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SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Time: 2 hours 15 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES (Please read these instructions carefully)

1. You have been given this question booklet and a separate answer sheet. The question booklet contains 90 questions.
2. Do any necessary rough work in this booklet.
3. When you have chosen your answer, mark it on the **ANSWER SHEET**, not in this question booklet.

HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET

4. Use only an ordinary pencil.
5. Make sure that you have written on the answer sheet:

YOUR INDEX NUMBER

YOUR NAME

NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL

6. By drawing a **dark line** inside the correct numbered boxes mark your full Index Number (i.e. School Code Number and the three-figure Candidate's Number) in the grid near the top of the answer sheet.
7. Do not make any marks outside the boxes.
8. Keep the sheet as clean as possible and do not fold it.
9. For each of the questions 1-90 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A, B, C and D. In each case only **ONE** of the four answers is correct. Choose the correct answer.
10. On the answer sheet, show the correct answer by drawing a **dark line** inside the box in which the letter you have chosen is written.

Example

In the Question Booklet:

44. The method used by the Portuguese to administer Mozambique was

- A. Assimilation
- B. Indirect rule
- C. Association policy
- D. Direct rule

The correct answer is "D".

On the answer sheet:

4. (A) (B) (C) (D) 14. (A) (B) (C) (D) 24. (A) (B) (C) (D) 34. (A) (B) (C) (D) 44. (A) (B) (C) (D)

In the set of boxes numbered 44, the box with the letter **D** printed in it is marked.

11. Your **dark line** **MUST** be within the box.
12. For each question **ONLY ONE** box is to be marked in each set of four boxes.



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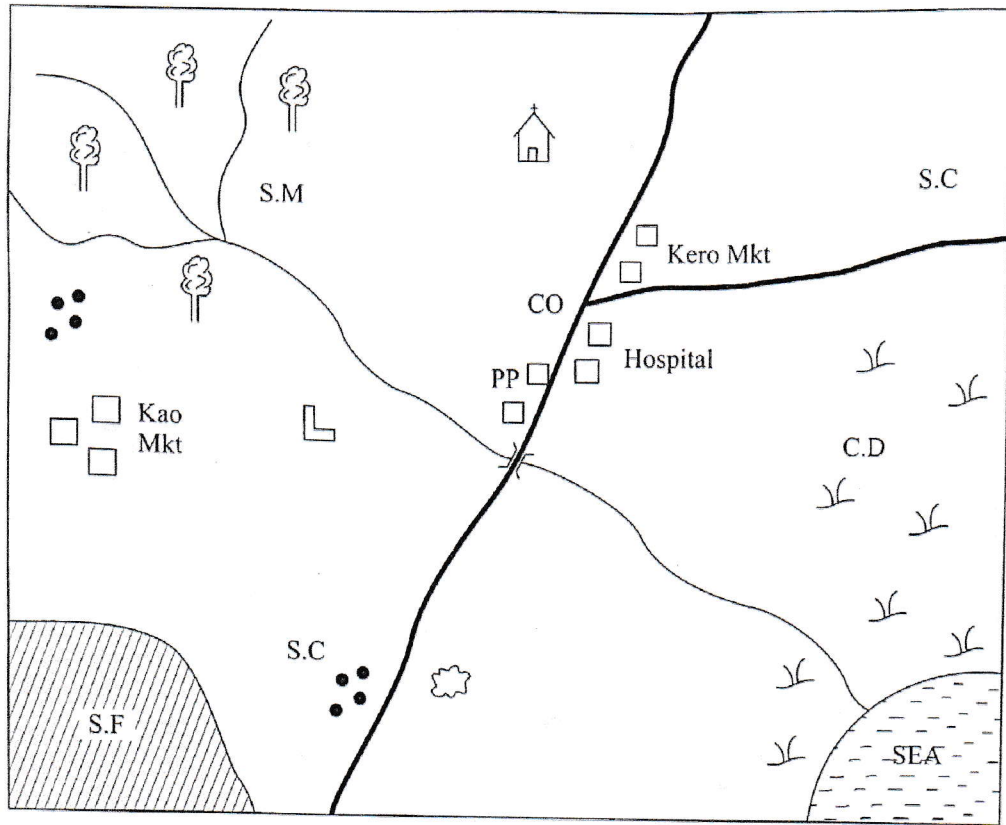
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PART I

