

KCPE PREDICTION

CLASS 8

SERIES 2

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ENGLISH STD 8 TERM 1 Time: 1 hour 40 Mins

Read the passage below. It contains blank spaces numbered 1-15. For blank spaces choose the best alternative from the choices given

“Help! Help!” Went the desperate screams. 1 neighbours, knowing 2 to leave the safety of 3 homes, peeped unobtrusively through their windows. They 4 to see what was happening at the 5 houses. Others went on undisturbed by the screams.

Shikunzi the new neighbor, shot out of his house, heading 6 to the direction of the house carrying a machete. He made war cries 7, he ran 8 where all the men the neighbourhood 9. Wasn’t that just a woman screaming?

Soon he 10 at the door, knocking loudly. When 11 answered the door, he turned the handle and walked in expecting to find 12 terrible mess. He was 13 unprepared for the sight that met him. A woman sat 14 on a coach, cuddling, baby and smiling sweetly. ‘Where are they? Did they harm you? ‘Are you all right?’ Shikunzi 15 breathlessly.

The woman started blankly at Shikunzi, who turned and left the house.

- | A | B | C | D |
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| 1. The | Some | Other | All the |
| 2. good | Well | better | best |
| 3. their | the | there | they are |
| 4. enjoyed | liked | loved | wanted |
| 5. woman | woman’s | womans’ | womans |
| 6. in | into | on | onto |
| 7. but | While | when | as |
| 8. thinking | wandering | wondering | reminiscing |
| 9. have been | were | are | had been |
| 10. was standing | is standing | will be standing | will stand |
| 11. anyone | Non | none | no one |
| 12. the | a | some | any |
| 13. quiet | Hardly | quite | also |
| 14. happily | anxiously | suspiciously | comfortably |
| 15. asked | replied | answered | said |

For question 16-18, choose the most appropriate word to fill in the blank spaces.

16. That was the ____ interesting story. I have ever heard.
 A. much more
 B. more
 C. most
 D. very
17. They walked ____ the standard 8 classroom and entered the staffroom.
 A. pass
 B. past
 C. passed
 D. passing

18. Since we have ____ hard, I think we shall win the dancing competition.

- A. Practice
 B. Practicsed
 C. Practised
 D. Practiced

For questions 19 and 20 arrange the given sentences to make a sensible paragraph.

19. i) I took off at a speed that could turn a cheetah green with envy.
 ii) I was resting under a mango tree on sultry Saturday afternoon

- iii) I did not wait to find out what the object was
iv) something that looked like a round object suddenly landed a few feet from where I was
v) Who knows, I could have saved myself from instant death
A. ii, v, iii, i, iv
B. ii, iv, v, iii, i
C. ii, iv, iii, I, v
D. ii, iv, I, iii, iv

20. i) His uncle glared at him
ii) When the lame man fell down he burst into laughter
iii) He was sorry for laughing at somebody's misfortune.
iv) It was then that he realized he had done something wrong
A. i, iv, ii, iii B. i, iv, iii, ii
C. ii, I, iv, iii D. ii, i, iii, iv,

For question 21 and 22, give the appropriate ending of the given statement.

21. If you had apologized
A. He should have forgiven you
B. He could have forgiven you
C. He might have forgiven you
D. He would have forgiven you
22. Nanzala is taller
A. and her sister is also tall
B. of all the girls in her class
C. than any other girl in this class

- D. that she can touch the top of the door

Select the alternative that means the same as the given sentence in each of the following.

23. No sooner had I arrived home than the phone rang.
A. I arrived home as soon as the phone rang
B. The phone rang after I arrived home.
C. When the phone rang was ringing, I arrived home
D. The phone rang immediately I arrived home
24. The boy cried when he saw his mother leaving.
A. The boy cried because he was leaving his mother
B. Leaving his mother made the boy cry
C. Seeing his mother leave made the boy cry
D. The boy started crying when his mother left
25. Shikanda wished he had reported the matter to the police.
A. Shikanda may have reported the matter to the police
B. Shikanda may have reported the matter to the police
C. Shikanda hoped to reported the matter to the police
D. Shikanda regretted not reporting the matter to the police

Read the passage below to answer questions 26-38

By 2.00 a.m. we were all up. Our journey to Ileho would start at 4.00 a.m. The prefects and the boarding master did not need to supervise us to wash or pack our food and drinking water. Even those of us who hated cold baths, or never took baths, needed no arguing. However, we never left our school in Shihingo, Lubao, until 5.00 a.m. We had to drive back to pick a teacher and two pupils. They had been left behind when they got out of the bus after roll – call.

Our first stop was going to be at a place called Ingolomosio in Kambiri to see the famous crying stone. As we travelled through Kakamega and Kambi towards Kambiri, the beautiful green scenery changed to the rocky countryside that is common in Kambiri. Huge stones covered the hillsides. Some stones were bigger than a house and they looked as if they were just loosely attached to the hill. I feared to imagine what would happen to motorists and villagers down the valley were the huge boulders to detach themselves and roll down. I later learnt that the name Kambiri meant a place of stones.

Soon we got to Ingolomosio shopping centre. As we got out of the bus, there was a sight to behold! On a small hill near the centre, a huge stone that looked like a man with hunched square shoulders sat on of a man sat on the one with hunched shoulders. A small dried-up river appeared to have flowed from what could be called the man's neck, giving 'him' the appearance of a sad person crying.

We were eager to get closer to this wonderful sight. We walked quickly through a narrow path across a small stream. And there it stood – a huge, majestic – looking stone about fifty metres high! When we got closer, we noticed that there were numerous stones that surrounded the huge one. The locals have a story about the stone that it was once married to a wife who left after a disagreement with the husband, the weeping stone. That is why the stone cries. The wife, another smaller stone that stands about five hundred

metres away, is said to have deserted the man and their many children, the numerous stones around the crying one.

The stone is said to cry every year in August and the tears flow from where the head rests. No other water trickles down the stone. It is amazing that even rainwater falls from the stone's head without trickling down the body to the ground.

Some people believe that the stone has some supernatural powers. They come to say their prayers and perform rituals at the stone.

Our next stop was the Webuye Paper Mills, and the rest of the journey was uneventful.

Adapted from the diversity of Ileho by Lunani

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| <p>26. We can tell that the pupils in the story</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Never take a bath unless they are made toB. Sometimes need supervision to take bathsC. Do not take baths all the timeD. Only take baths when going on a journey <p>27. At the start of the journey, the pupils</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Bathed, packed food and water, took roll call and leftB. Bathed, took roll-call, packed food and water and leftC. Bathed, packed food and water, left and took roll callD. Bathed, left, took roll call and packed food and water <p>28. Which of the following is false</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. The author was very observantB. The authority was afraid the rocks would fall on peopleC. The Kambiri countryside has many huge stonesD. The whole of Kambiri is covered with stones <p>29. 'Loosely attached' as used in the passage suggests that ____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. the stones could easily jump out of the hillB. the stones did not seem firm on the groundC. the stones could roll down any momentD. the stones had just been placed on the hill <p>30. The crying stone looked like a man because ____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. it was cryingB. it had a familyC. it had the features of a body and a headD. it was left by the wife <p>31. The group from Ganjo first saw the stone</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. when they stood next to itB. when they were walking towards itC. when they got out of the bus at ilesiD. when they approached Ilesi <p>32. The crying stone is described as majestic because ____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. It was huge, beautiful and impressive.B. It was huge, kingly and wide | <ul style="list-style-type: none">C. It was impressive, serious-looking and stood above other stones.D. It was huge, powerful and impressive <p>33. From the story about the stone and its family, we can conclude that;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. The stones were people who changed into stonesB. People only imagined that others could change into stonesC. People could use natural features to explain social problemsD. The stone wept because it could not look after the children alone <p>34. From the appearance of the huge stone, what do you think makes the local people conclude that it weeps?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. The evidence of a small riverB. The small river flowing from its neckC. The rainwater trickling from its headD. The sadness on the stone's face <p>35. Which of the following is true about the local people's idea about marriage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Men weep when they are left by their wivesB. Men and women must help one another in looking after childrenC. Men do not know what to do when their wives leave them.D. Men should love and care for their wives <p>36. What is the most amazing thing about the stone?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Rainwater does not touch itB. Only water from the small river touches the stoneC. No water ever touches the stoneD. The stone's head does not allow water to touch its body <p>37. From the passage we can tell that ____.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. The journey was going to be very longB. The students were only visiting IlesiC. The writer was not enthusiastic about the other places they visitedD. Webuye did not have a crying stone. |
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Read the poem below and answer question 39 – 50

The Parking Boy

In the lonely squalid alleys
I rummage among the rubbish bins
Searching for a dropped morsel, a coin
Nobody has been extravagant.

Christmas comes, the city is invaded
I peep through a toy-shop
A boy makes his choice
Holding hands, father and son walk out
With stretched hands, I follow.

With great effort, I restrain myself
From snatching and running off
I venture: *Saidia maskini*
Nobody pays heed to my plea
At the car park someone tosses a copper coin.

It rolls to the road and I chase
With a screech I hear a car stop
From it comes the word 'bastard'
I pick up the coin and run off
My bare –bottom a testimony to my predicament.

I sit by the roadside and wish
Someone would say 'eat with us tonight'
But no such invitation is forthcoming
All I get are suspicious stares
A quicker pace and clasping of bags.

