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STANDARD 8 – 2021 SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

AF005

Time: 2 hours 15 minutes

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. You have been given this question booklet and separate answer sheet. The question booklet contains 90 questions.
2. Do any necessary rough work on 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 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 not fold it.
9. For each of the questions 1 – 90 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A, B, C and 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 the Question Booklet:

31. Which one of the following groups of people belong to a nuclear family?
- A. Mother, Son, Grandfather
 - B. Father, Son, Uncle
 - C. Father, Daughter, Son
 - D. Grandmother, Father, Daughter
- The correct answer is C

On the Answer Sheet:

[A] [B] [C] [D] [A] [B] [C] [D] [A] [B] [C] [D] [A] [B] [C] [D] [A] [B] [C] [D]

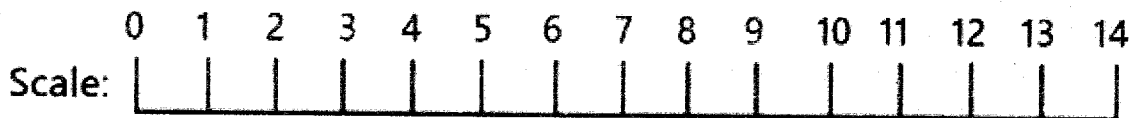
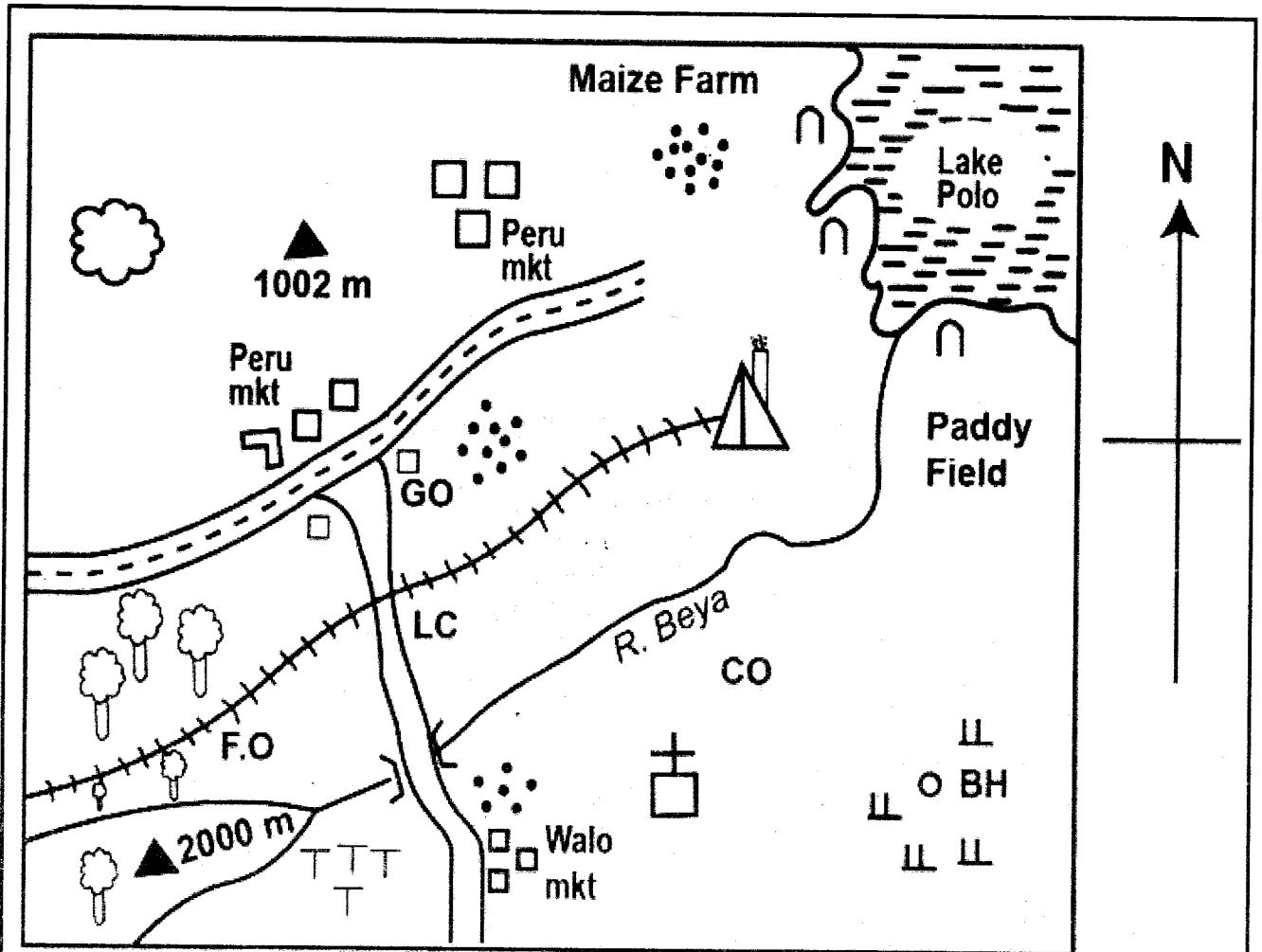
In the set of boxes numbered 31, the box with letter D printed in it is marked.

