

# GRADE 7

## MARKING SCHEME

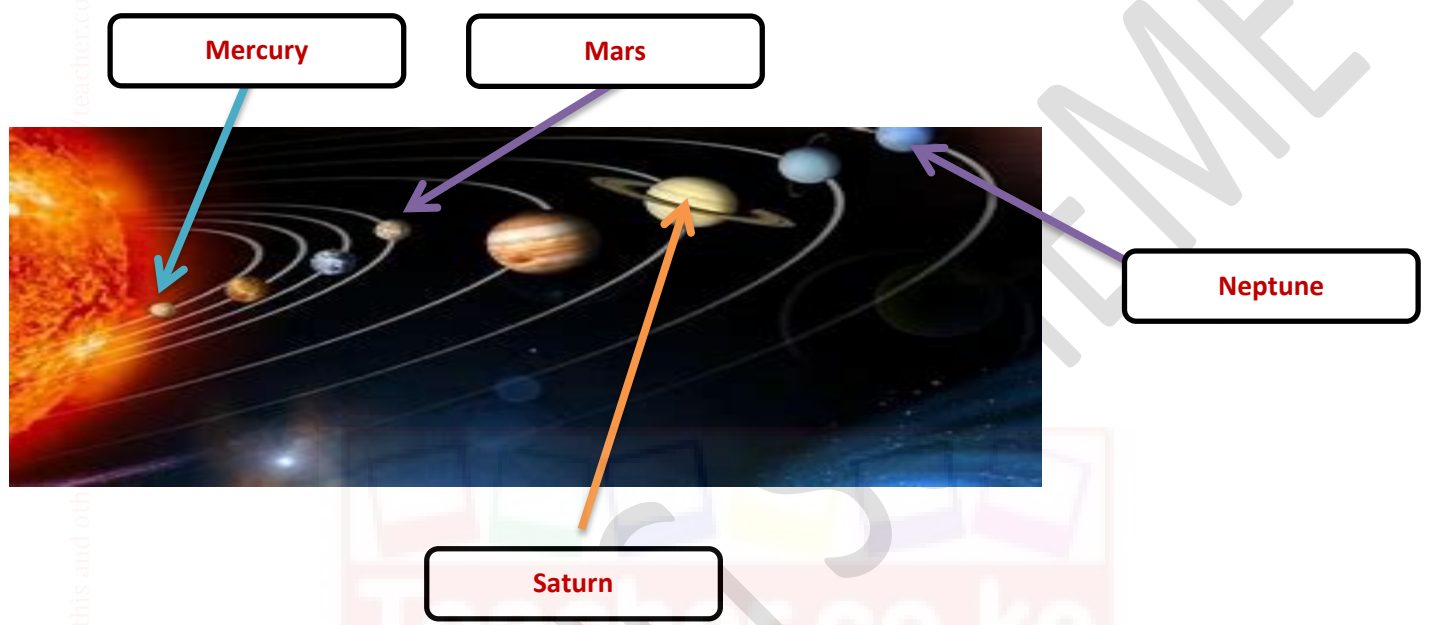
# SOCIAL STUDIES

1. State three reasons for the migration of Nilotes.(3 mks)
  - a. Search for water and pasture
  - b. Attacks by diseases both for their livestock and people
  - c. Internal disputes
  - d. Outbreak of drought and famine
  - e. Attacks from the hostile neighbours
  
2. Name two examples of volcanic mountains.(2 mks)
  - a. Mt kenya
  - b. Mt elgon
  - c. Mt. Longonot in kenya
  - d. Mt karisimbi in rwanda
  - e. Mt meru and mount kilimanjaro in tanzania

3. Name any two theories explaining the origin of the earth.(2 mks)

- i. Passing star theory
- ii. Nebula cloud theory
- iii. Big bang theory
- iv. Supernova theory

4. Identify the following planets. (4 mks)



5. Conditions of the atmosphere of a place at a given time is called Weather (1 mk)

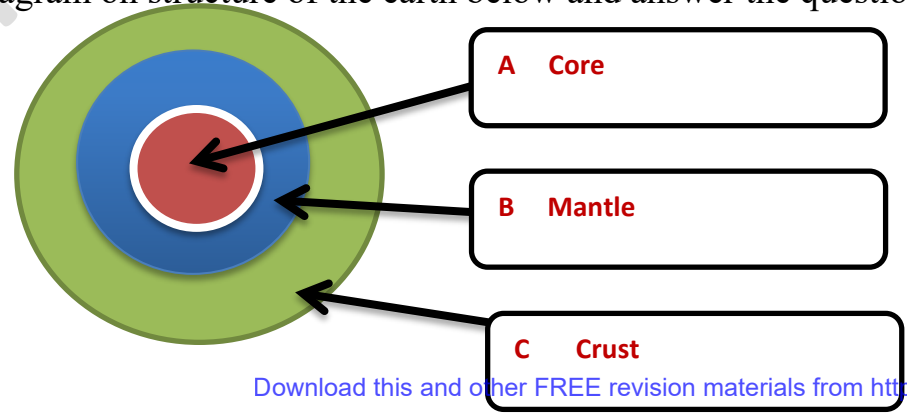
6. Name two branches of social studies. (2 mks)

