

INTERNATIONAL STAR EXAMINATION DIVISION



STD 8 APRIL/MAY ASSIGNMENT 2020 SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Time: 2 hour 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 an ordinary pencil.
5. Make sure 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 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:

On the answer sheet:

31. The main reason for establishing settlement schemes in Kenya after independence was to

- A. Improve standards of living in the rural areas
- B. Provide farms to the people who had no land
- C. Reduce pressure on land in densely populated areas
- D. Increase crop and livestock production

The correct answer is C.

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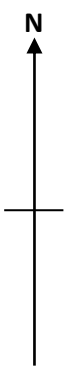
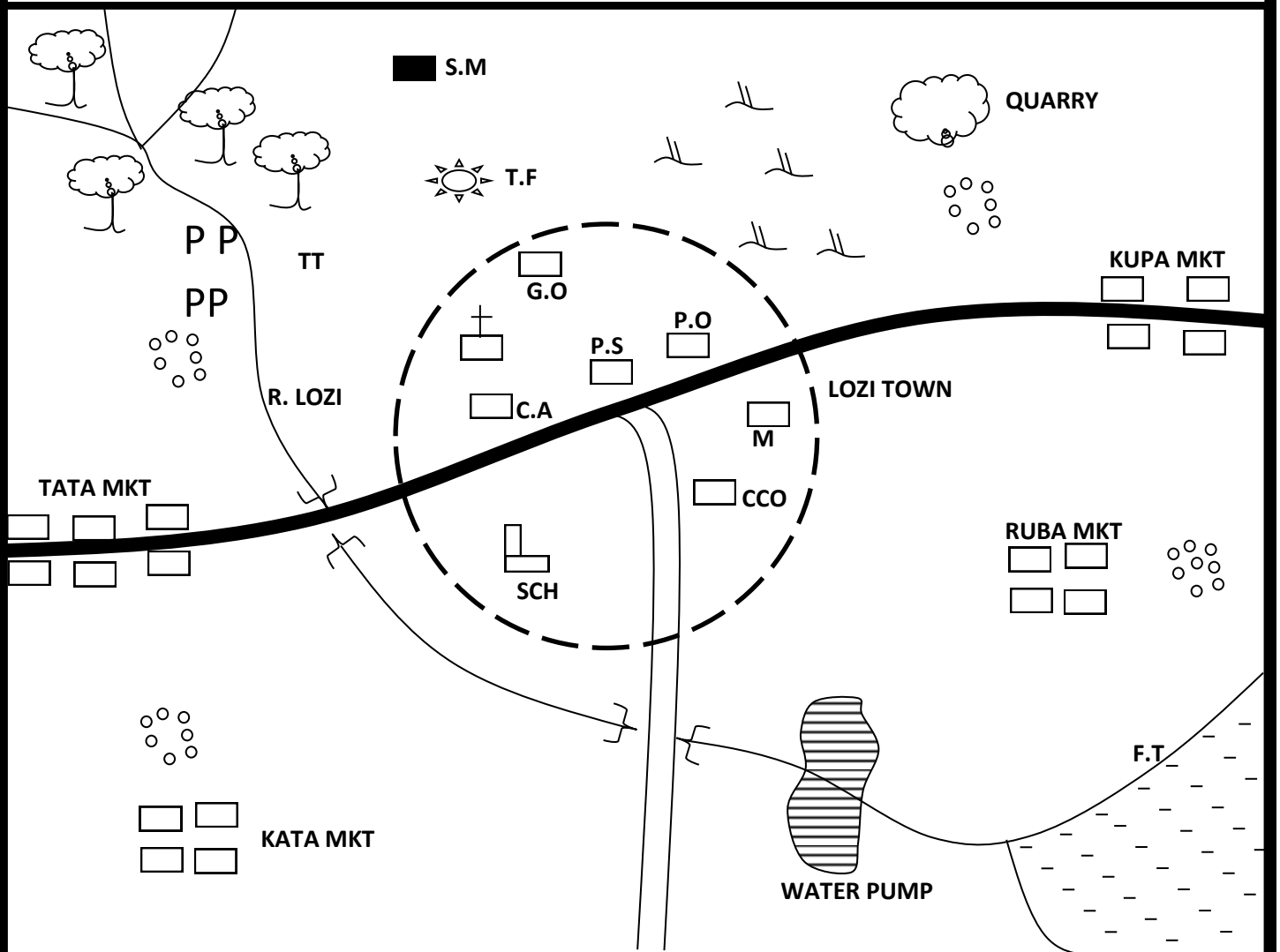
11. Your dark line **MUST** be within the box

