

St. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL, ADDIS ABABA 2015 E.C
SECOND QUARTER SOCIAL STUDIES MID EXAMINATION FOR GRADE 8

TIME ALLOWED 45MIN

NAME _____ GRADE&SEC _____ R.NO. _____

I.WRITE TRUE IF THE STATEMENT IS CORRECT AND FALSE IF IT IS INCORRECT

- ___ 1. Culture can develop and transform through time.
- ___ 2. Culture has the power of affecting people's behavior.
- ___ 3. Ethiopia is a country with a dominance mono culture.
- ___ 4. Entrepot is a type of importing of goods for further re-exporting.
- ___ 5. Surplus is a situation in which quantity demand is greater than quantity supply.

II. MATCH THE ITEMS IN COLUMN "B" WITH THE ITEMS IN COLUMN "A"

"A"

"B"

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| ___ 1. Material culture | A. Languages |
| ___ 2. Non material culture | B. Extraction of minerals |
| ___ 3. Secondary economic activity | C. Clothes of any society |
| ___ 4. Tertiary economic activity | D. Power production |
| ___ 5. Primary economic activity | E. Trade and tourism |

III. CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER FROM THE GIVEN ALTERNATIVES

- ___ 1. Which of the following statement best describes the word "culture"?
 - A. culture is the symbols, language, religion, beliefs, norms, values and artifacts of a society
 - B. the procedure that people's transformation the world as it is into a world of their own is cultural process
 - C. peoples have the ability of forming particular cultures, ideas, customs, and social behaviors
 - D. All of the above
- ___ 2. The earliest and traditional form of trade was in the form of _____.
 - A. Bartering B. Money C. Virtual D. Online
- ___ 3. Which of the following language is different from the others?
 - A. Afan Oromo B. Tigrigna C. Amharic D. Aderigna
- ___ 4. Which of the following economic activity is known as smokeless industry?
 - A. Manufacturing B. Construction C. Tourism D. Trade
- ___ 5. Which of the following is different from the others?
 - A. Eating tools B. beliefs C. Values and norms D. Signs and Symbols
- ___ 6. Which of the following statement is **NOT CORRECT** with cultural diversity?
 - A. It is also known as multiculturalism or multiethnic group
 - B. It is the group of diverse individuals from different societies
 - C. Expressed in terms of nationality, language, religion, race and/or ethnic groups
 - D. It refers with the same culture in a large country with a millions of population
- ___ 7. Which of the following statement is **CORRECT, EXCEPT?**
 - A. More peoples in developing countries depend on agricultural economic activities
 - B. More peoples in developed countries depends on secondary economic activities

C. Very few people of the developed countries depend on agriculture with more surplus production

D. more peoples in the developing countries is depending on manufacturing industries

___8. The group of language family with a large number of speakers in Ethiopia is ___.

A. Cushitic B. Omotic C. Nilo-Sahara D. Semitic

___9. _____ is a system of communication which involves the use of speech, symbols and gestures.

A. Religion B. Language C. Ethics D. Transportation

___10. Which of the following languages of Ethiopia is grouped under the Cushitic language family?

A. Sidamigna B. Agewigna C. Guragigna D. Somaligna

___11. The people's physical nature such as skin color, facial features and stature is known as ____.

A. Ethnicity B. Nationality C. Race D. Language

___12. Which of the following economic activity is different from the others?

A. Agriculture B. Trade C. Mining D. Forestry

___13. The movement of peoples from their residence to another place for leisure is called ____.

A. Migration B. Transportation C. Tourism D. Communication

___14. Which of the following statement is ***CORRECT***?

A. Market is a place where sellers and buyers meet together

B. Market may be conducted physically or virtually

C. the main actors of the market are producers and consumers

D. All of the above

___15. Which of the following statement best describes the word tax?

A. It is a governmental mandatory financial levied charge

B. Tax is collected in order to reduce the income and wealth inequalities among citizens and regions

C. The main aim of collecting tax is for providing social, infrastructural and financial services

D. All of the above

IV. GIVE SHORT ANSWER

1. Write at least three importance of religion?

2. Write at least four factors for cultural change.

3. What is globalization?

4. What is the difference between industry and manufacturing?

5. Write the two types of internal trade.

6. What is demand and supply? (Bonus 2pts)