KERIO AREA

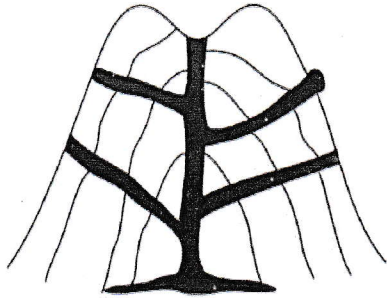


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|--|------------------|-----|-------------|-----|----------------|
| | Forest | | Tarmac road | PP | Police post |
| | Permanent houses | | Quarry | C.D | Cattle Dip |
| | Scrubs | MKT | Market | S.F | Sugarcane Farm |
| | Church | H | Hospital | S.M | Sawmill |
| | School | | Settlement | S.C | Sub-County |

1. Kerio area is headed by
 - A. County commissioner
 - B. Deputy governor
 - C. Governor
 - D. Chief
2. What is the **main** reason why Kerio market is growing rapidly. It is located in a
 - A. junction
 - B. highland
 - C. highway
 - D. densely populated area
3. The climate of the South Eastern part of the map is
 - A. cool and wet
 - B. cool and dry
 - C. hot and wet
 - D. hot and dry
4. The land in Kerio area rises towards
 - A. North East
 - B. South West
 - C. North West
 - D. South East
5. Which one of the following type of industries can be located on the south Western part of the map?
 - A. Mining industry
 - B. Sugar processing
 - C. Slaughter houses
 - D. Manufacturing industry
6. The majority of the people in Kerio area are
 - A. muslim
 - B. christians
 - C. hindus
 - D. pagans
7. The **main** economic activities in the area is
 - A. trading
 - B. fishing
 - C. lumbering
 - D. mining
8. The following are the plain nilotes of the Kenya **except**
 - A. Maasai
 - B. Iteso
 - C. Karamajong
 - D. Samburu
9. Which one of the following hominid discovered fire?
 - A. Homo erectus
 - B. Homo habilis
 - C. Homo sapiens
 - D. Homo sapien sapien
10. Which one of the following is **true** about the rotation of the earth?
 - A. It does not cause deflection of wind
 - B. It rotates from West to East
 - C. It is always tilted at $3\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$
 - D. It is caused by forces called upthrust
11. Three of the following mountains were formed through the process shown on the diagram **except**



 - A. Mt. Meru
 - B. Mt. Ras Dashan
 - C. Danakil Alps
 - D. Mt. Ndoto
12. Which one of the following lakes is **not** found on a landform drawn above?
 - A. L. Paradise
 - B. L. Chala
 - C. L. Bosumtwi
 - D. L. Gambi

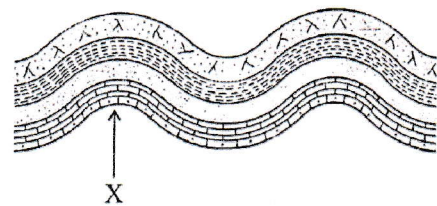
13. Which one of the following factors is **true** about Mwea Tebere and Perkerra irrigation scheme?
- Were both European settlement
 - They both produce rice
 - They were both African reserves
 - Both are settlement schemes
14. Which one of the following pre-historic site is **not** correctly matched with the country where it is located?
- Ntusi - Uganda
 - Engaruka - Tanzania
 - Dangola - Sudan
 - Awasa - Somalia
15. The following are features of Indian population. Which one is **not**?
- Unemployment is a major problem
 - There is high birth rate
 - The total population is one billion
 - Most of the people live in urban areas
16. Which one of the following is a problem associated with slow population growth?
- It leads to shortage of labour
 - Leads to food shortage
 - Destruction of forest
 - Inadequate health facilities
17. People who shared a common ancestor were referred to as
- age group
 - community
 - clan
 - tribe
18. The headteacher does all the following in the school **except**
- admitting new pupil
 - he supervises teacher's class attendance
 - teaching some lessons
 - ensures finances are well used

19. Below is a condition of a crop
- High rainfall between 1000-1500mm
 - Cool temperatures above 15°C
 - Requires volcanic soils
 - High altitude of above 1500

The crop described above is

- sugarcane
 - pyrethrum
 - tea
 - cotton
20. Which one of the following factors explain why Northern Kenya is sparsely populated?
- It is far from major town
 - It is generally dry
 - It has sand soil
 - Due to thick forest

