

# KCPE 2009

## SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Time: 2 hours 15 minutes

### READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

You have been given this question booklet and a separate answer sheet. The question booklet contains 90 questions.

Do any necessary rough work in this booklet.

When you have chosen your answer, mark it on the **ANSWER SHEET**, not in this question booklet.

### HOW TO USE THE ANSWER SHEET

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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.

Do not make any marks outside the boxes.

Keep the sheet as clean as possible and do not fold it.

For each of the questions 1–90 four answers are given. The answers are lettered A, B, C, D. In each case only **ONE** of the four answers is correct. Choose the correct answer.

On the answer sheet the correct answer is to be shown by drawing a **dark line** inside the box in which the letter you have chosen is written.

#### Example

##### In the Question Booklet:

31. The **best** way to control sheet erosion is by

- A. contour farming
- B. building gabions
- C. planting cover crop
- D. crop rotation

The correct answer is "C"

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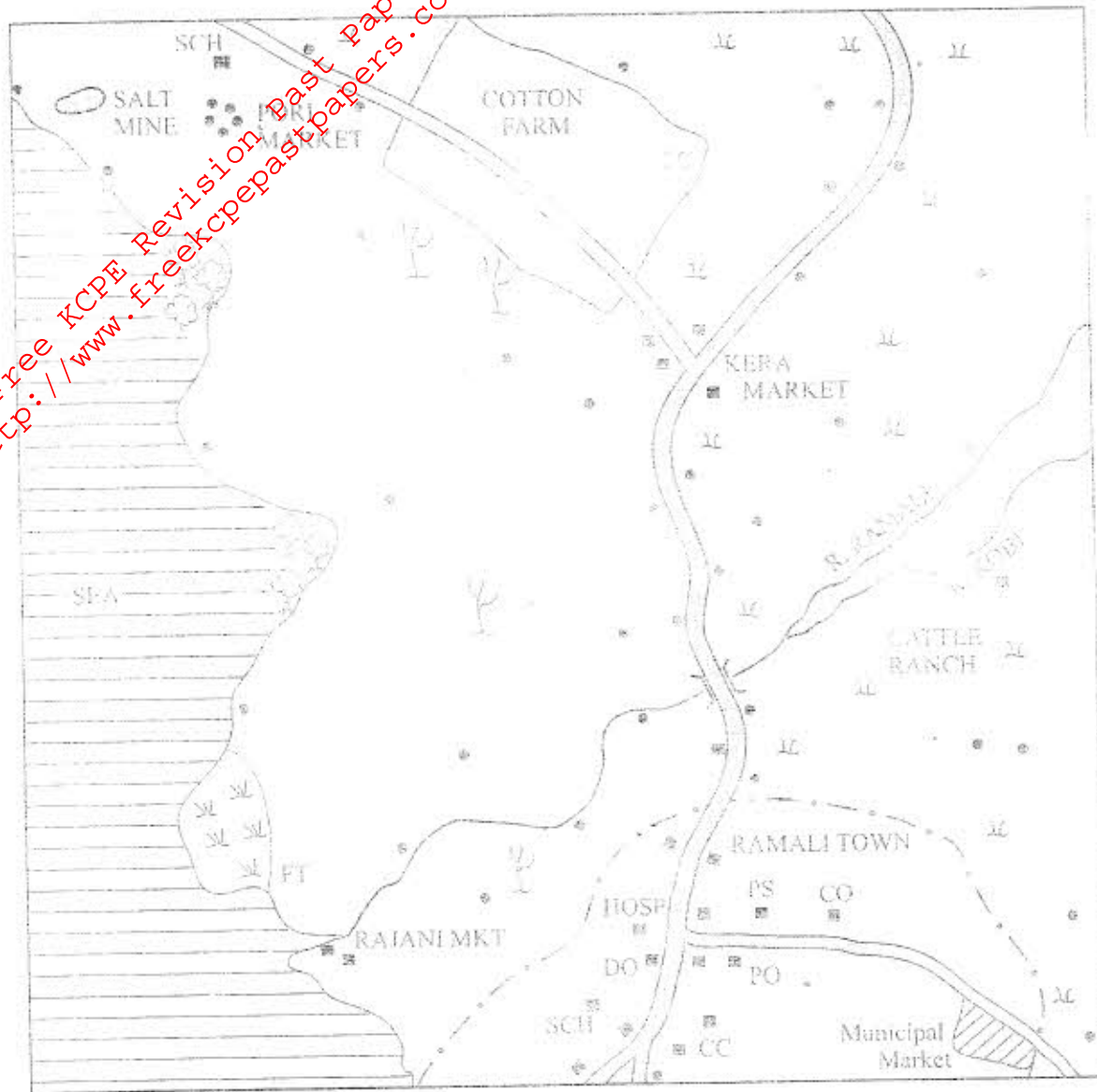
1. Your dark line **MUST** be within the box

2. For each question **ONLY ONE** box is to be marked in each set of four boxes.

This Question Paper consists of 12 printed pages.

