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SOCIAL AND LIFE SKILLS

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Subject Number: M192/I

Time allowed: 1 hour
11:00 – 12:30 pm

PAPER I (100 marks)

Instructions

1. This paper contains 8 printed pages. Please check
2. This paper has 50 multiple choice questions. Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.
3. Write your **Examination Number** in the spaces provided on all the pages of this paper before you start answering the questions.
4. Hand in your question paper to the invigilator when time is called to stop writing.



SECTION A (35 MARKS)

SOCIAL STUDIES

Answer all questions by encircling the letter corresponding to the correct answer.

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| <p>1. Why are initiation ceremonies sometimes regarded as a violation of human rights?</p> <p>A. Children are involved</p> <p>B. Initiates are tortured</p> <p>C. Initiates are taught bad things</p> <p>D. They tamper with the initiates education calendar.</p> | <p>A. Media advertisement</p> <p>B. Through a friend</p> <p>C. Individual approach</p> <p>D. Indirect approach</p> |
| <p>2. Which of the following is a role of legislative branch of the central government?</p> <p>A. Interpreting the constitution</p> <p>B. Scrutizing government actions</p> <p>C. Initiating policies</p> <p>D. Representing citizens at the UN general assembly.</p> | <p>5. Which of the following factors did they ignore in preparation for the marriage?</p> <p>A. Religious affiliation</p> <p>B. Courtship period</p> <p>C. Emotional status</p> <p>D. Saving money</p> |
| <p>3. Which of the following institutions guidance and counselling on HIV and AIDS screen and treat other diseases?</p> <p>A. Drop-in-centers</p> <p>B. Youth organizations</p> <p>C. Public hospitals</p> <p>D. Religious organization</p> | <p>6. Which of the following is not a duty of Malawi Electoral Commission in the electoral process?</p> <p>A. Swearing in a successful presidential candidate</p> <p>B. Organizing political debates</p> <p>C. Paying presiding officers</p> <p>D. Monitoring campaign activities</p> |
| <p>Justice and Precious met in a bus and married each other a month later.</p> <p>Use this information to answer questions 4 and 5.</p> | <p>7. Which of the following discourages multiculturalism?</p> <p>A. Language</p> <p>B. Intermarriages</p> <p>C. Migration</p> <p>D. Trade</p> |
| <p>4. Which of the following ways of courtship was used?</p> | |

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| <p>8. How can drug substance abuse bridge national development?</p> <p>A. All people become insane</p> <p>B. Well trained people are lost</p> <p>C. The substances waste forex.</p> <p>D. Much time is spent on pleasure.</p> | <p>12. Which of the following statutory corporation is not profit oriented service provider?</p> <p>A. MANEB</p> <p>B. MEC</p> <p>C. ESCOM</p> <p>D. ADMARC</p> |
| <p>9. Which social and ethical value for international life requires a traveler to possess valid travel documents?</p> <p>A. Sympathy and empathy.</p> <p>B. Respect for international health.</p> <p>C. Respect for international immigration requirements.</p> <p>D. Respect for rule of law.</p> | <p>13. How do international organizations discourage social injustice in the world?</p> <p>A. Exposing acts of social injustice in the media.</p> <p>B. Parsing judgment on international criminals</p> <p>C. Negotiating with waving parties to end conflicts.</p> <p>D. Setting disputes between regional grouping</p> |
| <p>10. Which of the following issues relating to social-services is not affected when a teacher-pupil ratio is normal?</p> <p>A. Affordability</p> <p>B. Quality</p> <p>C. Accessibility</p> <p>D. Care</p> | <p>14. Which of the following is not a function of financial institutions?</p> <p>A. Controlling banking systems</p> <p>B. Providing compensation for risks</p> <p>C. Giving loans to farmers</p> <p>D. Interpreting laws</p> |
| <p>11. Which of the following factors fosters world cooperation?</p> <p>1. Establishment of international organisations</p> <p>2. Poverty having common political ideology</p> <p>3. Declaration of human rights.</p> <p>4. Having more independent countries.</p> <p>A. 1 and 2 B. 1 and 3</p> <p>C. 1 and 4 D. 3 and 4.</p> | <p>15. Who among the following personalities is considered the greatest activities and racial reconciliatory of all times?</p> <p>A. Henry Kissinger</p> <p>B. Kamuzu Banda</p> <p>C. Nelson Mandela</p> <p>D. Henry Dunant</p> |



