Day 5 - Independent and Dependent Events

1. A bag contains 5 red, 3 green, 4 blue, and 8 yellow marbles. Find the probability of randomly selecting a blue marble, and then a red marble if the first marble is replaced.

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- 2. A sock drawer contains 5 pairs of each color socks: white, green and blue. What is the probability of randomly selecting a pair of blue socks and then, without replacing, randomly selecting a pair of white socks?
- 3. In a standard deck of cards, what is the probability of picking a diamond and then another diamond without replacement?
- 4. Randy has 4 pennies, 2 nickles, and 3 dimes in his pocket. If he randomly chooses 2 coins, what is the probability that they are both pennies if he doesn't replace the first one?
- 5. Two students are chosen at random from a class of 30. What is the probability that both you and your friend are chosen?
- 6. A test includes several multiple choice questions, each with 5 choices. Suppose you don't know the answers for three of these questions, so you guess. What is the probability of getting all three correct?
- 7. Using the letters in the state ARKANSAS. Find the probability of picking an **S** and then an **A** without replacement.
- 8. Using the letters in the state ARKANSAS. Find the probability of picking a **K** and then a **N** without replacement.
- 9. Using the letters in the state ARKANSAS. Find the probability of picking a **R** and then a **S** without replacement.

Paola is playing a word game in which she draws letter tiles from a bag without looking.

- ★ The bag contains 7 tiles: 2 As, 3 Es, and 2 Rs.
- ★ Find the probability of getting an E first and getting an E second.
- ★ In each problem, state whether the events are independent, and find the probabilities.
- 1. Paola takes a tile, then replaces it, and then takes a second tile.

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2. Paola takes a tile, does not replace it, and then takes a second tile.

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The following chart shows favorite subjects of students based on their gender.

	Math	Science	English	History	
Male	46	42	13	25	
Female	12	21	45	36	

- 1. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student likes history the most?
- 2. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student is a female?
- 3. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student is a male <u>or</u> likes Math?
 - 4. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student both likes science and is a male?
 - 5. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student likes history <u>given</u> that they are a female?
 - 6. Does the probability of liking a subject depend on whether the students are male or female? Use calculations (use at least 3 examples).