KIRINYAGA COUNTY PRE-MOCK EXAMS STANDARD 8 - YEAR 2015 MATHEMATICS

TIME :2HOURS

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

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

HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET

- 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

- 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 no 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:

- 24. Find the circumference of a circle whose radius is 56cm
 - A. 176m
 - B. 9856m
 - C. 352m
 - D. 112m

The correct answer is C. (352)yrs

On The answer sheet:

[A] [B] [C] [D] [1] [A] [B] [C][D] [2] [A] [B] [C] [D] [1] [A] [B] [C] [D]

In the First set, the box with the letter B 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.

Which one of the following numbers is four million, four hundred and four thousand and four hundredth?

A. 40,404,000.04 C4,404,000.04

B.4444000.04. D. 4,404,004

What is the value of 1+2+3+4(1+2+3+4)

B. 73 C.46 D. 100-By how many times is the value of digit 7 more that

the value of digit 5 in the number 42765831 A.700,000 B.140 C. 5000 D. 705,000

Find half the value of:

$48 \div 0.4 \times 2.5 - 0.8$ 6.6+8

A. 1 B. 14.6

C. 1.03 D.0.1

The ratio of goats to sheep is 6:7 while the ratio of sheep to cattle is 14:17. Find the ratio of goats is to sheep is to cattle.

A. 12:14:17 B. 6:7:17 C, 6:14:17 D.84:89:119

Write 31/,% as a ratio in its simplest form

B. 3:1 A. 3:10

C. 1:30

Jane celebrated her fourth birthday on 29th February 2012. When shall she celebrate her sixth birthday?

A. 2014 B. 2008 C.2016 Find twice the area of the parallelogram below.

A. 20cm² B. 40cm² C. 80cm² D. 60cm² What is 49.996 when rounded off to the nearest

hundredths?

A. 49.00 B. 50.0 C.49.50 D. 50.00

10. What is the product of the L.C.M and the GCD of 16, 18,24

A. 72 C:576 B.288 D. 144

11. The fractions 1/2, 1/2, and 1/2, are to be arranged in ascending order. Which of the following is the correct order?

A. 1/5, 1/0, 3/7, 1/2

B, 1/2, 1/2, 1/2, 1/2

C. 1/2, 2/5, 3/7, 1/9

D. 1/2, 1/2, 1/2, 2/5

12. What is the value of

31/4-15/4+21/6x12/10-5/8?

A.1. B.27/24 C.223/36 D.313/16

13. Construct triangle JKL in which JK =6cm, KL=7cm and JL = 8cm. In it construct a circle touching the three edges of triangle JKL. Find the radius.

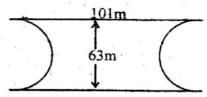
B. 1.7cm C. 2.8cm D. 3.4cm

14. Ndagure spends ', of his income on food, ', on. rent 1/2 of the remainder on clothes and saves the rest. If his income is sh. 48000, how much does he save per month?

A. Sh. 10400 C. Sh. 112000

B. Sh.16800 D. Sh. 15000

15. The diagram below shows Mwenje's plot of land. If Mwenje decided to fence the plot using 3 strands of wire, find the length of wire used in km.



B. 1200km C. 400km D. 0.4km A. 1.2km

16. Express 0.25% as a decimal.

A. 0.0025 B. 0.025 C. 0.25 D. 2.5

17. What is half the value of p in the equation $^{2}/_{s}(3p+6)=2p-15$

A:213/ B. 87/4 C. $10^{7}/_{8}$ 18. Find the area of the shaded part in the figure below.

A. 21 B.42 C. 12 D. 10.5

19. A square has an area of 36/25m2. Find the measurement of one side.

A. 5/2 C. E1/25 B. 1/4 D. 11/.

20. Two school bells ring at intervals of 40 minutes and 60 minutes. The two bells ring together at 10 a.m. When had they rang together last?

A. 9.40 a.m

B. 10.20 a.m

C.12.00 noon

D. 8.00 a.m

21. A rectangular tank with a base of 9m by 3m and height 3m is half full of water. How much water in litres is in the tank?

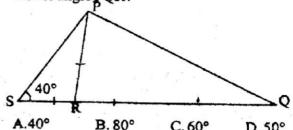
A. 30450 litres

B. 40500 litres

C. 40.51 itres

D. 81 litres

22. In the figure below; line SRQ is a straight line. Line SR = PR = RQ and angle PSR =40°. What is the size of angle PQR?



C. 60° 23. Manga paid sh. 120 for 4 shirts after getting a discount of sh. 10 pers shirt. What percentage discount did he get?

A. 40% B.25%

C. 33¹/.% 'D. 30% 24. If p=3, $q=r \times 2$, and r=p-1, find the value of $\frac{3p^2q-2q^2r+2}{4r^2p}$

A. 7/8

B. 21/2

C. 2

D. 1.5

25. A ladder 25m long leans on a wall. If its foot in 7m away the wall, how high does the ladder touch the wall?

A. 2.4m C. 24m

B. 26m D. 8m

26. Ian a salesman is paid a monthly salary of ksh. 15,000 and a commission on goods above ksh. 30,000. In one month, he earned a total of 24,000 after making sales worth ksh. 120000. What was

his percentage commission? A. 33¹/₃%, B. 6

B. 662/,%

C. 10%

D.15%

- 27. The following properties belong to a certain quadrilaterals,
 - i) Opposite sides are parallel.

ii) All sides are equal.

- iii)The diagonals are not equal.
- iv) Diogonals meet at 90°

These properties belong to a

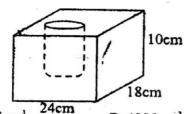
A. square

B. rectangle

C. rhombus

D. parallelogram

28. The figure below shows a solid in which a cylindrical hole of diameter 7cm was drilled. Find the volume of the material that remained.



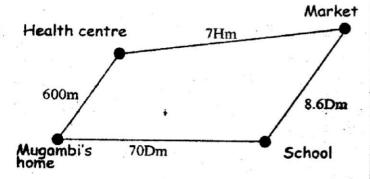
A. 3935cm

B. 4320cm³

C. 385cm3

D. 3060crn3

29. The sketch below shows possible routes to school from Mugambi's home. Calculate the distance from Mugambi's home to the market via health centre in km.



A. 2260km B. 22.6km C. 15.60km D. 0.7km 30. Joy bought 5 trays of eggs @ sh, 200. All in one of the trays broke and she sold the remaining trays @ sh.210. What percentage loss did she make?

A.5%

B. 84%

C. 191/21%

D. 16%

31. Mnyasia had seventy five-one hundred shilling notes. He changed the money into 1000 and 500 shillings notes. How many 500 shillings notes were there if had ksh. 4000 in 1000 shillings notes.

A. 4 C. 11

B. 7 D.5

32. Thirty workers can plough a piece-of land in 18 days. How many more workers are required as plough the land in 12 days?

A.20

B. 45

C.15

D.25

33. What is 42/, in Roman numbers?

A.XLII

B.XXXXII

- C. XXI D. XXII

 A son is X years old now His most
- 34. A son is X years old now. His mother is five times as old as he is. What will be their average age in 15 years time?

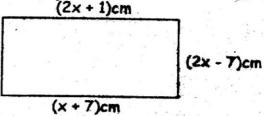
A.3x+10

B. 6

C. 7x + 30

D.3x + 15

35. The figure below represents a rectangular plot of land. Find its perimeter.



A. 36cm B. 65cm C. 18cm D. 6cm

36. Kipkemoi took 12 seconds to run 100 metres. What was his average speed in kilometres per hour?

A. 300km/h C. 30km/h B. ½ km/h D. 8 / km

37. A watch loses 5sec every one hour. If it was set right on Wednesday at 10.30 what time will it show the following Wednesday at 10.30 a.m?

