

## What do you know?

Colorado Kids: October 2, 2018

1. Which of these things would Sylvia Acevedo like to see?
  - h. More kids from poor families think of college as a choice they could make.
  - r. More girls think about careers in areas that once were “only for boys.”
  - u. More STEM activities in Girl Scouts.
  - d. all of the above
  
2. With which of these statements about the Playmobil kit would Hannah Hensley NOT agree?
  - k. It seems to work well for the age group it says it’s for.
  - l. It comes pre-assembled, so you can play with it right away.
  - m. It would have been easier if it were like Lego and had small, numbered packets.
  - n. all of the above
  
3. Which of these statements about “The House With a Clock in its Walls” is not true?
  - r. It is about a kid whose parents die and he goes to live with his uncle.
  - w. It has both scary parts and funny parts.
  - a. It is an animated film.
  - k. All of the above
  
4. Why are the yetis in “Smallfoot” upset when Migo brings back a human?
  - n. They had been told that humans don’t exist.
  - g. They live in a cloud.
  - e. They are animated characters.
  - h. All of the above
  
5. What is an important thing to learn from the Ig Nobel Awards?
  - b. Artificial hearts are made from balloons and fly swatters.
  - o. Science is fun if you are curious and enjoy trying unusual ways to solve problems.
  - r. Most science is just silly and unimportant.
  - m. all of the above
  
6. Why didn’t Nellie Bly tell the other tourists how the magic trick was done until later?
  - p. She didn’t want to spoil the magician’s chance to make some money.
  - e. She didn’t figure it out until later.
  - y. She was afraid to speak up.
  - g. all of the above

***Fill in the letters to the correct answers above to solve this question:***

This country had Europe’s first written constitution,  
approved just two years after ours.

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### ***What do you think?***

When Nellie Bly wrote “that a stick beats more ugliness into a person than it ever beats out,” she wasn’t talking about how a person looks. What do you think she meant? Do you agree with her? Write a brief essay expressing your opinion.

***Proofreading:***

There are five errors in this passage. Can you find them all? Correct each mistake in the space above it.

A man in minnesota, injured in a snowmobile acident, was finaly able to walk the lenth of a foot ball field on his own.

***Summarize the story:***

Use three sentences to tell about the Ig Nobel Awards.

1.

2.

3.

***Look it up!***

For each of these former Girl Scouts, tell at least one of their job titles or accomplishments as adults. We've done the first one for you.

Madeline Albright	US Secretary of State
Sally Ride	
Sheila Widnall	
Taylor Swift	
Judith Viorst	
Barbara Walters	