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- A. All of the kids who buy toys.
 - B. 226 boys and girls in the toy store.
 - C. 230 rich kids.
 - D. 261 boys age 7 - 15

- 2) A musician wanted to see what people who bought his last album thought about the songs. Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. Every person from age 5 - 12 who bought the album.
 - B. A selection of 9,630 people who bought the album.
 - C. 268 girls who bought the album.
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- 3) Before a nation wide election, a polling place was trying to see who would win. Which choice **best** represents a population?
- A. All voters.
 - B. A selection of voters from all over the nation.
 - C. A selection of votes from one part of the nation.
 - D. A selection of voters over age 50.

- 4) A survey company was trying to see if people in a state thought the pollution was too high. Which choice **best** represents a population?
- A. Every person who owns more than 3 cars.
 - B. Every person who sent in a complaint about pollution.
 - C. A selection of people from each city in the state.
 - D. Every person in the state.

- 5) A restaurant chain wanted to find out how the customer experience was in a store. Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. 1 out of every 37 customers
 - B. All of the people who ate at the store.
 - C. 245 customers who filled out complaint cards.
 - D. 229 customers who spent more than \$15.

- 6) A school principal wants to see which subject the 500 students in his school liked best. Which choice **best** represents a sample?
- A. The girls in the school.
 - B. All the students in the school.
 - C. The first 86 students who come into the school.
 - D. The students in 3rd grade.

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