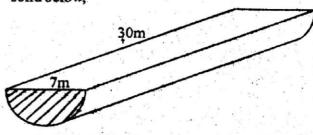
A. 10,44 a.m

B. 10.16 a.m

C. 10.14 p.m

D. 10.14a.m

38. Find the area of the material required to make the solid below.



A. 368.5m²

B. 210m2

C. 4.375m²

D. 62I.5m2

39. What is the second next number in the sequence: 1,8,27,64,____,___

A. 125

C.216

D. 113

40. The average wage of 5 workers is sh. 92. The average wage of 4 of them is shs.95. What is the wage of the fifth worker

A. Sh. 93.50

B. Sh. 90

C. Sh. 93

D. Sh. 80

41. Find the surface area of a cylinder whose diameter is 14cm and has a height of 10cm.

A. 440cm²

B. 748cm²

C. 308cm²

D. 648cm²

42. Kenya power and lightening company fixed electric posts 50m apart. How many poles were used in a distance of 26km?

A. 261

B.521

C. 520

D. 1040

43. What is the sum of the first four prefect squares between 1 and 26?

A. 10

B.30

C.54

D. 20

44. Simplify the inequality 14x-13>5x+8

A.X > 2/.

B. $X < 2^{1}/_{1}$

 $C. X > \frac{12}{2} / \frac{12}{19}$

D. X > 1/6

45. A bus left Nairobi on Friday at 2255h. It took 7hr 45 min to arrive at Kisumu. When did it arrive?

A. 0600hrs on Saturday.

B. 0640hrs on Friday

C. 6,40p.m or Saturday

D. 0640hrs on Friday

46. What is 4%% expressed an increasing ratio

A. 6:125

B. 125:6

C: 24:5

D. 5:24

47. Construct quadrilateral ADCD in which AB=BC=CD=DA=5cm. In it draw a circle that touches the four edges of the quadrilateral. Find its radius?

A. 3.5cm

B.7cm

C. 5cm

D. 2.5cm

48. The table below shows the fares between Nakuru and Kitale town.

Nakuru

200 Londiani

350 90 Timboroa

400

180

140 Eldoret

460

210

100 Kitale

Three pupils Nastale, Weru and Mwikali travelled from Nakuru to Kitale Via Timboroa What did they pay altogether?

A. Sh. 2190

B. Sh. 560

C. Sh.1680

D. Sh. 730

49. What is the place value of digit 3 in the number 84.367?

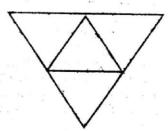
A. Tens

B. Tenths

C.0.3

D. 3

50. What solid is formed by the net below?

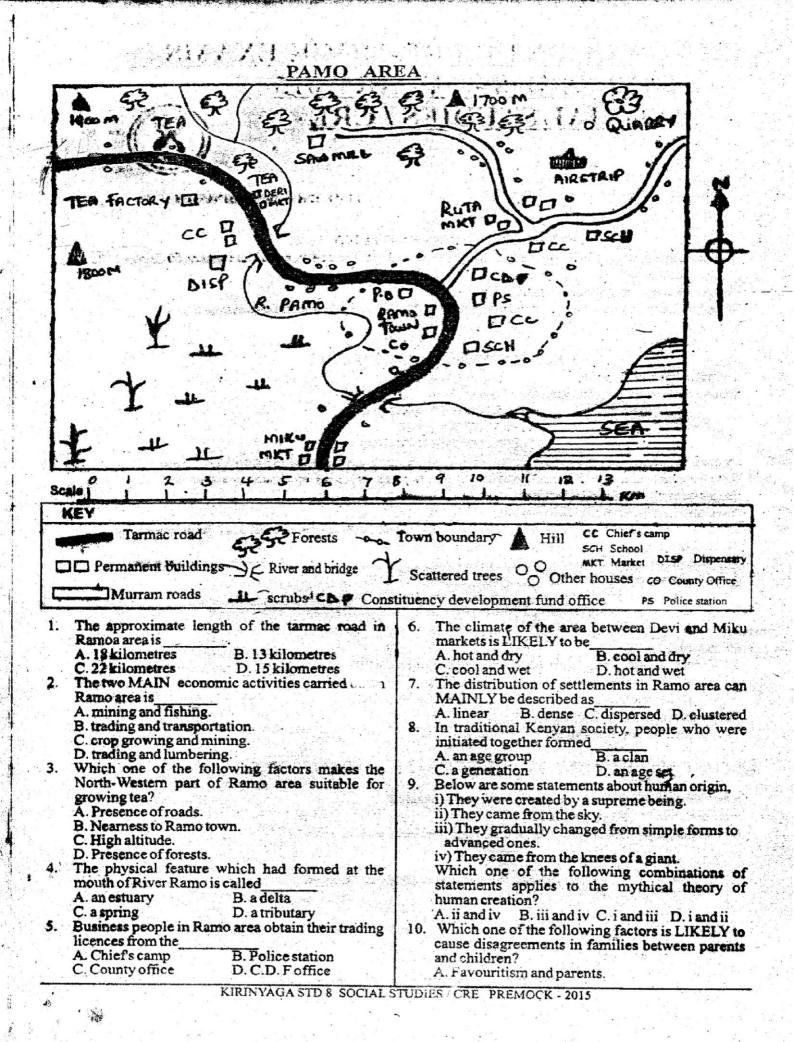


A. Triangular based pyramid.

B. Triangular prism.

C. Wedge

D. Square prism



B. Poor standards of high the control of the contro D. Lack of involvement in family duties. 11. Lake Utange in Tanzama was formed as result of A. downwarping B. river crosson
C. human activity D volcanic activity
12. Three of the following statements are TRUE about shifting cultivation. Which one is NOT?
A. The farmers practise small scale farming
B. The practice was carried out in sparsely. populated areas.*
Weeding was done to improve crop yield. D. The farmers leave the land failow. 13. Three of the following statements are TRUE about education in traditional African societies. Which one is NOT?

A. Learners were given written tests regularly. B. Learners took place throughout a person's life. C. Learners acquired practical skills. D. Learners was guided by experts. 14. Below are statements about a prominent traditional leader in Kenya & W . . . i) Predicted about the future. ii) Administered oaths in traditional shrines, iii) Organized rebellion against the British. iv)Imprisoned by the British in Kisii. The leader referred to as A. Masaku B. Waivaki C. Mekatilih wa Menza * D. Koitalel Arap Samoei 15. Three of the following are effects of Rural - urban migration. Which one is NOT? A. Land fragmentation. B. Growth of slums. . Increase in crime. D. Unemployment. 16. Devolution can be described as A. introduction of a new constituency

B. sharing of power between national government and county government. C. establishment and growth of towns D. creation of new constituencies. 17. The reason why children should be taught their A prepare them for the adult B. make them aware of common abuses . C. enable their academic courage. D. improve their academic performances .18. The MAIN tourist attraction along the Coast of Eastern Africa is A. variety of wildlife. B. sandy beaches. C. pre-historic sites. D. mangrove forests.

19. The reason why collective responsibility is important in a society is that it.

A. helps to improve the welfare of the people.

B. leads to fair distribution of resources. C. helps to preserve the culture of the people. D. promote equality among the people

20. In Kenya windlife conservation is encouraged. MAINLY to

A. create job opportunities. B. protect the rare plants and animals
C. enable people to study plants and animals.
D. preserve the beauty of the country.