(poem by Agnes Githumbi – Published in *Tender Memories*: Poems and short stories)

38. The fact that the alleys are squalid means they
- A. Look strange
 - B. Are dirty
 - C. Are uninhabited
 - D. Are frightening
39. '**Searching for a dropped morsel...**' What does this tell us about the poet?
- A. He was hungry
 - B. He was lonely
 - C. He needed money
 - D. He was unsuccessful
40. Why does the poet say that nobody has been extravagant?
- A. Because people should not waste their money
 - B. Because money cannot be found in rubbish bins
 - C. Because he did not find any money
 - D. Because he did not get the money he had hidden in the bins
41. Who invaded the city?
- A. Beggars and other poor people
 - B. Fathers and their sons
 - C. People travelling home for Christmas

- D. People shopping for Christmas
42. The poet must have looked at the boy in the toy –shop?
A. Anger B. Envy
C. Shock D. Disgust
43. The poet follow the father and son out of the toy-shop?
A. He wanted the man to buy him a toy
B. He wanted to see the toy better
C. He wanted to beg for alms
D. He thought the man was his father
44. Why did the poet follow the father and son out of the toy –shop?
A. He wanted the man to buy him a toy
B. He wanted to see the toy better
C. He wanted to beg for alms
D. He thought the man was his father
45. The first two lines of the third stanza show that
A. the poet wasn't really a thief
B. the poet was born a thief
C. the poet should have snatched the toy
D. the poet was unable to snatch the toy
46. Why did the car suddenly stop?
A. To allow the poet to cross the road
B. The motorist wanted to give money to the poet
C. To avoid knocking down the poet
D. To enable the poet to take his coin
47. The last line of the fourth stanza tells us that the poet
A. Was always hungry
B. Had many problems
C. Needed fatherly love
D. Was clad in tatters
48. We can conclude that the poet was
A. A street urchin
B. A thief
C. An orphan
D. A dangerous criminal
49. How best can the poet be described?
A. Lazy, dirty and criminal
B. A lazy and hungry petty thief
C. Hungry, dirty and unloved
D. Dirty and hungry bastard
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COMPOSITION STD 8 TERM 1

Time: 40 Mins

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

We had just settled in class when our class teacher came in hurriedly and asked us to pack our books and go out.....

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MTIHANI WA DARASA LA NANE

KISWAHILI : LUGHA

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CODE: 0012020

Muda: Saa 1 Dakika 40

Chagua jibu lifaalo Zaidi kati ya yale uliyopewa kujaza mapengo.

Harufu ya chawa ya maua, sauti ___1___ ndege ___2___ mkorogo ___3___ sauti ___4___ ___5___
dirishani hadi chumbani ___6___ Julia. ___7___ ya mijikaranda ___8___ nje yalicheza na ___9___ pambaja na
___10___. ___11___ ukipiga na ___12___ majani ___13___ kunoneana yakiuhongera upepo ___14___. Julia,
uso ___15___ mashavu yaliyojaa ndu umechanuka, macho yameng'aa na tabasamu kuuvaa uso mzima.

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| 1. A. ya | B. za | C. la | D. wa |
| 2. A. kwa | B. katika | C. na | D. kwenye |
| 3. A. wa | B. la | C. ya | D. za |
| 4. A. lingine | B. jingine | C. wengine | D. nyingine |
| 5. A. zilipenya | B. lilipenya | C. ulipenya | D. walipenya |
| 6. A. alimokuwa | B. alichokuwa | C. alikokuwa | D. walimokuwa |
| 7. A. mizizi | B. matawi | C. mimea | D. maganda |
| 8. A. humu | B. huko | C. hapa | D. kwenye |
| 9. A. kipiganisha | B. kupigania | C. kupigana | D. kupigishwa |
| 10. A. mwangazo | B. kiangazi | C. pepo | D. upepo |
| 11. A. uliokuwa | B. zilizokuwa | C. walizokuwa | D. yaliyokuwa |
| 12. A. kuzifanya | B. Kulifanya | C. kuyafanya | D. kuzifanya |
| 13. A. lenyewe | B. yenyewe | C. zenyewe | D. yenye |
| 14. A. hayo | B. hilo | C. hizo | D. huo |
| 15. A. wenye | B. zenye | C. lenye | D. yenye |

Kutoka swai 16 mpaka 30 chagua jibu sahihi kulingana na maagizo uliyopewa.

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| 16. Gani si nomino?
A. uongo
C. wema | B. usafi
D. sujudu |
| 17. Vyakula vizuri vilipikwa na mama vizuri imetumika kama ____.
A. kielezi
C. kisifa | B. kiarifa
D. kivumishi |
| 18. Ni sentensi gani imeandikwa katika kauli ya kutendewa?
A. Alipigwa kwa sababu ya mchezo
B. Shamba lililimwa vyema
C. Mpira uliingiziwa pembezoni mwa kimia
D. Salma alimkimbilia shangaziye | |
| 19. Nini maana ya nahau fanya inda?
A. Kuwa mja mzito
B. Fanya mtu asipate kitu | |
| | C. Kuwa mjeuri
D. Fanya kazi ya sulubu |
| 20. Adili ni mtu mwadilifu, chauremb ni mtu mrembo ilhali Bakaya ni mtu mlafi. Majina kama haya ni ____.
A. tashbihi
C. balagha | B. majazi
D. jazanda |
| 21. Andika wingi na ukanusho wa Waridi linapendeza
A. Mawaridi hayapendezi
B. Waridi halipendezi
C. Lawaridi hayapendezi
D. Nyaridi hazipendezi | |
| 22. Nini ukubwa na wingi wa sentensi ifuatayo?
Kiti hiki kimevunjika
A. majiti haya yamevunjika
B. Majiviti hivi vimevunjika
C. Majikiti haya yamevunjika | |

- D. Makiti hii zimevunjika
23. Geuza sentensi ifuatayo iwe katika taarifa
“Mkijibu maswali haya vyema, nitawatuza mwaka kesho,” Mwalimu alisema.
- A. Mwalimu alisema kuwa tukijibu maswali hayo vizuri atatutuzwa mwaka ujao
- B. Mwalimu alisema kuwa tungejibu maswali hayo vizuri angetutuzwa mwaka ujao
- C. Mwalimu alisema kuwa tungejibu maswali yale vizuri atatutuzwa mwaka kesho
- D. Mwalimu alisema kuwa angetutuzwa baada ya mtihani mwako ujao
24. **Yeye** ni mtoto mweledi mno. Neno yeye limetumika kama.
- A. Kivumishi
- B. Kielezi
- C. Kiwakilishi
- D. Kiashiria
25. Andika kinyume cha Mfarika amenywea.
- A. Mfaniku amechachamaa
- B. Fahali amenenepa
- C. Mgumba amesinyaa
- D. Mbarika amenenepa
26. Askari wa kukodiwa huitwa ____.
- A. kachero B. mamluki
- C. mahuluki D. bawabu
27. Chagua neno ambalo ni kiunganishi katika sentensi hii. Mwalimu alienda darasani lakini hakufundisha.
- A. mwalimu
- B. alienda
- C. lakini
- D. darasani
28. Neno jingine lenye maana sawa na hamali ni ____.
- A. baradhuli
- B. mchoyo
- C. mdadisi
- D. mpagazi
29. Sehemu ya mwili inayosafisha damu ni ____.
- A. pafu B. figo
- C. kibofu D. ini
30. Neno uzalio liko katika ngeli gani?
- A. U-YA B. U-U
- C. I-ZI D. U-ZI

Soma kifungu hiki kisha ujibu maswali 31-40

Kefa Matendechere,
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12/01/2016

Mwalimu wa Darasa la 8,
Shule ya Peponi,
S.L.P 90
GAMEKAKA.

Kwa Bibi,

KUH : KUOMBA MSAMAHA KWA KUTOFANYA KAZI.

Ninaandika barua hii ili kuomba msamaha kwa kutofanya kazi ya likizo ambayo ulitupa. Ninasikitika ya kwamba tulipofunga shule mwezi wa Disemba mwaka jana, niliambukizwa uwele wa mchochoto wa ubongo punde tu baada ya siku mbili za kufunga shule.

Awali, wavyele wangu walidhani ni homa ya malaria, hivyo basi wakaninunulia tembe za kumeza wakidhani ya kwamba ningepata afueni. Badala ya kupona, hali yangu ilizidi kuwa mbaya. Walipoona nikizidiwa, walinipeleka kwa tabibu na baada ya kupimwa, ikadhihirika dhahiri shahiri ya kwamba ni ukongo wa mchochoto wa ubongo !

Mara tu ilipogunduliwa hivyo, hatua za dharura zilichukuliwa za kunisafirisha kwa eropleni moja kwa moja hadi katika hospitali kuu ya ‘Aga Khan jijini Nairobi kule nililazwa mara moja. Waganga na waganguzi wakaanza pilkapilka zao za mchwa ili kuiokoa roho yangu. Haikuwa kazi rahisi, hata nusura wavyele wangu wakate tamaa kwani nilikuwa sijijui sijitambui si hayati si mamati. Nilikuwa nikichungulia kaburi.

Nililazwa hospitali humo kwa muda wa wiki nne. Hata hivyo, niliporuhusiwa kurudi nyumbani, nilikuwa bado nmedhoofika kisiha na kunyong'onyea kiafya. Nisingeweza kamwe kuifanya kazi yoyote ya masomo maadamu tafakari zangu hazikuwa sawasawa.