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.

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PART I: SOCIAL STUDIES

LUKA AREA



KEY

	- Tarmac Road		- Settlement		- Fishing Village
	- Murrum Road	GO	- Governor's Office	F.O	- Forest Office
	- Railway Line	CO	- Chief's Office		- Paper Factory
	- Built-up Areas	BH	- Borehole		- Church
	- Planted Forests	TT	- Tea		- Hill
	- School	LC	- Level Crossing		- Exhausted Quarry

Study the map of Luka area above and use it to answer questions 1 to 7.

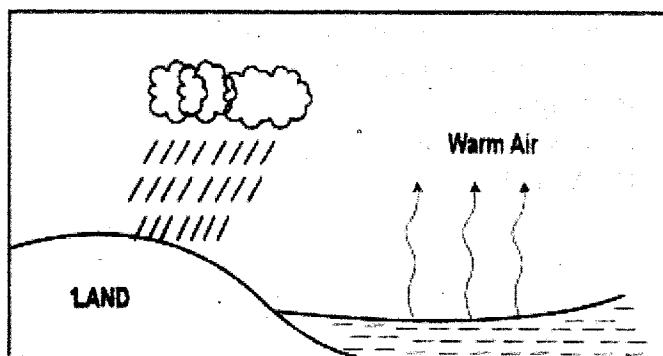
1. The land in Luka area is likely to slope towards
 - A. South west
 - B. East
 - C. North west
 - D. North east
2. The type of settlement pattern in Luka area is
 - A. Dense
 - B. Sparse
 - C. Clustered
 - D. linear
3. Which of the following economic activities is **not** carried out in Luka area?
 - A. Mining
 - B. Fishing
 - C. Farming
 - D. Trading
4. Which one of the following materials is **likely** to be transported along the railway line?
 - A. Cattle
 - B. Tree logs
 - C. Fish
 - D. Tea
5. Who among the following officials is the senior most?
 - A. Chief
 - B. County commissioner
 - C. Governor
 - D. MCA
6. Which of the following crops is likely to be grown in the Eastern part of the map?
 - A. Coffee
 - B. Rice
 - C. Tea
 - D. Maize
7. Which of the following statements is **NOT** true about Lake Polo?
 - A. It is the source of River Beya
 - B. It is found to the North east of Luka area
 - C. It is used for fishing
 - D. It is found in a hot and wet area
8. What was the main reason that led to the migration of the Bantus from their point of dispersal?
 - A. Over population
 - B. Insecurity
 - C. Drought and famine
 - D. In search of fertile soils
9. The main contribution of fish farming in Kenya is that
 - A. It has led to maximum utilization of dry lands
 - B. It has increased fish for export
 - C. It has created a source of income
 - D. It has led to the growth of tourism
10. The following Lakes are depressional **EXCEPT**?
 - A. Lake Chad
 - B. Lake Tanganyika
 - C. Lake Bangweulu
 - D. Lake Victoria
11. Which of the following groups consists of people belonging to the same clan?
 - A. Father, mother, children
 - B. Father, mother, aunt
 - C. Father, grandmother, children
 - D. Grandfather, father, children
12. The rotation of the earth causes
 - A. Seasons
 - B. Different time of places
 - C. Different positions of the midday sun
 - D. Different length of day and night
13. Who among the following people takes minutes during a committee meeting of a school?
 - A. The deputy head teacher
 - B. The chairperson
 - C. The headteacher
 - D. The senior teacher
14. Which one of the following factors influences vegetation distribution in Africa?
 - A. Distance from the sea
 - B. Latitude
 - C. Ocean currents
 - D. Altitude

