18.27. Solve: (a) For a monatomic gas,

$$\Delta E_{\rm th} = nC_{\rm V}\Delta T = 1.0~{\rm J} = (1.0~{\rm mol})(12.5~{\rm J}~/~{\rm mol}~{\rm K})\Delta T \Rightarrow \Delta T = 0.0800^{\circ}{\rm C}~{\rm or}~0.0800~{\rm K}$$

(b) For a diatomic gas,

$$1.0 \text{ J} = (1.0 \text{ mol})(20.8 \text{ J/mol K})\Delta T \Rightarrow \Delta T = 0.0481^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ or K}$$

(c) For a solid,

$$1.0 \text{ J} = (1.0 \text{ mol})(25.0 \text{ J/mol K}) \Delta T \Rightarrow \Delta T = 0.0400^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ or K}$$