Tafadhali ninaomba uniwe radhi kwa kutofanya kazi hiyo. Ninaahidi ya kwamba punde nitakapopata afueni nitaishughulikia kazi hiyo hatua kwa hatua hadi niikamilishe bila ajizi yoyote kwani ninafahamu kuwa ajizi ni nyumba ya njaa.

Ni matumaini yangu kwamba utaelewa hali yangu na kulikubali ombi langu.

Wako Mtiifu



Kefa Matendechere

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| <p>31. Aina hii ya barua huitwaje?
A. barua ya kidugu
B. barua rasmi
C. barua ya kuomba msamaha
D. barua ya kirafiki</p> <p>32. Aliyeandikuwa barua hii ni _____.
A. mwalimu
B. mwanafunzi
C. kefa matendechere
D. mwalimu wa darasa</p> <p>33. Katika barua hii kusudi limeandikwa, yaani "kuomba msamaha kwa kutofanya kazi" sehemu hii huitwaje?
A. kianzio B. maamkizi
C. mtajo D. tamati</p> <p>34. Ni sentensi gani si sahihi kulingana na taarifa?
A. Mgonjwa anajali masomo yake
B. Ugonjwa uliomwathiri mwandishi ni hatari
C. Mwandishi hatawahi kuifanya kazi aliyopewa
D. Mpokeaji wa barua hii yuko meru</p> <p>35. Mwandishi anaomba msamaha hii ni ishara ya _____.
A. utovu wa adabu
B. uzembe kazini
C. heshima</p> | <p>D. uwongo</p> <p>36. Homa ya malale huambukizwa na _____.
A. mbu
B. mbung'o
C. mchochoto wa ubongo
D. uwele</p> <p>37.nilikuwa sijijui sijitambui....
Hii ni tamathali gani ya lugha.
A. Takriri B. msemu
C. tanakali ya sauti D. semi</p> <p>38. Neno kunyong'onyea limetumika katika taarifa. Maana yake ni _____.
A. kuwa bora
B. kuuma sana
C. kudhoofu mwili
D. kuwa na siha</p> <p>39. Kamilisha methali kwa usahihi. AJizi ni ufunguo wa _____.
A. njaa B. umaskini
C. heri D. ajizi</p> <p>40. Badala ya kuikamilisha barua hii kwa maneno "wako mtiifu." Pia mwandishi angeweza kuikamilisha kwa kuandika _____.
A. Wako mpendwa
B. Wako wa moyoni
C. Wako wa dhati
D. Wako mwaminifu</p> |
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Soma ufahamu kisha ujibu maswali 41-50

Katika maisha ya binadamu hakuna sababy ya kukata tamaa. Ni heri kujikaza kisabuni hadi siku ya mwisho. Japo juhudi si pato, huenda tukafaulu mwishowe kwani papo kwa papo Kamba hulikata jiwe.

Zawadi alizaliwa katika familia fakiri kila mtu alikuwa mchochole, asiye na mbele wala nyuma. Zawadi alitupwa na mama yake mzazi siku chache baada ya kuzaliwa. Mambo hayo alifahamishwa alipokuwa na miaka thenashara. Kwa sababu alikuwa akiuliza kila siku walikokuwa wazazi wake. Jitimai isiyokuwa na kifani ilijaa katika moyo wake hakuelewa kwa nini hakuelezwa mambo yale. Aliamini kuwa dunia huzaa njema na vimbi, vikija vyema tushangilie na vikija vimbi tuvivumilie. Hakuwa na budi kuvumilia kwani lisilo na budi hubidi.

Ukweli wa mambo ni kuwa zawadi alizaliwa nje ya ndoa. Baba yake alikataa jukumu la uzazi naye mama yake kwa kushindwa kuelewa hatua ya kuchukua, akaamua kumtelekeza. Hapa ndipo alipookotwa na

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wasamaria wema waliompeleka katika nyumba ya mayatima. Akawa yatima aliyena wazazi wote wawili. Uchungu ulioje. Inaonekana kuwa mama yake aliamini kuwa mkono mmoja haumlei mwana.

Zawadi aliingiwa na hamu ya kuwaona wazazi wake. Alishindwa kumakinika shuleni kwani kila wakati alikuwa na mawazo belele yakimzunguka akilini kama pia. Aliamua kuanza harakati za kuwatafuta wazazi wake. Kazi hiyo haikuwa rahisi na mwishowe alirudi pale pale.

Katika nyumba za mayatima baada ya kukata tamaa ama kweli mwenda tezi omo marejeo ni ngamani. Wafadhili wake walimpa moyo kuendelea na maisha yake ya kawaida. Alifanya hivyo na baada ya miaka mingi alihitimu kama daktari na kwenda kufanya kazi katika hospitali ya kitaifa. Aliwahudumia wagonjwa wengi kwa moyo wake wote. Zawadi alijaliwa kupata mchumba na baada ya miaka miwili wakafunga nikahi. Alijaliwa kuwapata watoto watatu, wawili wa kike na mmoja wa kiume.

Siku moja zawadi alikuwa akimhudumia mama mmoja hospitalini. Mama huyo alikuwa na mvuto wa ajabu kwa zawadi. Alimwonea huruma na kutaka kujua mengi. Mama yule akaamua kumweleza kila kitu bila kuficha chochote.

“Mwanangu najua mama yako anakuonea fahari sana. Bila shaka ni mama mwenye furaha. Mimi sina bahati. Nilipokuwa msichana, nilipata mimba kabla sijaolewa. Kijana aliyeniringia mimba akakataa katakata kunioa wala kunisaidia katika malezi ya mtoto yule.

Niliamua kumwacha njiani na kutoroka. Sijui kama alikufa au alipata msamaria mwema. Nilienda kuishi mji wa mbali ili nisijulikane. Baada ya muda mfupi nilimpata mchumba na akaniona lakini sikuweza kupata mtoto tena. Naamini Mungu alikifunga kizazi changukwa dhambi niliyotenda.

Zawadi aliduwaa. Akataka kujua Zaidi huku akijisemea moyoni, “Kumbe kuna wengi wanaofanyiwa kama mimi.” Alimwuliza ni wapi alipomtupa mtoto wake na ni mwaka gani. Baada ya maelezo ya yule mama, Zawadi aliangua kilio kilichowashangaza wagonjwa wauguzi na jamaa za wa wagonjwa.

“Ni mimi mama uliyenitupa. Nimekulia katika nyumba ya mayatima ilhali nina wazazi!” Huzuni ilitanda. Vilio vya mama na bintiye. Huzuni, majuto na furaha vyote vilichanganyika. Daktari mkuu aliwachukua na kuwapeleka katika chumba maalum ili wapate fursa ya kuongea na wasiwasumbue wagonjwa wengine.

41. Methali “papo kwa papo Kamba hulikata jiwe” inamaana gani?
 - A. Jambo lililo gumu likifanyiwa bidi mfululizo litawezekana
 - B. Kujitahidi katika jambo Fulani si thibitisho la ufanisi
 - C. Kufaulu kwa jambo lolote hakutegemei bidii
 - D. Siri ya fanaka ni ulegevu
42. Zawadi alijua ukweli kuhusu wazazi wake alipokuwa na umri wa
 - A. Miezi michache
 - B. Miaka sita
 - C. Miaka sita
 - D. Miaka kumi na miwili
43. Ukweli wa mambo ni kuwa zawadi alikuwa _____.
 - A. yatima
 - B. mwanaharamu
 - C. kiokote
 - D. zumbukuku
44. Kwa nini Zawadi alikuwa akiuliza kuhusu wazazi wake.
 - A. Alikuwa ameambiwa kuwa walikuwa hai
 - B. Alijua walikuwa mahali Fulani
 - C. Alitaka kujua kama walikuwa hai au walikufa ila awe na ukweli
 - D. Alikuwa akiteswa katika nyumba ya mayatima na wahudumu kule
45. Matokeo ya kuwatafuta wazazi wake yaliishia vipi?
 - A. Aliwatafuta mpaka akawapata
 - B. Yalikuwa ya kuvunja moyo kwani hakufanikiwa
 - C. Yalikuwa ya kutia moyo kwa sababu alipata fununu
 - D. Alimpata baba yake lakini hakumpata mama yake
46. Kwa nini zawadi anaitwa yatima aliye na wazazi?
 - A. Alikuwa na wazazi lakini hawakujulikana

- B. Wazazi wake walikufa akiwa mdogo
 - C. Alikuwa na wazazi walezi lakini wazazi wake halisi walikuwa wamekufa
 - D. Hakuwa na uhakika kuwa wazazi wake walikuwa hai
47. Kiokote ni nani?
- A. Mtoto aliyeokotwa
 - B. Mtoto ambaye hana wazazi
 - C. Mtoto anayeokota vitu mapipani
 - D. Mtoto aliye na wazazi lakini wamemtelekeza
48. Mama yake zawadi alikuwa na jumla ya watoto wangapi?
- A. watatu
 - B. wawili
 - C. mmoja
 - D. hatukuambiwa
49. Zawadi alikutana na mama yake wapi?
- A. zahanatini
 - B. njiani
 - C. kanisani
 - D. hospitalini
50. Mama yake zawadi ana Imani gani kwa kutopata mtoto.
- A. Hakuhitaji mtoto mwengine
 - B. Anaadhibiwa kwa dhambi aliyoitenda na kumtupa mtoto wake
 - C. Mume wake alikuwa gumba
 - D. Yeye mwenyewe alikuwa tasa