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

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LOZI AREA



Scale 1cm rep 2km



Forest

TT

Tea

P P

Police post



Scrub



Quarry



Permanent building



Settlement

C.O. County Office

F. Fish trap

P.O. Post office

P. Police

G.O. Governor's office

CCO County commissioner

 Tarmac
 Murrum road

S.M Saw mill

MKT MARKET

 Town boundary

Study the map of lozi area and answer question 1-7

1. The land of lozi area rises from?
 - A. South east
 - B. North
 - C. North west
 - D. West
2. What is the approximate length of tarmac road in Lozi area?
 - A. 19.3km
 - B. 16.4km
 - C. 21.5km
 - D. 17.4km
3. Which of the following social services is NOT provided at Lozi town?
 - A. Health
 - B. Administration
 - C. Education
 - D. Communication
4. The population distribution in Lozi Area can be described as?
 - A. Linear
 - B. Clustered
 - C. Nucleated
 - D. Evenly
5. Three of the following are true about R. Lozi except?
 - A. It is a seasonal river
 - B. It has few meanders
 - C. Supply water to the town
 - D. It rises from the North WEst
6. The type of climate experienced on the North of the map is likely to be?
 - A. Cool and wet
 - B. Hot and dry
 - C. Cool and dry
 - D. Hot and wet.
7. People from Kazi area obtain their trading licence from?
 - A. The police
 - B. The chiefs camp
 - C. The county officers
 - D. The law court.
8. Which one of the following statements correctly describe the social Organization of the KhoiKhoi during the pre-colonial period?
 - A. They lived in homesteads
 - B. They were ruled by the chiefs
 - C. They lived in small group of families
 - D. They lived in clans.

9. Which one of the following groups of people consist of plain Nilotes?
 - A. Keiyo, Marakwet, Kipsigis
 - B. Saboat, Karamajong, Teso
 - C. Pokot, Turkana, Teso
 - D. Maasai, Illchuma, Karamajong.
10. The southern Hemi-sphere experiences winter season during the month of?
 - A. September to November
 - B. December to February
 - C. June to August
 - D. March to May.
11. Varying length of day and night is caused by?
 - A. Rotation of the earth
 - B. Seasons
 - C. Solar eclipse
 - D. Revolution of the earth.
12. Statements are **true** about the population of Kenya and India. In both countries?
 - A. There are more males than females
 - B. The population has a low birth rate
 - C. There is high dependency rate
 - D. Population consist mainly of the old people.
13. Kenya conserves her wild life MAINLY to?
 - A. Preserve the beauty of the country
 - B. Protect rare plants and animals
 - C. Enable the study of plants and animals
 - D. Create jobs for the people.
14. Three of the following are the objectives of Kikuyu Central Association. Which one is not?
 - A. Protest against the banning of female circumcision
 - B. Fight kipande system
 - C. A legco for Nyanza region
 - D. Demand for the return of their land.
15. James a former Canadian citizen has acquired Kenyan citizenship through registration. James may lose his Kenyan citizenship if he?
 - A. Destroys his national Identity Card
 - B. Visit a foreign country
 - C. Is found with illegal drugs
 - D. Refuses to vote during election
16. Which one of the following diagrams shows the instrument used to measure atmospheric water?
 - A. Barometer
 - B. Anemometer
 - C. Wind sock
 - D. Thermometer

