AIM PRESS EXAM SERIES

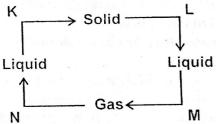




STANDARD EIGHT - YEAR 2021 SCIENCE

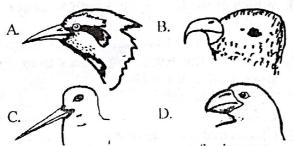
Time: 1 Hr. 40 Min

- 1. Where does digestion of maize start during digestion?
 - A. Mouth
- B. Stomach
- C. Small intestine
- D. Colon
- 2. The diagram below represents processes K. L. M and N which brings about changes of state of matter.



Which two processes require an increase in temperature?

- A. K and L
- B. K and N
- C. M and N
- D. L and M
- 3. Which of the following is the **CORRECT** flow of blood throughout the circulation system starting from the lungs?
 - A. Lungs → pulmonary vein → pulmonary artery → venacava → aorta
 - B. Lungs → pulmonary vein → aorta → pulmonary artery → venacava
 - C. Lungs → pulmonary vein → aorta → venacava → pulmonary artery
 - D. Lungs → pulmonary artery → venacava → aorta → pulmonary vein
- 4. Which of the beaks below is adapted to feed on the same food as the hawk?



- 5. The two main components of urine are
 - A. water and salt
 - B. water and carbon dioxide
 - C. water and urea
 - D. salt and urea

6. Study the food chain and answer the question.

Grains → Rat → Snakes → Hawks

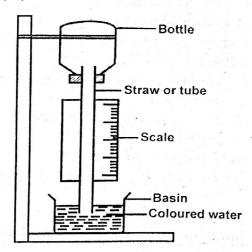
What would happen if all the snakes were killed?

- A. The hawks would start eating grains
- B. The number of hawks would increase
- C. The number of rats would increase
- D. There would be an increase in the amount of grains
- 7. Which of the liquids are miscible?
 - A. Oil and water
 - B. Water and spirit
 - C. Kerosene and spirit
 - D. Water and paraffin
- 8. A woman is seated by the fire warming her hands and feet. How does the heat reach her feet and hands respectively?
 - A. Radiation, convection
 - B. Convection, conduction
 - C. Convection, radiation
 - D. Convection, convection
- 9. During the process of parturition, the following takes place.
 - i) The amniotic bag bursts allowing the amniotic stuid to slow out.
 - ii) The contraction of the uterus muscles pushes the baby.
 - iii) The cervix dilates.
 - iv) The labour pains become faster and stronger.

Arrange the processes in order according to how they took place starting with the first to the last.

- A. iv, iii, i, ii
- B. iii, i, iv, ii
- C. iv, iii, ii, i
- D. i. iv, iii, ii
- 10. Which pair of levers is the arrangement of the positions: Load, Fulcrum and Effort the same?
 - A. Crowbar and wheelbarrow
 - B. Spade and wheelbarrow
 - C. Claw hammer and spade
 - D. Crowbar and claw hammer

- floating and sinking?
 - A. Type of material
- B. Weight
- C. Shape
- D. Size
- 12. Food poisoning can be as a result of
 - A. poor cooking
 - B. overcooking
 - C. poor food storage
 - D. too much use of salt
- 13. When comparing the rates at which different soils lose water, it is important that all the following factors should be kept constant EXCEPT
 - A. amount of water
 - B. amount of cotton wool
 - C. type of soil
 - D. size of funnels
- 14. Which of the following describes a method of conserving water by recycling?
 - A. Using drip irrigation
 - B. Getting clean water from dirty water
 - C. Washing toilets using water used for rinsing clothes
 - D. Using gutters to harvest water from roofs
- 15. Below is an illustration of a weather instrument made by Mr. Bobo and his standard five pupil.



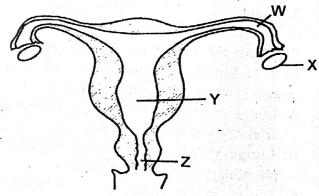
Which of the following principles behind its working is INCORRECT?