Muda: Dakika 40

“..... ama kweli, mtoto umleavyo ndivyo akuavyo”

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MATHEMATICS STD 8 TIME: 2 HOURS

1. Which one of the following numbers is ten million six hundred thousand five hundred and twenty in figures?
- A. 1 605 200
 - B. 106 005 020
 - C. 10600 520
 - D. 10 060 520

2. What is 2.09545 rounded off to three decimal places.
- A. 2.095
 - B. 2.100
 - C. 2.955
 - D. 2.096

3. What is the value of

$$\frac{3(5^2 + 4^2) - 6 \times 8 \div 2}{11 \times 3}$$

- A. $49\frac{1}{2}$
- B. 3
- C. 33
- D. $5\frac{1}{33}$

4. How many days are there between 31st January to 1st March in the year 2000?

- A. 31
- B. 30
- C. 29
- D. 28

5. What is the value of;-

$$\frac{0.36 \times 4.5 \times 5.7}{0.72 \times 0.5 \times 1.9}$$

- A. 135
- B. 0.135
- C. 1.35
- D. 13.5

6. Omolo bought the following items from Uchumi supermarket 3 packets of maize meal @ sh. 105.

1 ½ kg of rice @ sh. 90

2 loaves of bread @ sh. 45

2 kg of beans for sh. 160

2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kg potatoes @ sh. 40

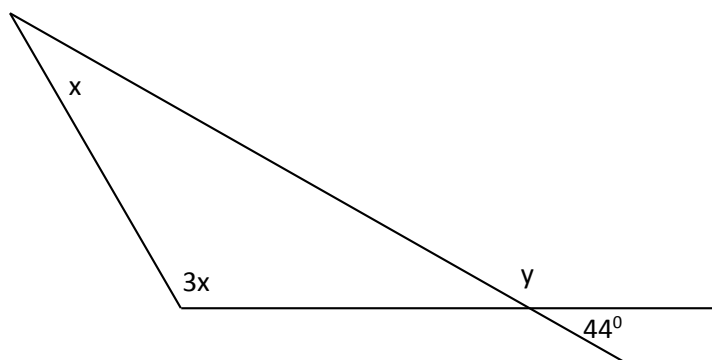
If he gave the shopkeeper a sh. 1000 note, how much balances did he receive?

- A. Sh. 200 B. sh. 40
C. sh. 360 D. sh. 240

7. What is the next number in the pattern
8, 9, 13, 22, ____.

- A. 28 B. 38
C. 42 D. 36

8. In the figure below, the angles are marked by letters



What is the size of the angle marked x ?

- A. 42° B. 34° C. 36° D. 52°

9. The diagonals of a rhombus are 10 cm and 24 cm long respectively. Calculate the perimeter of the rhombus?

- A. 92 cm B. 72 cm
C. 68 cm D. 52 cm

10. In the number 57402, what is the product of total value of digit 7 and 4?

- A. 7000 B. 2 800 000
C. 7 400 D. 28000

11. A room measures 10 m by 8 m by 4 m high. The doors and windows take 24 m^2 . If paint is sold in 3 litre tins at sh. 950 per tin. What is the cost of paint used for painting the walls if 1 litre was used for every 8 m^2 ?

- A. Sh. 28500 B. sh. 4750
C. sh. 14250 D. sh. 5750

12. A tap takes 3.5 hours to fill $\frac{7}{8}$ of a tank with water. When will the empty tank be filled if the tap is turned on at 10.15 a.m?

- A. 2.30 p.m. B. 2.15 p.m.
C. 3.15 p.m. D. 10.45 p.m.

13. A clock gains 5 seconds every hour. If it was set correctly at 10.30 a.m on Tuesday, at what time would it read the following Tuesday at 10.30 a.m.?

- A. 10.25 a.m. B. 10.30 p.m.
C. 10.44 a.m. D. 10.16 a.m.

14. Find the value of ;

$$\frac{3}{4} - \left(\frac{2}{5} \text{ of } \frac{1}{6} \right) + \frac{1}{8}$$

- A. $\frac{97}{120}$ B. $\frac{11}{60}$ C. $\frac{29}{30}$ D. $\frac{7}{8}$

15. What is the value of x in the equation;

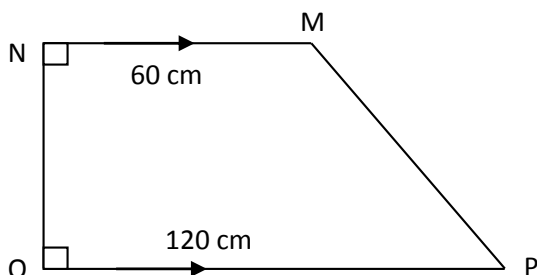
$$\frac{x-3}{3} + x = 5 - 2x$$

- A. $1\frac{4}{5}$ B. 2 C. $1\frac{1}{3}$ D. $1\frac{1}{2}$

16. What is the volume of the cylinder whose diameter is 14cm and the height 25cm?

- A. 1540 cm^3 B. 53080 cm^3
C. 3850 cm^3 D. 6160 cm^3

17. The figure below is a trapezium MNOP of are 7200 cm^2 .



Find the perimeter of the trapezium

- A. 270 cm B. 9 cm
C. 260 cm D. 360 cm

18. If $a = 3$, $b = 2$, $c = a-2$, $d = a+c$. Find the value of

$$\frac{a^2b^2 - c^2d^2}{a^2c^2}$$

- A. $\frac{2}{3}$ B. $2\frac{2}{9}$ C. 20 D. $\frac{4}{9}$

19. The cash price of a radio is sh. 20000. A trader offered 20% discount on it if bought on cash. However on hire purchase price, one can pay a deposit of sh. 9000 and sh. 1500 monthly installments for 6 months. How much more than cash price will a customer pay on hire purchase?

- A. Sh. 3000 B. sh. 6000
C. sh. 4500 D. sh. 2000

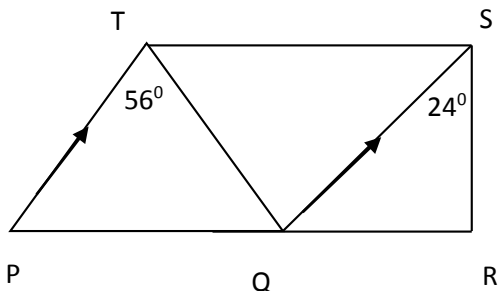
20. An open pipe has a length of 28 cm and diameter of 14 cm. Find its total surface area.

- A. 1232 cm^2 B. 1386 cm^2
C. 616 cm^2 D. 154 cm^2

21. On a map whose scale is 1:200000 a rectangular piece of land measures 5 cm by 4 cm. What is the area of this piece of land in hectares?

- A. 80000 ha B. 8000 ha
C. 800 ha D. 80 ha

22. In the figure below PT is parallel to Qs, SR is perpendicular to PR. Angle QSR = 24° and angle PTQ = 56° .



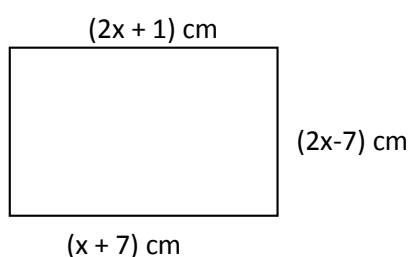
What is the size of angle PQT.

- A. 62° B. 56° C. 66° D. 58°

23. Construct triangle ABC in which line AB = 8 cm angle ABC = 75° and line BC = 4 cm. Draw a circle that passes through the points A, B and C. What is the radius of the circle?

- A. 8.2 cm B. 5.1 cm
C. 2.9 cm D. 4.1 cm

24. The figure below is a rectangle



What is the perimeter of the rectangle?

- A. 31 cm B. 36 cm
C. 18 cm D. 65 cm

25. A train travelling at an average speed of 54 km/h takes 10 seconds to cross the bridge. What is the length of the bridge in metres?

- A. 54 m B. 129.6 m
C. 180 m D. 150 m

26. Twenty men can do a piece of work in 14 days. If six workers fail to turn up for the job, How many more days will the remaining workers take to place complete the same piece of work?

- A. 14 B. 20
C. 6 D. 26

27. Omondi earns a basic salary of sh. 4500. He is also paid a commission of 25% on sales above sh. 10,000. In one month he earned a total of sh. 8500. Find the total sales.

- A. Sh. 16000 B. sh. 26000
C. sh. 70000 D. sh. 126000

28. A bus left Kakamega at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday and took 9 hours 40 min to reach Mtito Andei. On what day and time did it reach Mtito Andei?

- A. Wed 5.10 a.m. B. Tue 5.10 a.m.
C. Wed 5.10 p.m. D. Tue 5.10 p.m.

29. Kamau paid sh. 5780 for a dress after getting a discount of 15% of the marked price. How much would she have paid if she was offered a 20% discount?

- A. Sh. 5440 B. sh. 8160
C. sh. 6144 D. sh. 6936

30. The table below shows the number of crates of bread sold from a supermarket in six days of the week.

Day	M	T	W	TH	F	S
No. of crates	160	240	380	420	510	300

Find the mean sale for the week.

