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STANDARD 8- YEAR 2014
ENGLISH - COMPOSITION

8

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SECTION B: COMPOSITION

TIME. 40 MINUTES

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. In the spaces provided write of your full Index Number, Your Name, and the Name of Your School.
2. Now open this page, read the composition subject carefully and write your **composition on the** lines, provided.

This Question paper consists of 4 printed pages.

The following is a beginning of a composition . Complete the composition making it as interesting as possible

It was on Friday. I arrived home some minutes to five. In our home compound a new looking car was parked
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Please turn over page

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. You have been given this question booklet and a separate answer sheet. The question booklet contains 50 questions,
2. Do any necessary rough work in this booklet.
3. When you have chosen your answer, mark it on the **ANSWER SHEET**, not in this question booklet.

HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET

4. Use only an ordinary pencil.
5. Make sure that you have written on the answer sheet:
YOUR INDEX NUMBER
YOUR NAME
NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL
6. By drawing a dark line inside the correct numbered boxes mark your full Index Number (i.e.) School Code Number and the three-figure Candidate's Number) in the grid near the top of the answer sheet.
7. Do not make any marks outside the boxes.
8. Keep the sheet as clean as possible and do not fold it.
9. For each of the questions 1 -50 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A,B,C,D. In each case only ONE of the four answers is correct. Choose the correct answer,
10. On the answer sheet the correct answer is to be shown by drawing a dark line inside the box in which the letter you have chosen is written.

Example

In question booklet:

For questions 24 choose the best alternative to complete each sentence

24. Let us walk on foot, _____ ?
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|--------------|-------------|
| A. Shan't we | B. Shall we |
| C. won't we | D. isn't it |

The correct answer is C. (won't we)

On The answer sheet:

4 [A] [B] [C] [D] **15** [A] [B] [C] [D] **24** [A] [B] [C] [D] **34** [A] [B] [C] [D]

In the First set, the box with the letter C printed in it is marked

11. Your dark line **MUST** be within the box.
12. For each question **ONLY ONE** box is to be marked in each set of four boxes

This Question Paper consists of 50 Printed Questions.

Read the passage below. It contains blank spaces 1 to 15. For each blank space choose the best alternative

John is one of my _____ 1 _____. Moreover he sits _____ 2 _____ me in our classroom. He does almost everything better than I. I _____ 3 _____ him. I think he is _____ 4 _____ his parents; Mr. Moses and Mrs. Moses. The latter is a _____ 5 _____ while the former is a _____ 6 _____ in an international airline.

However hard I try to _____ 7 _____ him in any test he _____ 8 _____ emerges the winner. This makes me feel _____ 9 _____

Last week I expressed my concern to my _____ 10 _____. He listened keenly and did not interrupt me. Then he smiled at me and _____ 11 _____ me, "Son in this world there _____ 12 _____ always be better people than you and those who are not _____ 13 _____ as you," he paused and then added, " _____ 14 _____ who you are and make best use of your talents. This is the only way you will _____ 15 _____ in life.

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|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. A. classmate | B. friends | C. deskmate | D. schoolmate |
| 2. A. beside | B. alongside | C. next | D. besides |
| 3. A. look after | B. look up to | C. look ahead | D. look down on |
| 4. A. taken off after | B. takeover | C. taken up to | D. taken after |
| 5. A. magistrate | B. magestrate | C. magistate | D. margistrate |
| 6. A. host | B. hostess | C. steward | D. stewardess |
| 7. A. conquer | B. pass | C. beat | D. shame |
| 8. A. rarely | B. always | C. seldom | D. hardly |
| 9. A. hurted | B. satisfied | C. hurt | D. disastrous |
| 10. A. nephew | B. niece | C. cousin | D. unde |
| 11. A. adviced | B. advised | C. replied to | D. answered |
| 12. A. will | B. would | C. ought | D. wont |
| 13. A. as bad | B. good | C. as good | D. bad |
| 14. A. expect | B. believed | C. agree | D. accept |
| 15. A. succeed | B. succed | C. saceed | D. sucseed |

For questions 16 and 17 select the alternative that means the same as the underlined sentence

16. Zawadi prefers reading novels to watching movies
 A. Zawadi would not only read novels but also watch movies
 B. Zawadi would read novels and watch movies
 C. Zawadi would rather read novels than watch movies.
 D. Zawadi would choose movies to novels
17. No sooner had I A got my pin number than it got lost.
 A. I had not really got my pin number when it got lost
 B. My pin number got lost as soon as I got it
 C. I got my pin number and it got lost
 D. My pin number got lost when I got it

For questions 18 and 20 choose the alternative that means the opposite of the underlined words.

18. She intentionally broke the window pane with a hammer.
 A. carelessly B. purposefully
 C. accidentally D. willingly
19. They are really industrious pupils.
 A. handworking B. lazy
 C. clever D. careful
20. That policeman is known for his bravery
 A. strength B. cowardice
 C. pride D. boldness

In questions 21 and 22, choose the alternative that can best complete the given sentence

- It was not until the teacher came
 A. When the pupils stopped shouting
 B. So the pupils stopped shouting
 C. That the pupils, stopped shouting
 D. But also the pupils stopped talking
22. If my father had had lots of money, I _____ him to send me overseas for further education
 A. asked B. would ask
 C. will ask D. would have asked

For questions 23 and 24 choose the correct alternative to fill the blank space

23. His elder brother has married _____
 A. a pretty young Ethiopian girl
 B. a young pretty Ethiopian girl.
 C. an Ethiopian pretty young girl.
 D. a young Ethiopian pretty girl.
24. Do you prefer coffee _____ tea?
 A. to B. or C. instead of D. with

For Question 25 choose the sentence that is correctly punctuated and grammatically correct

25. A. The countries of East Africa are: Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania
 B. The countries of east Africa are; Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania
 C. The countries of East Africa are: Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania
 D. The countries of East Africa are Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania

Read the passage below and answer questions 26 to 38

When we got off the bus, I saw in front of me three tall grey buildings. Each of them had more windows than I could count, and a lot of yellow flowers were growing around them. While my father was asking the way, I looked at the people walking past us. Most of the women were wearing spotlessly clean white aprons and equally clean light blue dresses. Most had white caps on their heads. Some had a thing round their necks which mother told me is called a stethoscope.

"It is the building on the right" said father. He's in ward 3."

We all began to follow him along the pavement. My mother had to walk slowly because of Philip and

Julie, - but John and I ran past father to the door,

At last we stood outside ward 3. The doors were open and inside we could see a very long room with a lot of beds in it. There seemed to be someone in every bed. Many of the people in the beds were looking at the doorway. I was glad I had put on my new yellow dress.

"There he is" said mother, pushing me as she walked through with the baby. I took Philip's hand and we walked down the room. We stopped at a bed with 18 painted in black on the wall behind it. At first I could see nothing but blankets and bandages. Then I noticed some fingers, but I couldn't see the rest of the hand or the arm. My mother seemed to be talking to some bandages at the end of the bed. So I knew that those bandages must be around Charles' head. But I did not really believe it was my brother wrapped in the bandages until I walked to the other end of the bed and saw his nose, mouth, chin, and one eye. The rest of his head was covered with bandages. He turned towards me and said in a weak voice

"Hello, Mary."

"What is your other eye doing?" I asked.

"It's shut," he answered, but he seemed to smile.

After talking for a few minutes with Charles, mother went away to buy some fruits for him at the canteen. The three younger children went with her. I sat on the empty bed near my elder brother. "Can my bicycle be mended?" Charles asked eagerly.

"No," Father replied. "The car ran right over it. We must thank God that it did not run over you. When your bicycle was hit you were tossed into the air."

"But I don't remember anything," said Charles.

"Yes, I know. You told me yesterday before the ambulance whisked you away," said father. "You had no time to understand what was happening before you hit that rock."

"It's time to go," said an unfamiliar voice behind us. I turned to see a nurse standing there in a beautiful white dress with silver buttons and a little green cap. "You must not make him tired." She added

"How bad is my brother?" I asked.

"He is lucky. If he does what he is told he should be up and about in three or four weeks" I watched while the nurse put a thermometer in Charles' mouth - and held his wrist to take his pulse. She was looking at a small wrist watch. When she finished. Charles had shut his eye and seemed to be sleeping.

26. Which of the following is NOT a possible explanation why the father was asking the way?
- He did not know direction to the hospital
 - He did not know directions in the hospital
 - He did not know which ward his son was
 - He was not present when his son was admitted
27. How many members of the family are mentioned?
- Five
 - Six
 - Seven
 - Eight
28. Which statement indicates that the writer was conscious of her looks?
- I took Philip's hand and we walked down the room
 - Then I noticed some fingers
 - I was glad I had put on my new dress
 - But I did not believe it was my brother
29. The expression **'wrapped in bandages'** means Charles' head was
- dressed in bandages
 - fastened with bandages
 - fixed with bandages
 - rolled in bandages
30. Which of the following best explains why many of the people in the beds were looking at the doorway?
- They were cautious of visitors
 - They wanted to be discharged
 - They were anxious about Charles' condition
 - They were eagerly waiting for well wishers
31. Which statement below is true according to the passage?
- Charles was sure that his bicycle could be mended.
 - Charles was unconscious when the ambulance arrived.
 - The car caused all Charles' injuries.
 - Charles was run-over by the car.
32. The word **mended** as used in the passage could mean three of the following except
- Assemble
 - Restore
 - Fix
 - Repair
33. Why do you think the nurse was looking at her wrist watch?
- To indicate she wanted the writer and her father to leave
 - To check on the time visitors were supposed to leave
 - To count number of Charles' heart - beat per minute
 - To tell the time
34. The writer asks, "How bad is my brother?" Why?
- She wanted to know if her brother would be discharged that day.
 - She wanted to know if her brother's injuries were very serious.
 - She wanted to know if her brother was misbehaving in hospital.
 - She wanted to know if her brother was disturbing nurses.
35. According to the passage _____ was the eldest while _____ was the youngest among the siblings.
- Mary and Julie
 - Charles and Mary
 - Charles and Julie
 - Father and the child
36. Why would the bicycle not be mended?
- The owner was admitted in hospital
 - It was involved in an accident
 - It was badly damaged for any repairs
 - Father wanted to buy a new one
37. Why did the writer feel glad when she was the doorway?
- She thought the patients were seeing how smart she was
 - She knew her brother would recover quickly
 - She saw someone she knew
 - She liked visiting patients in hospital.
38. The best title for this passage would be
- A car and a bicycle collide.
 - A visit to the hospital.
 - Charles is admitted in hospital.
 - A fatal accident

Read the passage below and use it to answer questions 38 - 50

Any form of labour that interferes with the normal and proper growth and development of a child should be avoided. The United Nations Convention on the rights of children defines a child as anyone below the age of 18 years. Therefore, victims of child labour are children below the age of 18 years. According to the International Labour Organization (ILO) child labour deprives children of their childhood, their potential and their dignity. It should be fought by all because it is harmful to their physical growth and mental development. The work done is mentally, physically, socially, or morally dangerous and harmful to children.

There are different forms of child labour. All forms of slavery or practices similar to slavery such as sale and trafficking of children, forced or compulsory labour are not acceptable. The offering of a child for illicit activities and in particular for the production and trafficking of drugs are forms of child labour.

