



Oromia Development Association Special Boarding School, Adama Branch

CIVICS & ETHICAL EDUCATION 2ND SEMESTER MODEL EXAM FOR GRADE 12, 2012 E.C

Time allowed

2 Hours

DIRECTIONS: Each of the following questions is followed by four possible alternatives. Read each questions carefully and write the letter of your best choice on the answer sheet provided.

1. Ato Abebe was arrested by the police without charge or conviction against him and the police made him liable for an offence which he has already been finally convicted plus he was forced to confess as if he did the crime by the police. According to the case presented, which of his basic rights are violated respectively?
 - A. Prohibition of double jeopardy/ Right against self-incrimination/Right to liberty
 - B. prohibition of Doubles Jeopardy/Right to liberty /Right against-self incrimination
 - C. Right to Liberty /Prohibition of double Jeopardy/Right against-self incrimination
 - D. Right against self incrimination/Prohibition of doubles Jeopardy/Right to Liberty
2. For which of the following countries Ethiopia played significant role during anti-colonial struggle?
 - A. South Africa, Egypt, Namibia, Angola and Zimbabwe
 - B. Guinea Bissau, Namibia, Angola and Zimbabwe
 - C. Mozambique, Uganda, Ghana, and Eritrea.
 - D. Libya, Togo, Niger and Morocco
3. A consequential theory which states that an action has to be considered moral if brings pleasure to the maximum number of recipients
 - A. Ethical relativism theory
 - C. Rant's moral theory

D. Scientific theory

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9. Which one of the following **is not** among the common disciplinary rules expected from every worker in all profession?
- A. Developing proficiency
 - B. Aspiration to have speedy growth based on personal interest
 - C. Distancing oneself from corruption
 - D. Proper use of instrument of labor
10. Which of the following is true about the organization of Africa Unity (OAU)?
- A. It's headquarter was changed three times.
 - B. It was founded by independent African countries.
 - C. Its first headquarter was in Dakar, Senegal.
 - D. It was established by former British colonies.
11. Which of the following is correct about the protection against double jeopardy?
- A. A person convicted for an offence shall not be convicted again for the same offence
 - B. A person charged for a crime has the right to a quick public trial
 - C. An accused person has the right to be represented by legal counsel
 - D. A person charged for an offence has no burden to prove his /her innocence
12. Which of the following is true about myths?
- A. Myths are unscientific stories that people would like to tell and believed
 - B. Myths are scientific stories based on empirical evidence
 - C. Myths are found in the tradition and cultures of African people only
 - D. Myths can help us to transform our knowledge
13. Which of the following has negative implication for gender equality in Ethiopia?
- A. Legal provisions against harmful traditional practices
 - B. Affirmative actions aimed at empowering girls and women
 - C. Customs that force to undergo females genital mutilation
 - D. Current legal provisions on property rights
14. Which of the following is correct about peasant revolts in Ethiopia?

- A. The Gojam peasant rebellion was crushed by British forces that used aircrafts
 - B. Except Bale, Gojam and Tigray there were no other peasant uprising in Ethiopia
 - C. The first woyane movement was partly triggered by the gridlines of army stationed in Raya and Azebo
 - D. The Bale peasant rebellion was caused by government demand of contributions to erect the statue of the Emperor
15. One of smallest African countries which experienced genocide in 1994 because of the conflict between the Hutu and Tutsi was
- A. Sudan B. Rwanda C. Burundi D. Swaziland
16. The principles of taxation that says people earning the same amount of income should pay the same amount to tax is called
- A. Ability to pay B. Democratic taxation C. Horizontal equity D. Vertical equity
17. Being truthful to others and refusing to mislead or deceive is:
- A. Compassion B. Forgiveness C. Honesty D. Courage
18. An American black women, a Human Right Activist, who refused to give her seat to a white man on December 5/1955 in the bus trip Montgomery, Alabama was
- A. Betty Holmes C. Rosa Luximburg
 - B. Rosa parks D. Elizabeth clapperton
19. One of the following **was not** among the founding members of IGADD (Inter Governmental Authority on Drought and Development) which later changed into IGAD in 1986
- A. Ethiopia B. Sudan C. Eretria D. Kenya
20. Why Kyoto protocol is so significant?
- A. Because it is made to find solutions for refugees throughout the world
 - B. Because its main agenda on equitable use of international resources
 - C. Because its adopted to reduce greenhouse gas emission
 - D. Because it's it is directed at fighting international crimes
21. Which African countries joined the League of Nations before Ethiopia?

