7th grade literature
"A Christmas Carol" Test
Name _____ Period _____

A Toast to the Most!

You are invited to celebrate Christmas with the "new" Ebenezer Scrooge. As his special guest, you have been invited to make a toast to the humbug himself. A toast is a short speech in which a person praises another for some accomplishment. Your toast needs to be one paragraph long. Seventh graders should be writing seven to nine sentences for a paragraph. Before you begin writing your toast to Ebenezer, think about the following things and put some of these thoughts into your toast:

1) Did Scrooge's personal values clash with his society's values? Explain by sharing his "old self" values and the values of his society. Write a brief explanation of the difference in the two.

2) What affect did this clash of values have on Scrooge?

3) Did he make a change? What was the change? Was it for the better? Did Scrooge need to rethink his personal values? What are those new values?