Poverty is the main cause of child labour. Unemployment also makes some parents expose their children to child labour. There are other factors such as illiteracy of parents tradition and culture, HIV and AIDS and ignorance of the parents about the consequences of child labour. Parents' death is a major contributing factor to child labour. In addition, parents' separation or neglect is another cause of children engaging in child labour. Research also shows that children of single mothers are the most likely to engage in child labour.

Child labour has serious effects on the child and the society at large. In the first place, child labour robs the children of the opportunity to get formal education. These children are therefore not able to get good jobs in future because they did not go to school. They also do not get a chance to grow and play with other children of their age. In addition, they may not get to eat and dress as well they work. The worst effect of child labour is that it endangers children's physical, mental development and well-being. Child labour should be fought by all because it undermines national economies and slows down progress in a country.

39. According to the passage, the work done by children should be _____
A. Work that is child-friendly.
B. Work that is fit for children and adults.
C. Work that is beyond the capability of the child.
D. Work that interferes with proper development of the child.
40. Child labour should be fought by all because it is harmful to children's _____
A. mental development only
B. physical and mental development
C. cultural and spiritual development
D. national development
41. The following are forms of child labour except _____
A. Production of drugs
B. Trafficking of children
C. Trafficking of drugs by children
D. Voluntary labour
42. According to the passage which of the following is the main cause of child labour? . . .
A. Unemployment
B. Death of parents
C. Poverty
D. Illiteracy of the parent and culture
43. The word illicit in the passage is underlined. Which of the following words has a similar meaning with it?
A. Selling B. Illegal. C. Collecting D. Lawful.
44. The following are reasons for fighting child labour. Which one is not?
A. Children do not get good jobs in future because they are illiterate
B. It interferes with child's development.
C. It helps children get formal education
D. They do not get a chance to grow and play with their agemates
45. Employing children below the age of eighteen years is regarded as child labour because _____
A. This ignores the United Nations Convention on children's rights
B. Children do not reason well
C. Their low reasoning power can easily be manipulated to the employer's advantage
D. Children do not understand the exploitation they are subjected to
46. How many forms of child labour have been mentioned in the passage?
A. Six B. Four C. Five D. Three
47. Which one of the following statements is true according to the passage?
A. Child labour has serious negative consequences
B. Child labour does not affect the society
C. All employed parents rely on their children for labour
D. Adults and children can do the same amount of work
48. According to the International Labour Organization, child labour is defined in terms of _____
A. the effects the work has to the child
B. the causes of the labour
C. the age
D. reasoning of the child
49. Which one of the following statements about child labour is not correct?
A. it undermines national economies and slows down progress
B. Children who are involved in child labour get good jobs in future
C. Child labour affects the society at large
D. Children do not get ample time to play
50. The best title for this passage would be _____
A. Child labour
B. Children's rights
C. Causes of child labour
D. Different forms of child labour

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JINA LAKO	
NUMBA YAKO YA MTHANI	
JINA LA SHULE YAKO	

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KISWAHILI
SEHEMU B : INSHA

MUDA : DAKIKA 40

SOMA MAAGIZO HAYA KWA MAKINI

1. Kwenye nafasi zilizoachwa hapo juu, andika namba yako kamili ya mtihani, Jina lako, na Jina la shule yako
2. Sasa fungua Karatasi hii, Soma kichwa cha insha kwa makini na uandike insha yako kwenye nafasi ulioachiwa.

KARATASI HILI LA MASWALI LINA KURASA NNE ZILIZO PIGWA CHAPA

Andika insha inyoanza kwa maneno haya.

Iwapo kuna siku ambayo sitasahau maishani ni
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MUDA :1HOUR 40MINUTES

SOMA KWA MAKINI MAAGIZO YAFUATAYO

1. Umepewa karatasi hii ya maswali na karatasi ya kujibia. Karatasi hii ina maswali 50
2. Ikiwa utataka kuandika chochote ambacho si jibu andika katika karatasi hii
3. Ukisha chagua jibu lako lionyeshe katika KARATASI YA MAJIBU na wala siyo katika karatasi hii ya maswali

JINSI YA KUTUMIA KARATASI YA MAJIBU

4. Tumia Penseli ya kawaida
5. Hakikisha ya kwamba yafuatayo umeandika katika karatasi ya majibu;
NAMBA YAKO YA MTHANI
JINA LAKO
JINA LA SHULE YAKO
6. Kwa kuchora kistari katika visanduku vyenye namba zinazokuhusu, onyesha namba yako kamili ya mthani (yaani namba ya shule, na zile namba tatu za mtahaniwa) katika sehemu iliyotengwa mwanzo wa karatasi ya majibu.
7. Usitie alama zozote nje ya visanduku.
8. Iweke safi karatasi yako ya majibu na usiikunje.
9. Kwa kila swali 1-50 umepewa majibu manne. Majibu hayo yameonyeshwa kwa herufi A, B, C, D. Ni jibu MOJA tu kati ya hayo manne ambalo ni sahihi. Chagua jibu hilo.
10. Kwenye karatasi ya majibu, jibu sahihi lionyeshe kwa kuchora kistari katika kisanduku chenye herufi uliochagua kuwa ndilo jibu.

Mfano:

Katika karatasi ya maswali :

19. Chagua sentensi yenye kiambishi **Ki** cha wakati
- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| A. Ukija utampata Abdul | B. Kijito hiki kina mamba wengi |
| C. Tutakuwa tukiimba mchana wote | D. Kikulacho ki nguoni mwako |
- Jibu sahihi ni (C) (Tutakuwa tukiimba mchana wote)

Katika karatasi ya majibu

19 [A] [B] [C] [D] 20 [A] [B] [C] [D] 21 [A] [B] [C] [D] 22 [A] [B] [C] [D] 23 [A] [B] [C] [D]

Katika visanduku vinavyoonyesha majibu ya swali namba 25. Kisanduku chenye herufi C ndicho kilichorwa kistari

11. Chora kistari chako kiwe cheusi na kisijitokeze nje ya kisanduku.
12. Kwa kila swali, chora kisanduku kimoja tu kati ya visanduku vinne ulivyopewa.

Karatasi hii ina maswali 50 iliyopigwa chapa.

Soma vifungu vifu atavyo. vina nafasi 1 - 15. chagua jibu lifaalo zaidi kati ya yale uliyopewa kujazia kila pengo.

Kenya ___ 1 ___ na janga ___ 2 ___ njaa. Chakula ni ___ 3 ___ na kile kinachopatikana ni ___ 4 ___ mno. Mapato ya ___ 5 ___ kubwa ya wananchi ni ___ 6 ___ .Wengi waohawana ___ 7 ___ . Kwa hivyo hawana njia maalum ya kupata ___ 8 ___ .Zaraa ___ 9 ___ uti wa mgongo wa taifa ___ 10 ___

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|------------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. A. imekumbana | B. imekumba | C. Imekumbushwa | D. imekumbiwa |
| 2. A. ya | B. wa | C. kwa | D. la |
| 3. A. kochokocho | B. adimu | C. tele | D. kingi |
| 4. A. bura | B. duni | C. ghati | D. stadi |
| 5. A. maradufu | B. takriban | C. asilimia | D. karibu |
| 6. A. ya chini | B. ya haiba | C. ya nyuma | D. ya kudorora |
| 7. A. bei | B. ajira | C. mkopo | D. fola |
| 8. A. pure | B. mtalii | C. kileo | D. riziki |
| 9. A. ndiko | B. ndizo | C. ndivo | D. ndipo |
| 10. A. hili | B. hizi | C. hii | D. huu |

Mchezo wa tenisi ni ___ 11 ___ ile yenye ___ 12 ___ sana ufimwenguni. ___ 13 ___ katika mchezo huu ni ___ 14 ___ wakubwa. Wao wamenufaika kwa kuupa ___ 15 ___

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|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 11. A. baina ya | B. mojawapo ya | C. pamojaya | D. baina ya |
| 12. A. fukuto | B. fanali | C. fahari | D. vukuto |
| 13. A. iliyosifiwa | B. waliyosifiwa | C. zilizosifika | D. Waliosifika |
| 14. A. wakata | B. wakwasi | C. wachochole | D. waadhini |
| 15. A. kizungumkuri | B. kimbelebele | C. kipaumbele | D. kionjamchuzi |

Kutoka swali la 16 - 30 jibu kulingana na maagizo

16. Kungwi ni kwa mwari kama vile tabibu ni kwa
A. muwele B. mganga
C. muuguzi D. mhunzi

17. Tegua kitendawili

Ndege wananifukuza na wanyama wananikataa

- A. Bundi B. Kobe C. Tai D. Popo

18. Nikiondoka watu hawaonani. Ki imetumiwa kuonyesha

- A. kielezi B. masharti
C. mahali D. kiwakiiishi

19. Tunda Jamii ya chungwa lenye harufu nzuri na maji mengi na pia ni tamu sana huitwa

- A. limau B. ndimu C. tufaha C. chenza

20. Chagua neno baki

-ngine-angu -ote-enyewe

- A. -name B. -ote C. -angu D. -enyewe

21. Chombo cha kushikilia chuma wakati wa kufanyia chuma hicho kazi ni

- A. jirwa B. keeke C. bisibisi D. msasa

22. Ni kivumishi gani ambacho ni tasa?

- A. Kubwa B. Rahisi C. Chafu D. Kali

23. Kamilisha methali hii

Fahari ya macho.

- A. hufurahisha macho B. humwonea fahali
C. haifilisi duka D. haina pazia

24. Mtu anayeongoza sherehe huitwa

- A. mfawidhi B. mshenga
C. mkutubi D. mhadhiri

25. Ng'amua matumizi ya istihara hii Kazi zimekuwa maziwa ya kuku

- A. Hazijaadmika B. ni nyeupe
C. ni tele D. ni haba

26. Jina swila Huorodheshwa katika ngeli ya

- A. Li-Ya B. Ku-Ku
C. i-Zi D. A-Wa

27. Andika wingi

Ugoe umeangukia ua wake

- A. Ugoe umeangukia nyua zake
B. Ngoe zimeangukia nyua zao
C. Magoe yameangukia maua yao
D. Goe zimeangukia nyua zake

28. Kung'oa mimea na kuupanda mahali pengine ni

- A. kuchega B. kupopoa
C. kuatika D. kumomonyoa

29. Chagua sentensi yenye nomino ya pekee.

- A. Hassan atasafiri mjini kesho
B. Dada amebeba tita la kuni
C. Maji waliyoyaleta hayatoshi
D. Nimewahi kula njugu karanga

30. Kisawe cha chupi ni

- A. Gagro B. Chepeo
C. Kocho D. Bombo

Soma habari kisha ujibu maswali 31 - 40

Baada ya kusafiri tangu alfajiri tulifika lango la mbuga ya Arabuko Sokoke, mnamo sa nne kisorobo. Tulitipa kiingilio na kuingia ndani ya basi letu. Pamoja nasi tulikubaliwa kuingia na magari mengine ya kirata na ya kibinafsi. Kwa hivyo sote tukafuatana mlongo. Safari hiyo ilikuwa imesubiriwa kwa hamu na ghamu mithili ya waislamu wangojevayo mwezi mtukufu wa Ramadhani. Kila mwanafunzi alikuwa na mahanjumu kedekede.