- A. Kenya and Tunisia
 - B. Liberia and south Africa
 - C. Algeria and Egypt
 - D. Ghana and Nigeria
22. When was the organization of African Union (OAU) transformed into African Union (AU)?
- A. 2002
 - B. 2004
 - C. 2006
 - D. 2008
23. Which of the following is **not** the basic elements of the strategy of poverty reduction in Ethiopia
- A. Slowing the agricultural sector and advancing the industrial sector
 - B. Developing all sectors of the economy simultaneously
 - C. Promoting political decentralization in the empowerment of the people
 - D. Providing capacity building in all areas of social and economic sectors
24. What strategy is devised to achieve the development of Ethiopia?
- A. The tourism sector must develop first and then the industrial sector.
 - B. Bothe the agricultural and the industrial sectors must develop together.
 - C. The agricultural sector must develop first followed by the industrial sector.
 - D. The industrial sector must develop first followed by the agricultural sector
25. An international climate change convention adopted in 2015 is:
- A. The Oslo protocol
 - B. The Vienna agreement
 - C. the Beijing Declaration
 - D. the Paris agreement
26. Which one of the following can be an international responsibility of any government?
- A. Adopting a multi-party political system
 - B. Respecting the sovereignty of other states
 - C. Joining regional and international organizations
 - D. Adopting a free market economic system
27. The specific ways through which the policy of the government is implemented are called
- A. Strategies
 - B. policies
 - C. Charter
 - D. Conventions
28. Which of the following is correct about the millennium Goals of Ethiopia?
- A. Federation Ethiopia with Djibouti.
 - B. Finding solution for Sudan-South Sudan civil war.
 - C. Decreasing the death of mother's and child on birth.
 - D. Making the Horn of Africa free from any war and conflict.
29. What is meant by morality?

- A. It is a way of behaving according to legal laws.
 - B. It is a system that tells a person to act against nature.
 - C. It is principles which are similar throughout the world.
 - D. It is a standard examining the rightness and wrongness of our acts.
30. As Medical Ethical standards as part of the Hippocratic Oath, medical doctors and other Medical staff are expected to do the following except
- A. Keeping patients from harm
 - B. Giving locality and support to fellow physicians
 - C. Giving assistance to people who want to kill themselves
 - D. Keeping the secret of their patients
31. Which of the following assertion is correct about dependency?
- A. Wise economic policies and effective utilization of resources are essential to overcome dependency.
 - B. Dependency at the individual level cannot affect the economy of a nation.
 - C. Dependent persons have ample opportunities to socialize and gain prestige in society.
 - D. The current world does not allow poor countries to minimize their level of dependency.
32. Which one of the following are the power and functioning of the house of federations?
- A. Promote equality of people and consolidate unity based on their mutual consent.
 - B. Strive to find solution to disputes that arise between states.
 - C. It shall order federal intervention if any state in violation of this constitution, endangers the constitutional order.
 - D. All.
33. Which of the following is true about self-reliance?
- A. Self-reliant persons reject any kind of support from other people
 - B. Self-reliant persons have limited interactions within the society.
 - C. Building self-confidence is essential to lead a self-reliant life.
 - D. Self-reliant persons do not consider the comments of other person.
34. Which of the following is not an attribute of a person who is self-confident?
- A. Readiness to accept criticism.
 - B. Determination to help other people.
 - C. Reluctance to take on challenges.

