

FREE VIRTUAL MOCK EXAMINATION (2)

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ESSAY and OBJECTIVE

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All answers must be provided on clean sheet of papers (Answer booklet).

Write your name and index number on the sheets.

This booklet consists of two papers. Answer Paper 2 and 1 on your answer sheet. Paper 2 consists of three parts: I, II & III. Answer three questions in all; one question from each part. Paper 2 will last for **1 Hour** after which the answer booklet will be collected. Do **not** start Paper 1 until you are told to do so. Paper 1 will last **45 minutes**.

Answer all questions in your answer booklet.

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PAPER 2

Essay

*This paper consists of **three** sections: I, II and III. Answer **three** questions **only**, choosing **one** question from **each** section*

All questions carry equal marks

Answer all the questions in your answer booklet

Credit will be given for clarity of expression and orderly presentation of material

SECTION I

THE ENVIROMENT

*Answer **one** question **only** from this section*

1. (a) With the aid of diagrams, differentiate between Lunar Eclipse and Solar Eclipse [6 Mark]
- (b) Describe the formation of frontal rainfall. [6 Marks]
- (c) Outline **four (4)** factors that cause cultural change in Ghana. [4 Marks]
- (d) Indicate **four (4)** advantages of parallel culture to the society. [4 Marks]

2. (a) Give **four (4)** challenges associated with population census in Ghana. [4 marks]
- (b) Outline **four (4)** factors that can cause high population growth in Ghana. [6 marks]
- (c) State **four (4)** harmful effects of superstitious belief on society. [4 Marks]
- (d) Describe **four (4)** effects of female genital mutilation. [6 Marks]

SECTION II

GOVERNMENT, POLITICS AND STABILITY

*Answer **one** question **only** from this section*

3. (a) State **four (4)** composition of the Executive arm of Government. [2 marks]
- (b) Identify **four (4)** functions of the Judiciary. [4 marks]
- (c) State **two (2)** functions each of the three arms of government of Ghana. [6 Marks]
- (d) Indicate **four (4)** problems facing District Assemblies in Ghana. [8 Marks]
4. (a) Identify any **four (4)** political parties operating in Ghana. [2 marks]
- (b) Outline **four (4)** factors that have promoted democracy under the 4th Republic. [6 marks]
- (c) Outline **four (4)** reasons why Ghana is not self-reliant. [6 Marks]
- (d) Highlight **four (4)** causes of political instability. [6 Marks]

SECTION III

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

*Answer **one** question **only** from this section*

5. (a) Outline **four (4)** rural development programs that promote sustainable development. [6 marks]
- (b) Highlight **four (4)** protective measures of sustaining the forest. [6 marks]
- (c) Outline **four (4)** effects of indiscipline on the individual. [2 Marks]
- (d) Give **four (4)** ways of how an improved health care in a nation can contribute to National development. [6 Marks]

6. (a) Explain the following terms;

i. Productivity

ii. Technology

[4 Marks]

(b) State **four (4)** advantages and **four (4)** disadvantages of technology in the manufacturing sector. [8 Marks]

(c) Highlight **four (4)** problems facing the Primary Industry in Ghana.

[8 Marks]

END OF PAPER

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PAPER 1

45 MINUTES

OBJECTIVE TEST

Write your name and index number in ink in the spaces provided above

1. Use **2B** pencil throughout.

2. On the pre-printed answer sheet, check that the following details are correctly printed:

Your surname followed by your other names, the subject Name, your Index Number, Centre Number and the Paper Code.

3. In the boxes marked *Candidate Name*, *Centre Number* and *Paper code*, reshade each of the shaded Spaces.


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GB ASSESSMENT TEST OBJECTIVE ANSWER SHEET

CANDIDATE NAME:
JEFFREY OPOKU TWUM

SUBJECT NAME:
SOCIAL STUDIES

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Use grade HB pencil throughout.
2. Answer each question by choosing one letter and shading it like this [A] [B] [C]  [E]
3. Erase completely any answers you wish to change.
4. Leave extra spaces blank if the answer spaces provided are more than you need.
5. Do not make any markings across the heavy black marks at the right hand edge of your answer sheets.

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For Supervisors only.

If Candidate is absent shade this space



Answer **all** the questions.

Each question is followed by **four** options lettered A to D. Find the correct option for each question and shade **in pencil** on your answer sheet the space which bears the same letter as the option you have chosen. Give only **one** answer to each question