Bwana Hamisi alifunga nasi ili atusaidie kuyaona vizuri mazingira tuliyotembelea na hasa wanyama

wengi waliokuwamo. Mbuga hiyo ilikuwa imeshehemi nyuni ainati. Nyuni wale waliwayawaya mbawa zao zilizosheheni umaridadi wa rangi. Miti ya misefu ilishiba viota vya minandi zuakulu na wengine wengi.

Kweli siku njema huonekana asubuhi. Tulikuwa tumeondoka bila shinda wala dukuduku yoyote. Muda si muda tuliwakuta simba wanne wakiwa kwenye karamu ya mzoga wa pundamila. Midomo yao ilikuwa imelea damu. Nilitatemeka mwili.

Basi lilisimama hapo kwa muda ili tuwatazama wale simba wakirua windo lao. Wenye nyakaso kati yetu waliwapiga picha. Kwa wengine wetu hii ilikuwa mara ya kwanza kuona simba hai wakiwa karibu namna hiyo.

Tuliendelea na safari, tukafika eneo lenye swara foka ajabu waliokuwa wakila majani kwa utulivu. Wazungu waliokuwa matembezini walijiunga nasi. Tukaambiwa hao ndio watalii halisi wanaotoka nchi za ughaibuni kuja kuvinjari nchi yetu na hasa wanyama pori. Tulielezwa kuwa hayawani hawa hawapatikani huko kwao. Tulijulishwa pia kuwa watalii hao hutumia fulusi zao-na kwa njia hii huiletea nchi maduhuli ya kigeni yanayohitajika sana ili kununulia mitambo muhimu kutoka ng'ambo. Watalii tuliokutana nao walikuwa wanene waliobeba mikoba mikubwa mabegani na nyakasa shingoni. Picha zile zilikuwa kubwa kiasi cha kustaajabisha. Tulifahamishwa kuwa zilikuwa na uwezo wa kuvuta kile kilichoko mbali kuwa karibu. Hapo wao hupiga picha na kuenda kuziua huko kwao. Hii hasara kwetu.

Wakati tukionywa na Bwana Hamisi tusipige kelele, swara walitimua mbio na kuenda mbali kidogo. Wengi wao waliendelea na malisho yao hapo, lakini wengine walianza kupigana pembe. Hiyo ndiyo starehe ya wanyama wenye pembe na kwato.

Tuliondoka hapo tukaingia sehemu ya vichaka na nyasi ndefu ndefu. Ghafila sote tuligutushwa na ngiri na mwanawe walioponea chupuchupu mbele yetu. Ilikuwa bahati tu kwamba dereva alifunga breki wakati walipotoka kichakani na kuvuka vu!

Wakati ulipita bila sisi kujua. Tulifika mahali pazuri palipokuwa wazi. Tukaelezwa kwamba ni mahali penye usalama. Hapo tulikula chamcha chetu kisha tukaanza safari yetu ndefu ya kurudi shuleni. Sote tulikuwa na furaha na mawazo mapana kuhusu hifadhi za wanyama wa porini wa Arabuko Sokoke.

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| <p>31. Kuna uwezekano kuwa safari ilianza kama saa ngapi?
 A. saa nne asubuhi
 B. saa saba usiku
 C. saa kumi na moja asubuhi
 D. saa tisa hadi saa kumi alasiri</p> <p>32. Watalii wale walipofika mbugani walisafiri kwa kutumia _____ ili kujionea wanyama.
 A. lori
 B. matwana
 C. bodaboda
 D. gari la kibinafsi</p> <p>33. Swala walitumia mbio kwa sababu _____
 A. watoto waliwagutusha kwa kupiga kelele
 B. hawakutaka kuendelea kulisha hapo
 C. watoto walionywa na Bwana Hamisi wasipige kelele
 D. hawakutaka kuonekana na watoto</p> <p>34. Msumilizi asema tuliondoka bila shida wala dukuduku kwa sababu.
 A. mola hamwachi mja wake
 B. leo ni leo msema kesho ni mwongo
 C. siku njema huonekana asubuhi
 D. siku ya siku ilikuwa imetimia</p> <p>35. Swala walionekana wengi mahali pamoja
 A. ili waonyeshe watoto wao
 B. ili wapange windo lao
 C. waweze kuonekana wa watalii
 D. ni kawaida wanapokula majani</p> | <p>36. Kwa nini wazungu walijiunga pamoja na watalii hao wengine?
 A. ili waone fulusi zao
 B. ili wawaonee swara karibu
 C. ili waweze kuwapa maduhuli
 D. Wasipatwe na hawayani</p> <p>37. Kulingana na kifungu hiki watalii wa nchini walitangulia kuona wanyama wapi?
 A. nyuni, simba, swara, ngiri
 B. Simba, Swara, ngiri, pundamilia
 C. Swara, nyuni, Simba, Ngiri na mwanawe
 D. Ngiri na mwanawe, pundamilia, Simba -</p> <p>38. Watalii kutoka ughaibuni husaidia nchi kwa
 A. kuipa mikoba yao
 B. kuwauzia picha za wanyama
 C. nyakaso zao
 D. maduhuli ya kigeni</p> <p>39. Kifungu kinatueleza kuwa watalii halisi ni _____
 A. wanaofuatana katika safari
 B. walio na miolongo ya magari
 C. kundi lolote linalowatazama wanyama
 D. wanaotoka nchi zao kuja kujivinjari</p> <p>40. Kwa nini mwandishi anasema wakati ulipita bira wao kujua?
 A. kwa sababu ya kufika mahali wazi
 B. kwa sababu ya kuwa salama
 C. kwa sababu ya kuwa safari ilinoga
 D. kwa sababu ya kurudi nyumbani.</p> |
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Soma habari kisha ulibu maswali 41 - 50

Kundi la utafiti la Uwezo lilitoa habari yake kwamba viwango vya elimu vinazidi kuforora na kutuacha tukiuliza maswali mengi kuhusu janga hilo.

Si mara ya kwanza kusikia kauli hii ya kusikitisha ingawa sasa inaelekea kuchukua mkondo mwingine wa kutisha.

Hali imezidi kuwa mbaya hasa baada ya elimu kutangazwa kuwa ya bure katika shule zote za msingi

na za sekondari. Wengi wetu tumeanza kuhofia kwamba kunao uwezekana kuwa kweli cha bure ni dunil. Ni mpango mzuri ulioanzishwa kwa nia safi kwa lengo la kuwawezesha wakenya wa matabaka yote kujipatia elimu bila kikwazo cha kifedha.

Tatizo lililopo ni kwamba mpango huo mzuri ulitekelezwa kiholela na matokeo yanaanza kuzaa matunda ambayo ni kinyume kabisa cha matarajio ya waasisi wake.

Mpango huu ambao ulitarajiwa kutuzalia matunda ya kuridhisha baada ya riaka michache unalemazwa na changamoto kadha ambazo kama serikali ingewasikiliza wadau wote wa sekta ya elimu, ingezidhibiti kwa urahisi tu.

Mifano ya changamoto hizo ni idadi ya wanafunzi kuongezeka ilhali hakuna madarasa ya ziada yanayojengwa. Matokeo yake ni kwamba wanafunzi zaidi ya hamsini wanarudika katika darasa moja kama vitabu, madawati, chaki na kadhalika mball na vifaa, shule zinahitaji walimu zaidi.

Isitoshe walimu walioajiriwa daima wamo katika migomo kutokana na kuahidiwa nyongeza za uongo ambazo baadaye zina kiukwa. Ni wazi kwamba ili mpango huo ufaulu, sharti utekelezwe na walimu walio na ari ya kufanya kazi.

Mwisho, shule za umma zikifanya vyema basi viwango vya elimu yetu vitainuka kwani shule hizi ndizo kitovu cha elimu yetu.

41. Neno "zinakiukwa" limetumika kwenye ufahamu maana yake ni _____

- A. zinatekelezwa ipasavyo
- B. zinafanywa isvyostahili
- C. zinapendeza kabisa
- D. zinafanywa inavyostahili

42. Kulingana na kifungu shule za umma ni kitovu cha elimu _____

- A. kwa sababu ya elimu ya bure
- B. kwa sababu ya idadi kubwa ya wanafunzi
- C. kwa sababu kuna vifaa vingi vya utendakazi
- D. kwa sababu huwa na walimu wengi

43. Kifungu hiki kinatueleza _____

- A. Mpango wa elimu ya bure umetekelezwa vilivyo.
- B. Mpango wa elimu ya bure umetekelezwa visivyo.
- C. Shule za umma huupasi mthani vyema
- D. Cha bure nyingi huwa kizuri

44. Kulingana na naoni yako cha bure ni duni kwa sababu gani?

- A. Ukosefu wa vifaa vya utendakazi
- B. Watoto hawafaulu
- C. Walimu wanagoma
- D. Watoto kuongezeka

45. Kisawe cha umma ni _____

- A. wasomi
- B. Washikadau
- C. Raia
- D. Shule

46. Elimu ya bure _____

- A. imechangia migomo ya walimu
- B. imetekelezwa kama ilivyodhamiriwa
- C. Haina changamoto zozote
- D. Inahofiwa jinsi inavyotekelezwa

47. Ni njia gani bora zaidi kati ya hizi zifuatazo ya kuhakikisha elimu ya bure imefaulu?

- A. Kuajiri walimu zaidi
- B. Kununua vifaa vya utendakazi
- C. Kuongeza walimu mishahara
- D. Kununua cheki

48. Kauli gani si sahihi kulingana na ufahamu huu?

A. Walimu wameongezewa mishahara bira tatizo

B. Elimu ya leo ina changamoto

C. Viwango vya elimu vimeдора

D. Migomo ya walimu inaathiri elimu

49. Majuzi hizi ni siku ngapi kuanzia leo?

- A. siku mbili baada ya leo
- B. siku saba baada ya leo
- C. siku nne kabla ya leo
- D. siku moja kabla ya leo

50. Mada mwafaka ya hadithi hii ni _____

- A. Migomo ya shule za umma
- B. Elimu ya bure
- C. Shule za kifahari
- D. Elimu

NYERI COUNTY MOCK EXAMS

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MATHEMATICS

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. You have been given this question booklet and a separate answer sheet. The question booklet contains 50 questions.
2. Do any necessary rough work in this booklet.
3. When you have chosen your answer, mark it on the **ANSWER SHEET**, not in the question paper.

HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET

4. Use an ordinary pencil only.
5. Make sure that you have written on the answer sheet:-

YOUR INDEX NUMBER

YOUR NAME

NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL

6. By drawing a dark line inside the correct numbered boxes mark your full Index Number (i.e. School Code Number and the three-figure Candidate's Number) in the grid near the top of the answer sheet.
7. Do not make any marks outside the boxes.
8. Keep your answer sheet as clean as possible and **DO NOT FOLD IT**.
9. For each of the Questions 1 - 50 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A, B, C, D in each case only **ONE** of the four answers is correct. Choose the correct answer.
10. On the answer sheet show the correct answer by drawing a dark line inside the box in which the letter you have chosen is written.

Example:

In the Question Booklet:

15. The scale on a map is 1:50000. What length on the map would represent a distance of 250 metres?

- A. 20cm
- B. 2cm
- C. 5 cm
- D. 0.5cm

The correct answer is B (2cm)

On the answer sheet.