- D. Having personal role models.
35. Which of the following factors is responsible for promoting job satisfaction?
- A. Lack of interest in the work.
 - B. Career growth through short term training.
 - C. Long hours of work and low financial reward
 - D. Insecurity of work and unhealthy working conditions
36. Which of one of the following **is not** relevant to market economy?
- A. Capitalism B. Socialism C. Private enterprise system D. Price system
37. Which of the following **is not** the duty of the Ombudsman office?
- A. Hearing and deciding upon human right violation cases
 - B. Undertakes studies and research on way and means of halting mal-administrations
 - C. Conducting research in connection with respect to human rights
 - D. Follow up and oversee the implementation of human right principles
38. Self-reliant person is characterized by:
- A. Self-confidence B. Victim-thinking C. Self-neglect D. Self-centeredness
39. Which of the following **is not** the characteristic of a dependent personality?
- A. Complaint B. Passive C. Proactive D. Reactive
40. A person who brings a case to the court of law on behalf of government is called
- A. Plaintiff B. Prosecutor C. Judge D. Defendant
41. What was the major progressive innovation of the 1931 written constitution of Ethiopia?
- A. It fully guaranteed human and democratic rights
 - B. It ensured free, fair and periodic election
 - C. It enabled the creation of bi-cameral parliament for the first time
 - D. It enabled the establishment of the first peoples' government

42. The force or ability to compile others to do what governments official desires is:
- A. Authority B. Accountability C. Responsibility D. Power
43. Which one of the following is among the major functions of courts of any country?
- A. Making laws that benefit individuals
B. Keeping domestic peace by adjudicating the law
C. Forcing people to accept government decisions
D. Punishing people who oppose the government in power
44. Which of the following **is not** a contributing factor to the rise of globalization in contemporary world?
- A. Economic factors C. Political factors
B. Geographical factors D. The rise of information and communication
- 45.** All of the following are among the minimum standards for fair trial **except:**
- A. The right of the accused to examine witness
B. The right to have free assistance of an interpreter
C. The right not to be presumed innocent before proven guilty
D. Entitlement to public hearing except in special cases
46. Which one of the following is **not true** about the sovereignty of the people:
- A. The people are the ultimate power holders.
B. The nations, nationalities and peoples are given power to make law in the absence of HPR.
C. Constitution is free expression of the will of people.
D. Because their sovereignty shall be expressed through their representative elected in accordance with the constitution and through their indirect participation.

- A. Regulations ----- specific laws ----- constitution
 - B. Regulations ----- constitution ----- specific laws
 - C. Constitution ----- specific laws ----- regulations
 - D. Constitution ----- regulations ----- specific laws
54. In presidents Democracy such as the USA ,the president is
- A. The head of the judiciary branch of government from
 - B. Members of both executive and legislative branches
 - C. Elected from among the members of the wining party
 - D. Elected by the popular vote independently from representatives
55. Which of the following is NOT true about negotiation?
- A. Negotiation requires open mindedness
 - B. In negotiation outside parties do not make decisions
 - C. Negotiation is a conflict resolution mechanism that involves third party.
 - D. Negotiation involved direct discussion between the parties that are in conflict
56. Which of the following is not correct conception about equality?
- A. It refers to the condition of enjoying substantial similar rights privileges, and protections
 - B. It indicates the exercise of equal rights, equal opportunities, and equal political protection before the law.
 - C. It also deals with equal access to public funded social services.
 - D. It indicates the idea of living on the same status economically.
57. Which one of the following indicates the purposes of reading
- A. Promoting tolerance C. Discouraging literacy
 - B. Searching for information D. Preserving dogmatism
58. Which of the following is **true** about international monetary institutions?
- A. They were established by low income countries
 - B. They give loans and grant without any pre-conditions for nations and private investors
 - C. They allocate the available funds to the most productive ventures so that the money can be put to proper use
 - D. They are free from their national political objectives
59. All are advantages of Federalism **except:**
- A. It has duplication of activities and services which results in expense
 - B. It combines national unity and local autonomy
 - C. It secure the right of self government