17. Which one of the following is an occasion that brought members of different ages in the traditional African Society together?
- Burial ceremony
 - Marriage ceremony
 - Child naming ceremony
 - Initiation ceremony.
18. The ruler of the kingdom of Old-Ghana and Buganda had one factor in common. It is that both?
- Were appointed by council of elders
 - Inherited leadership
 - Were succeeded by their sisters sons
 - Made the budget of the kingdom
19. Below are statements about a system of colonial administration in Africa
- Colonies were provinces of the colonial power
 - Some Africans became citizens of the colonial power
 - Practising of African customary law was discouraged.
 - Some Africans were exempted from paying taxes.
- The system of colonial administration described above is?
- Direct rule
 - Indirect rule
 - Assimilation
 - Paternalism rule
20. Which one of the following titles used among the Nyamwezi is correctly matched with its officer?
- Kikoma Information office
 - Minule Headman
 - Gunguli Army Officer
 - Mtwale Tax- Officer
21. Three of the following lakes were formed in the same way **EXCEPT**?
- L. Chad
 - L. kyoga
 - L. shala
 - L. Bangweulu
22. Which one of the following groups of mountains in Africa was formed through faulting?
- Virunga, Tibetsi, Ahaggar
 - Drankensburg, Atlas, Cape Rangers
 - Ruwenzori, Karas, Danakil Alps
 - Pare, Cameroon, Nyiragongo
23. Two desk-mates had an argument oversharing of a text book and the monitor helped them to agree. The class monitor resolved the conflict through?
- Negotiation
 - Mediation
 - Arbitration
 - Litigation
24. Which one of the following statements is true about the struggle for independent in Kenya and Zimbabwe? Both countries
- Gained independence through peaceful means
 - Had one political party
 - Freedom fighters established bases in neighbouring countries
 - Used guerrilla warfare
25. Which one of the following is the **main** problem faced by farmers in Perkerra Irrigation scheme?
- Limited market
 - Presence of weeds
 - Inadequate labour
 - Shortage of water
26. The main effect of migration of people from one rural area to another is?
- Growth of informal sectors
 - Introduction of new culture
 - Increases food production
 - Reversal of roles.
27. A couple has died and has a first-born daughter and a second-born son. Under succession law, who should apply to get letters of administration?
- The son
 - A close relative
 - The daughter
 - The uncle
28. Three of the following are major imports to Kenya **EXCEPT**?
- Textile
 - Fertilizers
 - Medicines
 - Food stuffs
29. Below are objectives of an organization in Eastern Africa
- Support peace and security
 - Promote cross-border movement of the people
 - Encourage reduction of the tariffs
 - Encourage care of the environment
 - To provide humanitarians help
- Which one of the following combinations of the objectives is TRUE about IGAD?
- i, iii, iv
 - i, ii, iv
 - ii, iii, iv
 - iii, iv, v

30. below are characteristics of some soil found in Kenya;

- i. it has grains of medium texture
- ii. it contains a lot of humus
- iii. it has good water retention
- iv. it has medium size air particles

The type of soil described above is?

- A. Sandy soil
- B. Loam soil
- C. Clay soil
- D. Volcanic soil

31. Below are some uses of mineral mined in Kenya;

- i. Making of glass
- ii. Hardening of steel
- iii. Making of washing soap
- iv. Manufacturing of papers

Which combinations of uses above are for soda ash?

- A. i, ii, iv
- B. i, iii, iv
- C. ii, iii, iv
- D. ii, iii, iv

32. Which combination of statements below is **TRUE** of fish farming in both Kenya and Japan?

- i. Fish farming is carried on small scale
- ii. Fish are reared in ponds and dams
- iii. The main species of fish kept is Tilapia
- iv. The type of fish kept is mainly fresh water fish.

- A. i, and ii
- B. i and iii
- C. ii and iv
- D. iii and iv

33. Who among the following African leaders was a founder member of Kenya African Democratic Union (KADU)?

- A. Ogingaodinga
- B. Paul Ngei
- C. Daniel Moi
- D. James Gichuru

34. Which one of the following is a measure taken to cater for the physically challenged in transport?

- A. Provision of braille machines
- B. Provision of wheel chairs
- C. Provision of hearing aid devices
- D. Use of tactical books.