15. Which one of the following traditional methods of weather observation is wrongly matched with its meaning?

Weather observation	Meaning
A. Appearance of the new moon	Rainy season
B. Safari ants	Dry season
C. Appearance of the full moon	Dry season
D. Locust	Dry season

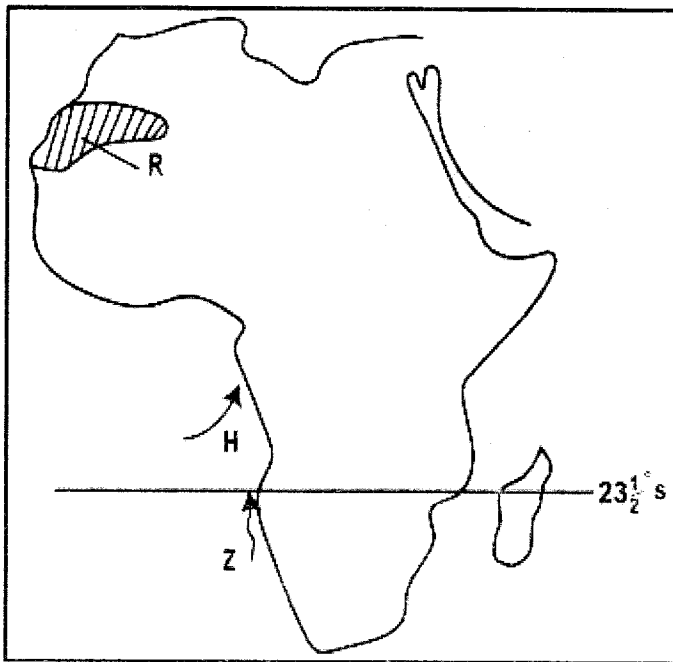
16. What is the main challenge facing Perkera irrigation scheme?
- Shortage of water
 - Mismanagement
 - Flooding
 - Pests and diseases
17. Which one of the following Kenyan communities belongs to the same language group?
- Abaluhya, Ameru, Taita
 - Samburu, Pokomo, Tugen
 - Somali, Aembu, Turkana
 - Abagusii, Iteso, Akamba
18. The following are description of a certain vegetation zone.
- Trees are umbrella in shape
 - Trees have tap roots
 - Trees are scattered and grass is tall
- The vegetation zone described above is likely to be
- Mediterranean vegetation
 - Tropical rainforest
 - Tropical vegetation
 - Desert vegetation

Use the diagram below to answer question 19.



19. The above type of rainfalls NOT likely to be experienced in
- Accra
 - Entebbe
 - Malindi
 - Arusha
20. Which one of the following pre-historic sites is correctly matched with the county where it is found?
- Olduvai Gorge – Tanzania
 - Koobi Fora – Uganda
 - Isahngo – Ethiopia
 - Hadar – Kenya
21. Children are expected to take part in family duties because
- It is a sign of respect for their parents
 - It prepares them for future roles
 - It promotes their physical development
 - It helps them develop courage
22. Leopold Sedar Senghor contributed to democracy in Senegal by
- Introducing French culture in the country
 - Forming cabinets after becoming the first president
 - Allowing the formation of many political parties
 - Introducing military skills learnt in the Second World War.
23. What is the main reason why the government is conserving natural forests in Kenya?
- It is home of wildlife
 - To provide timber for building purposes
 - To protect water sources
 - To protect rare species of trees
24. Which one of the following combinations of factors may contribute to high population growth rate?
- Improved medical care; Cultural values; Low fertility rate
 - Low infant mortality rate; Improved nutrition; Birth control measures
 - High birth rates; Improved medical care; Early marriages
 - Improved food production; High mortality rate; Improved education

Study the map of Africa below and use it to answer questions 25 – 28.