- A. 353 B. 335
C. 2010 D. 325

31. How many groups of hundreds are in the total value of digit 6 in 764 895?

- A. 60 B. 6000

- C. 600 D. 60000

32. Simplify the expression.

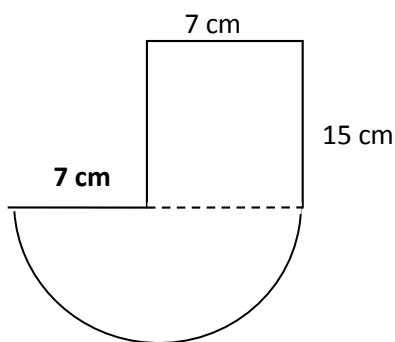
$$\frac{4}{5}(30m + 15y) + \frac{2}{3}(12m + 12y)$$

- A. $32y + 26m$ B. $32m - 26y$
C. $20y + 32m$ D. $32m + 26y$

33. Caleb bought 3.5 tonnes of sugar from West Kenya sugar factory and repacked into 2kg packets. How many packets did he obtain.

- A. 1750 B. 3500
C. 1705 D. 7000

34. What is the perimeter of the figure below? (Take π as $\frac{22}{7}$)



- A. 616 cm B. 102 cm
C. 66 cm D. 80 cm

35. In Malava constituency three candidates contested for the seat of M.P. The first candidate got 675 votes more than the second candidate who got 15900 votes. The third candidate got $\frac{2}{5}$ of what the two candidates got. If one hundred and eighty votes got spoilt, how many votes were cast altogether?

- A. 45465 B. 32475
C. 45645 D. 53423

36. A path 2.5 m wide runs all the way round a plot of land measuring 40 m long by 24 m wide. What is the area of the path?

- A. 1305 m^2 B. 345 m^2
C. 960 m^2 D. 1045 m^2

37. The age of 10 pupils in std 8 in Mahehe school is as follows:- 18, 13, 14, 19, 14, 16, 17, 14, 15 and 16 years.

Calculate the sum of mean and mode

- A. 14.0 B. 31.1
C. 29.6 D. 15.6

38. A 20.5 m long ladder leans on a 20m high wall. How far from the wall is the ladder placed?

- A. 9m B. 4.5 m
C. 18m D. 5.5 m

39. There were t men in Jambo travellers bus. The number of children in the bus was three times that of men but fifteen more than that of women. The total number of men, women and children was 54. Which one of the following equations can be used to find the number of men?

- A. $7t+15 = 54$
B. $3\frac{1}{2}t - 30 = 54$
C. $2t - 15 = 54$
D. $7t - 15 = 54$

40. Increase $\frac{1}{2}$ by 25%

- A. $\frac{5}{4}$ B. $\frac{1}{8}$ C. 0.625 D. 0.125

41. Evaluate $(47 - 12 \times 3) + 84 \div 12$

- A. 17 B. $7\frac{11}{12}$
C. 18 D. 109

42. Kisia had the following animals on his farm cows 10, goats 6, sheep 7, pigs 5 and donkeys 2. If a pie chart was to be drawn. What angle would represent sheep?

- A. 120° B. 60°
C. 24° D. 84°

43. Shiyonga went to bed at 10.20 p.m. after studying and woke up at 5.00 a.m. How long did he sleep?

- A. Sh. 20 min B. 6 h 40 min
C. 17h 20 min D. 8 h 40 min

44. Lisamula made a 10% loss after selling a watch at shs. 1080. At what price must he sell it to make a 15% profit.

- A. 1242 B. 1380
C. 1134 D. 1200

45. Lumwamu spent $\frac{2}{5}$ of his salary on food, $\frac{1}{4}$ on clothing, $\frac{1}{6}$ on other expenses and saved the rest. What fraction of his salary did he save?

- A. $\frac{11}{60}$ B. $\frac{49}{60}$ C. $\frac{11}{30}$ D. $\frac{39}{60}$

46. What is the smallest 5 – digit number written in symbols that can be formed using. 3, 2, 7, 8 and 5?

- A. 32785 B. 23578
C. 32578 D. 87523

47. A carton measuring 72 cm by 48 cm by 75 cm was packed with cylindrical tins of radius 6 cm and height 15 cm standing upright. How many tins were there in the carton?

- A. 480 B. 360
C. 240 D. 120

48. Which of the following properties is not common with rhombus and square?

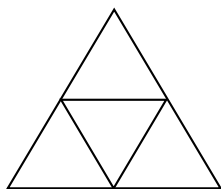
- A. Interior angles add up to 360°
B. Diagonals bisect each other at 90°
C. Each interior angle is 90°
D. All sides are equal

49. Simplify the inequality below.

$$2y - 2 < 7 - y$$

- A. $y > 3$ B. $y > 5$
C. $y < 3$ D. $y < 5$

50. How many triangles are there in the figure drawn below.



- A. 4 B. 6 C. 5 D. 8

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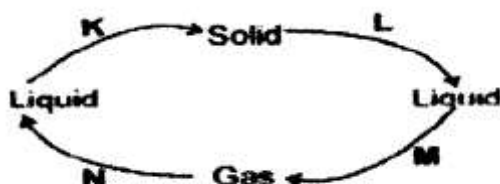
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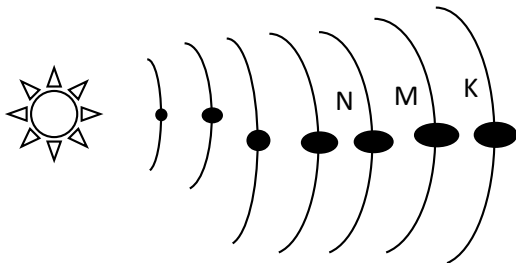
- Which one of the following methods of food preservation renders the bacteria inactive and not dead?
 - Drying
 - Salting
 - Smoking
 - Use of low temperature
- The diagram below shows change of state in matter.



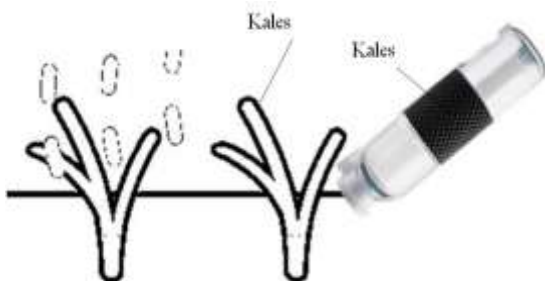
Which letter represents the process of melting?

- K
 - L
 - M
 - N
- The movement of heat through liquids such as water takes place by
 - Conduction
 - Radiation only
 - Convection only
 - Radiation and convection
 - Which one of the following materials is non magnetic?
 - Iron rod
 - Aluminium foil
 - Cobalt strip
 - Nickel coin
 - External livestock parasites can be controlled through the following ways **EXCEPT**?
 - Deworming
 - Spraying
 - Dipping
 - Rotational grazing
 - Which one of the following pairs DOES NOT constitute the living parts of the environment?
 - Animals and soil
 - Plants and water
 - Light and air
 - Sound and plants
 - Gulley erosion can be BEST controlled by:-
 - Making terraces
 - Mulching
 - Digging trenches

- D. Constructing porous dams
8. Which one of the following is NOT an effect of water pollution on animal and plant life?
- Leading to soil infertility
 - Leading to infection on animals
 - Destruction of aquatic plants
 - Blockage of root hairs
9. Use the following diagram to answer the following



- Which one of the following statement is **TRUE** about planet **K**?
- Is the brightest planet
 - Is far away from the sun than L
 - Has the largest orbit than N
 - Takes the shortest time to go round the sun than N
10. Which one of the following crops is NOT attacked by stalk borers?
- Maize
 - Beans
 - Sugarcane
 - sorghum
11. The following are characteristics of insect pollinated flowers. Which one is NOT?
- Large coloured petals
 - Brightly coloured sepals
 - Nectar at the base of the flower
 - Heavy and sticky pollen grains
12. The **main** function of the c-shaped rings in the trachea is to.
- Clean the air
 - Allow Passover of saliva
 - Allow exchange of gases
 - Keep it wide
13. Pupils carried out an activity as shown below.

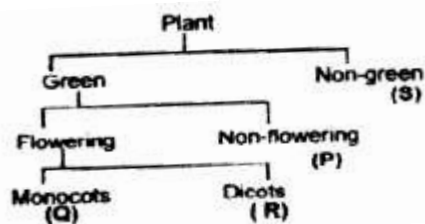


The method of water conservation practiced was

- A. Recycling water
 - B. Using water sparingly
 - C. Re-using water
 - D. Mulching
14. Which one of the following lists consists of vertebrates with similar characteristics?
- A. Ticks, spider, mites
 - B. Crocodile, snake, tortoise
 - C. Frog, toad, lizard
 - D. Dolphin, shark, tilapia
15. Which one of the following is NOT a sign of unhealthy crops?
- A. Reduced quality produce
 - B. Stunted growth
 - C. Spots and streaks
 - D. Discoloration of plant parts
16. Which of the following is HIV/AIDs likely to be transmitted by?
- A. Blood transfusion
 - B. Sharing sterilized sharp cutting tools
 - C. Sharing tooth brush
 - D. Shaved by an infected person
17. Which one of the following statements is NOT true about the blood vessels that carry blood away from the heart?
- A. Have valves
 - B. Have thick walls
 - C. Have pulse rate
 - D. Carry blood under high pressure
18. The following statements are true about energy. Which one is NOT?
- A. It causes motion
 - B. It can be conserved
 - C. It can changed from one state to another
 - D. It is the ability to do work
19. In a certain investigation, pupils shone a s torch behind different object one at a time. The aspect being investigated was ____.
- A. Source of light
 - B. Uses of light
 - C. How light travels
 - D. Passage of light through materials
20. Which of the following pair of materials can be separated by sieving?
- A. Wheat flour and husks
 - B. Water and cooking oil
 - C. Maize and chaff
 - D. Rice and small stones
21. Which one of the following diseases is usually immunized at the age of nine months?
- A. Measles
 - B. Polio
 - C. Tetanus
 - D. Whooping cough
22. Which one of the following drugs can lead to increased appetite?
- A. Khat
 - B. Tobacco
 - C. Bhang
 - D. Coccoine