# PART I SOCIAL STUDIES

## RAMALI AREA



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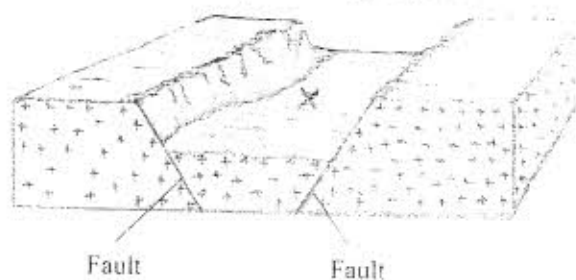
### KEY

	Murram Road	CC	Chief's Camp
	Tarmac Road	HOSP	Hospital
	Bridge	DO	District Office
	Municipal Boundary	PO	Post Office
	Permanent Buildings	PS	Police Station
	River Houses	SCH	School
	Mangrove Trees	Post	Post Office

Study the map of RAMALI area and answer questions 1 to 7.

1. The natural vegetation found around Keru market is
  - A. mangrove forest
  - B. scattered trees
  - C. papyrus
  - D. scrub.
2. The approximate area of the cotton farm is
  - A. 4 km<sup>2</sup>
  - B. 8 km<sup>2</sup>
  - C. 12 km<sup>2</sup>
  - D. 14 km<sup>2</sup>
3. River Ramali flows from
  - A. North-East to South-West
  - B. North-West to South-East
  - C. South-West to North-East
  - D. South-East to North-West
4. Which one of the following social services is provided at Pori market?
  - A. Health Services.
  - B. Religious Services.
  - C. Educational Services.
  - D. Postal Services.
5. In which one of the following parts of Ramali area are most of the settlements found?
  - A. Along the Coast.
  - B. Along the tarmac road.
  - C. Along the murram road.
  - D. Along the river.
6. The **main** economic activity carried out in Ramali area is
  - A. salt mining
  - B. cattle keeping
  - C. fishing
  - D. trading.
7. The climate of Ramali area can be described as
  - A. hot and dry
  - B. hot and wet
  - C. cold and wet
  - D. cold and dry.
8. In traditional African societies, the youth were taught moral laws **mainly** to
  - A. promote unity among themselves
  - B. show kindness to other people
  - C. grow into respectable adults
  - D. become courageous.
9. Which one of the following statements is **true** about traditional industries during the pre-colonial period?
  - A. They provided the necessary household items.
  - B. They promoted the development of roads.
  - C. They provided goods for export.
  - D. They encouraged the establishment of museums.

10. The diagram below represents a physical feature. Use it to answer the question that follows.



The feature marked X is

- A. a block mountain
  - B. a rift valley
  - C. an escarpment
  - D. a crater.
11. During the pre-colonial period, the Baganda were ruled by
- A. a council of elders
  - B. a queen mother
  - C. a chief
  - D. a king.
12. Which one of the following methods of colonial administration was used by the British in Northern Nigeria?
- A. Direct rule.
  - B. Indirect rule.
  - C. Association.
  - D. Assimilation.
13. In which of the following months is the sun overhead at the equator?
- A. March and September.
  - B. June and September.
  - C. March and December.
  - D. June and December.
14. The following are functions that were performed by traditional leaders during the pre-colonial period.
- (i) Settling disputes.
  - (ii) Treating the sick.
  - (iii) Blessing the warriors.
  - (iv) Allocating land to clan members.
  - (v) Foretelling the future.
- Which one of the following combinations of the functions above was performed by the council of elders in traditional African societies?
- A. (i), (ii), (v).
  - B. (ii), (iii), (v).
  - C. (i), (iii), (iv).
  - D. (iii), (iv), (vi).
15. Which one of the following groups of people belong to a nuclear family?
- A. Father, daughter, son
  - B. Mother, son, grandfather
  - C. Father, son, uncle
  - D. Grandmother, father, uncle



16. Which one of the following communities is correctly matched with the commodity they traded during the pre-colonial period?

Community	Items traded
A. Maasai	Grain
B. Akamba	Wood carvings
C. Agikuyu	Beeswax
D. Anagisi	Red ochre

Use the map of Kenya to answer Questions 17 to 20.