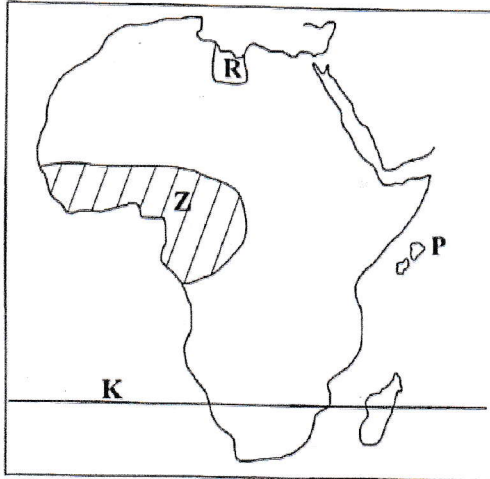
Use the diagram to answer questions 21 and 22



21. The diagram above shows the formation of
- fold mountain
 - block mountain
 - volcanic mountain
 - residual mountain
22. The **main** reason for conserving forest in Kenya is to
- protect the habitat
 - conserve rare species
 - protect the water catchment areas
 - control medicinal plants
23. One of the following is **not** a problem facing settlement schemes. Which one?
- High population
 - Inadequate capital
 - Land fragmentation
 - Plenty of harvest

24. The following crops are grown in Perkerra irrigation scheme **except**
- seed maize
 - onions
 - watermelon
 - French beans

Use the map of Africa below to answer questions 25-28



25. The sun is overhead in the tropic marked **K** in the month of
- March
 - December
 - June
 - February
26. The country marked **R** was colonised by
- Italians
 - British
 - French
 - Germans
27. The following statements are true about the region marked **Z**. Which one is **not**?
- It has tall trees
 - Mainly consists of hardwood
 - It has a thick undergrowth
 - Trees are evergreen
28. Which one of the following crops is associated with the islands marked **P**?
- Tea
 - Pyrethrum
 - Cocoa
 - Cloves
29. The **main** problem facing the major capital cities in Eastern Africa is
- unemployment
 - street family
 - traffic jams
 - shortage of houses
30. Who among the following was **not** among the Kapenguria six?
- Paul Ngei
 - Kungu Karumba
 - Jomo Kenyatta
 - Daniel Moi
31. Zimbabwe gained independence in which year?
- 1965
 - 1977
 - 1980
 - 1975
32. The following are achievements of a leader
- He nationalised Suez canal*
 - He was founder member of OAU*
 - He introduced land reforms*
 - He supported liberation movement in Africa*
- The above leader is
- Gamal Abdel Nasser
 - Leopold Sedar Senghor
 - Haille Sellasie
 - Nelson Mandela
33. The Khoikhoi chief had little powers **mainly** because
- they had a poor political system
 - the clan heads influenced the decision
 - the chief was the central power
 - they had consensual democracy
34. Who among the following is incharge of election in a polling station?
- Polling clerk
 - Returning officer
 - Presiding officer
 - County director

35. The following people came to Eastern Africa as traders **except** one. Who is it?
- Carl Peters
 - H.M Stanley
 - William Mackinon
 - Seyyid Said
36. The Nyamwezi chiefs had mercenary soldiers known as
- Mganwe
 - Rugaruga
 - Wanyamphala
 - Wanyikulu
37. In Kenya the county government is headed by the
- county commissioner
 - president
 - chief
 - governor
38. During the pre-colonial period, the Ameru were ruled by
- council of elders
 - chief
 - a king
 - emperor
39. The **best** way to ensure that the school is kept clean all the time is
- educating pupils on the importance of cleanliness
 - putting dustbin around the compound
 - to employ more cleaners in the school
 - pass strict laws in the school
40. Which one of the following countries were colonised by Portuguese **only**?
- Libya, Angola
 - Togo, Namibia
 - Cape Verde, Angola
 - Seychelles, Mozambique
41. Which one of the following dams in Africa is **correctly** matched with the river on which it is located?
- | Dam | River |
|-------------------|-----------|
| A. Masinga dam | R. Kariba |
| B. Akosombo dam | R. Volta |
| C. Aswan High dam | R. Tana |
| D. Kariba dam | R. Nile |
42. The following are national philosophies in Kenya. Which one has led to construction of more schools and health centres?
- Nyayoism
 - A working nation
 - Africa socialism
 - Harambee
43. Below are some characteristics of a vegetation
- The trees are of medium height*
 - The trees are widely spaced*
 - The trees are mainly acacia and baobab*
 - Trees are deciduous*
- Which type of vegetation is described above?
- Savanna vegetation
 - Mediterranean vegetation
 - Equatorial vegetation
 - Tropical rainforest
44. In the national flag, the green colour represents
- our land
 - peace
 - people
 - the blood
45. Which one among the following is the **main** problem limiting trade among African countries?
- They produce similar goods
 - Conflicts between member countries
 - There is poor transport
 - There is high taxes

