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- A. 265 girls who bought the album.
- B. Every person from age 5 12 who bought the album.
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6) A mayor wanted to see if the people in his town thought he was doing a good job.

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- A. 217 voters.
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Answers

83 | 67 | 50 | 33 | 17 |



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