Online SCIENTIFIC METHOD:

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- A. Tutorial: Write answers.
- 1. How many scientific methods are there?
- 2. Did you get the flower box labels correct?
- 3. What was your answer to the 1st math problem ?
- 4. What is another term for the hypothesis?
- 5. How many questions of 5 did you get correct?
- 6. How many attempts did it take to get the 3 digit # correct?
- 7. How can you get an orange to ripen?
- 8. Why did the driver see the boy?

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If time!

- B. Cricket: More questions to answer.
- 1. What did you choose for your Problem?
- 2. Write one fact about crickets.
- The CONTROLLED VARIABLES should be controlled or kept the same. Write 2. 1)
 2)
- 4. What was your Independent Variable?
- 5. Your **Dependant Variable** depends on the independent variable. What was it?
- 6. Did you make it to the Conclusion?
- 7. Write the formula to find the air temperature using a cricket.

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Did you get a Cricket Certificate? Have it signed while on the screen! Print and Staple.....or have signed here____ Name Period



C. Background Information:

SONG OF A CRICKET... Each species or type of cricket chirps with a certain tempo and pattern. That chirp is recognized by other crickets of the same species. The tempo is also dependent on the air temperature.

The **tempo** (also called speed or frequency) of the field cricket chirping song **varies with** or <u>depends on</u> the **air temperature.** So the tempo (speed) of the cricket chirp is the <u>dependent variable</u>.

The **tempo** drops with the drop in temperature. To estimate the air temperature, count the chirps in 13 seconds and add 40.



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