21. Three of the following statements are true about free range method of chicken rearing. Which one is NOT? A. It is cheap to carry out 👑

B. The yield is always low. C. It requires little space. SAGOLA MADES D. It is mainly for subsistence. In Kenya a national population census is carried out every tens years MAINLY to A. find out the number of people who have died, B. find out the number of children who have been C. know the number of people living in different parts of the country. D. get information required for planning for the people's needs. 23. The safest place for pedestrians to cross the road A. al a foundabout B. where there is a road junction C. at a footbridge D. where there are bumps 24. In Kenya, the rights of an individual are guaranteed by the A. President B. Constitution C. National Assembly D. Judiciary 25. The diagram below represents a type of a physical feature in the desert. Leeward slope Prevailing wind Wind ward slope The physical feature shown is A. sand dune B. burchan C. sand spit D. sand bar 26. In traditional African societies the coming of rains was signified by the following EXCEPT A. appearance of trails of ants. B. appearance of the rainbow. C. behaviour of cattle. D. croaking of frogs. 27. Different parts of the Earth experience different lengths of days and nights as a result of A. the movement of the sun from East to West. B. the movement of the moon around the Earth. C. the revolution of the Earth around the Sun. D. the rotation of the Earth around the sun. 28. In Old Ghana, the king was succeeded by A. his eldest son B. the queen mother C. his sister's son D. his youngest brother 29. Two children had a dispute over the sharing of their parent's estate. They discussed the matter between themselves and reached an agreement. The method used by the children to resolve the dispute is known. A. mediation B. arbitration C. negotiation D. litigation Which one of the following is a basic human right?
 A. Friends B. Shelter C. Farne D. Employment 31. Which one of the following is the reason why police officers on patrol rescue a suspected thief from mob justice.

A. to get evidence of the crime from the suspect

The MOST recent court to be established in the

B. to take the suspect to prison. C. to help the suspect to escape.

D. to punish the suspect.

judicial system in Kenya is A. Supreme Court B. Court Martial D. High Court C. Court of Appeal 33. Which one of the following marriage systems practiced in Kenya during pre-colonial days? B. Customary marriage A. Civil marriage D. Group marriage C. Religious marriage 34. The TRUE statement about the construction of TAZARA Railway is that it A. joins countries of Eastern Africa. B. transport exports and imports of Zambia. C. transport copper from Uganda to Zambia for smelting. D. is used to link all countries of COMES A 35. Which one of the following traditional methods of predicting weather is also used in a modern weather station? A. Observing the behaviour of birds. Observing the phases of the moon. C. Observing the clouds. D. Observing the rainbow, . 36. Farmers are usually encouraged to plant cover crops in order to A. avoid soil removal. B. control pests and diseases. C. act as windbreaks D. provide fodder for animals. 37. The official language of Ethiopia is

A. French B. Trigrinya C. Amharic D. English 38. The graph represents the climate of a town in Africa. .S 100 75 50 25 A. There is high rainfall when temperatures are low B. The town has one dry season.

Which one of the following statements CORRECTLY describes the climate of the town?

C. Temperatures are high throughout the year.

D. The town has two wet season.

The following characteristics describes one type of magriage in Kenya.
i) Given 21 days ban.

ii) Issued with a certificate iii) Officiate by a magistrate.

iv) Does not allow polygamy.

The marriage system described above refers to B. customary merriage A. religious marriage D. civil marriage C. elopement

The type of rainfall that is found near a large water body is known as

B. a sea breeze rainfall A. relief rainfall C. convectional rainfall D. a land breeze

What do we call the isolated hills found in the plateaus?

A. Block mountains

B. Volcanic mountains

C. Escarpments

D. Inserbergs

Which one of the following is NOT a benefit of trade?

A. It is a source of employment.

B. It promotes development of urban centres

C. It promotes smuggling.

D. It increases the government's revenue

43. Banking, Insurance, Hotel and Catering fall under a category of industry known as B. service A. processing

D. assembling C. manufacture

44. The shield and spears appearing on the National flag of Kenya symbolizes? A. The colour of black people.

B. Our readiness to defend independence

C. Bitter struggle for our independence. D. Peace and unity of all tribes in Kenya.

Among the listed factors below, which one DOES NOT influence climate change?

A. Industrialization. B. Construction of dams.

C. Afforestation. D. Construction of schools.

Which one of the following is NOT a positive effect of settlers farming?

A. Setting up of industries. B. Introduction of new crops. C. Introduction of exotic bread. D. Exploitation of Africans.

The following are characteristics of types of soils Which one BEST fits them?

i. Has line particles. ii. Easily gets water logged.

iii. Cracks when dry

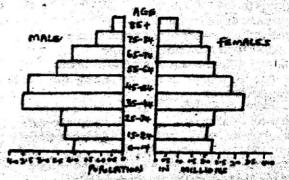
A. Alluvial soil

B. Clay soil D. Volcanic soil C. Loam soil

48. The Buganda parliament is known as A. Miruka B. Gombolola

C. Lukiko D. Vitongole

The age -sex pyramid represents the population of a certain country. Use it to answer questions 49-50



Which one of the following statements is TRUE about the population according to the pyramid?

A. There are more female than male children at the 0-14 years.

B. There are more males than females at all age

C. The number of males and females who are over 85 years, are equal.

D. Most of the population is over 55 years.

The country whose population is represented by the above pyramid is LIKELY to be A. Tanzania B. Kenya C. India

51. What is the BEST definition of the term wildlife?

A. Animals living in the game park.

B. Wild animals and plants.

C. Wild animals found in the forests.

- D. Both animals and plants found in their natural
- 52. One of the following factors is MAINLY considered when setting up an industry. Which one?

A. Availability of water.

B. Nearness to market.

C. Availability of labour.

D. Nearness to raw materials.

53. Three of the following leaders were arrested in 1952 when a State of Emergency was declared in Kenya. Who was NOT among them?

A. Bildad Kagia

B. Achieng Oneko

C. Paul Ngei

D. Daniel Moi

54. I was a secretary of the Kikuyu Central Association. I wrote the book "Facing Mount Kenya" I was the first Prime Minister in Kenya. Who am I.?

A. Odinga C. Ronald Ngala

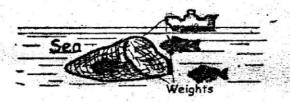
B. Jomo Kenyatta D. Oginga Odinga

55. Who is the chief government legal advisor? A. Chief Justice

C. President

B. Attorney General D. Speaker

56. The diagram represents a method of fishing. The method represented in the diagram is



A. gill net B. Trawling C. drifting D. purse-seining 57. Which one of the following would be the MAIN to consider when deciding where to set up a furniture making industry?

A. Availability of raw materials

B. Availability of market

C. Availability of transport

D. Availability of power

The basic unit of social organization in traditional African Communities was the

B.family C.warriors D. age-groups The road sign shown in the diagram tells the driver to do one of the following which one?



A. stop at once

B. drive carefully

C. proceed with caution D.the road is closed 60. What is the time in Alexandria on longitude 30°E when it is 9.00 a.m at Oran on longitude 0°?

A. 7.00am

B.9.00am

C.11.00am

D.1.00pm

SECTION H C.R.E.