25. What is the main economic activity carried out in the part marked R?
- Tourism
 - Pastoralism
 - Agriculture
 - Fishing
26. The conditions of the wind marked H are
- Cool and wet
 - Cool and dry
 - Warm and dry
 - Warm and moist
27. The effects of the ocean current marked Z on the adjacent land is that
- It causes convectional rainfall
 - It causes fog and mist
 - It causes heavy rainfall
 - It causes relief rainfall
28. Which of the following countries is NOT crossed by the latitude marked $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}\text{S}$?
- Swaziland
 - Botswana
 - Namibia
 - Mozambique

29. Which of the following tourist attraction sites is correctly matched with the country where it is found?
- Great Sphinx – Morocco
 - Ancient Marrakech – Egypt
 - Slave Market – Zanzibar
 - Botanical Garden – Zimbabwe
30. The following are problems facing regional trading organizations in Africa. Which one is NOT?
- Production of similar goods
 - Poor transport and communication network
 - Lack of common currency
 - High poverty levels among the member states
31. The time in Accra is 12 midnight. What is the time at a town 35°E ?
- 2:20 a.m.
 - 2:20 p.m.
 - 9:40 a.m.
 - 9:40 p.m.
32. Which system of administration did the Belgium's use to administer DRC?
- Association
 - Paternalism
 - Indirect rule
 - Assimilation
33. Below are African countries matched with their capital cities. Which one is **incorrectly** matched?
- Lesotho – Mbabane
 - Togo – Lome
 - Namibia – Windhoek
 - Comoros – moronic
34. Which one of the following statements **correctly** describes the population of structure of Kenya, India and Germany?
- Most people live in the rural areas
 - Most people are unemployed
 - Population is unevenly distributed
 - There is high mortality rate
35. In which of these systems of succession are the estates of a deceased person shared out according to their will?
- Intestate succession
 - Will
 - Testate succession
 - Secret succession

36. The following are achievements of NELSON Mandela, which one is **NOT**?
- He was a great writer
 - He led South Africa to independence
 - He formed the Umkhouto We Sizwe
 - He was a founder member of OAU
37. Which one of the following effects of migration is negatively felt in rural areas when people go to towns?
- Increase population
 - Increase labour supply
 - Increase agriculture population
 - Reduced agriculture production
38. Below are contributions of certain early visitors during the pre – colonial period.
- They introduce new building styles
 - They brought a new religion
 - They introduced new foods and ways of dressing
- Which people are described above?
- Arabs traders
 - European explores
 - Portuguese traders
 - European missionaries
39. Which one of the following is an example of a service industry?
- Tea processing
 - Shoe repair
 - Soap factory
 - Motor vehicle assembly
40. The establishment of the cement making industry in Tororo Uganda was influenced **mainly** by?
- Presence of limestone in the area
 - Existence of well-developed roads in the country
 - Availability of market in the area
 - Availability of hydro-electric power in the country
41. The most economical method of preserving fish is
- Refrigeration
 - Salting
 - Sun drying
 - Freezing
42. The government of Kenya encourages ranching among pastoralists **mainly** to
- Provide veterinary services
 - Ensure efficient use of resources
 - Increase beef production
 - Improve their living standards
43. In traditional African societies, an age group was made up of people who
- Belonged to the same clan
 - Married at the same time
 - Came from the same village
 - Played together
44. Mary, a class seven pupil was asked by her teacher to name the **main** import commodity of Kenya. Her correct answer would be
- Crude oil
 - Tea
 - Soda ash
 - Electronics
45. Which one of the following U.N agencies deals with carrying out research with an aim of increasing food security?
- World Bank
 - Food and Agriculture Organization
 - World Health Organization
 - World Food Programme
46. The following are ways of reducing soil erosion, **EXCEPT**?
- Planting cover crops
 - Ploughing a cross the slope
 - Ploughing across the contour
 - Ploughing along the contour
47. The following countries are **NOT** members of commonwealth **EXCEPT**?
- Ethiopia
 - Tanzania
 - Mozambique
 - Madagascar
48. What is the main cause of river pollution in Kenya?
- Soil particles
 - Industrial chemical
 - Domestic wastes
 - Chemicals from farms