16. What do you call restrictive measures imposed on countries by the United Nations to add pressure and curtail their evil activities?

- A. Act of aggression
- B. Indictment
- C. Ethnic cleansing
- D. Sanctions

17. The principal tax collection body in Malawi is

- A. Ministry of Finance and Economic planning
- B. Malawi National Assembly
- C. Department of immigration
- D. Malawi Revenue Authority

18. Which of the following cases fall under the jurisdiction of the United Nations special tribunal?

- i. Avoid destruction of the environment
 - ii. Reuniting family members
 - iii. Trying cases of crimes against humanity
 - iv. Extradition of international criminals
- A. i and ii
 - B. i and iii
 - C. ii and iv
 - D. iii and iv

19. A temporary exemption of a new firm or investment from certain specified taxes is called

- A. Tax Investment Credit

- B. Tax holiday
- C. Duty exemption
- D. Special zones

20. The following are causes of statelessness around the world except

- i. Inequitable laws
 - ii. State succession
 - iii. Non-State territories
 - iv. Presence of birth registration
- A. i and ii
 - B. ii and iii
 - C. i and iii
 - D. i and iv

21. The inability of individuals or household or country to repay all debts fully and on time is termed as

- A. Over-indebtedness
- B. Depreciation
- C. Currency devaluation
- D. Aggregate demand

22. Which of the following organizations deals with cases of social injustice in Malawi?

- A. National Audit office.
- B. Malawi Against polio
- C. Malawi Social Action fund
- D. Civil liberties Committee

23. Which of the following financial

Institutions is solely owned by the

Share holders?

- A. credit unions
- B. Building societies
- C. Insurance companies
- D. Central Bank

Katcha is an HIV AIDS patient who insists that she should be admitted to a referral hospital. Use this information to answer questions 24 and 25.

24. How would the idea of Katcha assist her guardian?

- A. It would help avoid contracting further infections
- B. It will ensure proper handover of benefits
- C. It would enhance the health of guardians
- D. It would increase recognition of real friends.

25. Katcha's guardians can avoid

Contracting the HIV from her Parents by

- A. having one partner
- B. wearing gloves.
- C. using contraceptives
- D. using separate plates.

26. Which of the following is an election

that is held to replace an elected

representative who commits suicide?

- A. By- election
- B. Run-off elections
- C. Referendum
- D. Local government

27. Which of the following has greatly

Affected the preservation of culture

Among the youth in Malawi?

- A. Coming of new dressing codes.
- B. Penetration of the media.
- C. Lack of resources
- D. Loss of self- control.

28. Why is security important to the

Development of a country?

- A. People's life expectancy is enhanced
- B. More products are available.
- C. More foreign investors are attracted.
- D. Population growth is regulated.

29. How do donors promote sustainable

Development in a country?

1. Enhancing human resource Development.
2. Perpetuating neo-colonialism
3. Promoting good governance



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4. Increasing dependency syndrome

A.1 and 2 C.2 and 4

B.1 and 3 D.3 and 4

30. Which of the following is the best

Indicator of economic development

In a country?

A. free primary education

B. distribution of free food stuffs

C. high life expectancy

D. civic education

31. Which of the following is a

Characteristic of good governance?

A. public participation

B. effective economy

C. policy formulation

D. civic education

32. Which of the following is not an

Example of international labour

Agreement?