- D. It is essential to large states
60. The conduct of legal proceedings according to established rulers & principles for the protection & enforcement of private rights is called:
- A. Presidential democracy
 - B. Separation of power
 - C. Parliamentary democracy
 - D. Due process of law
61. Self-reliant person is characterized by:
- A. Self-neglect
 - B. Self-confidence
 - C. Self-centeredness
 - D. Victim, thinking
62. Which of the following is not the role of the media in a modern democracy?
- A. Informing the public.
 - B. Reporting the government ideology by ignoring public issues.
 - C. Maintaining a healthy democracy.
 - D. Be the watch dog of citizen's rights.
63. The practice of keeping ethnic, racial or religious groups separate, especially through enforcing the use of separate schools or other facilities is:
- A. Genocide
 - B. Segregation
 - C. Holocaust
 - D. Terrorism
64. A parliamentary democracy differs from the presidential one in that, in the former
- A. the head of the state is usually the prime minister
 - B. the head of the executive branch of government is usually the prime minister
 - C. the president could appoint or remove the prime minister
 - D. the executive is accountable to the judiciary
65. Which part of the world has the highest infant Mortality Rates?
- A. Latin America
 - B. South Asia
 - C. North Africa
 - D. Sub-Saharan Africa
66. Which of the following is one of the essential characteristics of qualitative data? It
- A. Often analyzed using statistics or computer programs
 - B. Involves the measurement of an amount or quantity

- C. Describes facts that cannot be expressed numerically
D. Can be assessed and determined exactly
67. From the alternative means of conflict resolution management which one is practiced as diplomacy international relations?
A. Arbitration B. Mediation C. Litigation D. Negotiation
68. Who appoints the prime minister in a parliamentary democracy?
A. The chair person and deputy committees of the parliament
B. The house speaker and deputy house speaker of the parliament
C. The leader various parties represented in parliament
D. The part or coalition of parties that is majority seat in parliament
69. One does not actor in the foreign relation
A. International organization B. States C. Non government organization
D. Court
70. Which of the following is **not true** in present day Ethiopia?
A. The council of ministers can declare a state of emergency
B. Foreign aggression or natural disaster can cause the decree of state of emergency
C. Democratic rights could be curbed during state of emergency
D. The right to life and the rights to free from torture can be suspended during a state of emergency
71. One of the following is a quality of a leader to inspire others to be willing, feel enthusiastic interested & committed to the objectives of their task is:
A. Versatile B. A planner C. A motivator D. Realistic
72. The special body which was organized in Ethiopia to draw up the constitution was:
A. Constitutional commission C. Parliament
B. Constituent assembly D. Transitional government
73. Which of the following is INCORRECT about a genuine source of job satisfaction?
A. Gaining social recognition as a result of a good work
B. Achieving success through collaboration with colleagues
C. Maximizing economic benefits using public resources
D. Achieving top performances and getting career development
74. Micro- economics deals with

- A. Average pre-capital income nation
 - B. The behavior of consumers country
 - C. Gross domestic product of a
 - D. Rate of inflation in a given
75. Self-awareness can be improved by;
- A. Developing an attitude of superiority other peoples
 - B. Evaluating our strengths and weaknesses and good qualities
 - C. Imitating the behavior of
 - D. Focusing on our strengths
76. The behavior of a passive person can be observed in his/her
- A. Listening to others without challenging their biased arguments
 - B. Playing an active role in public debates and contributing ideas
 - C. Sharing opinion without disregarding the views of other people
 - D. Challenging practices that violate the right and dignity of people
77. The character of an Assertive person is manifested in;
- A. Little or no expression during discussion
 - B. An unfair demands and biased point of views
 - C. A good eye contact during conversation
 - D. Moving away from group discussions and deliberation
78. The principle of popular sovereignty refers to:
- A. The equality of power between the people and governors
 - B. The supremacy of power by the people
 - C. The violation of human rights
 - D. The supremacy of the law
79. A remarkable level of dependency on one's power , resource and judgment is known as
- A. self-reliance
 - B. self-confidence
 - C. Self-awareness
 - D. decision making ability
80. An organ of the government responsible in deciding controversies and punishing in fragments of law is
- A. The legislative body
 - B. The executive body
 - C. the judiciary body
 - D. The media
81. Sexism is a term used to:
- A. expresses the mutual relations between sexes
 - B. express difference between sexes
 - C. expresses an insatiable sexual desire