- 61. Which one of the following was NOT a result of the disobodience of Adam and Eve in the garden of
 - A. Woman's trouble during pregnancy was decreased

B. They were to die

C. They were out of the Garden of Eden.

D. Adam had to toil to get food.

62. During the time of Lot, God punished people of Sodom and Gomorrah for their wickedness by "sending

A. floods B. plagues C. sulphur rain fire D, drought

63. The greatest prophet of God who spoke face to-face

A. Isaiah B. Moses C. Jeremiah D. Amos

64. Which one of the following was performed by Moses at Mount Sinai?

A. He fed people with manna.

B. He performed miracles.

C. He built an alter.

D. He semoved water from the stone.

65. A miracle that was performed by both prophet Elijah and Elisha is the

A. bringing of fire from heaven.

B. purification of water. C. raising of the son of the Shunamite woman.

D. multiplication of oil.

66. Which judge used a jaw bone of the donkey to smile a thousand Philistines?

A. Shamgar B. Samson C. Jephtha D. Samuel 67. Prophet Elisha told the Shumite women that all was going to have a son because she

A. had asked for a miracle.

B. was a hardworking woman,

C. was a kind person. D. was a famous person.

68. "I inherited the vineyard from any ancestors"
Naboth replied. "The Lord forbid that I should let you have it? (Kings 21:3) From this incident of King Ahab and Naoboth, Christians learn that they should

A. work as a team.

B. enjoy the fruits of their labour.

C. look after their gardens.

D. be fair in their dealings.

69. King Solomon sinned against God when he

A. he married many wives. B. asked God for wisdom.

C. allowed idolatory.

D. built the temple in Jerusalem.

70. Prophetess Anna, daughter of Phanuel described Jesus as

A. the saviour of the Jews,

B. the one to get Jerusalem free

C. a light to the Gentiles.

D. the lamb of God.

71. "This is my own dear son with whom I am pleased, listen to Him." (Matthew 17:5) These words we spoken by God during

A. bagtism of Jesus

B.birth of Jesus

C.transfiguration C. temptation of Jesus

72. The parable of the lost son teaches Christians to

	A. live injury and a Bracecheomers and a second control of the sec
	C. keep on praying to a TD. use their abilities well
73.	Which one of the following is a teaching of Jesus
aton.	on forgiveness from the Lord's prayer?
-72	A. Forgiveness should be done in secret.
	B. Those who forgive should forget
	C. Forgiveness should be endless
	D. God forgives those who forgive others.
74.	According to the teachings of Jesus, who was a
4.5	good neighbour?
	A. The levite ass.
	B. The good samaritan
	D. The good same than
	C. The Samaritan woman :: :: !q E
	D.The unforgiving servant.
13.	Who among the following people was the first to
	see the risen Christ?
10	A. Mary Magdalene B. Cleopas
	C. Martha D. Peter
76.	What is the main message in the Apostle's creed?
	A. Obedience to God
: Y	
	B.expressing faith and testimony
•	C. love for own fellow Christians
P+	D. The role of the Holy Spirit
77.	
1 :	on the day of Pentecost?
	A. Jesus ascended to heaven
	B. The rock split apart
6. 1	C. Alame man was healed
	C. A lattic least was ficured
	D. People spoke in many languages
78.	The early Christians chose the seven deacons
	because they wanted them to
	A. distribute food among the widows
	B. help Christians sell their properties
. ^	C. witness to the believers in prison
	D. stop the persecution of believers .
70	The books written by Paul in the New Testament
, 3.	
	are also known as
	A. Gospels B. Epistles or letters
	C. Pentateuch D. Acts of Apostles
80.	Which one of the following is a fruit of the Holy
	Spirit?
	A. Presching . B. Joy
, ··	C.Prophecy D.Powers to perform miracles
81.	Jesus triumphant entry into Jerusalem was foretold
	by prophet
	A. Isaiah B. Jeremiah C. Hosea D. Zechariah
82.	In which one of the following did people in
	traditional African society give thanks to God for
	the blessing?
	A. Giving offerings
	B. Visiting others
	C. Sharing land with foreigners
	D Chebinghand
	D. Shaking hands the stollowing explains why
33.	which one of the tollowing explains why
7	traditional myths were from generation to the
	other?
	A. To please the departed spirits.
	B. To keep away evil spirits at a second
	C. To promote their culture.
	D TOTAL CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY
	D. To show the relationship between God and
	human being.
14.	In some traditional African communities peoples
	worshiped in a cave because it
	A is a place to hide

B, its God's dwelling place. C. protects them from danger. D. is a quiet and cool place. 85. A Christian should obey lawful, authority MAINLY because good leaders_ A. defend the rights of people. B. promote the will of God always. C. are servants of people. D, are elected by God. 86. You are seated in a church and through the window you notice a house on fire. As a Christian the BEST action to take will be A. pray for the house to stop burning. B. go and try to put out the fire. C. continue listening to the sermon. D. ask pastor to stop preaching for a while. 87. A pastor advised the youth that they can hinder the transmission of HIV/AIDS through A. circumcision of knife B. pre-marital sex C. abstinence D. watching T. V for short hours 88. The virtue of self control is BEST shown Christians when they A. honour those in authority. B. tolerate those who mistreat them. C. obey rules of the society. D. care for the sick. 89. While playing in the school field with your friends you pick a hundred Kenya shilling note, what would you do? A. Keep the money to use later. B. Take the money to the church. ... C. Give it to a needy pupil. D. Find out who the owner is. 90. Brian, cousin to Nancy has just started working in a factory and is complaining that he is paid little money. How BEST would Nancy help her cousin ovecome this problem? Tell the cousin to A. go on strike for better pay

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Example

In question booklet:

- 4. When breathing in, the A. volume of the chest decreases
- B. lungs shrinks
- C. Diaphragm becomes dome shaped D. diaphragm flattens

The correct answer is D. (Diaphragm flattens)

On The answer sheet:

4, [A] [B] [C] [D]

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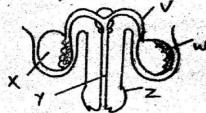
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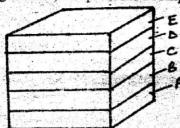
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- 1. Which one of the following shows the correct order of shedding teeth from the last to the first?
 - A. Canines- incisors- premolars.
 - B. Premolars-canines-incisors
 - C. Incisors-premolars-canines
 - D. Incisors- canines- premolars.
- Class four pupils of Karimanu Primary School collected a certain weed which had the following characteristics.
 - i) Has thorns on the stem.
 - ii) Purple and white flowers.
 - iii) Grow on wet and dry areas.
 - Which weed was likely to be that?
 - A. Mexican marigold
- B. Blackjack
- C. Sodom apple
- D. Pigweed
- The diagram below represents the male reproductive system.



Name the parts labelled Z, W, X, Y

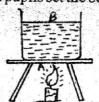
- A. Penis, epididymis, testes, urethra
- B. Penis, testes, epididymis, urethra,
- C. Testis, urethra, spermduct, scrotum
- D. Penis, scrotum, testes, urethra
- The diagram below represents a compost pit



Which layer would be used to introduce bacteria for decomposition?

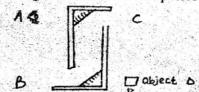
- A.C
- B.E
- C.A
- D.O
- Which one of the following is not a function of the
 - A. Supply food from the mother's blood to the
 - B. Production of hormones.
 - C. Facilitates transfer of waste products from the foetus to the mother.
 - D. Allows exchange of oxygen and blood from the mother to the foetus.
- The following are characteristics of plants growing in different areas.
 - i) They have green stems.
 - ii) They have silvery hairs.
 - iii) Thin cuticle.
 - iv) Waxy and hairy leaf surface.
 - Which pair shows the characteristics of
 - hydrophytes?
 - A. iii, iv B. i, ii
- C. I, iii
- The following are characteristics of a certain veterbrate
 - Varying body temperature.