1. How many traditional rulers initially signed the bond of 1844?
 - A. Nine
 - B. Eight
 - C. Ten
 - D. Five
2. Which of the following led to the collapse of the Ashanti empire?
 - A. Poll tax ordinance
 - B. Sagranti war
 - C. The bond of 1844
 - D. Yaa Asantewaa war
3. The following personnel's includes the founding leaders of Ghana except;
 - A. Komla Gbedemah
 - B. Casely Heyford
 - C. Mr. William Ofori Atta
 - D. Yaa Asantewaa
4. The 1992 constitution of Ghana states clearly that "No person shall be beaten (assaulted), arrested, imprisoned or subjected to any inhuman treatment except through the process of law. This statement signifies that all Ghanaians have the right to
 - A. dignity
 - B. personal liberty
 - C. freedom of religion
 - D. general advantage of social life
5. A good layout is needed because;
 - A. there is rich people in the society
 - B. residents are lazy to clean their surroundings
 - C. it reduces congestion and over crowding
 - D. of increase in population
6. Diamond is mined at the following areas in Ghana except;
 - A. Akwatia
 - B. Oda
 - C. Nkoransa
 - D. Kade
7. Natural resources is over-exploited through the following practices except;
 - A. adaptation of appropriate technology
 - B. chain-saw operations
 - C. bad farming practices
 - D. galamsey
8. In which year was the capital of Gold Coast moved from Cape Coast to Accra?
 - A. 1870
 - B. 1877
 - C. 1919
 - D. 1901
9. Which of the following is not an element of the weather?
 - A. Thermometer
 - B. Wind
 - C. Rainfall
 - D. Sunshine
10. Farms which specialize in rearing cattle for milk are called
 - A. mixed farming
 - B. market gardens
 - C. poultry farms
 - D. diary farms
11. The co-operation between two countries is known as
 - A. Bilateral Co-operation
 - B. Unilateral Co-operation
 - C. Dualateral Co-operation
 - D. Multilateral Co-operation
12. The most economical way to dispose off domestic and industrial waste is
 - A. sieving
 - B. burning
 - C. recycling
 - D. dumping

13. The Volta River Authority is an example of
 - A. Private owned enterprise
 - B. Sole proprietorship business
 - C. State owned enterprise
 - D. Partnership business
14. Which is the second largest continent in the world?
 - A. Africa
 - B. Asia
 - C. South America
 - D. North America
15. Per Capita income is determined by
 - A. National income divided by total production of the country
 - B. National income divided by population of the country
 - C. Total population of the country divided by National income
 - D. National income divided by total population of adults in the country.
16. Whose responsibility is it to liaise with the Regional and central government?
 - A. The President
 - B. District Chief Executive
 - C. The Presiding Member
 - D. Regional Minister
17. The class 6 pupil of Concard International School used a “Yes” and “No” system of voting to choose their class prefect. This form of voting is classified as a
 - A. plebiscite
 - B. run-off election
 - C. referendum
 - D. bye-election
18. Political instability is caused by the following factors except;
 - A. inadequate democratic structure
 - B. free and fair election
 - C. economic mismanagement
 - D. corruption
19. Which of these bodies educate citizens on their rights and responsibilities?
 - A. National Committee of Civic Election
 - B. National Commission for Civic Education
 - C. National Control for Corporate Executives
 - D. National Council Certificate Examination
20. Harvested food crops are best preserved in
 - A. barns
 - B. sacks
 - C. silos
 - D. farms
21. Which of the following factors is a cause of low productivity in the public service?
 - A. Aged workers
 - B. Poor work ethics
 - C. Abundant production
 - D. Effective supervision
22. Flood in Ghana is caused by the following factors except;
 - A. excess rainfall
 - B. environmental cleanliness
 - C. poor construction of drains
 - D. improved dumping of waste materials
23. Who succeeded Sir Shenton Thomas as Governor of the Gold Coast in 1942?
 - A. Sir Gordon Guggisberg
 - B. Sir Garnet Wolsely
 - C. Sir Charles McCarthy
 - D. Sir Allan Burns
24. Which region in Ghana is the Wli falls located?
 - A. Volta region
 - B. Oti region
 - C. Eastern region
 - D. Greater-Accra region
25. Sand and stone winning may cause the following except;
 - A. erosion
 - B. land degradation
 - C. land slide
 - D. water pollution
26. The effective way of preventing Guinea worm disease in the rural areas is through the provision of
 - A. potable water
 - B. herbal medication
 - C. prescribed drugs

- D. qualified doctors
27. The first Europeans to arrive at Elmina in the fifteenth century were the
- Danes
 - British
 - Dutch
 - Portuguese
28. Which of these economic products is found in the savanna zone?
- Plantain
 - Cocoa
 - Cotton
 - Timber
29. The situation where the legislature scrutinize the budget from the executive can be termed as
- checks and balances
 - separation of powers
 - oversight responsibility
 - veto power
30. Which of the following principles is abused when a president performs judicial functions?
- Separation of powers
 - Checks and balances
 - Fundamental human right
 - Collective responsibility
31. Which of the following products is mainly produced on Mediterranean Land?
- Grains
 - Vegetables
 - Tea
 - Citrus
32. One way of preventing ethnic conflicts in Ghana is through
- celebration of festivals
 - tolerance and dialogue
 - payment of compensation
 - creation of jobs
33. What planet has the highest number of satellites?
- Saturn
 - Jupiter
 - Uranus
 - Mars
34. Tropic of Capricorn can also be called
- Northern tropic
 - Geographical North Pole
 - Southern tropic
 - Antarctic
35. Metropolitan Assemblies can be found in the following regions in Ghana except;
- Ashanti Region
 - Upper West Region
 - Greater-Accra Region
 - Northern Region
36. The forest in Ghana can sustainably be conserved through
- Increase in chain saw operation
 - uncontrolled bush burning
 - afforestation progress
 - overgrazing by farm animals
37. Laranbaga is the location for the
- Slave well
 - Bamboo village
 - Oldest mosque
 - Slave defense wall
38. The following countries were all colonized by the British except;
- Liberia
 - Nigeria
 - Gambia
 - Ghana
39. The type of mountain formed when two plates collide head on, and their edges crumbled is called
- block mountain
 - fold mountain
 - plateau mountain
 - volcanic mountain
40. The first African UN Secretary General was from
- Gambia
 - Nigeria
 - Ghana
 - Egypt