46. The following are uses of minerals found in Kenya. It is used for
- construction of road*
 - water treatment*
 - manufacturing of paints*
- The mineral described above is
- marbles
 - limestone
 - fluorspar
 - gemstone
47. In old Ghana kingdom, the king was succeeded by
- his eldest son
 - sister's eldest son
 - his young sister
 - queen mother
48. Fulani of West Africa migrate from one place to another in order to
- escape from hostile communities
 - go to the highlands
 - search for water and pasture
 - avoid tsetsefly
49. Mandela set an example to Africa leaders in promoting democracy when
- he led his country to independence
 - he was a peacemaker
 - he retired voluntarily and handed over the power
 - he united all the races of South Africa
50. The description below refers to a prominent traditional leader in Kenya
- He was a prophet*
 - He was a medicineman*
 - A town is named after him*
 - He prophesied about the coming of Europeans*
- Which leader is described above?
- Koitalel Arap Samoei
 - Mekatilili wa Menza
 - Masaku
 - Nabongo Mumia
51. Which method of administration was used by the French in Senegal?
- Direct rule
 - Indirect rule
 - Association
 - Assimilation
52. Which means of communication would someone use to pass information to the largest number of people at the same time?
- Radio
 - Mobile telephone
 - Courier service
 - Television
53. One of the following is a major tourist destination found in South Africa. Which one is it?
- Old town Marrakech
 - Kruger National park
 - Victoria falls
 - Okavango Sanctuary delta
54. Members of cabinet are appointed by the
- president
 - parliament
 - judicial service commission
 - political parties
55. In Kenya, civil marriage are conducted by
- a magistrate
 - an elder
 - a religious leader
 - sikhs
56. The **main** reason why Kenyans used force to fight for independence is
- The British were harsh to them
 - The British did not negotiate with them
 - The Kenyans were armed already
 - The British were no longer peaceful
57. The **main** work of the judiciary is to
- make policies
 - ensure fairness in the country
 - implement government policies
 - listen to minor cases

58. The government formed by many political parties that have agreed to work together is called
- a coalition
 - Jubilee
 - Azimio
 - partnership
59. The parliamentary proceedings are recorded in a document known as
- Writs
 - Order papers
 - Hansard
 - Mace
60. Which one of the following is the **highest** court in Kenya?
- Supreme court
 - High court
 - Court of appeal
 - Court martial
64. The following are passover regulations during the saving of the Israelites. Which one is **not**?
- they were to eat bitter herbs
 - they were to eat while seated together
 - they had to roast the meat
 - they were not supposed to take any food outside
65. From the story of Joseph and his brothers, christians learnt that they should
- forgive their enemies
 - be unfair to bad people
 - respect and believe in dreams
 - punish their enemies
66. Which one of the following shows Solomon's wisdom? When he
- built the temple of God
 - led the Israelites well
 - solved the cases of two women
 - he build an altar for God

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. *"A man leaves his father and mother and is united with his wife and they become one"*
This statement shows that marriage is
- permanent
 - holy
 - getting babies
 - companionship
62. God wanted his servant Abraham to sacrifice his son Isaac. In which of the following mountain did Abraham go to sacrifice his son?
- Zion
 - Carmel
 - Moriah
 - Olive
63. From the incident when Moses accepted to go back to Egypt, to rescue the Israelites, christians learn to be
- humble
 - courageous
 - powerful
 - obedient
67. The Israelites demanded for an earthly king from Samuel because
- Moses was already dead
 - the other nations had kings
 - Samuel was very old
 - the family of Samuel was sinful
68. Which one of the following **best** explains why Jeremiah was reluctant to be a prophet?
- He was young and did not know how to speak
 - He was afraid of God's work
 - He feared the king by then
 - The family saw him unexperienced
69. The **main** lesson christians learnt about God when He defeated the Egyptians at the Red Sea is that He is
- merciful
 - caring
 - powerful
 - kind