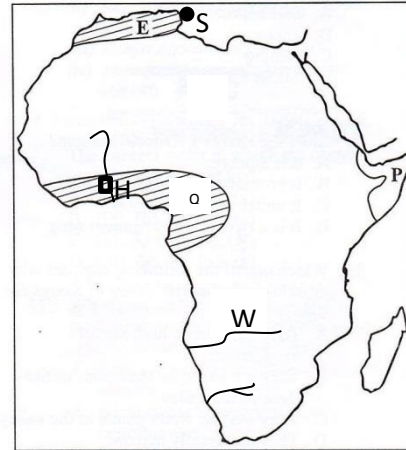
35. The following statements describe the conditions necessary for growth of a certain crop.

- i. Fertile, well-drained soil
- ii. Rainfall of between 1000 – 1500mm
- iii. Temperature of between 19-26^{0c}
- iv. Altitude of between 1500-1800m

The crop described above is likely to be?

- A. Maize
- B. Coffee
- C. Tea
- D. cloves

Study the map of Africa below and answer question 36-39



36. The multipurpose river project marked H is?

- A. Akosombo dam
- B. Aswan
- C. Kariba
- D. Tana River

37. The river marked W is?

- A. R. Orange
- B. R. Cunene
- C. R. Congo
- D. R. Limpopo

38. The vegetation of the area marked Q consist of ?

- A. Scattered trees and tall grass
- B. Continuous tuft grass cover
- C. Tall trees and climbing plants
- D. Thick undergrowth.

39. The town marked s is?

- A. Tripoli
- B. Algiers
- C. Tunis
- D. Alexandria

40. Which one of the following minerals is **CORRECTLY** matched with the method of mining through which it is extracted?

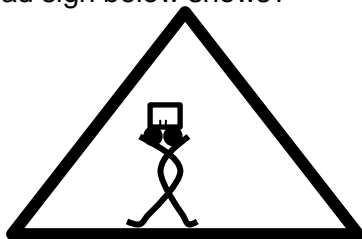
- A. Gold Adit
- B. Copper shaft
- C. Diatomite Dredging
- D. Petroleum Panning

41. Which one of the following is an advantage of pipeline transport?

- A. It is the fastest form of transport
- B. It is suitable for transporting bulky goods
- C. It can be laid both on the sea and land

- D. The cost of transport is low.
42. Who among the following does not belong to the executive organ of the national government?
- Women Representative
 - President
 - Cabinet secretary
 - Attorney General
43. Three of the following are similarities of the government of Kenya and Swaziland. Which one is NOT? Both
- Governments have cabinet
 - Colonized by British
 - Have bicameral parliament
 - The head of the state rules for two five-year terms.
44. County representatives are elected to represent
- County
 - Ward
 - Location
 - Constituency

45. The road sign below shows?



- Animals crossing the road
 - Slippery road
 - Vehicle crossing
 - Railway crossing.
46. The following statements describe a certain African leader.
- He was a militant
 - He became the president of his country in 1954
 - Promote agriculture and education in his country
 - Was a founder member of OAU
- The leader described above is?
- Nelson Mandera
 - Julius Nyerere
 - Abdel Nasser
 - Haile Selassie
47. The practise of favouring relatives and friends in distribution of employment vacancies is known as?
- Discrimination
 - Nepotism
 - Corruption
 - Tribalism