- ii) Has internal fertilisation,
- iii) Breathe by lungs.
- iv)Body covered with scales.
- Which animal would fit in the above?
- A. Ostrich B. Shark C. Tortoise D. Porpoise
- Which pair of internal parasites attack the lungs?
 - A. Lungworms and tapeworms.
 - B. Lungworms and round worms:
 - C. Liverflukes and hookworms.
 - D. Tapeworms and lungworms.
- Which one of the following feeding adaptations of herbivores is not correct?
 - A. Diastema which is a big toothless gap between incisors and premolars is used for turning vegetable material for proper chewing.
 - B. Molars and premolars are used for grinding, crushing and chewing.
 - C. Horn pad on the lower jaw holds food tightly against the incisors while cutting grass,
 - D. Continuous replacement of molars and premolars replaces the worn out teeth due to constant grinding.
- 10. Kamau and Wambui had equal masses of 5Qkg. They were be ancing on sea saw. Which one of the following explains how they would sit on a see saw?
 - A. Sit on the same side at the same distance from the fulcrum.
 - B. Sit on the opposite sides at a varying distance from the fulcrum.
 - C. The heavier one should move close to the fulcrum while the lighter should move away from the fulcrum.
 - D. Sit on opposite sides at the same distance from the fulcrum.
- 11. Class five pupils set the below experiment.



Heat from point A to B travels by

- A. convection, conduction
- B. conduction, convection
- C. convection, radiation
- D. conduction, radiation
- 12. Class four pupils classified sinkers and floaters. Which group was well classified?
 - A. Sinkers-Cork, glass, ironballs
 - B. Floaters Maize cobs, rubber, charcoal
 - C. Sinkers-Spoon, wood, wire
 - D. Floaters-Maize grains, wood, plastic cap
- 13. The diagram below shows a periscope.



If the object was placed at P. Where would the observer see the image?

- A.B
- B, D
- C.A
- DC

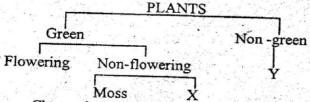
14. Which one of the following is NOT a safety precaution when dealing with electricity?

A. Stay away from broken electric cables.

B. Do not insert objects into electric sockets:

C. Plug electrical appliances when not in use. D. Do not climb poles carrying electric cables.

15. Study the classification of plants in the chart below.



Choose the correct pair-that would represent X and

A. Mould Puffball B. Cypress Yeast C. Fungi Pine D Lichen Mosses

16. Mr. Kamau had bleeding gums. The BEST advice of help you can give him would be?

A. Stop eating sugary substances.

B. Change the toothpaste and brush.

C. Visit dentist thereafter. D. Eat pineapples and kales.

17. Which one of the following soil components can be tested using simple experiment? A. Air

B. Water C. Organic matter D. Inorganic matter

18. Lactating mothers should take a balanced diet that include proteins to

A. get energy to breastfeed the baby.

B. help in recovery and strengthen bones and teeth.

C. for formation of quality milk and repair worn out tissues.

D. replace blood lost during birth.

19. Standard four pupils took fresh garden soil, put it in a glass jar, added water, shook the content and left it to settle. Which layers would represent clay and humus?



20. Which one of the following is a compound fertilizer?

A. Murita of Potash

B. Ammonium Sulphate Nitrate

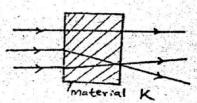
C. Double Superphosphate D. Diammonium Phosphate

21. Which one of the following has definite mass but no definite volume?

A. Chalk powder C. Water

B. Oxygen D. Wood

22. Class six pupils set up an experiment on how light travels. They allowed light to pass through different materials and the results were as shown below.



Which material would be represented by K?

A. Toilet tissue paper.

B. Glass

C. Stones D. Wood 23. Which one would NOT be separated using a magnet?

A. Small sticks and a nail.

B. Razor blades and soil

C. Office pins and iron fillings.

D., Copper and nails.

24. When two plastic lids of equal sizes are placed on water in a basin, then small stones added a lid with more stones sink. Which property affects sinking in this experiment?

A. Shape

B. Type of the material

C. Weight D. Size

25. Which one of the following pairs of animal feeds would provide an animal with fats, oils and vitamins?

A. Lucem, grass B Fishmeal, desmodium C. Oats, concentrates.

D. Rice husks, fruits 26. Draining of stagnant water can prevent the spread

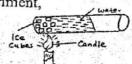
A. Cholera and typhoid B. Cholera and bilharzia C. Typhoid and malaria D. Bilharzia and malaria

27. Which one of the fallowing is NOT an important constituent of commercial animal feeds? A. Water

C. Proteins

B. Vitamins D. Carbohydrates

28. Class five pupils of Bidii Primary school set up the below experiment,



What conclusion did they make?

A. Water is a good conductor of heat.

B. When ice is heated it melts

C. Water is a poor conductor of heat.

D. Conduction in solids

29. The following are characteristics of insect pollinated and wind pollinated flowers i)Large anthers loosely attached to the filament. ii) Stigma found inside the flower.

iii)Hairy stigmas

iv) Light pollen grains

v) Small anthers that are firmly attached to filament.

Which characteristics are for wind pollinated flowers?

A. v, iii, ii B. i, iii, iv C. iv, v, i D. 11, v, 1 Mr. Kamau experienced the following signs and symptoms.

i) Swelling of lymph glands.

ii) Skin wounds and ulcers on the penis and rectum.

iii) Painful regular sore.

Which sexually transmitted infection was he suffering from? A. Gonorrhoea

B. Syphilis

C. Chancroid

D. HIV/AIDs

31. Which one of the following pests eat grains after planting and when mature?

A. Weevils

B. Aphids D. Cutworms

C. Termites

32. Which one of the following does NOT determine the pitch of a sound? A. Tension of the string. B. Length of the string.

C. Thickness of a wire.

D. Speed of plucking.

33. Study the chart below.

Name	No. of body parts 3 2	No. of legs
Weevils		L
K	2	8
Wasp	M	6

L, K and M would represent?

A. L=6, K=Tick, M=3

B. L=3, K=Spider, M=2

C. L=8.K=Beetle, M=3

D. L=4, K=Mosquito, M=2,

34. Which one of the following is NOT a filter feeder? A. Duck B. Flamingo C. Kingfisher D. Pelican

35. Which one of the following will NOT pollute B. Herbicides soil? A. Oil spillage D. Metal scrapes

C. Aerosol sprays 36. Which one of the following is NOT a sign of ill health in livestock?

A. Reduced yields. C. Loss of weight.

B. Stunted growth. D. Wet muzzle.

37. Another name for the seed leave is

A. seed B. plumule C. cotyledon D. radicle

38. Jane mixed water, spirit, kerosene and cooking oil. How many layers were formed?

B. 2

39. Three of the following are safety measures against lighting except:-

A. to avoid walking in open fields when it is

raining.

B. fitting lightning arresters to tall buildings

C. swimming only when it is raining.

D. avoid sheltering under the trees during rains.

40. Which one of the following need not be the same when comparing water capillarity in the social?

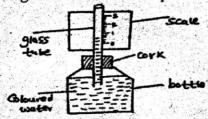
A. Size of cotton wool.