A. information exchange

B. economic policies

C. mutual consultation

D. reciprocal presentation

A student at Zonjoya Secondaqry School committed suicide after realizing that he had impregnated a fellow student. Use this information to answer questions 33 and 34.

33. What moral value was broken by both

Students?

A. respect for authority

B. tolerance of others

C. Saying no to corruption

D. Abstinence from premarital sex.

34. Which of the following is the cause for

The breakdown of moral value by the

Students?

A. peer pressure

C. poverty

B. corruption

D. ignorance

35. What term is used to refer to loans

provided by building society?

A. Collateral

C. mortgages

B. Surety

D. treasury bills



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SECTION B (15 MARKS)
LIFE SKILLS

36. The following sexual relationship giving of rights or services plays an important role.
- A. Intergenerational sex
 - B. Casual sex
 - C. Transactional sex
 - D. Incest
37. Which of the following is the least searching tool for a career?
- A. District of origin
 - B. Academic qualification
 - C. Reference letter
 - D. Curriculum vitae
38. Which of the following leads the current generation of youth to be violence and aggressive in fighting for their rights?
- A. Lack of positive role models
 - B. Many listen to violent media content
 - C. Adults failure to address the youths demands
 - D. Some adolescents are dissatisfied with their body image.
39. A moral value that promotes polite behaviour and shows respect for other people is called
- A. Hospitality
 - B. Integrity
 - C. Chastely
 - D. Courtesy
 - E.
40. Which of the following way of savings is accessed by people in permanent employment?
- A. Insurance policies
 - B. Purchase of shares
 - C. Depositing money in the bank
 - D. Pension schemes
41. The Ministry of Health is promoting the use of the following cultural practices to reduce the spread of HIV and AIDS _____
- A. Male circumcision
 - B. Testing of virginity
 - C. Polygamy
 - D. Marriage
42. The following is a risk a business person makes from a loss accruing from internal inadequacies of a business or a breakdown in its daily routine work.
- A. Compliance risk
 - B. Financial risk
 - C. Natural disaster risk
 - D. Operational risk
43. Having positive attitude to one's problem is one of the way of
- 1. Raising self- esteem
 - 2. Lowering self- esteem
 - 3. Managing stress
 - 4. Showing assertiveness.
- A. 1, 2 and 3



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- B. 1,3 and 4
- C. 2, 3 and 4
- D. 1, 2 and 4

Innocent impregnated Tapiwa. After two months, Innocent advised her to terminate the pregnancy for them to continue schooling. Use this information to answer questions 44 and 45.

44. What problem is Tapiwa facing?
- A. Abortion
 - B. Adolescence
 - C. Moral dilemma
 - D. Premarital sex.
45. How can Tapiwa deal with the situation involved?
- A. Decision making
 - B. Empathy
 - C. Family planning
 - D. Self awareness
46. Which of the following health services involves treatment of diseases?
- A. Counselling
 - B. Rehabilitation
 - C. Curative
 - D. Family planning
47. Which of the following factors is not considered when identifying a blood donor?
- A. Blood pressure
 - B. Age
 - C. Weight

- D. Gender

48. In what way can the parents Teachers Association (PTA) take part in improving the quality of education?
- 1. By ensuring that the curriculum offered addresses the needs of the nation as a whole
 - 2. By providing ideas, technical skills and financial
 - 3. By working hard in their studies.
 - 4. By providing cheap labour and support staff.

- A.1 and 2 C.2 and 4
- B. 2 and 3 D1 and 4

At the age of thirteen. Martha discovered that her body had undergone some changes. Use this information to answer questions 49 and 50

49. At which stage of life does the situation Become more pronounced?
- A. Childhood C. Old age
 - B. Adolescence D. Adulthood
50. How can she benefit from her discovery?
- A. She can understand and develop a positive self-image
 - B. She can understand and grow into adulthood
 - C. She can learn to associate with adults
 - D. She can understand and withdraw from her peers.

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