17. Which one of the following language groups migrated into Kenya along the route marked H?
- Bantus.
  - Cushites.
  - River-Lake Nilotes.
  - Plains Nilotes.
18. Which one of the following statements explains why the shaded area marked J is densely populated?
- The area has sufficient land for settlement.
  - The area receives high rainfall which encourages farming.
  - The area has volcanic soils suitable for growing a variety of crops.
  - The area experiences cool climate suitable for settlement.
19. The country marked K is
- Uganda
  - Tanzania
  - Ethiopia
  - Somalia

20. Which one of the following statements is true about the river marked L?
- It originates from Mau Hills.
  - It crosses five provinces.
  - It supplies water for irrigation.
  - It is seasonal.

21. The best way to ensure that the school is kept clean all the time is by
- organizing weekly cleaning days
  - educating pupils on the importance of cleanliness
  - providing dustbins for throwing rubbish
  - employing workers to collect waste papers.

22. The following statements describe a prominent traditional Kenyan leader.
- He was a medicine man.
  - He disrupted the construction of Kenya-Uganda railway.
  - He was killed by the British.

The leader described above is

- Masaku
- Sakawa
- Koitalel arap Somoci
- Waiyaki wa Hinga

23. Which group of characteristics shown below describes the equatorial vegetation?

Scattered trees  
Umbrella-shaped trees  
Tall grass

A

Very tall trees  
Trees with straight trunks  
Numerous climbing plants

B

Tiny thorny bushes  
Plants with thick barks  
Plants with long tap roots

C

Short grass  
Heath and moorland  
Bamboo trees

D

24. The main contribution of petroleum to the economy of Nigeria is that it has led to
- the development of transport network
  - an increase in energy supply
  - the creation of job opportunities
  - an increase in foreign exchange.
25. Below are some ways used for predicting the coming of rainy season.
- Observing the clouds.
  - Using air balloons.
  - Measuring the humidity of the air.
  - Observing the shape of the moon.

Which combination of the ways listed above consists traditional methods of predicting weather?

- (i) and (iv).
- (i) and (ii).
- (ii) and (iii).
- (iii) and (iv).

6. Which of the following African leaders resisted the establishment of French Colonial rule?

- A. Mouleli II
- B. Senghor
- C. Foutia
- D. Kinjekile Ngwale

27. Which one of the following countries is correctly matched with its capital city?

- | Country    | Capital city |
|------------|--------------|
| A. Mali    | Namako       |
| B. Ghana   | Dakar        |
| C. Senegal | Ndjamena     |
| D. Chad    | Accra        |

28. Three of the following are problems experienced by farmers in Awewa-Tebere Irrigation Scheme. Which one is **not**?

- A. Silting of canals
- B. Water-borne diseases
- C. Destruction of crops by birds
- D. Shortage of rice seeds

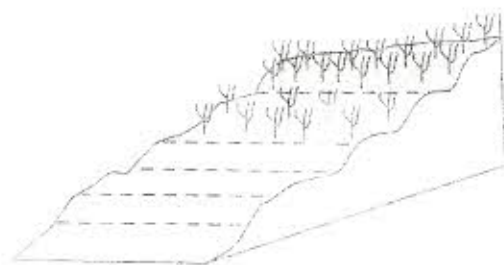
29. Horticultural farming in Kenya is different from that in the Netherlands in that

- A. horticultural cooperatives are better organized in Kenya than in the Netherlands
- B. Kenya has a wider local market than the Netherlands
- C. farming is less mechanized in Kenya than in the Netherlands
- D. there are more horticultural farms in Kenya than in the Netherlands

30. Aku, your classmate, has been performing poorly in class because she learnt that her parents are HIV positive. Which one of the following is the **best** action for you to take to help Aku?

- A. Advise her to seek counselling services
- B. Encourage her to work hard
- C. Advise her to drop out of school
- D. Encourage her to pray about the problem

31. The diagram below represents a method used to conserve soil.



The method represented in the diagram above is

- A. contour ploughing
- B. strip cropping
- C. contour building
- D. terracing

32. Game reserves have been established in Kenya mainly to

- A. increase meat supply
- B. ensure safety of wildlife
- C. control movement of animals
- D. make good use of dry lands

33. The following are some historical events that have taken place in Kenya since independence.

- (i) Daniel arap Moi retired as president
- (ii) Section 2A of the constitution was amended
- (iii) Kenya became a republic

Which is the **correct** order in which the events took place?