49. The Kenya – Uganda railway line was built in the late 1890's mainly to?
- Transport Indian coolies
 - Open the interior for trade
 - Ease administration
 - Use it to fight the Nandi
50. What is the main challenge facing cottage industry in Kenya?
- Inadequate capital for expansion
 - Poor means of transport
 - Bad weather
 - Lack of skilled personal
51. A political party's beliefs, policies and programmes are written in a special document called?
- The Hansard
 - The Mace
 - Party Manifesto
 - Party Constitution
52. The following may lead to a by-election in Kenya **EXCEPT?**
- When a sitting MP misses eight consecutive sittings without permission from the speaker
 - When the high court nullifies elections
 - When a sitting MP dies
 - When a sitting MP is imprisoned for at least five months
53. What is the **BEST** way of promoting tourism in Africa?
- Advertising tourist destinations
 - Improving transport and communication
 - Employing more tour guides
 - Improving internal and external security
54. The type of democracy practiced when pupils in a school elect their president is
- Indirect democracy
 - Participatory democracy
 - Representative democracy
 - Nomination democracy
55. Which one of the following African countries attained independence through negotiation?
- Kenya and South Africa
 - Senegal and Ghana
 - Zimbabwe and Mozambique
 - Kenya and Zimbabwe
56. On a polling day in Kenya, it is the duty of the body in charge of elections to
- Swear in the president
 - Count the votes cast
 - Register voters
 - Allocate time for candidates to campaign
57. The following are members of the county assembly in Kenya **EXCEPT?**
- Ward representative
 - Representative of the disabled
 - Speaker
 - Governor
58. Which one of the following is **NOT** a symbol of national unity?
- National flag
 - Coat of arms
 - National language
 - Public seal
59. Which of the following is the **MAIN** source of revenue for county governments?
- Loans and grants from the national government
 - Service charges
 - Tax
 - License
60. Which of the following is **NOT** a member of the cabinet?
- Judges
 - Attorney general
 - Cabinet secretaries
 - President

PART II: RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. According to Genesis stories of creation, which one of the following statements best describes human beings as special? They were
- Moulded from clay
 - Created in the image of God
 - Created by God's word of mouth
 - Told to name all the animals
62. Which one of the following commands did God give to Noah after the floods?
- "You will have to work hard and sweat to make the soil produce anything."
 - "Run for your lives, don't look back and don't stop in the valley."
 - "Leave your country and your relatives and go to the land that I will show you."
 - "Bring out every kind of living creature that is with you, so they can multiply on the earth and be fruitful and increase in number."
63. Joseph became a famous man in the land of Egypt mainly because he
- Trusted in God
 - Interpreted Pharaohs dreams
 - Was thrown in jail
 - Was wise and hardworking
64. Which one of the following was not one of the foods the Israelites ate on the night of Passover?
- Bitter herbs
 - Roasted meat
 - Wine
 - Unleavened bread
65. Who among the following people made the golden calf at Mount Sinai?
- Joshua
 - Caleb
 - Aaron
 - Oholiab
66. Which among the following qualities of leadership was mainly shown by Moses when he led the Israelites out of Egypt?
- Honesty
 - Gentleness
 - Humility
 - Courage
67. "Do not desire another man's house, do not desire his wife, his cattle, his donkeys or anything else that he owns" (Exodus 20:17). Who among the following people broke this commandment?
- Ahab
 - Joshua
 - Saul
 - Moses
68. According to Prophet Jeremiah, the new covenant would be different from the old covenant because it would be
- Written on stone tablets
 - Written in people's hearts
 - For the gentiles
 - Sealed by animals' blood
69. He is remembered as one of the greatest prophets of Israel. He showed faith in God by praying for fire from heaven to burn the sacrifice. Who among the following prophets is described above?
- Elisha
 - Hosea
 - Isaiah
 - Elijah
70. Which of the following statements made by angel Gabriel about Jesus shows that he was the son of God?
- He would rule like King David
 - He would be conceived by the Holy Spirit
 - He would be born in the city of David
 - He would be great
71. Why did Mary and Joseph take baby Jesus to Egypt?
- They were going for census
 - They had been invited by Pharaoh
 - King Herod wanted to kill baby Jesus
 - There was famine in Israel
72. Which one of the following parables of Jesus encouraged Christian to bring members back to church? The parable of the
- Lost coin
 - Good Samaritan
 - Sower
 - Rich man and Lazarus