12. [A] [B] [C] [D] 13. [A] [B] [C] [D] 14. [A] [B] [C] [D] 15. [A] [B] [C] [D]

In the set of boxes numbered 15, the box with letter C printed in it is marked.

11. Your dark line **MUST BE** within the box.
12. For each question **ONLY ONE** box is to be marked in each set of four boxes.

This question paper consists of 5 printed pages.

Candidate should check the question paper to ensure that all the pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

TURN OVER

MATHEMATICS

- Which of the following number is 32032023
 A. Thirty thousands thirty two hundred and thirty two
 B. Thirty two million thirty two thousands and twenty three
 C. Thirty two million thirty two thousands and thirty two
 D. Thirty two thousands thirty two hundreds and twenty three

- What is the total value of 4 after finding the product of 324 and 13
 A. Ten thousands B. Thousands
 C. Four thousands D. Four hundreds

- Round off 1529.0995 to 3 - decimal places
 A. 1529.100 B. 1529.09
 C. 1529.010 D. 152.9099

- The area of a square garden is 1849m². Kogi went round the garden twice. How many metres did he cover?
 A. 3698m B. 172m C. 86m D. 344m

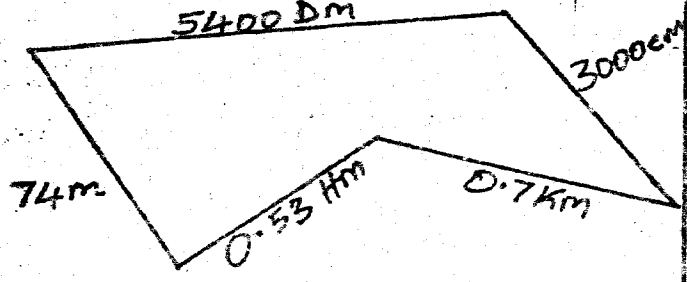
- Write forty million four hundred and four thousands four hundred and four thousandths in symbols
 A. 40404404.04 B. 40404404.004
 C. 44404404.4 D. 44 404404.04

- Find the sum of 123242 and 76757 and round off to the nearest ten thousand
 A. 150000 B. 200000
 C. 159000 D. 190000

- What is the next number in the sequence?
 30, 39, 55, 80, 116, _____
 A. 156 B. 180 C. 165 D. 175

- What is half the value of:
 $10 + 1.5 + 0.3 - 0.05$
 0.4
 A. 15.4 B. 2.6 C. 24.2 D. 13

- Oketch ran round the figure below twice. How many kilometres did he cover?

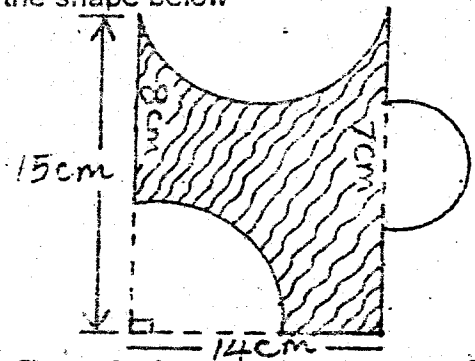


- What is the value of $2\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} (1\frac{1}{8} - \frac{7}{16})$
 $3\frac{1}{8} \times \frac{3}{4} \div \frac{3}{8}$
 A. 109.714 B. 55.523
 C. 95.74 D. 106.842

- What is the value of $2\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} (1\frac{1}{8} - \frac{7}{16})$
 $3\frac{1}{8} \times \frac{3}{4} \div \frac{3}{8}$
 A. $1\frac{13}{25}$ B. $\frac{9}{25}$ C. $\frac{37}{200}$ D. $\frac{87}{100}$

- A farmer had 150 goats and 250 cows in his farm in the year 2012. The following year, he increased the number of goats by 16% and reduced the cows by the same percentage. How many animals altogether did he have that year?
 A. 400 B. 406 C. 392 D. 384

- Calculate the perimeter of the shaded region in the shape below

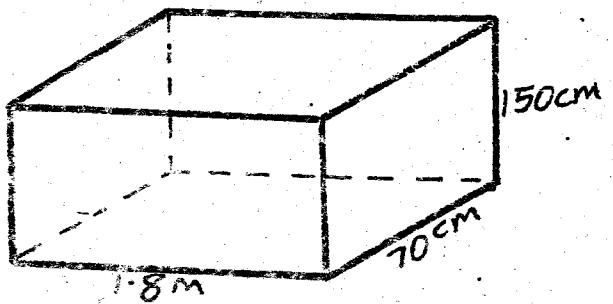


- Three bells rang at intervals of 15min, 20min and 25min. If they rang together at 11.00pm when else did they ring together?
 A. 4.00pm B. 3.00am
 C. 4.00am D. 3.00pm

- Work out: $23 + 1.9 - 0.754$ and give your answer to the nearest hundredth.
 A. 24.25 B. 24.145
 C. 24.26 D. 24.15

- Three schools A, B and C shared a donation of library books in the ratio 3:5:7 respectively according to their enrolments. If school C got 160 more books than school B, how many books did school A get?
 A. 240 B. 400
 C. 560 D. 1200

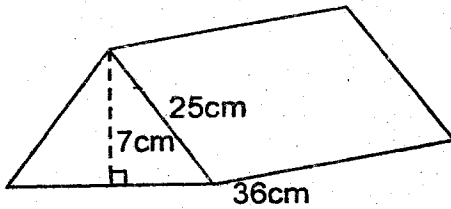
- The figure below is a rectangular tank measuring 1.8m by 70cm by 150cm



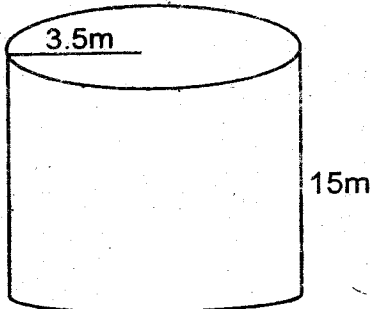
- If the tank is $\frac{5}{8}$ full of water, how much more water is needed to fill the tank completely in litres?
 A. 1890 B. 480
 C. 540 D. 1330

- A tea factory hired 12 people to complete some work in 16 hours. How many more hours did it take them to complete the work if 4 people did not turn up?
 A. 6 hrs B. 24 hrs C. 5 hrs D. 8 hrs

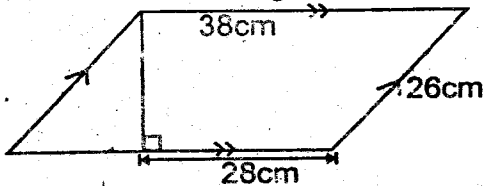
18. The figure below is a triangular prism. Calculate its volume in cm^3



- A. 6048cm^3 B. 2972cm^3
 C. 2100cm^3 D. 3024cm^3
19. A semi-circular plot was fenced by three equal strands of wire whose total length was 1080m. What was the radius of the plot?
 A. 140cm B. 560cm C. 70cm D. 280cm
20. The cost of 5 shirts is sh. 2300. What would be the price of 8 similar shirts?
 A. sh. 3420 B. sh. 3680
 C. sh. 3060 D. sh. 2980
21. The figure below represents an open metallic cylindrical tank. If it is painted inside and outside, what is the area painted in m^2



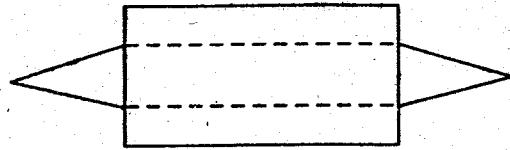
- A. 368.5m^2 B. 407m^2
 C. 814m^2 D. 737m^2
22. The area of a trapezium is 280cm^2 . The two parallel sides are 16cm and 24cm respectively. What is the perpendicular distance between the two parallel sides?
 A. 14cm B. 40cm C. 20cm D. 18cm
23. Calculate the area of the figure below.



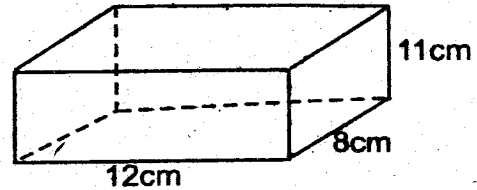
- A. 988cm^2 B. 728cm^2 C. 912cm^2 D. 624cm^2
24. A square room of side 35m is covered with a circular carpet which touches all the sides of the room. Calculate the area not covered by the carpet.
 A. 962.5cm^2 B. 1225m^2 C. 1925m^2 D. 262.5m^2
25. Calculate the difference between the L.C.M and G.C.D of 32, 48 and 64.
 A. 16 B. 176 C. 180 D. 102
26. A cylindrical container has a diameter of 28cm.

If it can hold 6.16 litres of water, what is its height in cm?

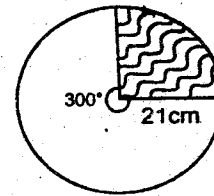
- A. 14cm B. 10cm C. 7cm D. 20cm
27. The figure below represents a net. Which solid can be made from it?



- A. Triangular pyramid B. Square pyramid
 C. Rectangular pyramid D. Triangular Prism
28. What length of wire is needed to construct the framework of the figure below?



- A. 31cm B. 124cm C. 42cm D. 1056cm
29. Increase 360 by the ratio 4:3
 A. 270 B. 375 C. 480 D. 290
30. Find the area of the unshaded part



- A. 1156cm^2 B. 456cm^2
 C. 231cm^2 D. 154cm^2
31. Express 54.625 as a fraction in its simplest form
 A. $54\frac{3}{5}$ B. $54\frac{3}{8}$ C. $54\frac{5}{8}$ D. $54\frac{6}{8}$
32. Murimi bought 3 bags of maize each 90kg at sh. 3000 per bag. He also bought 2 bags of potatoes each 5 buckets at sh 1250 per bag. He sold the maize @ sh. 40 per kg and each bucket of potatoes at sh. 300. What was his profit?
 A. Sh. 2,300 B. sh. 11500
 C. sh. 13800 D. sh. 32500
33. Convert 0.69125 to a percentage
 A. $69\frac{3}{4}\%$ B. $16\frac{2}{3}\%$
 C. $69\frac{1}{4}\%$ D. $69\frac{1}{8}\%$
34. A bookseller bought 12 cartons of exercise books at sh 1200 per carton. On the way 4 cartons got soaked by rain. He sold the remaining cartons @ sh 1500. What was the percentage loss?
 A. 20% B. $16\frac{2}{3}\%$ C. 80% D. $41\frac{1}{3}\%$
35. Solve the equation

$$\frac{3(x-2)}{4} - 3 = 0$$

 A. 3 B. 6 C. 12 D. 0

36. The marked price of a shirt is sh 800. Ali bought six such shirts after being allowed a 10% discount. How much did he pay for the shirts?
A. sh 480 B. sh 4800 C. sh 4320 D. sh 5280
37. A road 5.5 km long is represented on a paper by 11cm. What is the scale used?
A. 1:500 B. 1:5000
C. 1:500000 D. 1:50000
38. A salesman earns a basic salary of sh 3500 plus a commission of $5\frac{1}{2}\%$ on goods sold worth above sh 50000. In one month he was paid a total of sh 8750. How much was the sale of goods?
A. sh 10000 B. 50000
C. sh 150000 D. sh 10,000
39. The temperature of a liquid was $^{\circ}\text{C}$. It was heated at the rate of 6°C per minute. What was the reading after $5\frac{1}{2}$ minutes?
A. 11°C B. 30°C C. 33°C D. 28°C
40. The mean age of 11 men plus their patron is 35 years. Their average age without their patron is 34 years. How old is their patron?
A. 35 years B. 46 years
C. 50 years D. 69 years