B. Amount of soil.

C. Water level in the tubes.

D. Diameter of the tubes.

41. The diagram below shows a liquid thermometer.



Which one is NOT true about the instrument?

A. The scale reads from top to bottom.

B. The liquid is coloured for visibility.

C. The narrow tuber increases its efficiency"

D. Should be placed where there is free movement

42. Wambui saw a child who had the following signs and symptoms.

i) Swollen knee joints.

ii) Soft or brittle bones,

iii) Teeth appeared much later than normal. What would the parent do to help the child?

A. Expose the child to sunlight.

B. Give plenty of proteins in the diet.

C. Include foods rich in iron in her diet.

D. Give enough food.

43. Which of the following pairs of parasites attack both poultry and rabbits?

A. Mites and lice

B. Mites and fleas

C. Lice and ticks

D. Ticks and mites

44. Which one of the following adaptations for movement is WRONGLY matched?

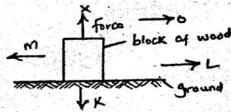
Adaptation Type of movement

A. Hopping and leaping Have strong hind legs. B. Swimming Have light bodies.

C. Flying Have streamlined body.

D. Wading Have webbed feet. 45. The diagram below represents a block of wood

pushed along the ground towards X



Which arrow represents the direction of friction? B.M C.K

46. Standard five pupils took the following meals for their lunch. Who did not eat a balanced diet? A. Amina - Chapati, green grams, stew, cabbage

B. Oloo - Rice, meat, stew, spinach C. Kamau - Ugali, termites, kales

D. Alice - Milk, bread, sausage

47. Which type of root Y is shown below found in a maize plant?



A. Fibrous

B. Tap

C.Prop

D. Breathing

48. Which one of the following foods can be preserved by use of honey?

A. Milk ad cereals

B. Meat and fruits.

C. Fish and grains

D. Vegetables and cereals

49. Which of the following is the correct order of the development of a baby from the last to the first

A. Zygote → embryo → foetus → baby

B. Embryo → zygote → foetus → baby C. Zygote → embryo → baby → foetus

D. Baby → foetus → embryo → zygote

50. Which one of the following is not a characteristic of sandy soil?

A. Has low capillarity.

B. Has large air spaces.

C. Cracks when dry.

D. Cannot be rolled to make ribbons.

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Example

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24. Dominic is a friend of mine

A. ally

B. enemy

C. classmate

D. relative

The correct answer is A. (Ally)

On The answer sheet:

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3.	A.control	B. avoid		C. prevent	D. rel	leive
4.	A. raise	B. arise		C. rise	D. rai	sing
.5.	A. Those	B. Little		C. This	D.M	uch
16.	A. with	B. by		C. for	D. on	
7.	A. direct	B. loud		C. ascending	D. rev	verse
8.	A. up to	B. onto		C. upto	D. thi	rough
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14.	A. wounds	B. damage		C. destruction	D. inj	uries
15.	A. victim	B. cause		C. suspect	D. cu	
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Hurry! I did it! Thanks to God Almighty, "exclaimed Eahati. Bahati was a village girl who was very passionate about her school work. She hoped to pursue engineering one day. She was determined to excel in life. The unexpected good news of the results for the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education had been announced the day before by Professor Kaimenyi the minister of Education. That day, she heard her name being mentioned over the local radio station. She was the top girl in her county having scored 429 marks. Tears of joy welled up in her eyes as she dashed back home to give her family the good news, Bahati found her mother unaware and when she broke the news to her, she almost fainted with shock.

They hugged and rejoiced together. The rest of the family joined the celebration. Little did they know that

er father had been called to meet the media crew who were on the way to her small village to feature her story. The rrival of her father with the media crew was yet another surprise. She was given a few minutes to fidy up since she ad just been from the shamba when she heard the announcement on radio. Bahati though camera shy, braced erself for the interview. She narrated how hard and smart she had worked. She also advised that everyone desiring bexcel like her must be highly disciplined, self driven and have self sacrifice. The media interviewer told her that her secondary education would be sponsored by the local media. She couldn't hold back her tears as she thanked them for their kind gesture, and promised to deliver

6.	From the paragraph one, Bahati said, "Hurry! I did it! This implies that
-	
	A. Bahati was quite shocked.
	B. She was a little amazed.
	C. She was extremely elated.
_	D. Bahati was fairly surprised.
1.	Which one of the following is TRUE according to
	the first paragraph?
- 12	A. Bahati was not a diligent student.
	B. Bahati was the top girl in the country.
	C. Bahati learnt of her success through her father
_	D. Bahati success was not by pure chance.
8.	How did Bahati get to know of her results?
	A. Through regional local radio station.
	B. From her mother and relatives.
	C.Through the local radio station.
	D. Through the local newspaper.
9.	Tears welled up in her eyes' means that Bahati
	was
•	A. alarmed
	B. distraught
-	C. thrilled
	D. in agony.
0.	Who had gone to receive the media crew?
	A. Bahati went to receive them.
	B. Her father and mother went to receive them.
	C. The interviewer went of receive them
	D. Her father went to receive them.
1.	The word passionate has been underlined in the
	passage, it means that
	A. Bahati hated school.
	B. Bahati boasted a lot in the village.
-	C. Bahati was very lazy and shy
	D. Bahati was committed to her work.
2.	"She almost fainted' means that
	A she hardly faints

- C. she nearly fainted
- D. she has ever fainted.
- 33. How long did Bahati need to tidy up?
 - A. Few hours
 - B. A little time.
 - C. Fortnight.
 - D. A few minutes.
- 34. What career had Bahati aspired?
 - A. She hoped to take medicine.
 - B. She hoped to take carpentry.
 - C. She hoped to take engineering.
 - D. She hoped to take law.
- Bahati's advice to anyone aspiring to excel are all the following except
 - A. they should have high discipline.
 - B. they should have high self-drive.
 - C. they should have high selfishness.
 - D. they should have high self sacrifice.
- 36. Which statement is TRUE according to the passage?
 - A. She needed not struggle for her secondary fees.
 - B. She gave irrelevant advice interview.
 - C. She was shown on television and radio..
 - D. She gave up her secondary dream.
- Promising to deliver according to the passage means
 - A. Bahati will give birth to a baby.
 - B. Bahati will do her very bestat secondary school.
 - C. Bahati will take a letter to her school.
 - D. Bahati will become the proud girl of the village.
- 38. Which one of the following proverbs best describe Bahati's success?
 - A. A friend in need is a friend indeed.
 - B. Early to bed, early to rise.
 - C. If wishes were horses beggars would ride.
 - D. Hardwork never goes unrewarded

Read the passage below and answer question 39-50

B. she always fainted

The ancient Olympic Games were religious and were held together with athletic festivals every four years in lympic Greece. Competition was among representatives of several city states and kingdoms of ancient Greece. hese games featured mainly athletics but also combat sports such as wrestling, horse and chariot racing. During

the Olympic Games all conflicts among participating City- State:: were postponed until the games were finished. This cessation of hostilities was known as the Olympic Peace or truce.

This truce allowed religions pilgrims who were travelling to Olympic to pass through warring territories unharmed. It is believed that the first Olympic Games were held in 776BC. The first Olympic Champion was

Corobus, A cook from the city of Elis.

The Olympic were of great religious importance, featuring sporting events alongside ritual sacrifices honouring Zeus, the Greek god. The winners of the events, were admired and immortalised in poems and statutes. The games were held every four years, and this period, known as an Olympiad, was used by Greeks as one way of measuring time. The Olympic Games reached their peak in the 6th and 5th Century but then gradually declined in importance as Romans gained power and influence in Greece.