73. The lesson Christian learn from the healing of the ten lepers is that they should
- Seek God in prayer
 - Be righteous in their daily dealings
 - Try to be happy in life
 - Practice the art of thankfulness
74. The Pharisees and the scribes condemned Jesus for healing on the Sabbath because they thought that
- He was breaking the law
 - He was the son of the carpenter
 - The sick were sinners
 - He was seeking popularity
75. Which one of the following actions of Jesus show that a leader is a servant?
- Washing the feet of the disciple
 - Mixing with sinners
 - Visiting Martha and Mary
 - Riding on a donkey to Jerusalem
76. "Salvation has come to this house today." (Luke 19:9). Jesus said these words when he visited the house of
- Mary and Martha
 - Simon Peter's mother-in-law
 - Jairus
 - Zacchaeus
77. Which one of the following is a teaching of Jesus on forgiveness from the Lord's Prayer?
- Forgiveness should be done endlessly
 - Forgiveness should be done in secret
 - God forgives those who forgive others
 - Those who forgive should forget
78. The main reason why the early christians chose the seven deacons was
- They wanted them to distribute food to widows
 - They wanted them to spread the gospel to non-Jews
 - They wanted them to serve the apostles
 - They wanted them to baptize the new converts.
79. Which one of the following acts of worship was done by Paul and Silas in prison in Philippi?
- Praying and fasting
 - Praying and singing
 - Reading the scripture
 - Singing and dancing
80. A common practice in both Christianity and traditional African society concerning burial ceremony is
- Drinking beer
 - Slaughtering of animals
 - Praying for the dead person
 - Reading the scripture
81. In some communities, people worshiped while facing a mountain **mainly** because it
- Was believed to be the dwelling place of God
 - Was a quiet place
 - Was source of blessings
 - Protected them from danger
82. Marriage is an important rite of passage in traditional African society because married people
- Are respected
 - Are responsible
 - Are expected to bear children
 - Can be leaders
83. Charity welcomed the needy in her home and gave them food. The fruit of the holy spirit which she showed was
- Peace
 - Patience
 - Joy
 - Kindness
84. In traditional African communities, children were told folk stories mainly to
- Learn their tradition
 - Be taught to take care of themselves
 - Be trained to be courageous
 - Learn good behavior
85. Who among the following were found both in African tradition society and christianity?
- Diviners and prophets
 - Priests and seers
 - Magicians and medicine men
 - Priests and prophets

86. Your friend Maria informs you that she has a boyfriend. What action would you take ?
- Pray with her
 - Inform her on the dangers of irresponsible boy-girl relationship
 - Tell her to use contraceptive
 - Inform your class teachers
87. Which one of these is a good way of spending one's leisure time?
- Helping the less privileged
 - Sleeping
 - Watching movies
 - Drinking alcohol
88. According to christian teaching, which one of the following is the best way for christians to use their wealth?
- Helping widows and orphans
 - Getting more wealth
 - Taking their families for international trips
 - Entertaining their friends
89. Your desk mate Elijah has told you that he is suffering from **HIV/AIDS**. As a Christian, which one of the following is the best action to take?
- Inform your classmate about it
 - Advise him to seek medical help
 - Change your sitting position
 - Report the matter to the class teacher
90. Which one of the following is the main reason why christians condemn prostitution?
- It leads to sexually transmitted infections
 - It leads to unwanted pregnancies
 - It is against God's law
 - It leads to death

ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. "Khalafat in saana min alaq" this verse is from surah
- Fatiha
 - Inshirah
 - Alaq
 - Bayyinah
62. Which surah of the Qur'an talks about the events of the day of Judgement?
- Zilzalah
 - Naas
 - Dhuha
 - Falaq
63. Which surah would you use to encourage your family to sacrifice for the sake of Allah (S.W.T)?
- Nasr
 - Qariah
 - Qadar
 - Alaq
64. What do we learn from surah Asr?
- Generosity
 - Patience
 - Kindness
 - Respect
65. The following are verses from surah Al-Inshirah.
- And have we not raised high your fame?
 - Have we not opened your breast for you?
 - And removed from you your burden
 - Which weighed down your back
- The correct order of the above verses is
- (i), (iv), (ii), (iii)
 - (i), (ii), (iv), (iii)
 - (ii), (iii), (iv), (i)
 - (ii), (iv), (iii), (i)
66. According to the hadith of the prophet (S.A.W), one should spend on others so that
- He is liked by others
 - He can be famous
 - Others can love him
 - Allah can spend on him