41. Simplify the inequality

$$17 + \frac{3}{4}x < 5 + x$$

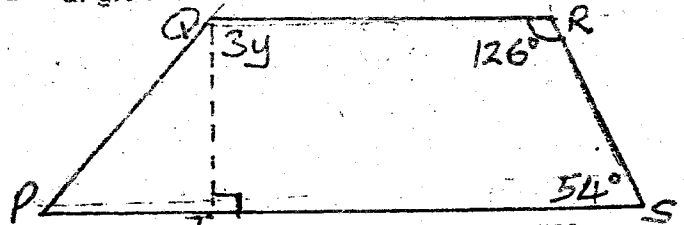
- A. $x < 48$ B. $48 < x$ C. $12 > x$ D. $24 < x$
42. A motorist travelled from town X to town Y at a speed of 90 km/hr in 3 hours. He stopped for tea for 40 minutes. When he resumed he travelled at an average speed of 120km/hr to cover the remaining 240km. What was his average speed for the whole journey?
A. 60km/hr B. 45 km/hr
C. 90km/hr D. 105km/hr
43. The cash price of a T.V set is sh 45000. The hire purchase price was 5% more. Mr. Kamau bought it on cash while Mr. Irungu bought it on hire purchase by paying a deposit of sh 5000 and 10 monthly equal instalments. How much was each instalment?
A. sh 47,250 B. sh 7250
C. sh 4500 D. sh 4225

Use the table below to answer the question that follows.

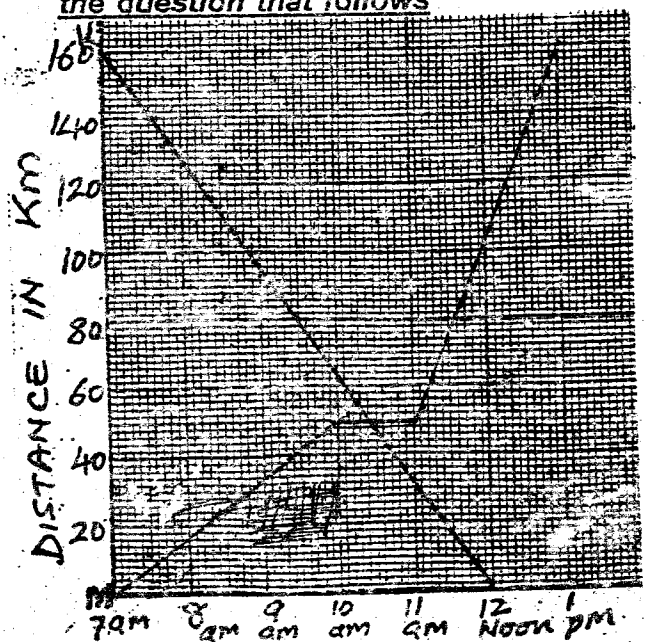
Value of order	Commission
Upto sh 500	30.00
501 - 1000	100.00
1001 - 5000	120.00
5001 - 10,000	125.00
10001 - 15000	300.00
15001 - 20000	500.00
20001 - 50000	1000.00

44. Caleb sent sh 8500 to his sister and sh 19500 to his brother respectively. How much money could he have added if he sent the money as one money order?
A. sh 625 B. sh 1000
C. sh 375 D. sh 425

45. A lorry carries 500 one kilogram packets of rice while another carries 275 two kilogram packets daily. How many tonnes of rice do the two lorries carry in 6 days?
A. 6.3 B. 6300 C. 630 D. 0.63
46. Draw a triangle ABC in which angle $\text{ABC} = 70^{\circ}$, $\text{AB} = 5\text{cm}$ and $\text{BC} = 6\text{cm}$. Bisect angles ABC and BCA and let the bisectors meet at D. With D as the centre draw a circle touching the sides of the triangle. What is the diameter of the circle?
A. 16cm B. 3.2cm C. 5cm D. 2.5cm
47. I kept sh 40000 in a bank that paid compound interest at the rate of $9\frac{1}{2}\%$ p.a. I decided to withdraw all my money after 15 months. How much did I withdraw?
A. sh 4750 B. sh 5700
C. sh 43800 D. sh 44840.25
48. PQRS is a trapezium in which QT is perpendicular to PS. Angle QRS is 126° and angle PSR is 54° . What is the value of QPT?



- A. 30° B. 54° C. 44° D. 70°
49. What is the product of the number of vertices, faces and edges of a triangular pyramid?
A. 200 B. 270 C. 96 D. 14
- The graph below shows John's journey from town K to town M and Peter's journey from town M to town K. Use it to answer the question that follows



50. What was the difference in their average speed?
A. 32km/hr B. 26km/hr
C. $5\frac{1}{3}$ km/hr D. $26\frac{2}{3}$ km/hr

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2. C	27. D	2. A	27. C	2. D	27. B	2. D	27. B	2. B	32. C	62. D
3. A	28. B	3. B	28. C	3. B	28. C	3. D	28. A	3. D	33. B	63. B
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24. D	49. C	24. B	49. B	24. A	49. C	24. A	49. C	24. D	54. B	84. B
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								30. A	60. C	90. A

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MARKING CRITERIA:

The composition will be assessed according to the following general guide lines

The Maximum mark will be 40 and the minimum mark 01

Does the script show that the candidate can communicate accurately, fluently and imaginatively in English

Accuracy (16 Marks)

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| a) Correct tense and agreement of verbs (4marks) | b) Accurate use of vocabulary (4 marks) |
| c) Correct spelling order (4marks) | d) Correct punctuation (4marks) |

Fluency (16 Marks)

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| a) Work in the correct order (4marks) | b) Sentences connected and paragraphs (4marks) |
| c) Correct spelling and paragraphs (4marks) | d) Ideas developed in logic sequence (4marks) |

Imagination (8marks)

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2. Do any necessary rough work in this booklet.
3. When you have chosen your answer, mark it on the **ANSWER SHEET**, not in the question paper.

HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET.

4. Use an ordinary pencil only.
5. Make sure that you have written on the answer sheet:-

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6. By drawing a dark line inside the correct numbered boxes mark your full Index Number (i.e. School Code Number and the three-figure Candidate's Number) in the grid near the top of the answer sheet.
7. Do not make any marks outside the boxes.
8. Keep your answer sheet as clean as possible and **DO NOT FOLD IT.**
9. For each of the Questions 1 - 50 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A, B, C, D in each case only **ONE** of the four answers is correct. Choose the correct answer.
10. On the answer sheet show the correct answer by drawing a dark line inside the box in which the letter you have chosen is written.

Example:

In the Question Booklet:

22. Animals adapted to hopping and leaping has:
- A. Strong front limbs
 - B. Strong hind limbs
 - C. Streamlined shape
 - D. Hollow bones

The correct answer is B (Strong hind limbs.)

On the answer sheet.

7. [A] [B] [C] [D] 8. [A] [B] [C] [D] 9. [A] [B] [C] [D] 10. [A] [B] [C] [D]

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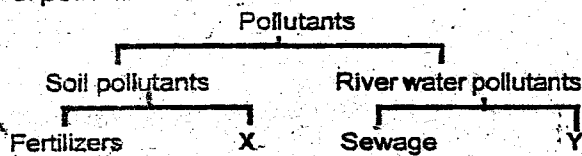
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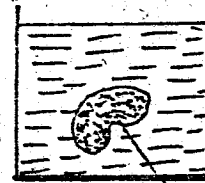
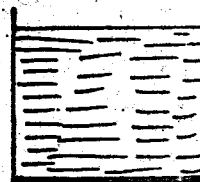
- The following are statements about the urethra in males. Which statement is **untrue**?
A. Carries urine to the outside of the body
B. Transport male reproductive cells
C. Carries urine, salts and water from the kidney
D. It is an excretory organ
- Which one of the following is not a purpose of green succulent stems in plants that grow in dry areas?
A. Photosynthesis B. Storage of water
C. Storage of food D. Protection from animals
- Kettles and boilers used to boil handwater have a deposit of:
A. Scum B. Lather C. Salt D. Scale
- Which one of the following methods of conserving energy is not using energy sparingly?
A. Use improved jiko
B. Car pooling
C. Use a motorbike instead of a car
D. Switch off lights when not in use
- The following are forms of energy
(i) Heat (ii) Electricity
(iii) Light (iv) Sound
The two forms of energy that do not require a medium for transmission are
A. ii and iv B. i and iii C. i and ii D. iii and iv
- The chart below represents a simple classification of pollutants



The pollutants represented by X and Y are

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| A. Factory | Acid rain |
| B. Herbicides | Oil spillage |
| C. Oil spillage | Acid rain |
| D. Herbicides | Factory waste |
- The best method of controlling a developing gully is through
A. Mulching
B. Planting cover crops
C. Construction of porous dams
D. Construction of bench terraces
 - Which one of the following is most likely to happen to a pupil who is abusing drugs?
A. Truancy B. Fits C. Blackout D. Coma
 - Which one of the following animals belongs to the same group as a weevil?
A. Mite B. Crab C. Termite D. Spider
 - Which one of the following statements is not true about manures? They
A. Improve the ability of the soil to hold water
B. Bind soil particles
C. Release nutrients very fast to the soil
D. Improve air circulation in the soil
 - Which one of the following groups of methods can be used to separate solid mixtures only?
A. Sieving, picking, winnowing
B. Picking, use of magnet, decanting
C. Winnowing, sieving, filtration
D. Use of magnet, filtration

- A farmer noticed small and shallow channels forming in the soil in the garden due to running water. This type of soil erosion is called
A. Splash B. Rill C. Sheet D. Gully
- Which component of the environment covers the largest earth's surface?
A. Water B. Plants C. Air D. Soil
- Which of the following materials is not necessary when making a rainbow?
A. Mirror B. Water C. Glass bowl D. Candle
- When an object is moving it is said to be
A. In motion B. At rest
C. In force D. Making work easier
- Which one of the following groups consist of food stuffs that are used to supply the body with energy?
A. Simsim, yams, cuspium, green grams
B. Beans, milk, lettuce, pumpkin
C. Groundnuts, cassava, millet, crisps
D. Rice, avocado, ugali, mutton
- Which of the following does not show a proper use of medicine?
A. All medicine should be kept out of reach of children
B. Take medicine at the recommended time
C. Take only prescribed drugs
D. One should never take medicine unless one is sick
- The container below holds 120mL when full. Ali poured 70mL of water from the container and added a lump of soil whose volume was 70mL. What did he observe?



- | |
|---|
| A. Water filled to the brim |
| B. Water was halfway |
| C. The lump of soil disappeared |
| D. The level of the water remained the same |
- The table below shows reproductive parts and their functions. Which one of the organs is correctly matched?

