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## **Fact and Opinion**

Directions: Read each statement and then circle whether it is a fact or opinion. Explain your answer.

1. The fastest land dwelling creature is the Cheetah.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

2. Michael Jordan has a career average of 30.4 points per game.

Fact or Opinion Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

3. George Washington was the first President of the United States under the Constitution.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

4. The ugliest sea creature is the manatee.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

5. Michael Jordan is the greatest basketball player of all time.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

6. There seems to be too much standardized testing in public schools.

Fact or Opinion Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Prison is one of the worst places on the planet.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

8. It is wrong for people under the age of 21 to drink alcohol.

Fact or Opinion Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Sister Carrie was written by Theodore Dreiser.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

10. Lord of the Rings: Return of the King won eleven Oscars (Academy Awards).

Fact or Opinion Explain:

11. Oranges contain both calcium and vitamin C.

Fact or Opinion Explain:

12. The television show *The Simpsons* is just not as funny as it used to be.

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