Supply, Demand and Prices

Grade 5 Social Studies Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

Read each story. Circle what will probably happen to the price.

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4. A holiday is coming, and many families want to buy winter coats. What will probably happen to the price of winter coats?
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5. Stores are running out of board games. Very few are left to sell. What will probably happen to the price of board games?
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6. Stores ordered too many notebooks, and now they have huge piles of them. What will probably happen to the price of notebooks?
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7. Hardly anyone wants to buy apples this month. What will probably happen to the price of apples?
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8. A truck broke down, so only a small number of bicycles reached the stores this week. What will probably happen to the price of bicycles?
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9. A TV show made everyone want sleds. Many more people are trying to buy them. What will probably happen to the price of sleds?
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10. Shoppers have stopped buying flowers, and stores cannot sell the ones they have. What will probably happen to the price of flowers?
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11. A big shipment arrived, and stores now have more backpacks than they can sell. What will probably happen to the price of backpacks?
goes up goes down

12. A holiday is coming, and many families want to buy oranges. What will probably happen to the price of oranges?
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