- A. (i) (iii) (ii)
- B. (iii) (ii) (i)
- C. (i) (ii) (iii)
- D. (ii) (iii) (i)

34. The **main** reason why the United Nations (UN) was formed was to

- A. promote economic cooperation among nations
- B. take care of the environment
- C. promote peace in the world
- D. take care of refugees

35. Three of the following statements are true about the Tswana pastoralists. Which one is **not**?

- A. They live in the wetter parts of their country
- B. They keep large herds of livestock
- C. They use some of their animals to pay bride price
- D. They grow food crops around their temporary shelters

36. Which one of the following was a result of settler farming in Kenya?

- A. Introduction of long horned cattle
- B. Introduction of bee keeping
- C. Introduction of intercropping
- D. Introduction of cash crops

37. Which one of the following is **not** a function of the body in charge of elections in Kenya?

- A. Creating new constituencies
- B. Campaigning for candidates
- C. Registering voters
- D. Announcing election results

38. Which one of the following groups of countries formed the East African Community in 1967?

- A. Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania
- B. Kenya, Rwanda and Burundi
- C. Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda
- D. Kenya, Uganda and Rwanda

39. Which one of the following crops is commonly grown in Zanzibar?

- A. Cacao
- B. Sugarcane
- C. Cloves
- D. Pyrethrum

40. Three of the following are roles of political parties in a democracy. Which one is **not**?
- They encourage citizens to take part in elections.
  - They monitor activities of the government.
  - They campaign for equal rights for citizens.
  - They approve bills to be debated in Parliament.

41. Fresh flowers from Kenya are exported to Europe by air because air transport is
- fast
  - cheap
  - safe
  - comfortable

42. In Kenya, a national population census is carried out after a period of
- 10 years
  - 5 years
  - 3 years
  - 1 year

43. A pupil has been told by the parents to help in fetching water for sale instead of attending school. The **best** action for the pupil to take is to
- ignore the parents
  - accept to do the work
  - run away from home
  - report the matter to the headteacher.

44. The *Harambee* movement in Kenya has led to
- establishment of new towns
  - development of railway transport
  - the expansion of health services
  - the introduction of free primary education.

45. One of the problems affecting fishing in Lake Victoria is that
- parts of the lake are rocky
  - parts of the lake have water hyacinth
  - the lake level keeps changing
  - sand from rivers is deposited in the lake.

46. Which one of the following is the reason why *Madaraka* Day is celebrated in Kenya?
- To remember the day when self government was attained.
  - To remember the day freedom fighters were arrested.
  - To remember the day when Mau Mau movement started.
  - To remember the day Kenya became a colony.

47. Which one of the following statements is true of both Julius Nyerere of Tanzania and Haile Selassie of Ethiopia?
- They led their countries to independence.
  - They were founder members of the OAU.
  - They were Emperor of power by the masses.
  - They were first presidents of their countries.

48. Which one of the following tourist attractions in Africa is correctly matched with the country where it is found?

<u>Tourist attraction</u>	<u>Country</u>
A. Pyramids	Egypt
B. Gedi Ruins	South Africa
C. Victoria Falls	Kenya
D. Sandy beaches	Zimbabwe

49. Which one of the following is a role of the School Management Committee in public primary schools in Kenya?
- To distribute text books to pupils.
  - To punish pupils for missing school.
  - To supervise teachers.
  - To build classrooms.

50. Which one of the following is a requirement for a person who wishes to be elected as a member of parliament in Kenya?
- The person should be
- married and with children
  - a retired councillor
  - eighteen years and above
  - supported by one thousand registered voters.

51. Which one of the following places is the **safest** for pupils to cross the road?
- Where there are bumps.
  - Where there are traffic lights.
  - At a roundabout.
  - Where there is a road junction.

52. Which one of the following groups of industries consists of service industries?

banking  
bicycle repair

vehicle assembly  
fruit canning

A

B

coffee milling  
fish canning

furniture making  
bakery

C

D

53. Which one of the following government officers is correctly matched with the right responsibility?

<u>Government officer</u>	<u>Responsibilities</u>
A. Attorney General	To arrest criminals
B. Police Officer	To help law breakers to reform
C. District Commissioner	To explain government policies to the public
D. Prison Officer	To advise the government on law matters



55. A foreigner living in Kenya may enjoy the following rights **except**
- A. Right to life
  - B. Right to own property
  - C. Right to fair trial
  - D. Right to vote during general elections

56. In Kenya, fluorspar is mined through
- A. deep shaft method
  - B. open cast method
  - C. panning
  - D. drilling.

57. The **best** way through which prefects can help the other pupils to become responsible citizens is by
- A. setting examples of good behaviour for others to copy
  - B. punishing those who misbehave in school
  - C. telling pupils to behave well
  - D. giving presents to those who behave well.

58. One of the functions of local authorities in Kenya is to
- A. build places of worship
  - B. ensure that people pay taxes
  - C. issue trade licences to traders
  - D. provide security to visitors.