23. The type of manure made by cutting growing crops into pieces and then ploughing them into the soil in a farm is?
- A. Compost manure
 - B. Green manure
 - C. Farm yard manure
 - D. Organic manure
24. Birds are not different from mammals since both of them
- A. Breathe by means of gills
 - B. Are cold blooded
 - C. Are warm blooded
 - D. Cannot feed their young ones on milk
25. The following are characteristics of all animals **EXCEPT** one, which one?
- A. Feeding
 - B. Removing waste
 - C. Making food
 - D. Reacting to changes in the surrounding
26. The following are signs and symptoms of a water borne disease.
- i) Blood in the urine and stool
 - ii) Skin rashes
 - iii) Severe itching of the bowels and bladder
- The above are signs and symptoms of
- A. Typhoid
 - B. Malaria
 - C. Dysentery
 - D. Bilharzias
27. The jar used for measuring rainfall should be ____.
- A. Long and wide
 - B. Short and narrow
 - C. Short and wide
 - D. Long and narrow
28. The following are characteristics of a certain vertebrate.
- i) Give birth to young one
 - ii) Live in water
 - iii) Are warm blooded
- The animal is **LIKELY** to be?
- A. Amphibians
 - B. Fish
 - C. Duck – billed platypus
 - D. Whale
29. Farmers are usually advised to carry out mulching **MAINLY** to?
- A. Prevent soil erosion
 - B. Conserve moisture
 - C. Eradicate weeds
 - D. Make the soil fertile
30. As the teacher asked his pupils to observe the sky, they saw clouds with the following characteristics;
- i) Thick and white
 - ii) Feathery
 - iii) Flat based
- The type of clouds the pupils observed are also **LIKELY**?
- A. To bring rain
 - B. To occur low in the sky

- C. To be seen on fine weather
D. To bring thunderstorms
31. The BEST way to control weeds is by ____.
- A. Hand picking
B. Digging them out
C. Uprooting
D. Using chemical
32. Which one of the following is NOT the use of water in industries?
- A. Spraying crops
B. Cooling moving parts of machines
C. Removing unwanted products
D. Mixing with other substances to make products
33. The table below shows classification of plants. Use it to answer questions 34.



Which of the following shows **CORRECT** examples of each of the above groups accordingly.

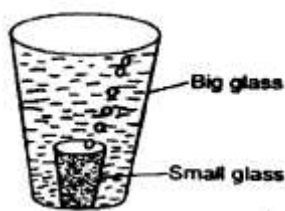
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| A. Beans | maize | fern | lichen |
| B. Maize | peas | algae | mushroom |
| C. Sorghum | groundnuts | mould | toadstool |
| D. Rice | maize | moss | puffballs |

34. Empty medicine containers should be;
- A. Thrown away
B. Re-used at home
C. Buried in the soil
D. Locked up in the cupboard
35. One of the following types of erosion is a form of landslide which one?
- A. Sheet erosion
B. Rill erosion
C. Gulley erosion
D. Splash erosion
36. Std six pupils of Umoja Academy were carrying out an experiment where they set up their apparatus as shown below.



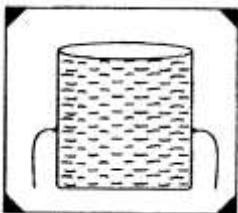
In the pupils were testing for the presence of air as requirement for germination, what mistake did they make?

- A. Covering both tins with tight lid
 - B. Boiling the water
 - C. Having fewer seeds in tin Y
 - D. Putting an oil film on water
37. Which of the following stages of HIV and AIDs infection will he victim test positive but with no visible signs?
- A. Window
 - B. Symptomatic
 - C. Full blown
 - D. Incubation
38. Materials which allow light to pass through them but one cannot see through them are said to be;
- A. Opaque
 - B. Translucent
 - C. Transparent
 - D. Reflectors
39. The process of providing the body with food necessary for maintenance of good health is called
- A. Feeding
 - B. Balanced diet
 - C. Nutrition
 - D. Body building
40. Which one of the following is both a field and a storage pest?
- A. Aphids
 - B. Cutworms
 - C. Weevils
 - D. Stalk borer
41. Which one of he following components of the environment occupies the **LARGEST** part of the earth's surface?
- A. Water
 - B. Air
 - C. Soil
 - D. plants
42. Using water sparingly as a way of conserving water will involve doing all the following **EXCEPT**
- A. Using used water again
 - B. Turning off taps after use
 - C. Practicing drip irrigation method
 - D. Fixing leakages in taps and pipes
43. Study the experiment shown below.



The experiment was **LIKELY** set to show the presence of _____.

- A. Water in air
 - B. Air in the soil
 - C. Water in the soil
 - D. Air in the water
44. Which one of the following can mix well and form one uniform solution?
- A. Paraffin and water
 - B. Water and spirit
 - C. Milk and paraffin
 - D. Water and cooking oil
45. Which one of the following is the BEST medium for sound transmission?
- A. Air
 - B. Liquid
 - C. Vacuum
 - D. Wood
46. The unit for measuring force is
- A. Newton
 - B. Kilograms
 - C. Grams
 - D. Joules
47. The experiment drawn below can be used by learners to understand that;



- A. Liquid exert pressure to all directions
 - B. Liquids exert more pressure with depth
 - C. Pressure in liquids is equal at its same depth
 - D. Liquids take the shape of the container
48. An animal attacked by with parasites is **NOT** likely to show one of the following signs. Which one?
- A. Rise in body temperature
 - B. Loss of appetite
 - C. Rough hair
 - D. Chewing the cud
49. Which one of the following statements **BEST** explains the term cross pollination?
- A. The transfer of pollen grains from the anthers to the stigma of another flower
 - B. The fusion of pollen and ovule nucleus
 - C. The transfer of pollen grains from the male anthers to the female stigma of another flower of the same type on the same plant
 - D. The transfer of pollen grains from the anthers on another plant of the same kind
50. Which one of the following sound enables people to rush and help other people?
- A. Screaming
 - B. ambulance siren
 - C. car hooting
 - D. dog barking

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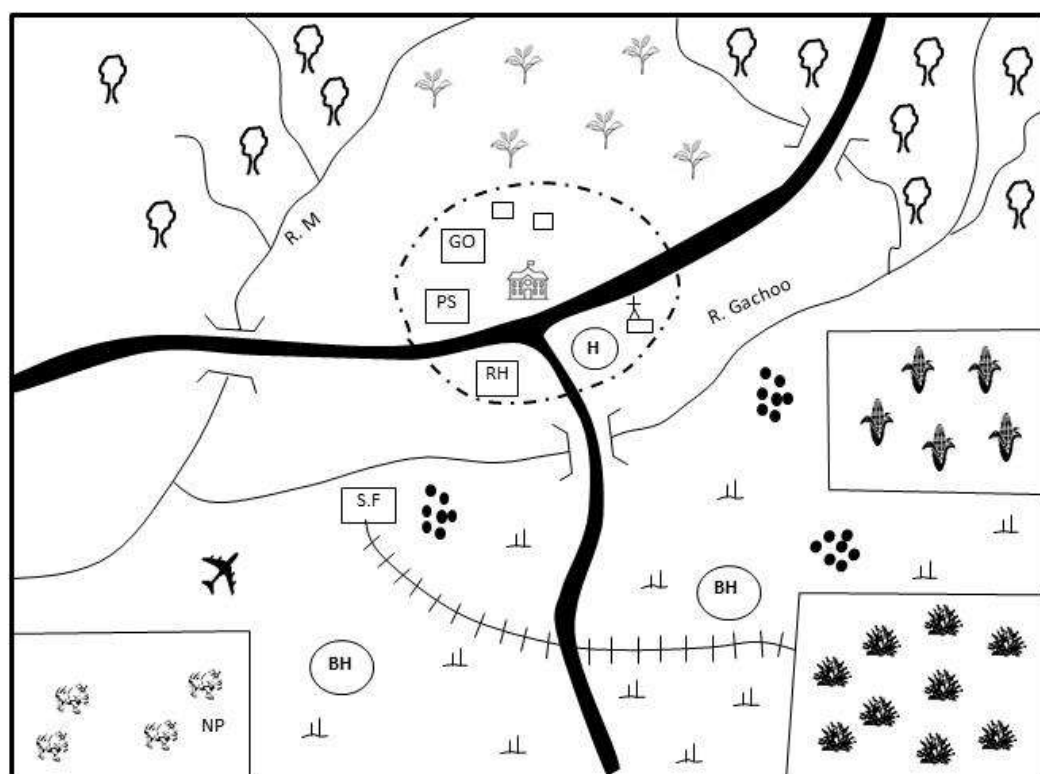
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SAKWA AREA



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	Forest		Airstrip		Church
	River & bridge		Scrub		Town boundary
	Tea		Borehole		Rest house
	Maize		Settlements		Governor's office
	National park		Sisal plantation		Police station
	Tarmac road		School		Hospital
			Sack factory		