70. Which one of the following statements was a teaching of John the Baptist to the tax collectors?
- Not to take anything by force
 - To be contented with their pay
 - Not to collect more than is legal
 - To change their lives and be holy
71. After Tabitha's death in Joppa, the widows cried out and remembered her for her good deeds. The work that Tabitha did demonstrates a fruit of the Holy Spirit. Which one is it?
- Kindness
 - Love
 - Faith
 - Patience
72. In which of the following ways did Mary and Martha **best** show concern for their brother Lazarus?
- Informing him about his death
 - Weeping when Lazarus died
 - When they showed faith during his resurrection
 - Looking for Jesus to heal him
73. "Day after day they met as a group in the temple and they had their meals together." The apostles were in which town?
- Judea
 - Bethany
 - Antioch
 - Jerusalem
74. When Stephen was being stoned in Jerusalem, the crowd left their cloaks in the care of a young man called
- Nicholas
 - John Mark
 - Saul
 - Thomas
75. A man was brought into the house where Jesus was preaching. He was lowered through a roof. Jesus told him
- to go and wash in Siloam
 - your sins are forgiven
 - to sell his properties
 - go and not to cry again
76. The following happened during the time when Jesus was being baptized
- Jesus was baptized
 - The voice was heard
 - Heavens opened up
 - The Holy spirit descended in form of a dove
- Arrange the order of the events above
- i, iii, iv, ii
 - i, ii, iii, iv
 - iii, i, ii, iv
 - i, iii, ii, iv
77. Jesus used the parables of the three servants to teach christians **mainly** about
- never give up in life
 - working hard to create wealth
 - humility in christian lives
 - always please our employers
78. Jesus did not allow the Pharisees to stone to death the woman caught in adultery **mainly** because
- the woman promised never to repeat
 - it was against the laws of God
 - he told Jesus the truth
 - the crowd pleaded for her
79. The following miracle teaches that Jesus has power over nature. Which one is it?
- Feeding of 5000 men
 - Calming the storm
 - Fish with a coin
 - Healing the blind man
80. Complete the following verse: Mathew 5:4-5
"Happy are those who work for peace, for they shall _____"
- be comforted
 - for they shall receive what God has promised
 - God will call them his children
 - for they shall see God
81. In which of the following places did Paul had a vision when he saw a macedonia standing up and begging him?
- Galatia
 - Jerusalem
 - Truas
 - Bithynia

82. Wedding ceremonies are found in both traditional African society and christianity. Which one of the following practices was found in both?
- Praying for the couple
 - Make animal sacrifice
 - To pour libation for them
 - Sing dirges to encourage them
83. What was the role of the elderly people in traditional African society?
- Taking care of young babies
 - Teaching young boys and girls
 - Taking care of the family properties
 - Praying and baptising others
84. Who among the following was found in both African traditional society and christianity?
- Medicinemen
 - Diviners
 - Sorcerer
 - Priest
85. Monica, a class eight pupil finds that she is pregnant. What is the **best** advice you should give her as a christian?
- Pray to God so as to save her abort
 - Ask her peers to advise her
 - Advise her to see a counselor
 - Inform the man responsible
86. The **best** way a class eight pupil can spend leisure time after doing her KCPE exams is by
- going to church to worship
 - attending the HIV Aids seminar
 - visiting orphans
 - attending Bible study
87. Which one of the following **best** explains why christians are supposed to take care of the environment?
- It gives all of us food
 - It is God's command
 - It is our choice to survive
 - The animals live there
88. Your friend Joy who has been looking for a job has been offered one on condition that she pays a bribe. As a christian you would advise her to
- thank God for answering her prayers
 - look for another job
 - ignore the offer and give up
 - report the matter to the police
89. The **best** reason why christians are against drug abuse is because
- our bodies are the temple of God
 - they cause poverty
 - they lead to crime in the society
 - they lead to immoral behaviour
90. Which one of the following statements is **not** true about the work of the early missionaries to Kenya?
- They build mission schools
 - They translated the Bible into Kiswahili
 - They taught non-formal education to Africans
 - They taught Africans how to read

ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. Success and prosperity in life largely depend on one's patience. This is learnt in *surah*
- Al-Asr*
 - Al-Maun*
 - Al-Kawthar*
 - Al-Humazah*
62. *Kafan* is ordinarily divided into how many parts?
- 6
 - 5
 - 4
 - 3
63. The wearing of golden necklaces or earings by males is
- halaal*
 - not bad
 - haram*
 - good but not *haram*