**DIRECTIONS**

Decide which of the following groups of words are run-on sentences.

\_ If the group of words is a correct sentence, write *S*; if it is a run-on, write *R-O*.

\_ Revise each run-on sentence by (1) making it two separate sentences; (2) inserting a semicolon, or (3) using a comma and a coordinating conjunction.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **1.** Brown bears include the grizzly and the kodiak, the largest brown bear is the kodiak.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **2.** Kodiak bears weigh as much as 1,700 pounds, they grow to a height of ten feet.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **3.** Bears can live more than 30 years in the wild.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **4.** Bears’ sense of smell is more developed than their hearing or sight.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **5.** Females give birth to as many as four cubs, the cubs stay with their mother two

or three years.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **6.** Many people are afraid of bears, encounters with bears are actually infrequent.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **7.** Grizzly bears are solitary animals, they do not want to interact with people.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **8.** Generally, bears attack only when they are surprised, or when they are protecting

their young.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **9.** People should always store food and garbage properly, bears could be attracted by

the smell.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **10.** Never try to outrun a bear, it can run more than 30 miles per hour.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **11.** School in Munich was too rigid and boring for young Einstein he did not do well.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**2.** However, young Einstein showed a talent for mathematics, at the age of 12,

he taught himself Euclidean geometry.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**3.** After finishing secondary school, he entered the Federal Polytechnic Academy

in Switzerland, he did not like the teaching methods there.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**4.** The academy frustrated him he could learn in a way that interested him.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**5.** Einstein chose to educate himself, he missed classes often and spent the time studying physics on his own.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**6.** His professors had low opinions of him, he graduated anyway in 1900.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**7.** In 1905, he published a paper on physics the University of Zürich awarded him a Ph.D. for this work.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**8.** In the same year, he published four more papers that presented new thoughts on the

nature of light and other important concepts.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1**9.** Physicists resisted his ideas at first, eventually his general theory of relativity was

confirmed through observation.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ **20.** Einstein achieved international recognition, in 1921 he received the Nobel Prize

in physics.