Reproductive part	Function
A. Oviduct	Allows eggs to move from ovary to uterus
B. Uterus	Produces female sex cells
C. Testis	Produce fluids
D. Penis	Allows passage of sperms to the spernduct
 - Which of the following animal feeds consists of pastures only?
A. Clover, napier grass, guatemala grass
B. Glycine, nandi grass, clover, rhodes
C. Rhodes, stars grass, oats, napier grass
D. Star grass, clover, sorghum, stalk
 - Which of the following consists of a pair of plants that depend on decaying material for food?

- A. Toadstool and maize smut
- B. Lichen and mould
- C. Mushroom and fern
- D. Yeast and algae

22. Std five pupils of Karangia pri school were constructing a beam balance during a science lesson. The teacher advised them that the hole they made must be

- A. very small to avoid free movement
- B. wide enough to allow free movement
- C. at the balancing point
- D. must be on the left side

23. Which one of the following will not expand when temperature is increased?

- A. Solids B. Gases C. Liquids D. None

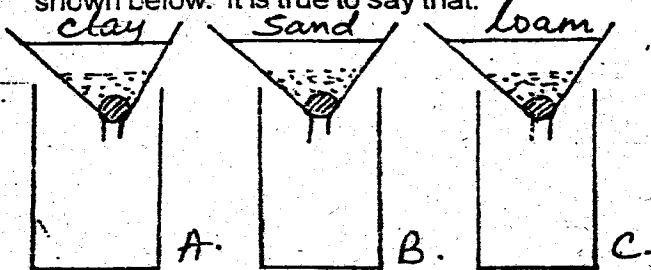
24. Std 5 pupils collected these materials

- Manila paper - A thin stand - Ink
- Two walled glass bottle - Plasticine

They were likely to construct

- A. air thermometer B. rain gauge
- C. liquid thermometer D. windsock

25. Maina carried out an experiment to investigate a certain property of soil. He set up his materials as shown below. It is true to say that:



- A. The last drop of water appears from container B
- B. The first drop of water appears from container A
- C. The first drop of water appears from container B
- D. The second drop of water appears from both A and C

26. A woman wearing a headscarf labelled CWA stood in front of a plane mirror. Which one of the following shows the correct image of the word?

- A B
- C D

27. Which one of the following statements is true about a mammalian heart?

- A. Valves prevent the flow of blood
- B. Walls of right ventricles are thinner than of left ventricle
- C. Walls of auricles are the same as for ventricles
- D. Ventricles receive de-oxygenated blood

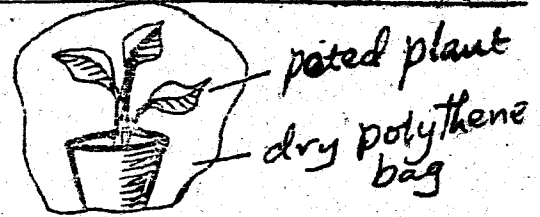
28. Which one of the following groups of people needs a diet rich in carbohydrates?

- A. Building construction workers
- B. Expectant mothers
- C. Infants
- D. Lactating mothers

29. Which of the following two conditions must prevail for a rainbow to be formed?

- A. Sunlight and darkness
- B. Early in the morning and at mid-day
- C. Water and sunlight
- D. Air and a torch

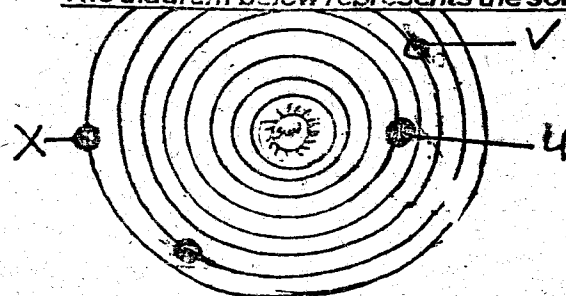
Juma covered a potted plant with a dry clear polythene bag as shown in the diagram below



30. What mistake did he make when setting up the activity?

- A. Putting the set-up in the dark
- B. Using a dry polythene paper
- C. Covering the whole plant and the pot
- D. Using a potted plant

The diagram below represents the solar system



31. Which one of the following planets are U, V, and X respectively?

- A. Mars, Saturn, Neptune
- B. Mars, Saturn, Pluto
- C. Earth, Jupiter, Saturn
- D. Neptune, Saturn, Mars

32. Which one of the following pairs of materials are bad conductors of electricity?

- A. Water and plastic
- B. Graphite and aluminium
- C. Wood and steelwool
- D. Glass and biro pen casing

33. Birds that have a flat, broad, strong and serrated beaks are:

- A. Nectar feeders B. Grain eaters
- C. Filter feeders D. Flesh eaters

34. Which one of the following reasons is not an importance of HIV testing?

- A. To plan the future of one's dependants
- B. To avoid getting the infected with the HIV virus
- C. To campaign against HIV spread
- D. Not to live positively with HIV and AIDS

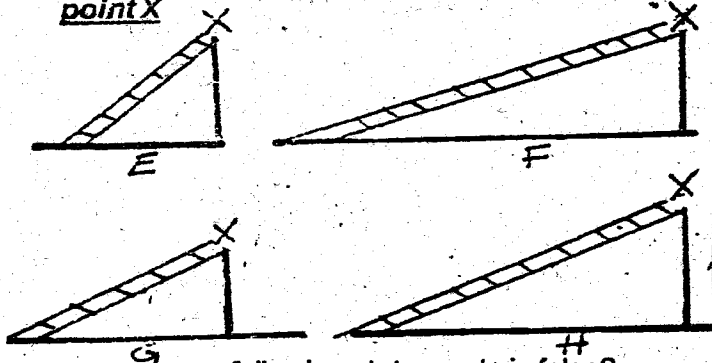
35. Pupils put water into a polythene bag with holes as shown



What were they investigating?

- A. pressure in liquids increases with depth
- B. pressure in liquids is the same at the same level
- C. liquids have a definite shape
- D. holes can throw water out.

The diagram below shows how ladders E, F, G and H can be used to move the same load to point X



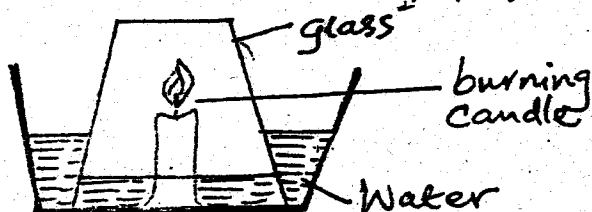
36. Which of the following statements is false?
 A. The amount of work done in each case is the same
 B. The effort distance changes in each case
 C. The effort used in each case is the same
 D. The load distance in each case is the different
37. Four different types of soils J, K, L and M were weighed and then heated directly until there was no change in weight.

The table below shows the results recorded

Type of soil	Weight before heating	weight after heating
J	46g	41g
K	35g	28g
L	64g	60g
M	37g	35g

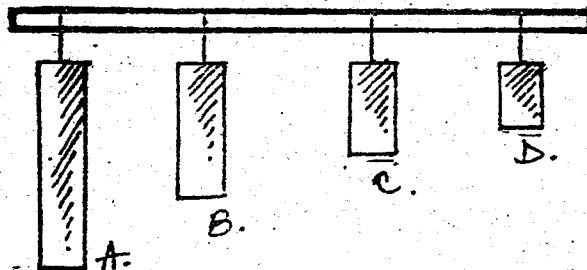
The soil type which had the most living organisms was
 A. J B. K C. L D. M

38. When breathing out, the following activities take place
 (i) Pressure is increased in the chest cavity
 (ii) Diaphragm loops upwards
 (iii) Lungs contract
 (iv) Ribs move inwards
 What is the correct order of the activities from the first to the last?
 A. iii, i, iv, ii B. i, ii, iii, iv
 C. iv, iii, ii, i D. ii, iv, i, iii
39. Which one of the following ways does not help to reduce friction?
 A. Streamlining
 B. Wearing shoes with treads
 C. Use of rulers
 D. Polishing surfaces
40. Which one of the following is not an example of marine mammals?
 A. Shark B. Walrus C. Seal D. Porpoise
41. The diagram below represents a set-up that can be used demonstrate a certain property of air



Which one of the following is not observed?

- A. Water level in the glass rises
 B. Water level in the basin, goes down
 C. The candle goes off gradually
 D. Bubbles of air in the basin
42. Four metal bars of different lengths but of the same thickness and same material are suspended using strings as shown. When struck gently with a metal rod, which bar produces the lowest sound?



43. Which pair of food preservation methods is both modern and traditional?
 A. Salting and pasteurization
 B. Using low temperatures and drying
 C. Using ash and honey
 D. Smoking and canning
44. Which one of the following is not a problem related to teeth?
 A. Bad smell B. Tooth cavity
 C. Bleeding gums D. Dental floss
45. Which one of the following pairs of food substances have no nutritional value?
 A. Water and minerals
 B. Fibre and water
 C. Vitamins and fats
 D. Proteins and carbohydrates
46. The following are signs and symptoms of water borne diseases
 (i) High fever (ii) Weak body
 (iii) Pain in the joints (iv) Diarrhoea
 Which one of the following diseases cannot likely show any of the above signs?
 A. Malaria B. Typhoid C. Cholera D. Bilharzia
47. In which one of the following interdependences do both plants and animals benefit from each other?
 A. Food B. Oxygen
 C. Carbon dioxide D. Medicines
48. Which one of the following is a control measure for HIV and AIDS?
 A. Abstain from sex
 B. Faithfulness among couples
 C. Screening of blood before transfusion
 D. Voluntary counselling and testing
49. Which one of the following is not a way in which water is polluted?
 A. Flooding
 B. Industrial waste
 C. Controlled use of chemicals
 D. Acid rain
50. Which one of the following is not a cause of food poisoning?
 A. Flies B. Chemicals
 C. Bacteria D. Virus

