BAND SAW SAFETY QUIZ

Use what you have learned about band saw safety to determine which of the below statements are true or false:

- Wheel guards must be closed before turning the band saw on.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- Saw overheating may be prevented by feeding wood stock into the saw blade firmly at a steady rate.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- If the weather is cold, it is permissible to wear gloves when using a band saw.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- Always adjust the band saw to one-half speed before beginning a cut.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- Never use your fingers to clear away wood scraps from the saw blade.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- A narrow blade is used for straight band saw cuts.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- When making curved cuts, it is a good practice to avoid twisting or binding the band saw blade.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False

- Adjust the upper guide assembly to be no more than 0.25 inch above the wood to be cut.
  - [ ] True  [ ] False