- A. When the temperature is high the level of water in the basin drops
- B. When the temperature is high the level of water in the straw comes down
- C. When the temperature is low the level of water in the straw rises
- D. The scale reads from top to bottom

- 11. Which of the following does NOT affect | 16. The table below shows excretory system. Which of the following is CORRECTLY matched?
 - → Carbon dioxide and urea A. Lungs
 - B. Kidney → Carbon dioxide and water
 - → Lactic acids and excess salts C. Skin
 - → Water and salt D. Lungs
 - 17. Which of the following diseases are immunized against at the age of birth and two and half months respectively?
 - A. Tuberculosis and Measles
 - B. Yellow fever and Tetanus
 - C. Measles and Polio
 - D. Polio and Whooping cough
 - 18. A child had the following signs and symptoms.
 - i) Wrinkled face.
 - ii) Protruding bones on the skin.
 - iii) Weak.

The child was likely to be suffering from

- A. Malaria
- B. Anaemia
- C. Marasmus
- D. Kwashiorkor
- 19. The diagram below shows female reproductive

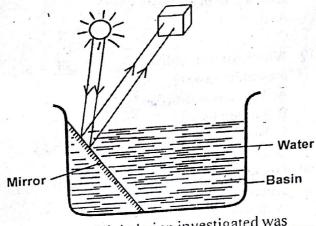


Name the parts Y, W, Z respectively.

- A. Ovary, uterus, cervix
- B. Womb, fallopian tube, vagina
- C. Vagina, uterus, ovary
- D. Ovary, uterus, cervix
- 20. Which of the following is both a storage and a field pest?
- A. Weevil B. Moth C. Aphid D. Termite 21. Which of the following plants does NOT store food in the stem?
 - A. Sugarcane
- B. Onions
- C. Ginger
- D. Irish potatoes
- 22. Clouds that indicate fine weather are also A. dark grey in colour

 - B. found low in the sky
 - C. having irregular shape
 - D. flat at the base

- 23. Which of the following explains the reason why handles of cooking utensils are made using wood?
 - A. To make them last longer
 - B. To make them more attractive
 - C. To insulate them against heat
 - D. To enable them conserve heat
- 24. Which of the following is **NOT** a proper use of medicine?
 - A. Taking only the prescribed medicine
 - B. Using medicine for recommended reasons
 - C. Sharing medicine with your brother
 - D. Taking the right dosage
- 25. Which of the following pairs shows living and non-living components of environment respectively?
 - A. Water and plants
 - B. Soil and air
 - C. Mushroom and soil
 - D. Soil and animals
- 26. The quantity of matter in a substance is measured using an instrument called a
 - A. beam balance
- B. raingauge
- C. spring balance
- D. newtons
- 27. Which of the following groups consists of materials that are all non-magnetic?
 - A. Iron, office pins, rubber
 - B. Plastics, alnico, brass
 - C. Wood, stones, cobalt
 - D. Aluminium, brass, gold
- 28. The diagram below shows a certain experiment that was done by pupils to investigate a certain property of light.



The aspect of light being investigated was

- A. making a rainbow
- B. how light travels
- C. reflection of light
- D. difraction

- 29. Which of the following is **NOT** a source of current electricity?
 - A. Water
 - B. Solar panel
 - C. Geothermal generator
 - D. Wind mill
- 30. Which of the following plants grows in wet areas?
 - A. Euphorbia
- B. Murram grass
- C. Water lily
- D. Maize
- 31. The table below shows how pupils in standard 4 classified crops. Which crops were classified WRONGLY?