59. Three of the following are ways through which national unity can be promoted in Kenya. Which one is **not**?
- A. Encouraging people to listen to vernacular radio stations.
  - B. Encouraging people to participate in national games.
  - C. Ensuring that people are free to settle in any part of the country.
  - D. Ensuring that people know how to sing the National Anthem.

60. Which one of the following is a function of parliament in Kenya?
- A. Implementing laws.
  - B. Making laws.
  - C. Judging those who break the law.
  - D. Advising the president on matters of law.

## PART II RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### SECTION A: CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. From the Biblical stories of creation in Genesis 1 and 2, God created Adam and Eve to
- A. build places of worship
  - B. offer gifts to him
  - C. care for the environment
  - D. eat the fruits in the garden

62. The **main** reason why Noah built an ark was to make him be able to
- A. fulfil God's wish
  - B. worship God there
  - C. keep the animals
  - D. hide his family.

63. "Leave your country, your relatives and your father's home and go to a land that I am going to show you." (Genesis 12:1)  
God spoke these words to
- A. Abram
  - B. Joseph
  - C. Jacob
  - D. Elisha.

64. Which one of the following happenings took place during the night marking the start of the Exodus?
- A. Moses killed an Egyptian.
  - B. All first born sons of the Egyptians died.
  - C. Water in river Nile turned into blood.
  - D. Frogs filled the land of Egypt.

65. Which of the following commandments was broken by the Israelites when they worshipped the golden bull calf at Mount Sinai?
- A. 'Do not commit adultery.'
  - B. 'Do not desire another person's property.'
  - C. 'Do not make for yourselves images.'
  - D. 'Do not accuse anyone falsely.'

66. Who among the following people was anointed as the first King of Israel?
- A. Saul.
  - B. David.
  - C. Solomon.
  - D. Ahab.

67. Jerusalem was considered a Jewish religious centre of worship because
- A. many people lived there
  - B. it was built on a hill
  - C. it was in the middle of the kingdom
  - D. it had the Ark of the Covenant.

68. Who among the following couples were the parents of Prophet Samuel?
- A. Sarah and Abraham.
  - B. Rebecca and Isaac.
  - C. Hannah and Elkanah.
  - D. Ruth and Boaz.

69. But the Lord said to me, "Do not say that you are too young, but go to the people I send you to ...." (Jeremiah 1:7)  
The **main** lesson Christians learn from this is that
- A. they should obey God's command
  - B. they should be concerned about others
  - C. God cares for his people
  - D. God wants them to be holy.

70. Which one of the following happenings took place on the eighth day after Jesus was born?
- The angel appeared to Mary.
  - Jesus was circumcised.
  - The angel appeared to the shepherds.
  - Jesus was baptised.

71. From the incident when King Herod failed to kill baby Jesus, Christians learn that:
- God cannot be defeated.
  - they should be careful in their actions.
  - God protects His people.
  - they should be brave others.

72. Jesus was baptized in the river Jordan. The main lesson Christians learn from this is to:
- identify with the church leaders.
  - identify with their church.
  - keep away from sin.
  - prepare for the work of God.

73. Which one of the following statements from the New Testament is a beatitude?
- "The Lord is with you and has greatly blessed you."
  - "Happy are those who believe without seeing me."
  - "How happy you are to believe the Lord's message."
  - "Happy are those who are merciful to others. God will be merciful to them."

74. The parable of the widow and the judge teaches Christians to:
- keep on praying.
  - look for the lost.
  - live in joy.
  - be repentant.

75. The main lesson Christians learn from the miracle of the raising of Lazarus is to:
- look for help.
  - have courage.
  - be thankful.
  - have faith.

76. The army officer who saw Jesus dying on the cross described him as a:
- kind person.
  - powerful man.
  - humble person.
  - good man.

77. The two disciples whom Jesus met after his resurrection were on their way to:
- Emmaus.
  - Jerusalem.
  - Jericho.
  - Bethlehem.

78. Which one of the following events took place on the day of Pentecost?
- The temple of Jerusalem was torn in two.
  - The tongues spoke in other languages.
  - Jesus was taken up to heaven.
  - Simon Peter was in custody of Jesus.

79. Who among the following people was chosen to replace Judas as an apostle of Christ?
- Matthias.
  - Barabbas.
  - Simon of Cyrene.
  - Joseph of Arimathea.

80. "I see heaven open, and the Son of Man standing at the right side of God." (Acts 7:56). These words were spoken by Stephen when he was:
- serving food.
  - helping widows.
  - performing miracles.
  - preaching to the people.

81. What was Saul going to do in Damascus when he was blinded by a strong light? He was going to:
- meet with Ananias.
  - persecute the believers.
  - be baptised.
  - meet with the gentiles.