The first Olympic Games organised by the International Olympics Committee(IOC) was hosted in Athens in 1896 A.D. The games brought together fourteen countries and two hundred and forty one athletes who competed in forty three events. Greek officials and the public were enthusiastic about the experience of hosting the Olympic Games. This feeling was shared by many of the athletes, who demanded that Athens be the permanent Olympic host city. However, IOC decided that the Games should be rotated to various cities around the world.

The second Olympic was held in Paris. The rest as they say is history. The Olympic Games are the most famous sporting event in the world, equal only to the football World Cup. It is very athlete's dream to participate in and possibly win the Olympic Games.

(Adapted from Olympic Archives) (Greece 776BC)

	Which of the following is true about the ancient Olympic games? A. The games featured only athletes. B. The games did not feature home racing. C. The games features both combat events and athletics. D. The games mainly featured chariot racing. The Olympic contest involved A. several City states	—" means that A. importance of the games slowly reduced. B. importance of the games quickly reduced. C. games soon declined in importance. D. games immediately reduced in importance. 46. The International Olympic Committee held thei first Games in A. 1896 BC B. 1869 AD C. 1896AD D. 1986BC
	 B. City States and kingdoms. C. several kingdoms. D. representatives of a number of City States and kingdoms. 	47. How many athletes participated in the first IOC contest? A. Fourteen B. Over hundred and fifty
41.	A. the Coroebus Champion. B. The Olympic Games. C. The Olympic Committee. D. The Olympic Truce.	C. Forty three D. At least two hundred 48. Which of the following statements is TRUE abou the first IOC Olympic Games? A. The Greek Offices were the only happy people. B. Most of the athletes were unhappy. C. Future games were to be rotated within Greece.
42.	Which one of the following was NOT a combat sport? A. Chariot racing. B. Wrestling C. Marathon D. Horse racing	D. The public and the official were quite happy. 49. Why did the Olympic Games reduce in importance? A. Because of the new IOC.
43.	Who was the first Olympic champion? A. Acook called Elis B. Acook from Corobus. C. A Greek warrior from Athens.	B. Because the Romans liked the Olympic Games. C. Because of the Roman influence, D. Because of the Greece gaining power over
44.	D. A cook called Corobus. The ritual sacrifices were offered to A. King Zeus	Romans. 50. The most important title to sum up the passage would be^ A. International Olympic Committe
45.	B. Zeus the Greek god C. International Olympic Committee(IOC) D. Greek officials.	B. Zeus the Greek god. C. Olympic Games. D. Footban World Cup.
4J.	"gradually declined in importance"	

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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 MTIHANI

JINA LAKO

JINA LA SHULE YAKO

- 6. Kwa kuchora kistari katika visanduku vyenye namba zinazokuhusu, onyesha namba yako kamili ya mtihani (yaani namba ya shule, na zile namba tatu za mtahiniwa) katika sehemu iliyotengwa mwanzo wa karatasi ya majibu.
- 7. Usitie alama zozote nje ya visanduku.
- Iweke safi karatasi yako ya majibu na usiikunje.
- Kwa kiła śwali 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.
- Kwenye karatasi ya majibu, jibu sahihi lionyeshwe kwa kuchora kistari katika kisanduku chenye herufi uliochagua kuwa ndilo jibu.

Mfano: Katika karatasi ya maswali : 19. Kisawe cha neno kilimo ni A. rununu B. zuzu C. zaraa D. kidosho

Jibu sahihi ni (B) (Zaraa)

Katika	karatas	ya ma	jibu
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Katika visanduku vinavyoonyesha majibu ya swali namba 25. Kisanduku chenye herufi B 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.

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3. A. duni	B. aali	C. ahali	D. hali
4. A. pupa	B. fujo	C. kasi	D. hali
5. A. pigana	B. elewana	C. kamilisha	D. shutumiana
6. A. shangwe	B. fazaa	C. furaha	D. ukarimu
7. A. cheka	B. ghadhabika		D. tabasamu
8. A. adui	B. hasimu	C. wasahibu	
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12 .A.mraba	B. mstatili	C. pia	D. kipenyo
13. A. umri) B. dahari	C. mikaka	D. enzi
14. A. pesa	B. rais	C. uhai	D. maradhi
15. A. taa	B. simba	C. nyoka	D. kobe
C. nyinyi 19. Nambari 2705 ni kati y tarakimu.	etu" B.ni D. wanafunzi 'a kundi la la	A. Mwalimu aliuliza B. Mwalimu alisema	zani, kistaarabu shabash, newalla buse, maadamu swogwa, fidhuli aarifa ufaao wa: ?" Mwalimu aliuliza. skwa nini huna bidii.
	B. witiri	C. Mwalimu alimw	uliza sababu ya kutokuwa na
	D.chanya	bidii.	
hili ndilo lililonunuliwa.	lililopigwa mstari. Vazi	D. Mwalimu alimwa	mbia kwa nini hana bidii.
	D 77: 1:1:1:	26. Ni kiunganishi k	tipi kilicho sahihi.
	B. Kiwakilishi.	Hatukushindwa na	mabingwa wa miaka mitatu
	D. Kirejeshi.	myinyi n	nnaoanza leo.
21. "KI" katika sentensi.		A. hata	
"Mwanafunzi huyo akiku	ona atatembea Ejeshi,"	B. ingawa	
imetumiwa kuonyesha	D	C. labda	
	3. wakati, nomino	D. sembuse	
C. masharti, namna I	D. wakati, namna	27. Kikembe cha simba	ni
22. Kitenzi kinachoweza ku	undwa kutokana na jina	A. kingonyo	
mshindani ni		B. kibuai	
A. shinda	- 1	C. maige	*
		D. kidue	ř. e

- 28. Neema ni mtoto wa dada yangu. Kwa hivyo neema ni nani?
 - A. Mpwa wangu
 - B. Binamu yangu
 - C. Kiningina changu
 - D. Kilembwe wangu
- 29. Panga vifungu vifuatavyo ili vilete maana moja kamili."
 - i)Katika majsha yao.
 - ii) Watu wa miini.
 - iii) Huwa na mabadiliko.

- iv) Mengi sana.
- A. iv, iii, i, ii
- B.ii, iii, iv, i
- C. ii, iv, iii, i D. I, iv, iii, iv
- 30. Ni sentensi ipi ambayo imetumia sitiari.
 - A. Otieno ni fuko hatamaniki kwa macho.
 - B. Nyaboke ni mpole kama njiwa.
 - C. Muuguzi alisema atajifungua salama.
 - D. Moyo wake ulimwambia asirudi nyumba

Sonia taarifa ifuatavyo kisfaa ujibu maswali 31-40

Tuliagana kwa mkono na buriani na mziwanda wetu Katumbo. Alikuwa akisinasina kwa wahaka wa kuachwa pekee nyumbani. Tuliondoka mimi na mkoi Hafsa na bibi aliyekuwa mwenzi wa kufa kuzikana. Nilikaa sako kwa bako na adinasi wawili waliokuwa majitu ya miraba minne. Katika muda wa kupiga ukope, safari ya kuenda dolodolo nchi jirani ilianza, Bibi alitumainia kupata matibabu kwa 'Babi' kwa uwele uliokuwa ukimwandama. kama mtu na kivuli chake. Sifa zake za uponyaji zilikuwa zikivuma. Muziki ulikuwa ukihinikiza na kudunda dududu kama milipuko ya baruti katika machimbo ya mawe. Dereva alikuwa akiendesha daladala kwa mwendo wa kumwaibisha duma. Nilihofia ajali isiyokuwa na kinga kutojali ni ajali tosha.