- a. Geography
- b. History
- c. Citizenship

7. Name two types of maps. (2 mks)

- a. Sketch maps      Topographical maps
- b. Atlas maps        Directional maps

8. Study the diagram on structure of the earth below and answer the questions that follow.



- a. Name the regions marked A,B and C. (3 mks)
- b. Write two effects of rotation and revolution of the earth.(4 mks)

Rotation of the Earth	Revolution of the Earth
Causes day and night	Causes seasons
Causes winds and ocean currents to change direction	Causes varying lengths of days and nights
Causes rising and falling of ocean tides	Causes changes in position of the midday sun

9. Identify the following weather measuring instruments.(3 mks)



**Windvane**



**Raingauge**



**Windsock**

10.State two factors to consider when siting a weather station.(2 mks)

- a. The area should be flat and away from tall buildings and trees.
- b. The area should be accessible
- c. The area should have good security etc

11.An area with high population is said to be densely populated whereas an area with low population is said to be sparsely populated. (2 mks)

12.The way of life and doing thing in a community is known as Culture.(1 mk)

13.List two aspects of culture in most of our communities; (2 mks)

- a. Greeting      Food      Dressing
- b. House      Gender Roles      Economic Activity      Etc

14.List four elements of weather; (4 mks)

- a. Sunshine      C. Wind
- b. Temperature      D. Rainfall/Precipitation Any Other Correct

15.Monuments, museums, historic buildings and cultural centres are referred to as Historic Built Environments (1 mk)

16.Large carvings and models that remind us of our past heroes like Jomo Kenyatta are known as Monuments/statutes (1 mk)

17.Name the capital cities of the following African countries.(2 mks)

- a. Ghana -Accra
- b. Ethiopia- Addis Ababa

18.Identify the following continents that were mentioned by the following students (4 mks)

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Tim: Europe

Wendel Australia

Danny South America

Alice Africa

19. Name any two facts about planet earth. (2 mks)

- i. It supports life, it the only planet with people and vegetation
- ii. It's a blue planet has liquid water, has oxygen, takes 24 hr to make a complete rotation
- iii. It is the third planet from the sun, takes approximately 149m km from sun
- iv. It is an inner/ terrestrial planet, takes 366 1/4 days to make a complete revolution

20. The sun is overhead the equator on dates. (2 mks)

- i. 21<sup>st</sup> March
- ii. 23<sup>rd</sup> September

21. The atmosphere consists of? (3 mks)

- i. Water vapour
- ii. Gases
- iii. Dust particles
- iv. Clouds smoke particles

22. If the time in Monrovia, Liberia, 12<sup>o</sup>W is 8:00am, what is the time at Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 38<sup>o</sup>E? (2 mks)

$$\text{Longitudinal Difference} = 38^{\circ} + 12^{\circ} = 50^{\circ}$$

$$1^{\circ} = 4 \text{ Min Or } 15^{\circ} = 1 \text{ hour}$$

~~$$\text{If } 1^{\circ} = 4 \text{ mins}$$~~

$$\text{What About } 50^{\circ} = 50 \times 4 = 200 \text{ Mins}$$

$$\text{Change Minutes To Hours} = \left( \frac{200 \text{ mins}}{60 \text{ mins}} \right) \times 1 \text{ hr}$$

$$= 3 \text{ hours } 20 \text{ Mins}$$

Since Addis Ababa Is Ahead Of Monrovia, Add Time

$$= 8:00 \text{ am} + 3 \text{ hr } 30 \text{ Min} = 11:20 \text{ am}$$

**23.**Name Life skills that enhance negotiations during social interaction.

- a. Courage.
- b. Problem solving.
- c. Empathy.
- d. Communication.
- e. Patience.
- f. Listening.
- g. Creativity.

**24.**Define the following terms as used in life skills.(4 marks)

- a. Personal management skills.

These are skills that help us to overcome life challenges.

- b. Self-awareness

This is knowing what makes you who you are

**25.**Define psychological dimension as used in personal management skills. (2 marks )

This includes how we feel, reason and think as we respond to different situations. These are skills which will help us overcome challenges.

**26.**Outline five different dimension one uses to define himself/herself. (5 marks)

- a. Physical dimension
- b. Economic dimension
- c. Psychological dimension
- d. Spiritual dimension
- e. Social dimension

**27.**Discuss five physical changes that happens to girls and boys during adolescence.(5 marks)

- a. Becoming taller and masculine for boys
- b. Becoming taller and feminine for girls
- c. Increase in weight
- d. Production of sex hormones
- e. Menstruation and wet dreaming
- f. Desire for opposite sex.
- g. Growth of hair in pubic areas
- h. Feeling of shyness
- i. Development of breasts

j. Chest broadens etc

**28.**State four ways of maintaining personal hygiene and health during adolescence. (4 marks )

- a. Bathing daily
- b. Regular exercise
- c. Washing fruits,vegetables before eating or cooking.
- d. Eating a healthy diet.
- e. Washing hands before eating.
- f. Bathing daily
- g. Eating a balanced diet
- h. Washing your personal items like cloths
- i. Brushing of teeth and combing of hair
- j. Maintaining proper body grooming like cutting nails short, brushing teeth, combing hair and cutting hair short.Etc

**29.**What is self-esteem? (2 marks)

Refers to the feelings and opinions you have about yourself based on your looks, abilities and the skills that you have.

**30.**Name three types of families. (3 marks)

- a. Nuclear family
- b. Extended family
- c. Single parent family

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