- D. discrimination based on sexes
82. What are the two major international monetary institutions?
A. IMF C. World Bank and IMF
B. World Bank and WHO D. IMF and FAO
83. The resistance in Bale was different from the uprising in Gojjam in that
A. It was a protest against an exorbitant taxation system
B. It was led by people who come from the Somalia Republic
C. It was easily defeated before gaining wide acceptance
D. It considers itself as a liberation movement of the peoples of the area
84. One who waits for things to happen before doing anything is:
A. Reactive B. Proactive C. Perseverance D. Progressive
85. What do we understand by the term global citizen?
A. A citizen determined to promote globalization
B. A metropolitan citizen
C. A person who is willing to act to make the world a more equitable and sustainable place
D. A person who has an up to date knowledge of technology
86. Which of the following could not be considered as group right?
A. The Right to Self-governance C. The Right to self determination
B. The Right to own property D. The Right to develop one's own culture
87. Which of the following **is not** the principle of the free market economy?
A. Freedom of decision to economic agents like producers and consumers
B. Higher governments involvement in the market
C. Allowing market forces determine the extent of transactions and prices
D. Lower government involvement in the market
88. To whom does the constitution give the power to ratify international treaties?
A. The executive branch of the government
B. The house of federation
C. The House of Peoples Representatives

- D. The president of the federation
89. Which of the following international organization is one of the Britton woods institutions?
- A. The United Nation Organization
 - B. The World Trade Organization
 - C. The International Monitory Fund
 - D. The International Court of Justice
90. Which of the following cultural heritages of Ethiopia is recently registered by UNESCO as world heritage?
- A. Rock-hewn churches, lalibela
 - B. Gada system, an indigenouse democratic socio-political system of Oromo
 - C. Meskel demera festival
 - D. Sidama people new year festival fiche Chambalala
91. The Author of the dedication of independence of America is
- A. Abraham Lincoln B. George Washington C. John F. Kennedy D. Thomas Jefferson
92. The present flag in green, yellow and red probably become the national flag of Ethiopia during the time of:
- A. Lij Iyasu C. Empress zewditu
 - B. Emperor Tewdros II D. Emperor minilikII
93. Which one of the following is **not** a characteristic of ethnocentric individuals or groups?
- A. They do share common ways of life or belief to stay away from cultural misinterpretations.
 - B. They use their cultural norms to make generalization about people's culture and customs.
 - C. They are incapable or reluctant to look at other cultures in their own terms.
 - D. Fails to understand the true qualities of other culture.
94. The nomination and approval of the president and vice president of state supreme court is respectively conducted by:
- A. President of the state and state council
 - B. Prime minister and house of peoples representatives

- C. Council of ministers and president
 - D. House of peoples representatives and council of state
95. The provision of sufficient information to a person who is acting as defendant and plaintiff refers to
- A. Adequate notice
 - B. Speedy and **public** trial
 - C. Impartial tribunal
 - D. Opportunity to be heard
96. What is the economic cost of drug trafficking?
- A. Mental illness and places extra burden on the health
 - B. The break down of social norms and values
 - C. Increase cost for security to guard the crime
 - D. Children neglect the family
97. Collecting different amount of tax from different amount of income is reflected in
- A. Circular equity
 - B. Vertical equity
 - C. Horizontal Equity
 - D. generalized equity
98. What do we understand by the term global citizen?
- A. A citizen determined to promote globalization.
 - B. A metropolitan citizen.
 - C. A person who is willing to act to make the world a more equitable and sustainable place.
 - D. A person who has update knowledge of technology.
99. Which of the following is wrong conception in the exercise of right of appeal?
- A. All persons have the right to appeal to a complete court against an order or a judgment of the court which first heard the case
 - B. The appeal right is claimed to guest judicial review by the next higher court
 - C. Judicial review power is exercised mainly by the judiciary but it can also be exercised by any other body having judicial power
 - D. Appeal is a resort to lo a lower court to review the decision of higher court
100. The basis of qualitative research lies on
- A. Study things in number
 - B. Measuring of phenomenon
 - C. Interpreting social reality
 - D. Deals with quantifiable things

CIVICS GRADE 12 ANSWER SHEET

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