82. Which one of the following types of worship is common in both Christianity and traditional African religion?
- Reading the Bible.
  - Reciting creeds.
  - Giving offerings.
  - Celebrating the Lord's supper.

83. Three of the following activities in traditional African communities show that there is life after death. Which one does not?
- Pouring libations.
  - Singing and dancing.
  - Slaughtering animals.
  - Giving bride price.

84. In traditional African communities children are told stories mainly to:
- teach them moral values.
  - entertain them.
  - keep them busy.
  - pass on community history.

85. Which one of the following practices would best show how a Christian can care for the environment?
- Burning rubbish.
  - Planting trees.
  - Sweeping the house.
  - Draining stagnant water.

86. Which one of the following ways shows the right use of wealth by Christians?
- Using it to pay taxes.
  - Using it to help the poor.
  - Using it to buy land.
  - Using it to build a house.



87. Which one of the following activities by Muslims best shows how they can use their day of rest?
- Helping the needy.
  - Singing in the choir.
  - Making new friends.
  - Reading story books.
88. Which one of the following is a reason why a Christian should take part in church work?
- To
- seek favours.
  - become popular.
  - make money.
  - promote unity.
89. After waiting for the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education examination results, Daniel is asked by an old lady for a hand in marriage. As a Christian the best action to take is to
- tell his parents about it.
  - seek advice from his friends.
  - tell the pastor about it.
  - tell her he is not ready for it.
90. After Agnes, a standard eight pupil, has bought a kilogram of sugar, the shopkeeper refuses to give her the correct change. As a Christian the best action for her to take is to
- shout for help.
  - ask for it.
  - cry about it.
  - forget about it.

## SECTION B

### ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. What favour is given to the Makkans in *Surah Quraishi*?
- Art of trading.
  - Victory over Abrahah's army.
  - Respect from other tribes.
  - Custody of the *Kaaba*.
62. The main message of *Surah Al-Ikhlus* is
- Sacraf*.
  - Tawheed*.
  - Amanahat*.
  - Hijab*.
63. Which one of the following is a lesson from *Surah Al-Kautar*?
- Man was created from a clot.
  - The enemies of the Prophet (p.b.u.h) will be cut off.
  - Oppressors should be treated with compassion.
  - Muslims should seek knowledge from Allah.

64. The *Surah* that asks Muslims to seek refuge from the mischief of created beings is
- Al-Fatihah*.
  - Al-Lahat*.
  - Al-Kafirun*.
  - Al-Falaq*.
65. Which one of the following quotations is a verse from *Surah Al-Zalzalah*?
- "Nor is there to Him any equivalent."
  - "So pray to the Lord and sacrifice."
  - "And the earth throws up her burdens."
  - "Let them worship the Lord of this House."
66. Which one of the following is **not** one of the manners of eating according to the *Hadith* of the Prophet?
- Using a spoon to eat the food.
  - Reciting *Bismillah* before eating.
  - Eating with the right hand.
  - Eating the food that is in front of you.
67. "Islam is clean, so cleanse yourself for no unclean person will ....." Which one of the following clause completes the quoted *Hadith*?
- be allowed into the mosque.
  - recite the Quran.
  - perform hajj.
  - enter paradise.
68. Which one of the following clauses defines *Zakat*?
- Tax paid by the rich Muslims.
  - Contributions given to the beggars and the aged.
  - Fixed rate of alms paid to the poor and needy.
  - Payments made at the end of *Ramadhan*.
69. Which one of the following is a benefit of fasting to Muslims?
- It helps in the attainment of piety.
  - It helps them lose weight.
  - It helps them make savings.
  - It helps to improve their appetite.
70. Which one of the following is **not** a ritual of *Hajj*?
- Visiting Bait-ul-Maqdis.
  - Wearing of *ihram*.
  - Stoning the *Jamarat*.
  - Staying at Mina.
71. A *stannah* act of *qazm* is
- fasting without *sahur* meal.
  - delaying the breaking of the fast.
  - performance of *taweeh* prayer.
  - taking leave from work.
72. On which one of the following occasions is *aqiqah* performed?
- When a person converts to Islam.
  - When a baby is born.
  - When a person completes *Hajj*.
  - When a boy graduates from Madrasah.

73. Which one of the following is **not** a sunnah act of *Idd-ul-Fitr*?

- A. Taking breakfast before *Idd* prayer.
- B. Reciting *Takbir* on the way to *Idd* prayer.
- C. Giving out *zakaat ul fitr*.
- D. Slaughtering an animal.

74. In which *rakaat* is *Tashahud* **not** performed?

- A. First.
- B. Second.
- C. Third.
- D. Fourth.