Study the map of Sakwa area and use it to answer question 1-7

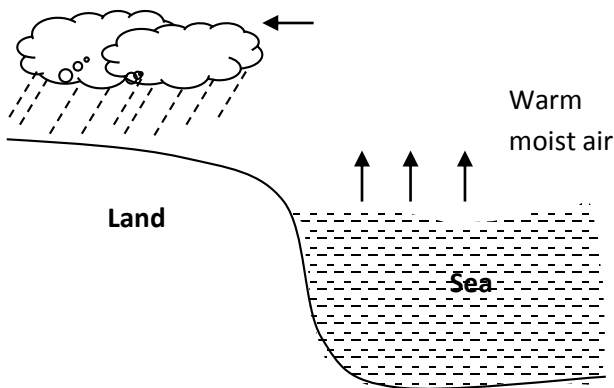
51. The area represented by the map above is likely to be a:-
A. location
B. district
C. county
D. division
52. The factory in the map is **likely** to be grouped under ____ industries.
A. processing
B. assembly
C. manufacturing
D. tertiary
53. The airstrip in the map is likely to transport?
A. Tourists
B. Wild animals
C. Sisal leaves
D. Water
54. The settlement pattern in the map is **likely** to be influenced by:-
A. Presence of water
B. Transport and communication
C. climate
D. economic activities
55. River Gachoo rises from:-
A. North East
B. South West
C. North West
D. South East
56. What is the approximate length of the railway line in the map?
A. 9 km B. 10km
C. 15km D. 14.5 km
57. People in Sakwa area belong to:-
A. Islam
B. Christianity
C. Hindu
D. African Traditional Religion
58. Which one of the following groups of items consists of Kenya's major exports?
A. Coffee, electronics, animal products
B. Sugar, flowers, pyrethrum
C. Horticultural produce, tea, soda ash
D. Petroleum, cement, textiles
59. National population census in Kenya is carried out after a period of ____ years.
A. 5 B. 10 C. 20 D. 18
60. The most common types of industries in Kenya are:-

- A. Tertiary industries
- B. Manufacturing industries
- C. Assembly industries
- D. Processing industries

61. The following are examples of mountains found in Africa. Which one was formed when young sedimentary rocks twisted due to compressional forces?

- A. Mt. Cameroon
- B. Tibesti
- C. The Great Karas
- D. Drakensberg mountain

62. The diagram below shows the formation of a certain type of rainfall. It is called:-



- A. Orographic rainfall
- B. Convectional rainfall
- C. Frontal rainfall
- D. Cyclonic rainfall

63. The following are factors and structures of population in Kenya. Which one is no true?

- A. High dependency ratio
- B. Ageing population is small
- C. Life expectancy is high
- D. Females are more than males

64. Which one of the following weather measuring instruments is **not correctly**, matched with what it measures?

- A. Barometer – air pressure
- B. Anemometer – strength of wind
- C. Hygrometer – humidity
- D. Wind vane – direction of wind

65. Which of the stages of evolution may represent the **correct** order from the latest to the earliest?

- A. Homo-sapiens – Homo Habilis – Homo erectus
- B. Homo habilis – homo erectus – homo sapiens
- C. Homo erectus – homo habilis – homo sapiens
- D. Homo sapiens – homo erectus – homo habilis

66. Since Kenya became a multiparty state, how many general elections have been held?

- A. 10
- B. 5
- C. 3
- D. 4

67. Which one of the following statements is true about maize grown in Kenya and Tanzania?

- A. Grown by large scale farmers in Kenya

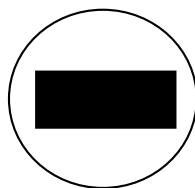
- B. Major foreign exchange earner in Kenya
 - C. Grown under irrigation in both countries
 - D. Staple food for both countries
68. Which one of the following events took place latest in Kenya?
- A. Death of Jomo Kenyatta
 - B. Coalition government
 - C. Making Kenya Multiparty state
 - D. Death of Tom Mboya
69. The following are facts about road signs. Which one is **true** about regulatory signs?
- A. Usually surrounded by red circle
 - B. Must be observed by pedestrians only
 - C. Have a light blue background
 - D. Normally enclosed in a red triangle
70. Among the following which group represents the Bantus only
- A. Abaluhya, Pokomo, Nandi, Dinka
 - B. Kikuyu, Embu, Meru, Turkana
 - C. Hehe, Yao, Zulu, Ngoni
 - D. Kamba, Yao, Samburu, Makua
71. All of the following were reasons why European scrambled/partitioned for Africa which was the **main** reason?
- A. settle surplus population
 - B. strategic position
 - C. market for goods
 - D. raw materials
72. The smallest country in Africa in Areas per sq. km is
- A. Lesotho
 - B. Seychelles
 - C. Sao Tome
 - D. Djibout
73. Which agency of the UN (United Nations) is in charge if distributing food to the needy?
- A. WHO B. WFP
 - C. UNICEF D. FAO
74. Below are descriptions of a certain community
- i) Ruled by hereditary chiefs
 - ii) Are farmers
 - iii) Participated in long distance trade
- The community described above is
- A. Buganda B. Nyamwezi
 - C. Akamba D. Abawanga
75. The Bantus who had settled at Shungwaya could not proceed further Northwards because:-
- A. They were attacked by hostile communities
 - B. The area was dry
 - C. There was infertile soil
 - D. There wasn't enough pasture
76. Which one of the following industries is an example of a secondary industry?

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- A. Sugar refinery
 - B. Saw milling
 - C. Cement making
 - D. Cotton ginnery
77. The following are minerals mined in Kenya. Which one is **correctly** matched with its method of mining?
- A. Gold – underground method
 - B. Oil – dredging
 - C. Diatomite – drilling
 - D. Soda ash – open cast
78. Which one of the following is the main factor that influences population distribution?
- A. Relief
 - B. Social amenities
 - C. Climate
 - D. Vegetation
79. The following are methods used by nationalists in Ghana in their struggle for independence. Which one was not?
- A. Strikes and boycotts
 - B. Waging guerilla warfare
 - C. Peaceful negotiations
 - D. Demonstration
80. Which one of the following countries is not former German colony?
- A. Togo
 - B. Cameroon
 - C. Libya
 - D. Namibia
81. Most rivers in Africa are polluted by:-
- A. Farm chemicals
 - B. Industrial wastes
 - C. Presence of water weeds
 - D. Soil particles
82. The Hebe people were defeated by the Germans **mainly** because:-
- A. German soldiers were better armed
 - B. German soldiers were more in number
 - C. The Hehe were few
 - D. The Hehe had superior weapons
83. Which one of the following towers is **not** part of the cocoa triangle in Ghana?
- A. Sekondi - Takoradi
 - B. Port Harcourt
 - C. Kumasi
 - D. Accra
84. Which one of the following aspects of our culture should we not preserve?
- A. Traditional foods
 - B. Wife inheritance
 - C. Traditional songs and dances
 - D. Traditional ways of greetings
85. After a general elections, the newly elected members of parliament are sworn in by:-
- A. Chief justice

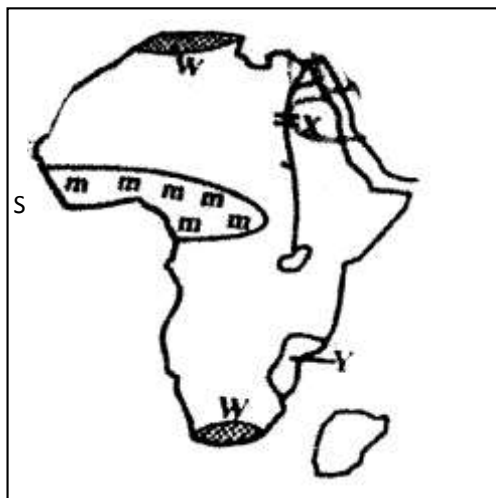
- B. Attorney general
- C. Speaker of the National Assembly
- D. Judge

86. The road sign below indicates:-



- A. No entry
 - B. Stop
 - C. Danger ahead
 - D. Round about
87. Which one of the following effects of colonial rule in Africa is positive?
- A. Division of communities
 - B. Erosion of African culture
 - C. Forced labour
 - D. Introduction of Western Education
88. According to the constitution of Kenya, the amendment of the constitution is the responsibility of:-
- A. Senate
 - B. Judiciary
 - C. National assembly
 - D. Executive
89. Which one of the following is not caused by the movement of the earth around the sun?
- A. Different seasons
 - B. Differences in time in different parts of the world
 - C. Changes in position of midday sun
 - D. Differences in the length of the day and night

Study the map of Africa below and use it to answer the questions that follow.