Bibi yangu alikuwa akipiga soga na mja mwingine aliyekuwa akionekana na wasiwasi karna mwasi. Alikuwa akijaribu kwa Gdi na ambari kumtendekeza dereva wa matwana dhidi ya kasi hiyo. Dereva wa daladala alitia Komengo masikioni, naam! Sikio la kufa halisikii dawa. Ghafla daladala lilidanadana na kuyumbayumba. Mara siti mmoja alionekana akibebwa hewani kupitia dirishani hadi bondeni. Aligaagaa kidogo kisha akapumzika kwa kurudisha nyusi kwa mwenyewe. Jasho baridi lilitirika makwapani kwa woga ulioniteka nyara na kunidhibiti. Mwenda zake alipovutwa kutoka bondeni nikauona uso wa mkoi wangu. Nilipaza sauti kumwita bibi. Tungeanzia wapi-ilhali nave alikuwa si wa uji wala wa maji.

- 31. Katika ibara ya kwanza, semi "mkono wa buriani" maana yake ni nini?
 - A. Maagano yenye tashwishi.
 - B. Maamkizi yenye mashaka.
 - C. Kweheri yenye buraha.
 - D. Mapokezi yenye tuzo.
- 32. Neno jingine lenye maana ya bibi ni
 - A. halati
- B. nyanya
- C. mkaza ami
- D. mke
- 33. "Muziki-----" Hii inamanisha?
 - A. Daladala lilipita eneo la machimbo na migodi.
 - B. Daladala lililipuka na kudanadana ovyo.
 - C. Ulivuma na kupaa kwa sauti ya juu.
 - D. Sauti ya daladala barabarani ilikuwa haisemeki.
- 34. Maana ya msemo 'Kupiga soga' ni
 - A. kuzungumza
 - B. kupiga mayowe
 - C. kuchezesha midomo
 - D. kumunyaiuunya kwa madaha.
- 35. Hafsa alikuwa akimwitaje msimulizi?
 - A. Mpwamu
 - B. Mwamu
 - C. Bintiamu
 - D. Binamu
- 36. Madereva waonywa dhidi ya
 - A. kuzingitia sheria za barabarani.

- B. kuendesha magari kwa kasi.
- C. kubeba idadi ifaayo ya abiria.
- D. kutolewa wanapoendesha magari.
- 37. Dhamira ya safari ilikuwa
 - A. kusaka tiba.
 - B. kutalii nchi jirani
 - C. safari ya buriani
 - D. ajali barabarani
- 38. Njia mwafaka ya kuepuka hali iliyosimuliwa ni
 - A. kuwahukumu madereva wasiojali vifungo virefu gerazani.
 - B. kuwapokonya madereva hao leseni.
 - C. kuhamasisha umma kuhusu usalama barabarani.

 - D. kuwahimiza madereva kuvaa sare na kufanya mkanda.
- 39. Maelezo yanayokubaliana na sikio la kufa halisikii dawa ni
 - A. kucheza muziki kwa sauti ya juu.
 - B. kuzingatia sheria za barabarani na dereva.
 - C. dereva kutopuuza nasaha za abiria.
 - D. purukushani za derevani dhidi ya ushauri wa
- 40. Kichwa cha kifungu hiki kingefaa kuwa
 - A. Ukitaja nyoka, shika kigongo.
 - B. Nyani haoni kundule.
 - C. Chelewa chelewa utakuta wana si wako.
 - D. Asiyesikia la mkuu huvunjika guu.

Soma kifungu hiki kifuatacho kisha ulibu maswali 41 - 50

Ilikuwa siku ya Jumatatu niliporauka asubuhi na mapema. Bwana Shamsi alikuwa tayari ameshayeyusha umande wa alfajiri. Bila kusita nilirusha blanketi langu pembeni mwa kitanda na likaning'inia hapo kama popo topeni. Nilipiga magoti na kupiga bisimillahi kwa Dayani, wasma mwomba Mola si mtovu.

Kabla ya sekunde kuunda dakika, nilisikia sauti dhoofu ikibisha mlangoni. Moyo ulinidunda dududu huku nikijiuliza kimoyomoyo mgeni huyo wa asubuhi alitoka wapi? Nilipomaliza kupiga dua nilisogea mlangoni ili kuisikiliza sauti ile kwa makini. Do! Nilisikia sauti iliyokuwa nyonge sana kwa umbali ilisikika kama sauti ya ustoto mchanga au ya mtu aliyekula chumvi nyingi.

Nilijawa na wasiwasi kwani kibanda changu hakikuwa na nafasi hata ya mgeni kusimama. Kilinitosha mimi peke yangu. Sauti ilipoendelea kubisha, nilipiga, moyo konde na kuamua kuufungua mlango. Mbele yangu alisimama bibizee. Baada ya kutazamana kwa muda wa kelbu kuukalia mkia wake huku nikijaribu kuifahamu sura wake, yule bikizee aliomba mahali pa kumpumzika na angalabu chakula kidogo cha kutia kinywani. Niliamua kumpa kiporo changu cha pure, alikila kwa furaha na punde tu alipomaliza alienda zake huku akisema kuwa fahali anijalie.

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41. Kulingana na habari hii mwandishi	46. Mgeni huyo wa mwandishi alikuwa pale kwa
A. alikuwa mkarimu.	kuwa
B. alikuwa mchoyo.	A. alikuwa na zawadi
C. alikuwa mjanja.	B. alikuwa ametumwa
D. alikuwa mtundu.	C. alihitaji usaidizi
42. Bwana Shamsi alikuwa tayari ameyeyusha alfajiri,	D. alikuwa mamaye mwandishi
Huu ni wakati gani?	47. Mwandishi wa makala haya alifanya nini kabla ya
A. Alasiri	kwenda mlangoni?
B. Magharibi	A. Alikoga mwanzo.
C. Dhuha	B. Alipiga dua
D. Macheo	C. Alistaftahi
43. Kupiga bismillahi ni	D. Alishtaki njaa.
A. kuomba kabla ya majibu.	48. Sauti ilipozidi kubisha mlangoni mwandishi
B. kutufuru	A. aliogopa na kujificha
C. kudai baraka za Mungu	B. hakushughulika
D. kupiga dua	C. aliingiwa na hofu
44. Lipi kati ya maneno haya si jina la Mwenyezi	
Mungu	49. Chumba cha mwandishi kilikuwa cha aina gani?
A. Dayani	A. Cha kifahari
B. Mamuluku	B. Nyumba ya msonge
C. Rabana	C. Kilikuwa kibanda
D. Rahimu	D. Ilikuwa kasri
45. Sauti dhoofu aliyosikia mwandishi	50. Ni methali gani inayoweza kuelezea hali ya
A. ilimfurahisha	bikizee baada ya kupewa kiporo?
B. ilimtia kiwewe	A. Penye nia pana njia.
C. haikuwa ya yeyote	B. Mia nawe hafl nawe ila mzaliwa nawe.
D. ilikuwa ya watoto	C. Akufaaye kwa dhiki ndiye rafiki.

D. Simba mwenda pole ndiye mla nyama.

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- Sasa fungua Karatasik hii, soma kichwa cha insha kwa makini na uandike insha yako kwenye nafasi ulioachiwa.

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