75. Sulaiman, a student, is an orphan but his father left him with some money. How best can his guardian improve his money for him?

- A. Put the money in a bank.
- B. Buy a house for him to let out.
- C. Lend the money to a relative.
- D. Open a business for him.

76. To which prophet was the *Taurat* revealed?

- A. Ibrahim.
- B. Daud.
- C. Issa.
- D. Musa.

77. Which one of the following names of Allah shows that He sustains life?

- A. *Al-Razzaq*.
- B. *Al-Ghafaar*.
- C. *Al-Fattah*.
- D. *Al-Musawwir*.

78. Which one of the following statements is **not** true about *Giyama*?

- A. People will be judged according to their deeds.
- B. Sinners will be given a chance to repent.
- C. Evil doers will be punished.
- D. Righteous people will be rewarded.

79. The two angels who are in charge of recording a person's good and bad deeds are

- A. Raqib and Atid
- B. Munkar and Nakir
- C. Jibril and Israfeel
- D. Malik and Ridhwan.

80. Your classmate, Hassan, is disappointed because he was left out of the school football team. What is the best advice that you can give him?

- A. Look for a transfer to another school.
- B. Continue playing football to improve his skills.
- C. Stop playing football altogether.
- D. Find a different sport.

81. Your younger sister is going to boarding school in class five. The best advice that you could give her on how to choose her friends is to associate with pupils who

- A. come from famous families
- B. are bright in class
- C. perform regular prayers
- D. are popular in the school.

82. During *Isra-wal-Miraj*, Prophet Muhammad (p.b.u.h) was taken from Makkah to the city of

- A. Cairo
- B. Jerusalem
- C. Damascus
- D. Baghdad.

83. Which one of the following events took place during *Laila-tul-Qadr*?

- A. The Prophet gave his Last Sermon.
- B. The Prophet was born.
- C. The Prophet hid in the cave of Thaur.
- D. The first revelation of the Quran.

84. Which one of the following is **not** a reason why Prophet Muhammad (p.b.u.h) migrated from Makkah to Madina?

- A. To trade with the inhabitants of Madina.
- B. Allah ordered him to move to Madina.
- C. The Quraish attempted to kill him.
- D. To escape the persecution of Muslims in Makkah.

85. Who advised the Prophet (p.b.u.h) to dig a trench round Madina during the battle of Khandaq?

- A. Abu Bakr
- B. Umar Ibn al-Khattab
- C. Salman al-Farsi
- D. Abu Talib.

86. Muslims on the coast of Kenya drove the Portuguese out of Fort Jesus by the help of the

- A. Omanis
- B. British
- C. Persians
- D. French.

87. Muslims mark the day of *Ashura* by

- A. slaughtering an animal
- B. sending greetings
- C. feasting
- D. fasting

88. Who among the following Prophets of Allah is *not* *ulul-azm*?

- A. Musa
- B. Nuh
- C. Ismail
- D. Ibrahim

89. The high sun of *Yawm al-Qiyam* will be lowered on the

90. Which one of the following is the role of a mosque?
- To propagate Islam.
  - A place for social gathering.
  - A place for holding feasts.
  - To promote culture.

## SECTION C

### HINDU RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. Which one of the following attributes of Paramatma is displayed by the murti of Lord Buddha sitting in meditation?
- Anand
  - Samadhi
  - Sarva Shaktimaan.
  - Sarva Vyapi.

62. Which one of the following Panch Mahabhoot is not experienced from a strong wind?
- Akash.
  - Agni.
  - Prithvi.
  - Vayu.

63. Lord Vishnu came to protect the Brahmins when He incarnated as
- Buddha
  - Parshuram
  - Krishna
  - Rama.

64. Which one of the following values was preached by Mallinath and Parshvanath?
- Charity.
  - Equality.
  - Obedience.
  - Tolerance.

65. Why was Guru Teg Bahadur beheaded by Mogul King Aurangzeb?
- He tried to unite Hindus against unjust laws.
  - He included Quranic verses in the Guru Granth.
  - He refused to convert to Islam.
  - He was involved in training warriors.

66. Who among the following personalities discouraged the offering of animals to deities?
- Swami Sahajanand
  - Swami Vivekanand.
  - Sant Thiruvalluvar.
  - Adi Shankaracharya.

67. Which one of the following scriptures is correctly matched with the language it was originally written in?

Scripture	Language
A. Adi Granth	Hindi
B. Kalpasutra	Punjabi
C. Satyarth Prakash	Ardha Magdhi
D. Dhammapada	Pali

68. Rama was born to Queen Kaushalya after King Dashratha performed
- Prarthana
  - Puja
  - Yajna
  - Tapas.

69. Which one of the following is not a reason why Duryodhan crowned Karna, King of Anga?
- Karna was born with Kavach and Kundal.
  - Karna's skills in archery were equal to those of Arjun's.
  - Duryodhan wanted to defy Kripacharya's order.
  - Duryodhan wanted Karna to be on his side.