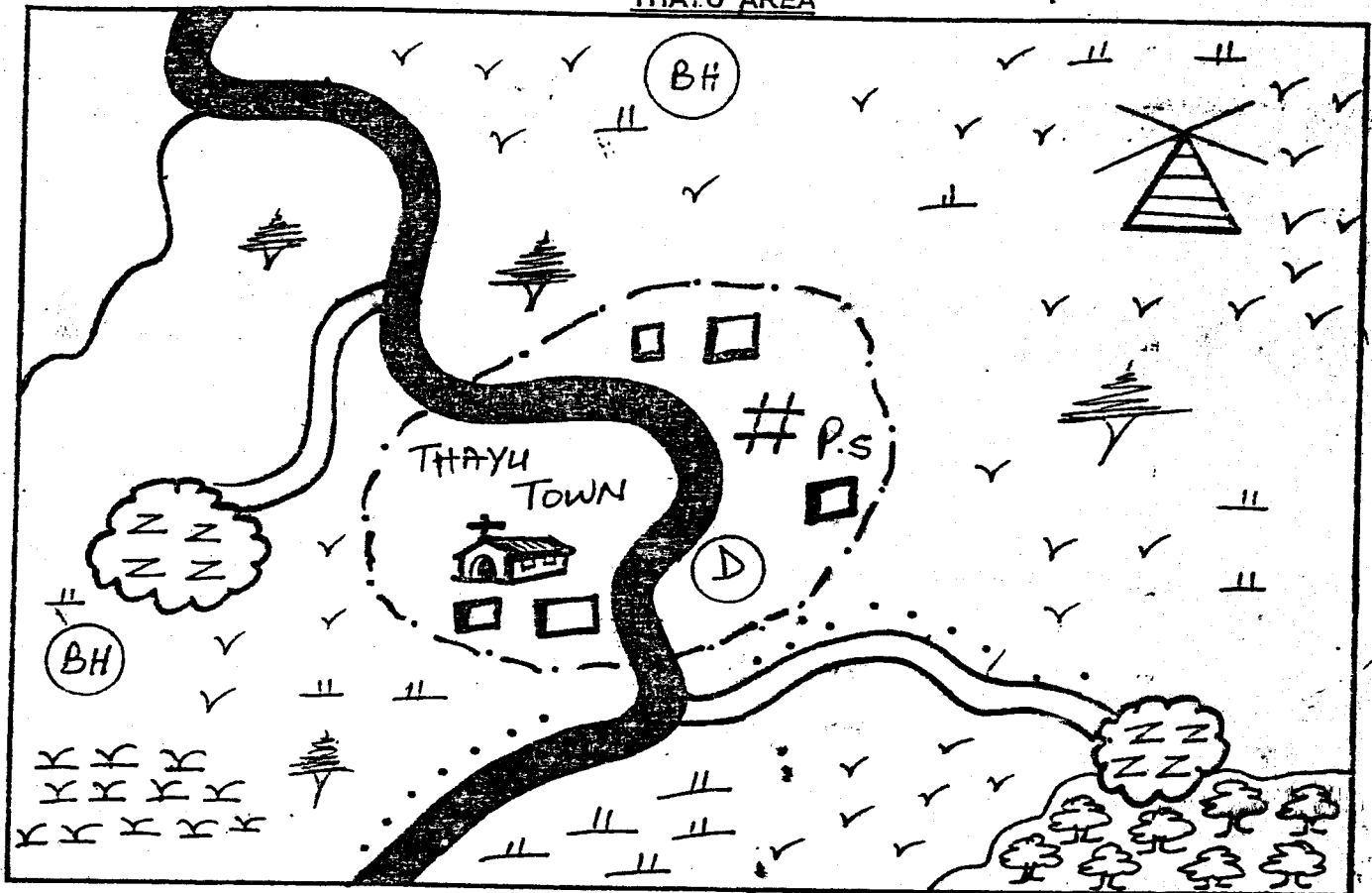
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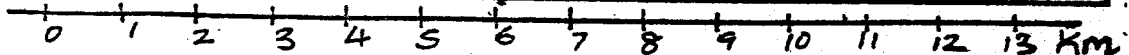
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THAYU AREA



Scale



	Tarmac Road		Scrub		Borehole		Town Boundary
	Murrum Road		Grass		Maize fields		Swamp
	Forest		Wind mill		Police station		Permanent buildings
	Scattered trees		Shrine		Court House		Dispensary
			Houses		Hall		

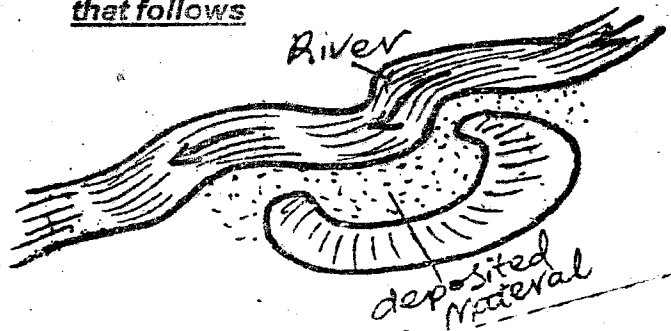
Study the map of Thayu area and answer questions 1-7.

- Which one of the following social amenities is urgently required in Thayu area?
 - Religious institutions
 - Recreational facilities
 - Educational institutions
 - Health facilities
- The distribution of settlements in Thayu area can be described as
 - Clustered
 - Linear
 - Dense
 - Scattered

- Which economic activity can be done best in the area around the windmill?
 - Mining
 - Irrigation
 - Fishing
 - Pastoralism
- The main type of Natural vegetation in Thayu area is
 - Scrub
 - Forest
 - Natural grass
 - Papyrus reeds
- What is the direction of Thayu forest from the swamp?
 - South East
 - South
 - South West
 - East

6. The approximate length of the murrum road shown on the map is
A. 8km B. 4km C. 11km D. 19 km
7. The general climate of Thayu area can be described as
A. Cool and wet B. Hot and dry
C. Hot and wet D. Moderate
8. The following are effects of migration to urban areas except?
A. Increased crime rate
B. Shortage of proper housing
C. Reduced immorality
D. Increased labour supply
9. Which one of the following is a natural factor that influence climate change?
A. Warming due to the green house effect
B. Volcanic Eruption
C. Damage to the ozone layer
D. Increase in carbon dioxide level
10. The time at town P longitude 30° West is 1.40 p.m. What could be the time at town L 10° East?
A. 3.20 a.m B. 12.00noon
C. 9.20 a.m D. 3.20 p.m
11. Three of the following are reasons that made Samori Toure resist the French strongly for a long time. Which one did not?
A. He controlled the Trans- Saharan trade
B. He imported fire arms and horses
C. His soldiers learnt fighting from the French
D. He built a strong well - organized army
12. Which one of the following minerals is used to make alloys such as bronze and brass?
A. Diamonds B. Copper
C. Gold D. Gemstones
13. The following are reasons for the scramble for and partition of Africa
(i) To control the Indian Ocean
(ii) To settle excess population
(iii) To spread European civilization
(iv) Need for raw materials
(v) Sign of power and prestige
(vi) To abolish slave trade
Which one of the following combinations is made up of social reasons?
A. i, iii, vi B. ii, iv, v
C. ii, iii, vi D. i, iv
14. The following are responsibilities of children at home. Which one is not?
A. Help in taking care of family property
B. Provide security to the family
C. Listen to their parents and to obey them
D. Love their parents and other members of the family
15. The meaning of weather is.
A. The average recording of climate of a place
B. The daily temperature recorded in a given place
C. The appearance of atmosphere at given a time of the day
D. The amount of water in the atmosphere
16. Below are some characteristics of soil
(i) Have very small particles
(ii) Deep and well drained
(iii) Crack when it is dry
(iv) Found in river valleys
(v) Do not lose water easily
(vi) Have large stone particles
Which one of the following combinations best for black cotton soil?
A. ii, iii, iv
B. i, iv, v
C. iv, v, vi
D. i, iii, v
17. Which one of the following pre - historic sites in Eastern Africa is found in Tanzania?
A. Peninj
B. Meroe
C. Chesowanjo
D. Afar
18. Which one of the following factors least influences the location of a bakery?
A. Nearness to a large market
B. Good transport systems
C. Availability of capital
D. Availability of labour
19. The following are functions of a selected UN Agency
(i) It fights illiteracy in the world
(ii) It helps to establish schools and training centres
(iii) It publishes books and magazines
The UN Agency whose functions are describe above is
A. United Nations Children Fund (UNICEF)
B. United Nations Environmental Programme (UNEP)
C. United Nations Educational Scientific and cultural organization (UNESCO)
D. United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR)
20. Which one of the following is a least threat facing forests in Kenya?
A. Encroachment of forests by people
B. Use of trees for herbal medicine
C. Lumbering industry
D. Forests being replaced by cash crops plantations

The diagram below shows the structure of a type of lake. Use it to answer the question that follows



21. Which one of the following consists of lakes that were formed as a result of the feature shown above?

- | | |
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| A. Lake Tanganyika
Lake Victoria
Lake Nyos | B. Lake Nasser
Lake Volta
Lake Kariba |
| C. Lake Tana
Lake Turkana
Lake Bogoria | D. Lake Utange
Lake Kanyaboli
Lake Gambi |

22. Which African communities belong to the same language group?

- A. Asante, Kwahu, Mossi, Kanuri
 B. Dagomba, Gurma, Bergu, Hausa
 C. Tuareg, Songhai, Bambara, Fanti
 D. Mande, Malinke, Soninke, Susu

23. The following are effects of soil erosion on human activities except?

- A. Encourages overstocking
 B. Poor crop yields
 C. Silting of dams
 D. Growth of poor pastures

24. The philosophy of Africa socialism is important in the following ways except?

- A. Encourage political democracy
 B. Emphasizes equality of all people
 C. Urges people to develop mutual social responsibility
 D. Urges people to work for less hours

25. The following are roles performed by pupils in school management except

- A. Observing rules and good order
 B. Taking care of school facilities
 C. Ensuring the teachers are doing their work effectively
 D. Respecting the teachers, prefects and any other workers

26. The following are statements about a type of democracy

- (i) Citizens elect representatives
 (ii) Decisions are not made by citizens directly
 (iii) Decisions are made in parliament

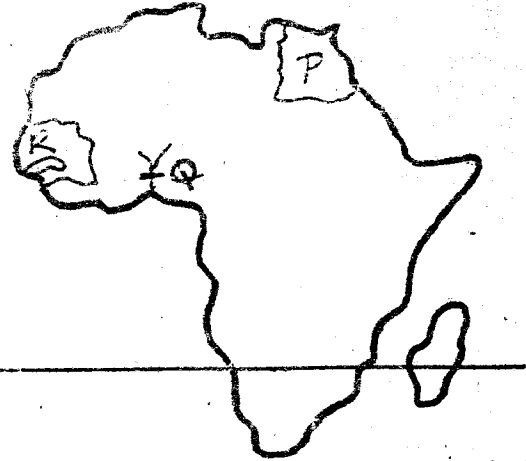
The type of democracy described above is

- A. Delegative democracy
 B. Participatory democracy
 C. Nominational democracy
 D. Indirect democracy

27. Which of the following statements best describe evolution theory?

- A. Story explaining the origin
 B. Every creature originated from one point
 C. Human being develop through stages
 D. God created all mankind

Use the map of Africa below to answer questions 28 to 31



28. Three of the following are tourist attractions found in the country marked P. Which one is not?

- A. The great sphinx
 B. Abu Simbel temples
 C. Pample mouses botanical garden
 D. The ancient burial ground of Saqqara

29. The dam labelled Q is

- A. Kariba
 B. Akosombo
 C. Aswan
 D. Masinga

30. Which one of the following statements is not true about the struggle for independence in the country marked R?

- A. It was ruled indirectly by the French
 B. It had four communes
 C. It was led to Independence by Senghor
 D. It was the centre of French West Africa

31. Highest temperatures around the tropic marked S are experienced in

- A. September
 B. March
 C. June
 D. December

32. Three of the following statements about the purse-seining fishing method are true. Which one is not?

- A. It is used to catch large fish and whales
 B. It is attached to a large ship by a rope
 C. It has several baited hooks
 D. It has floats at the top and weights at the bottom

33. Which one of the following properly describes the political organization of the Khoikhoi?

- A. The chief headed each hunting band
 B. The chief's court was made up of clan heads
 C. Elders performed important religious ceremonies
 D. Clan elders settled major disputes

34. Three of the following statements are true about banana growing in Eastern African. Which one is not?

- A. Bananas are the staple food in Uganda
 B. Kenya exports most of her bananas
 C. Bananas require high temperatures
 D. The area around lake Victoria produces most of the bananas

35. Which one of the following development is taking place in pastoral areas?
- Encouraging cross - breeding
 - Introduction of traditional animals
 - Zero-grazing the animals
 - Encouraging overstocking
36. Three of the following towns started as agricultural collection centres. Which one did not?
- Nakuru
 - Eldoret
 - Thika
 - Nairobi

37. Which one of the following combination is made up of areas that practise dairy farming in Kenya?

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| A. Kiambu
Kitui
Nakuru | B. Murang'a
Turkana
Baringo |
| C. Uasin Gishu
Nyeri
Nyandarua | D. Isiolo
Kericho
Trans - Nzoia |

38. Three of the following are forms of child abuse. Which one is not?

- Heavy manual punishment
- Excessive caning
- Encouraging them to do work
- Overworking the child

39. Below are effects of HIV and AIDS on population grow except?

- It reduces the fertility rate
- It leads to increased birth rate
- Life expectancy is lowered
- Lowers population density

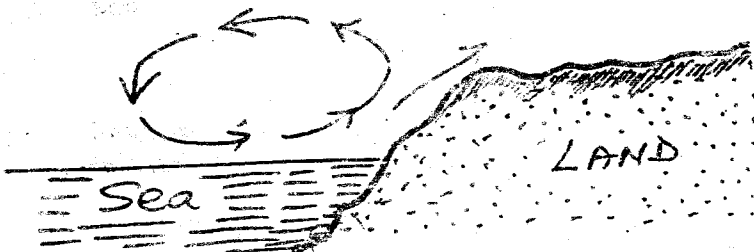
40. Which one of the following features was formed as a result of erosional activities?

