Fact or Opinion?

Write F for fact or O for opinion

1. Water boils at 100 °C at sea level. ☐
2. Summer is the nicest season. ☐
3. The Pacific is the largest ocean. ☐
4. Blue is the prettiest color. ☐
5. Spiders have eight legs. ☐
6. There are 60 minutes in an hour. ☐
7. Homework should be shorter. ☐
8. A triangle has three sides. ☐
9. The Moon orbits the Earth. ☐
10. Pizza tastes better than pasta. ☐
11. Math is boring. ☐
12. Dogs are the best pets. ☐

Tip: a fact can be checked with evidence. An opinion uses words such as best, worst, boring or should.

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Answers

Facts can be checked. Opinions are what people think or feel.

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Tip: facts can be checked with a ruler, a clock, a book or an expert. Opinions cannot.

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