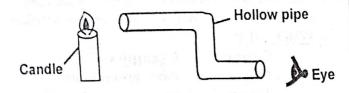
Examples Group

Peas, groundnuts Legume -Cassava, sugarcane Tubers

Sunflower, flax Fibres Simsim, millet Cereals

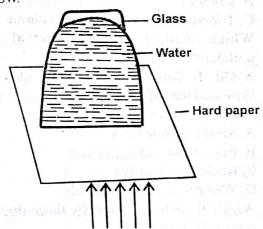
- A. Peas, cassava, flax
- B. Sugarcane, sunflower, simsim
- C. Simsim, sugarcane, flax
- D. Groundnuts, peas, millet
- 32. Which animal is NOT matched with how it protects itself against its enemies?
 - A. Chameleon → camouflage
 - B. Tortoise → withdrawing in the shell
 - C. Wasp → coiling
 - D. Housefly → flying away
- 33. The following are diseases spread through contaminated water. Which one is NOT?
 - A. Cholera
- B. Bilharzia
- C. Tuberculosis
- D. Typhoid
- 34. Which of the following is NOT a water pollutant?
 - A. Oil B. Solid wastes C. Pesticides D. Air
- 35. Which of the following shows group of plants that have a thick waxy cuticle?
 - A. Sisal and aloe vera
 - B. Euphorbia and butter cup
 - C. Baobab, mangrove
 - D. Water hyacinth, water lily
- 36. Which of the following body fluids does NOT carry HIV virus?
 - A. Vaginal fluid B. Semen
 - D. Saliva
- C. Tears 37. The following are signs and symptoms of Gonorrhoea. Which one is NOT?
 - A. Pain when passing urine
 - B. Passing out a smelly discharge
 - C. Swelling on the tip of the penis
 - D. Sores appearing on the lips

- 38. Which of the following shows a list of drugs which are known as narcotic?
 - A. Miraa, tobacco, alcohol
 - B. Cocaine, khat, mandrax
 - C. Mandrax, heroine, cocaine
 - D. Bhang, alcohol, tobacco
- 39. Std. 6 pupils carried out the activity shown



What property of light were the pupils investigating?

- A. Light can be reflected
- B. Light travels in all direction
- C. Light can be refracted
- D. Light travels in a straight line
- 40. Which of the following does NOT show change of state?
 - A. Ice changing to water
 - B. Heating iodine crystals
 - C. Crushing a piece of chalk
 - D. Cooling water vapour
- 41. Std. 5 pupils carried out the experiment shown below.



From the activity the pupils concluded that

- A. air exerts pressure
- B. matter occupies space
- C. liquid exerts pressure
- D. air occupies space
- 42. Which of the following components of air makes 0.03% of air by volume?
 - A. Carbon dioxide B. Rare gases
 - C. Oxygen
- D. Nitrogen

- 43. Which of these animal feeds is a source of proteins?
 - A. Nappier grass
 - B. Salt lick
 - C. Lucerne
 - D. Star grass
 - 44. Which one is **NOT** a source of light?
 - A. Firefly
 - B. Sun
 - C. Moon
 - D. Torch
 - 45. The purpose of salt in food preservation is to____
 - A. remove water
 - B. add flavour
 - C. remove air
 - D. lower temperature
 - 46. Ann was bitten by a poisonous snake during a sunny day. Which chamber of the heart received the poison first?
 - A. Right auricle
 - B. Left auricle
 - C. Right ventricle
 - D. Left ventricle
 - 47. Name the furthest planet from the sun.
 - A. Neptune
- B. Earth
- C. Mercury
- D. Mars
- 48. The following are adaptations of plants to their environment.
 - i) Leaves fold up.
 - ii) Shoots are leafy.
 - iii) Leaves have a hairy upper surface.
 - iv) Leaves are swollen.
 - v) Leaves have sunken pits.

Which of these adaptations are for plants growing in dry areas?

- A. ii, iii, iv
- B. i, ii, iii
- C. i, ii, v
- D. iii, iv, v
- 49. Which of the following is NOT a sign of unhealthy crops?
 - A. Discolouration on roots
 - B. Folded leaves
 - C. Brown apexes
 - D. Dropping leaves
- 50. On a see-saw a small boy can lift a big boy when
 - A. the small boy stands on it
 - B. the big boy moves closer to the fulcrum
 - C. the two boys move equal distances away from the fulcrum
 - D. the small boy moves closer to the fulcrum