48. Three of the following statements are true about Independence Electoral and Boundaries Commission. Which one is not?
- Appoints presidential candidates
 - Establish polling stations
 - Recommend creation of new constituencies
 - Prepares and distributes election materials.
49. Which one of the following does not promote unity in the society?
- Indulging in corruption
 - Participating in games and sports
 - Engaging in trading activities
 - Speaking national language in national celebrations.
50. Which one of the following groups of pre-historic sites is found in Kenya?
- Chesowanjo, Kanapoi, Ollorgesailie
 - Olduvai Gorge, Kariandusi, Hadar, Lothagam
 - Magosi, Koobi for a, Ntusi
 - Oldvai gorge, Kariandusi, Fort Ternan
51. The location of Bamburi cement factory was influenced by?
- Presence of limestone in the area
 - Availability of capital
 - Establishment of market in the area
 - Nearness to the water area.
52. Three of the following are members of commonwealth EXCEPT?
- Zambia
 - Uganda
 - Nigeria
 - Algeria
53. The national anthem is important MAINLY because?
- Signifies the struggle for independence
 - Is a symbol of national unity
 - Was designed by African nationalists
 - Discourages Kenyans from building bridges of national unity.
54. The United Nations agency that deals with research and methods of improving agriculture production is known as?
- World Food Programme WEP
 - Food and Agricultural Organization FAO
 - World Health Organization WHO
 - United Nations Environmental Programme UNEP
55. Parliamentary debate in Kenya is chaired by?
- The Attorney General
 - The Speaker
 - The Chief justice
 - The Clerk.

56. The main tourism attraction in Switzerland is?
 A. Wild life
 B. Natural scenes
 C. Sandy beaches
 D. Winter sports.
57. The constitution of Kenya gives the president powers to?
 A. Register political parties
 B. Clear candidates for elections
 C. Chair cabinet meetings
 D. Appoint the speaker of the senate.
58. The National government obtains revenue MAINLY through?
 A. Loans and grants
 B. Taxes paid by the citizens
 C. Sale of treasury bills and bonds
 D. Allocation from the county government.
59. The importance of National Unity in Kenya is MAINLY to?
 A. Enable sharing of resources
 B. Spread out of development projects
 C. Encourage foreign investment
 D. Promote the spirit of togetherness.
60. Three of the following are benefits of democracy in the society. Which one is NOT?
 A. Enables the citizens to take part in governance
 B. Allows fair treatment of citizens
 C. Gives the citizens freedom to do what they wish.
 D. Promotes good relations among people.

SECTION II

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

61. "Have many children so that your descendants will live all over the earth and bring it under control." Gen: 1:28. What can Christians best learn from this quotation?
 A. Man has the power and dominion over other creatures
 B. Man has the right to have as many children as possible
 C. Man is superior to God
 D. Other creatures are superior than man
62. Who was saved with his family when God destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah?
 A. Noah
 B. Lot
 C. Abraham
 D. Laban
63. Abraham made sacrifices to God, what can Christians learn from his actions?
 A. He wanted to kill his son
 B. He had a lot of faith
 C. He loved Isaac
 D. He had a lot of pride
64. God prepared Moses for the work of delivering the Israelites from Egypt by?
 A. Telling Moses to marry Zipporah
 B. Hardening the heart of pharaoh
 C. Telling Moses to remove his shoes
 D. Appointing Aaron to speak on his behalf.
65. During the Exodus what led the Israelites during the day?
 A. Pillar of cloud
 B. Pillar of fire
 C. Rainbow
 D. Thunder and lightening
66. In which of the following did King Solomon do against the will of God?
 A. When he signed treaties with foreign countries
 B. When he allowed the worship of foreign gods in Israel
 C. When he spent slot of money building the temple of Jerusalem
 D. When he married many wives
67. Which is the right combination of commandments did king Ahab break?
 A. Adultery, false accusation, idolatry
 B. Murder, coveting, adultery
 C. Idolatry, murder, adultery
 D. Coveting idolatry, murder
68. Which one of the following was performed by both Elisha and Elijah?
 A. Healing the lame
 B. Healing the lepers
 C. Raising sons
 D. Cursing
69. "let's justice flow like a stream of righteousness, like a river that never goes dry" which prophet said these word?
 A. Micah
 B. Amos
 C. Isaiah
 D. Jeremiah
70. According to the mission of Jesus by prophet Isaiah, Jesus was to heal the?
 A. Sinners
 B. Broken hearted
 C. Paralyzed
 D. Sick
71. All the following are facts about the mission of John the Baptist, which one is not?
 A. His birth was announced by an angel
 B. His parents were Hannah and Elikanah
 C. He was a forerunner of Jesus
 D. He started his ministry in the desert
72. Which one of the following is not a way in which Jesus went against the Jewish traditions?
 A. Healing on Sabbath
 B. Mixing with sinners
 C. Eating with unclean hands
 D. Telling lepers to go and be examined by priests