67. Khalid attempted to steal snacks from his friend's bag. However, he remembered a hadith of the prophet (S.A.W) that made him return the snacks. Which hadith did he remember?
- Hadith on Iman
 - Hadith on Ihsan
 - Hadith on Islam
 - Hadith on Ikhlas
68. The prophet (S.A.W) said, "None of you believes until you do to your brother what you would like done to you" this hadith is about
- Cleanliness
 - Tawheed
 - Iman
 - Zakah
69. Which phrase among the following is only found in Iqama?
- Qad qaamati swalah
 - Samiallahu liman hamida
 - Aswalatu khairu-minna naum
 - Labbaik allahumma labbaik
70. Which one of the following can be classified as light najasa?
- Pork
 - Vomit
 - Blood of a wild animal
 - Urine of a baby boy
71. Which of the following is a halal way of earning a living?
- Selling intoxicants
 - Brewing
 - Begging
 - Farming
72. Salim a standard seven pupil wants to explain the importance of sunnah prayers to his friends. What did he tell his friend about the sunnah prayers?
- Sunnah prayers are like fardh prayers
 - Sunnah prayers bring us closer to Allah
 - Sunnah prayers are prayed in the month of Ramadhan
 - Sunnah prayers can be prayed at any time
73. Which one of the following is a sign of a Munafiq?
- Telling lies
 - Abusing others
 - Stealing from others
 - Fighting others
74. What would you do to your cat that has been sick for a very long time?
- Put it in a sack then take it far from your house
 - Keep it in a cage and feed it well
 - Take it to a veterinary doctor
 - Give it away to a friend
75. What should you say to a friend who is named as the best player of the year in your school team?
- Masha-Allah
 - Alhamdulillah
 - Sub-hanallah
 - Astaghfirullah
76. Which attribute of Allah encourages us to ask for forgiveness from Him?
- Al-Khaliq
 - Al-Malik
 - Al-Jabbar
 - Al-Ghaffar
77. The most important teaching about the belief in Yaumul Qiyama is that it is a day when
- The world will come to an end
 - Eternal life will start
 - Parents will run away from their children
 - Good deeds will be rewarded, and bad deeds punished
78. Which sunnah fast is observed on 10th of Muharram?
- Ashurah
 - Taasua
 - Sittatu shawwal
 - Ramadhan
79. Which of the following angels is correctly matched with the duty?
- Mikail-paradise
 - Jibril-wahyi
 - Ridhwan-hell
 - Israfil-rain

80. Which of the following is a business practice allowed in Islam?
- Hoarding
 - Ghush
 - Profit making
 - Charging interest
81. Your friend Halima wants to buy a dress as a present for her cousin. What advice would you give her?
- Buy a short fancy dress
 - Buy a long transparent dress
 - Buy a long and loose dress
 - Buy a tight dress that is expensive
82. Sauda a standard six girl was insulted by her classmate. What was the best action for her to take?
- Tell her she is fasting
 - Insult her back
 - Tell her best friend
 - Tell the Imam of the nearest mosque
83. How best would you appreciate your parents after they die?
- Building their graves nicely
 - Crying for them after every swalah
 - Naming your children after them
 - Praying for them regularly
84. In which city was the prophet when he received the first revelation?
- Madinah
 - Makkah
 - Taif
 - Jerusalem
85. Which of the following forms of torture was inflicted to Muslims in Makkah during the early days of Islam?
- Being made to lie under the hot
 - Being burnt alive
 - Abduction
 - Cutting of their limbs
86. What was the first thing that the prophet (s.a.w) did immediately he migrated to Madinah?
- Marrying
 - Sacrificing an animal
 - Building a mosque
 - Conquering Makkah
87. While walking to your friend's house. You notice a small boy being bullied by your friend. What should you do?
- Stop the bullies and tell them it is wrong
 - Help your friend to fight the bullies
 - Assume you saw nothing
 - Look for a police station to report the matter
88. In which month do Muslims perform the fifth pillar of Islam?
- Ramadhan
 - Dhul-hijja
 - Shaaban
 - Rajab
89. Which of the following is a similarity between Idd and Friday prayers?.
- They are both performed in the morning
 - They both have adhan
 - They are both performed in the afternoon
 - They both have two rakaats
90. Which value do we learn from the story of Nabii Yusuf (A.S)?
- Generosity
 - Patience
 - Forgiveness
 - kindness