- Atlas
- Ethiopian Highlands
- Ras Dashan
- Homboli

41. John found one of his classmate stealing fruits from another pupils bag. The best action for John to take was?

- Share the fruits and keep quiet
- Report the matter immediately to the teacher
- Let him take them and keep quiet
- Advice him on where to keep them and they share later

Use the diagram below to answer the question 42



42. Three of the following areas are likely to experience the above illustration except?

- Musoma
- Luanda
- Gaboron
- Beira

43. Below are statements about the migration of a community into Kenya during pre-colonial period

- Migrated from Southern Sudan
- Travelled along the Nile Southwards
- Are related to the Jopadhola of Uganda

The community whose migration pattern is described above is _____

- Abakua
- Nandi
- Luo
- Abagusii

44. Three of the following are members of the county Assembly. Who is not?

- Ward representatives
- County chief executive
- Nominated members
- County assembly speaker

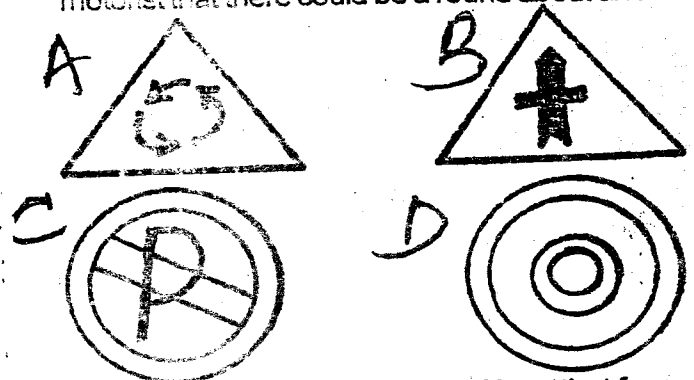
45. The following are effects of lawlessness except

- Increased development in all areas
- People live in fear
- Destruction of properties and loss of lives
- Loss of revenue from tourism

46. It is important for citizens to participate in paying taxes in order to

- Help in reducing bribery
- Enrich some tribes and some regions
- Enable politicians in campaigning during elections
- Enable the government to carry out its responsibilities

47. Which one of the following road signs shows a motorist that there could be a round about ahead?



48. Three of the following are conditions that favour the growth of cotton. Which one does not

- Moderate rainfall during the growing period
- Soil which retain some amount of water
- Cool temperatures during harvesting
- High altitude during the planting season

49. Which one of the following was not taught through apprenticeship in traditional African societies?

- Iron - Smelting
- Wood carving
- Traditional healing
- Fetching firewood

50. The following are reasons that lead to emigration of some Kenyans people except _____

- Slave trader
- Early migration
- Desire to live more comfortable lives
- Dual citizenship

51. Which of the following is true about the interaction of Bantu and Cushites during the pre - colonial period?
- Bantu learnt circumcision from the Cushites
 - They organized common initiation and naming ceremonies
 - Cushites learnt fishing from Bantu
 - Bantu learnt the art of arable farming from the Cushites
52. The rotation of the earth causes
- The four seasons
 - Differences in length of day and night
 - Differences in time along different longitudes
 - The position of the midday sun
53. The arm of the government which settles dispute is the
- Executive
 - Legislature
 - Kenya Defence force
 - Judiciary
54. Three of the following are contributions of Nelson Mandela. Which one is not?
- He drafted the freedom charter
 - He was a founder member of African National congress
 - He lead the Defiance campaign of 1952
 - He was the first black president of South Africa
55. The main economic benefit of lake Bogoria is
- Attracting tourists
 - Being a source of fish
 - Providing water for irrigation
 - Being a source of minerals
56. Which one of the following roles was played by the mau mau in the struggle for independence
- They attended the Lancaster house conference
 - Elud Mathu was appointed into the Legco
 - Kipande system was changed to indentify cards
 - Formation of Kenya African Study Union
57. Which one of the following is a benefit of regional trade bodies?
- Limited range of trade goods
 - Improved commercial activities
 - Low purchasing power
 - High taxation on import
58. Which one of the following is a requirement of a member of the county assembly?
- Must have attained a university degree
 - Must be nominated by a political party
 - Must be 21 years and above
 - Must be in the voters register
59. Who among the following was elected as the secretary general of Kenya African Democratic Union (KADU)?
- Martin Shikuku
 - Ronald Ngala
 - Masinde Muliro
 - Daniel Arap Moi
60. The following are functions of a government body
- Advise the president
 - Formulate government policies
 - Manage government departments

The body of the government described above is

- Judiciary
- Executive
- Cabinet
- Legislature

Section II

Christian Religious Education

61. Which one of the following shows that human beings were special creation of God?
- God breathed into the man's nostrils
 - Man was created last
 - He was placed in the garden of Eden
 - He created a woman for man's company
62. God changed Abraham's name from **Abrahm** to Abraham because he
- was the father of faith
 - was old enough to change his name
 - had not been blessed with a son
 - wanted to make him the father of a great nation
63. On the night of Passover, **Israelites were** ordered to slaughter a lamb and smear its blood on their doorpost. What was the purpose of the blood?
- Purification
 - Identification
 - Libation
 - Offering
64. Who among the following people in the Bible stopped the water of the river Jordan from flowing and God's, people crossed?
- Mose
 - Caleb
 - Joshua
 - Hur
65. From the 1st to 4th commandments, the emphasis is more on
- Our duty to man
 - Our duty to God
 - Love to our neighbours
 - Love to God
66. Who among the following judges of Israel was a son of a prostitute?
- Ehud
 - Tola
 - Elon
 - Japhthah
67. A lesson that Christians learn from the incident when King Saul performed the duty of a priest is that they should be
- Obedient
 - Patient
 - Repentant
 - Tolerant
68. Who among the following kings of Israel was visited by queen of Sheba during his reign?
- Ahab
 - David
 - Solomon
 - Rehoboam
69. Which prophet prophesied about the birth of John the Baptist?
- Micah
 - Isaiah
 - Joel
 - Jeremiah
70. "I predicted the fall and destruction of the city of Jerusalem and the temple. I was also put in a well, then in prison because of telling God's people the truth. Who am I?"
- Ezekiel
 - Amos
 - Elijah
 - Jeremiah

71. Jesus Christ was born in a manger because
 A. The parents had no money to pay the hotelier
 B. All the Inns and the hotels were full
 C. They ordered to be given the manger
 D. Hotels were not safe for delivery
72. Who among the following men witnessed the dedication of baby Jesus in the temple?
 A. Simeon B. Peter
 C. John D. Andrew
73. "A prophet is never welcomed in his home town" When did Jesus utter these words?
 A. When He was entering Jerusalem
 B. When He was tempted by the devil
 C. After He was rejected in Nazareth
 D. After He got lost in the temple
74. The first group of four men to be called by Jesus were all
 A. Doctors B. Physicians
 C. Herders D. Fishermen
75. Which of the following statements is a teaching of Jesus from the sermon on the mount?
 A. Love God with all your heart
 B. Happy are the pure in heart
 C. Let the children come to me
 D. You must be born again
76. Jesus taught about persistence in prayers in the parable of:
 A. Mustard seed B. Hidden treasure
 C. Good samaritan D. Friend at midnight
77. Which one of the following events took place during the arrest of Jesus?
 A. The rooster crowed
 B. The curtain of the temple tore into two
 C. Peter attacked a soldier
 D. Moses and Elijah appeared
78. Christians in the early church remembered the death and resurrection of Jesus by
 A. Singing and praying
 B. Baptising one another
 C. Sharing the Eucharist
 D. Reciting the Bible
79. Paul was chosen by God to preach the gospel mainly to the
 A. Gentiles B. Jews
 C. Egyptians D. Ethiopian Eunuch
80. Which one of the following miracles was performed by both Peter and Paul?
 A. Healing a lame man at the beautiful gate
 B. Raising dead people
 C. Walking on water
 D. Feeding the hungry
81. Which of the following concept of God is found in both the Apostle's creed and traditional African communities? God is
 A. Three in one B. In heaven
 C. Everywhere D. The creator
82. In traditional African communities, sacrifices are made in order to:
 A. Prove one's ability
 B. Show one's bravery
 C. Appreciate God's blessings
 D. Have a party
83. In traditional African communities, initiation is carried out mainly because
 A. It prepares the initiates for marriage
 B. It tests the initiates courage
 C. It helps the initiates grow healthy
 D. Parents are able to celebrate
84. In both Christianity and traditional African communities children are given duties to perform mainly to
 A. earn their living
 B. develop their skills and talents
 C. train them for child labour
 D. stop them from playing
85. Your deskmate has lost your new revision text book. He has promised to replace it after a month. Which Christian value should you apply?
 A. Patience B. Kindness
 C. Humility D. Honesty
86. Mary a girl in your class shares with you that she feels sexually attracted to one of the boys in the school. As a Christian what advice can you give her?
 A. Inform the boy of her feeling
 B. Visit the boy's home
 C. Practise self control
 D. Tell her class teacher about it
87. Your CRE teacher taught you a lesson on service to the nation. How can you best practise this?
 A. Paying taxes
 B. Attending political rallies
 C. Participating in elections
 D. Taking care of the environment
88. The best means to make people know the facts about AIDS is to:
 A. Preach to them
 B. Create awareness
 C. Teach them the ten commandments
 D. Ask everybody to abstain
89. Tom, a boy in your class spends most of the study time reading the Bible and praying in order to pass the KCPE exam. Which Bible teaching can you remind him?
 A. Seek and you will find
 B. The fear of the lord is the beginning of wisdom
 C. Faith without actions is dead
 D. Prayers can move mountains
90. Formal education in Kenya was introduced by the
 A. Early missionaries
 B. Colonial government
 C. Arabs
 D. Traditional chiefs and elders