorize John 3:16.
  - d. Both a and b

- 45.** How many helps are you permitted to give a Sparkie when he or she is reciting Scripture for credit?
- a. 0
  - b. 1
  - c. 2
  - d. Unlimited helps are allowed.

**46.** True or False.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Sparkies do not need to say the reference for each memory verse.

- 47.** Why is Scripture memory important?
- a. To please God
  - b. To guard us from sinning against God
  - c. To draw on as we witness to others
  - d. All of the above

**48.** What are three main responsibilities of a leader during Handbook Time?

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- 49.** What is the primary method for addressing an individual behavior problem?
- a. The five-count
  - b. The three-count
  - c. Whistling
  - d. Yelling

- 50.** What is your main objective in parent interaction?
- a. Make sure Sparkies remember their offering.
  - b. Inform parents about upcoming events.
  - c. Minister to the family.
  - d. Recruit parents as leaders.