70. Sikhs donate one tenth of their earnings to the community. By doing so they practise the principle of
- Ishnan Karna
  - Wand Shakana
  - Dharam ki Kirat
  - Naam Japana.

71. Which one of the following is not a way in which Jains practise Ahimsa?
- Covering the mouth with Muhapati.
  - Sweeping a path before walking on it.
  - Boiling drinking water.
  - Eating food before sunset.

72. Which one of the following principles if practised will help stop stealing in the community?
- Akrodha.
  - Asteya.
  - Sheel.
  - Satya.

73. Wearing new clothes by Hindus during festivals symbolizes the principle of
- Dama
  - Dhruti
  - Vidya
  - Shaucham.

74. Which one of the following statements is not true about the sound symbol of OM?
- It represents the Devas.
  - It is the Brahmanaad.
  - Chanting it makes one pure.
  - It is a universal name of Paramauna.



75. The main presiding deity at Kashi is

- A. Lord Brahma
- B. Lord Ganesh
- C. Lord Shiva
- D. Lord Vishnu

76. The *Akiri* in the Sikh symbol of *Khandi* signifies

- A. bravery
- B. cleanliness
- C. universal brotherhood
- D. freedom of worship

77. In the Hindu *Vah Sanskar* the bride and groom take vows during the ritual of

- A. *Satyanam*
- B. *Devnam*
- C. *Anant*
- D. *astamelap*

78. The following are Sikh *Sanskar*:

- (i) *Anand Karaj*
- (ii) *Anrit Shiksha*
- (iii) *Naam Karan*
- (iv) *Antveshti*

The order in which they are performed is

- A. (i) (iii) (iv) (ii)
- B. (iii) (ii) (i) (iv)
- C. (i) (ii) (iv) (iii)
- D. (iv) (iii) (i) (ii)

79. Hindus blow the conch-shell during *puja* in order to

- A. purify the atmosphere
- B. invite people to join in the worship
- C. awaken the main deity of the temple
- D. entertain the congregation

80. The Sikh festival which is both religious and social is

- A. Guru Nanak *Janamdi*
- B. Guru Arjan Dev's martyrdom
- C. *Vaisakhi*
- D. *Gurupurab*

81. The festival that is celebrated to commemorate the victory of Goddess Durga over demon Mahisasur is

- A. *Diwali*
- B. *Holi*
- C. *Rama Navami*
- D. *Vijaya Dashami*

82. Hindus make *rangoli* designs at the doorsteps of their houses on *Diwali* day mainly to

- A. ask for blessings from Lord Ganesh
- B. welcome Goddess Lakshmi
- C. ward off evil spirits
- D. exhibit their artistic skills

83. How many postures does a person performing *Shirya Namaskar* observe?

- A. Six
- B. Eight
- C. Ten
- D. Twelve

84. Who among the following personalities practised *Jnana Yoga*?

- A. Nachiketa
- B. Prahalad
- C. Nivedita
- D. Dhruv

85. Which one of the following *Asana* is performed at the beginning of a meditation session?

- A. *Vajrasana*
- B. *Tadasana*
- C. *Padmasana*
- D. *Shavasana*

86. During a Hindu Religious Education lesson, a teacher asks the pupils, "Why do you take care of the plants?" Which one of the following answers by the pupils shows their appreciation of the environment?

- A. Plants make our surroundings beautiful.
- B. Plants give us fruits to eat.
- C. Our parents ask us to do so.
- D. It is a good physical exercise.

87. Sonam, a standard seven pupil, sees his friend Ashish snatching a lunchbox from Prem, a class three pupil. The **best** course of action for Sonam to take is to

- A. buy Prem some food from the school canteen
- B. tell Prem to forgive Ashish
- C. report the matter to Ashish's parents
- D. ask Ashish to return the lunchbox to Prem.

88. Hindus offer food to the departed souls in the month of

- A. *Chaitra*
- B. *Kartik*
- C. *Bhadrapad*
- D. *Margashirsh*

89. During which season do Hindus celebrate the *Janamdi* of Rama, Mahavir and Buddha?

- A. *Grishma*
- B. *Sharad*
- C. *Vasant*
- D. *Varsha*

90. Which one of the following *avatar* of Lord Vishnu took place during *Dvapara Yuga*?

- A. Rama
- B. Yaman
- C. Matsya
- D. Buddha