90. The following are examples of trees found in the shaded region marked mmm. Which one is **not**?
- A. Meru Oak
 - B. Mvule
 - C. Rosewood
 - D. Pine
91. The country marked Y was colonized by the:-
- A. Portuguese
 - B. French
 - C. British
 - D. Germans
92. The multi-purpose river project marked x is ____.
- A. Kariba dam
 - B. Volta river project
 - C. Aswan High Dam
 - D. Seven Guardafui
93. The **most** westerly part marked S is:-
- A. Cape Agulhas
 - B. Cape Verde
 - C. Cape Bon
 - D. Cape Guadafui
94. The climate region marked w is known as:-
- A. Equatorial climate region
 - B. Mediterranean climate region
 - C. Tropical climate
 - D. Temperature climate region
95. Below are results of interaction between Cushites and Bantus during the pre-colonial period. Which one is **not**?
- A. Bantus learnt animal keeping from Cushites
 - B. Bantu learnt cultivation from Cushites
 - C. Cushites learnt farming from Bantus
 - D. Bantus learnt circumcision from Cushites
96. The dispersal point of the Bantus during their migration was:-
- A. Shungwaya
 - B. Taita Hills
 - C. Congo forest
 - D. PubunguPakwach
97. For one to be elected as a county representative, he should:-
- A. Be married
 - B. Have a university degree
 - C. Be 21 years of age and above
 - D. Be a registered voter
98. Which of the following is **NOT** a marriage system in Kenya?
- A. Religious marriage
 - B. External marriage
 - C. Customary marriage

D. Civil marriage

99. Which of the following towns would we experience hot and wet climate.

- A. Mander
- B. Nyeri
- C. Lokichogio
- D. Kisumu

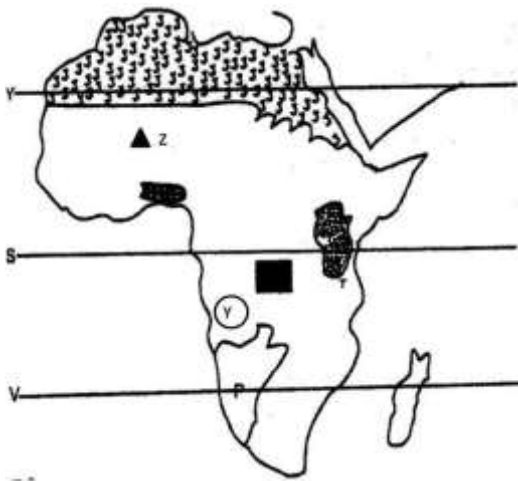
100. The following are characteristics of a certain type of vegetation in Africa?

- i) Consists of tall elephant grass
- ii) Has a few and scattered trees
- iii) Leaves of the few trees are thick and hard

The vegetation described above is

- A. Mountain vegetation
- B. Scrub vegetation
- C. Grassland vegetation
- D. Mediterranean vegetation

Use the map of Africa below to answer questions 27-31



101. The mountains marked Z is known to us as ____.

- A. Adamawa
- B. Ahaggar
- C. Tibest
- D. Atlas

102. The Basin marked T is ____.

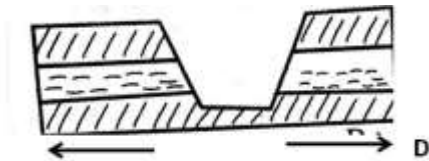
- A. Qattara
- B. Lake Chad
- C. L. Victoria basin
- D. Congo

103. Capital city of the country marked P is ____.

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- A. Lusaka
 - B. Luanda
 - C. Gaborone
 - D. windhoek
104. the physical feature Y is
- A. atlas Mts.
 - B. Ruwenzori Mts.
 - C. Ahaggar Mts.
 - D. Bie plateaus
105. The **main** purpose of established a school is ____.

- A. to pass knowledge and skills to pupils
 - B. give guidance and counselling
 - C. occupy children so that they grow up
 - D. to prepare pupils for adults
106. The force indicated by letters D is called ____ force.



- A. Uplifting force
 - B. Fault lines
 - C. Tension force
 - D. Compression force
107. Which of these statements is true about the formation of this mountain?
- A. Mostly formed on semi solid sedimentary rock
 - B. Common along the coastline extremes of the continents
 - C. Leads to creation of rift valley lakes
 - D. The mountains are found in Northern and Southern tips of Africa
108. Which of these child rights is NOT indicated in the bill of rights?
- A. Right to a name
 - B. Right to basic needs
 - C. Right to security
 - D. Right to vote
109. Your father has been offered smuggled goods at a very cheap price. What advice would you give him?

- A. Cease them immediately and resell them at very high prices
 - B. To report to the customs officials so that the smugglers can be apprehended
 - C. Take the goods and be silent about them
 - D. Take the goods , resell them and then report the smugglers to the authorities
110. The **main** reason why road safety education is taught in primary school is to.
- A. Make learning more practical
 - B. Create awareness on careful use of roads
 - C. Give information about road signs
 - D. Reduce work load for traffic officers

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111. The **main** teaching of the book of Genesis chapter one is that:-
- A. Human beings were made in the image of God
 - B. Human beings were given authority over animals
 - C. God is the creator of the universe
 - D. Creation was done in 6 days
112. The sign of the covenant between God and Noah was:-
- A. Fire
 - B. Circumcision
 - C. Rain
 - D. Rainbow
113. Joseph and Benjamin were favourite sons of Jacob because they were the only children of:-
- A. Rachel
 - B. Rebekkah
 - C. Leah
 - D. Sarah
114. During the Passover feast the Israelites had to eat while standing **mainly** because:-
- A. They wanted to leave before Egyptians could kill them
 - B. They wanted to save time
 - C. They wanted to show that they had to leave Egypt immediately
 - D. It was a symbol of God's presence
115. Which of the following books was not written by Moses?
- A. Numbers
 - B. Judges
 - C. Exodus
 - D. Deuteronomy
116. The Lord said; "The time is coming when I will make a covenant with people of Israel and the people of Judah. The above was a prophecy of:-
- A. Jeremiah
 - B. Micah
 - C. Isaiah
 - D. Joel
117. Which prophet prophesied the refugee status of Jesus in Egypt?
- A. Joel
 - B. Isaiah
 - C. Hosea
 - D. Jeremiah

118. "Wherever you go I will go; wherever you live I will live; your God will be my God. "These words were said by ____ to ____.
- A. Samuel to David
 - B. Naomi to Oprah
 - C. Ruth to Naomi
 - D. Boaz to Ruth
119. The first king of Israel was ____.
- A. Solomon
 - B. David
 - C. Ahab
 - D. Saul
120. The parents of John the Baptist were ____ and ____.
- A. Zachariah and Elizabeth
 - B. Elkanah and Hannah
 - C. Ruth and Boaz
 - D. Joseph and Mary
121. "This is my own dear son with whom I am well pleased." These words were spoken during Jesus ____.
- A. ascension
 - B. resurrection
 - C. baptism
 - D. crucifixion
122. Which parable of Jesus teaches about the growth of the church?
- A. The parable of the mustard seed
 - B. The lost coin
 - C. The parable of the sower
 - D. The parable of the Good Samaritan
123. The miracle that shows that Jesus had power over nature is:-
- A. Healing the blind man
 - B. Commanding the wind
 - C. Healing the paralyze man
 - D. Raising the centurion son
124. In which garden did Jesus take his disciples after the last supper?
- A. Mount Olives
 - B. Golgotha
 - C. Mt. Sinai
 - D. Gethsemane
125. Happy are those who are merciful to others ____.
- A. God will satisfy them fully
 - B. God will call them his children
 - C. The kingdom of heaven belongs to them
 - D. God will be merciful to them
126. Who was the disciple who spoke to the crowd on the day of Pentecost?
- A. Mathew

- B. Paul
 - C. Peter
 - D. Barthlomew
127. The following were ways in which Christians suffered for their faith. Which one is **not**?
- A. Thrown in prison
 - B. Were whipped
 - C. They were stoned to death
 - D. Involved in a road accident
128. Which one of the following is not a letter?
- A. Ephesians
 - B. Colosians
 - C. Timothy
 - D. Mathew
129. The **best** way for a Christian to witness to a beggar is to:-
- A. Pray for them
 - B. Tell him Jesus loves you
 - C. Give him money
 - D. Help him find employment
130. Who said that “faith without action is dead?”
- A. Timothy
 - B. Peter
 - C. James
 - D. Paul
131. Which of the following was not given to Gikuyu by God after creation?
- A. Nine sons
 - B. Animals to rear
 - C. A lot of wealth
 - D. Land to cultivate
132. Education in the traditional African society was aimed at:-
- A. Character moulding
 - B. Acquiring a degree
 - C. Preparation for marriage
 - D. Cattle keeping
133. The stream of life in African Traditional Society includes the _____, the living. The living dead and the ancestors.
- A. Married
 - B. Unborn
 - C. Initiation
 - D. Non-living
134. Which of the following is **not** a stage of new life in Traditional African Society?
- A. birth
 - B. confirmation

- C. marriage
 - D. death
135. According to the Bukusu creation story, were Khabaka's two assistants were Mukhobe and:-
- A. Gikuyu
 - B. Mumbi
 - C. Murumwa
 - D. Nyasaye
136. Which one of the following activities in a Christian life is an example of the gift of the Holy Spirit?
- A. Collecting offerings
 - B. Cleaning the church
 - C. Preaching the word of God
 - D. Reading the Bible
137. Which one of the following is a fruit of the Holy Spirit?
- A. Self-control
 - B. Faith
 - C. Wisdom
 - D. Knowledge
138. You were playing with your friends in the field who picked sh. 20, as a Christian, what is the best advice to give to your friend?
- A. Tell her to take the money to her parent
 - B. Ask her you share the money
 - C. Tell her to go and buy sweets
 - D. Tell her to take the money to the teacher on duty
139. Halima a std 8 pupil, carries an umbrella to school and it does not rain. When she fails to carry, it rains. What type of suffering is Halima likely to undergo.
- A. Physical suffering
 - B. Emotional suffering
 - C. Mental suffering
 - D. Spiritual suffering
140. The first mission station was build at ____.
- A. Kaimosi
 - B. Kisumu
 - C. Nairobi
 - D. Rabai

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