73. The parable that teaches us to store our riches in heaven is?
 A. Parable of the gold coin
 B. Parable of the rich fool
 C. Parable of the sower
 D. Parable of the lost coin
74. "I promise you that you will be in paradise with me" Luke 23: 43. These words were said by _____ to _____?
 A. Criminal to Jesus
 B. Repentant thief to Jesus
 C. Jesus to repentant thief
 D. Jesus to criminal
75. The parable that teaches us to accept others is?
 A. Parable of the prodigal son
 B. Parable of the rich man and Lazarus
 C. Parable of the Pharisees and the tax collector
 D. Parable of the friend at midnight
76. Which one of the following phrases from the Lord's prayer shows that Jesus is a king
 A. Give us this day our daily bread
 B. Let thy kingdom come
 C. Forgive us our sins
 D. Lead us not into temptations
77. "Herod will be looking for the child in order to kill him. So get up and take the child and his mother and escape to Egypt and stay there until I tell you to leave." who said these words to Joseph?
 A. Prophet Hosea
 B. Prophet Jeremiah
 C. An angel in a dream
 D. Visitors from east
78. Who among the following people brought spices that were used to prepare Jesus's body for the burial?
 A. Joseph of Arimathea
 B. Pilate
 C. Simon of Cyrene
 D. Nicodemus
79. Christians remember the last supper and death of Jesus by conducting?
 A. Mass service
 B. Holy communion service
 C. Wedding ceremonies
 D. Baptism ceremonies
80. "These men are not drunk as you suppose, it's only nine o'clock in the morning." acts 2:15. Who said these words?
 A. Stephen B. Paul
 C. Jesus D. Peter
81. Which one of the following is not an advantage of Christian marriage?
 A. Divorce is condemned
 B. Faithfulness is emphasized
 C. Conflict management is taught
 D. Godliness in marriage is guaranteed
82. The conversation of Paul took place when he was on his way to?
 A. Damascus
 B. Caesarea
 C. Judea
 D. Jerusalem
83. Which one of the following was **NOT** a form of initiation in African traditional society?
 A. Removal of the fore skin
 B. Tattooing of the body
 C. Chopping off manhood
 D. Knocking out of the teeth.
84. Which one of the following rituals in African traditional society was performed to mark the beginning of a new life?
 A. Circumcising the relatives
 B. Offering sacrifices
 C. Shaving the hair of the close relatives
 D. Burying the dead
85. Martin your classmate refuses to do his homework, claiming that the work is a lot. As a Christian what action would you take?
 A. Report to the class teacher
 B. Inform his parents about his behaviour
 C. Avoid his company
 D. Remind him that work is a command from God.
86. Who were in charge of teachings the beliefs and practises in African traditional society?
 A. Peers
 B. Elders
 C. Priests
 D. Warriors
87. Which one of the following is the main cause of HIV/AIDS infection among the youths
 A. Peer pressure
 B. Lack of awareness
 C. Cultural habits
 D. Ignorance
88. An employer can demonstrate justice towards his employees by
 A. Sharing the meals with them
 B. Paying their salaries in time
 C. Giving them gifts
 D. Providing them with accommodation
89. We show respect to the authority mainly when we?
 A. Give them support in all they do
 B. Report to them those breaking the rules
 C. Obeying the rules they have set
 D. Condemn their evil
90. Which one of the following shows good care of God's creation?
 A. Taking drugs for pleasure
 B. Engaging in sex due to curiosity
 C. Cutting down trees for industrialization
 D. Vaccinating animals to avoid infections