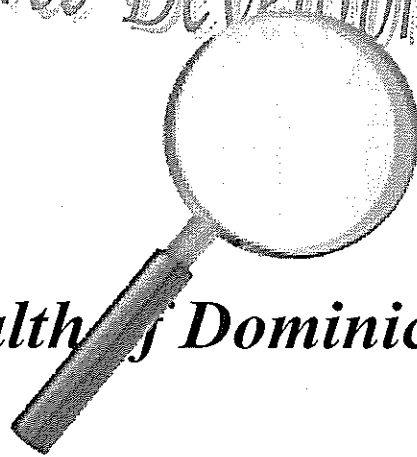*Ministry of Education,*

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2010 GRADE 6 NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PAST PAPERS

Curriculum, Measurement and Evaluation Unit
Dominica 2010

Language Arts

Grade 6

National Assessment

May 26, 2010

TIME: 90 Minutes

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INSTRUCTIONS

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE ATTEMPTING THE TEST.

1. THIS PAPER CONTAINS 60 QUESTIONS.

2. YOU HAVE 75 MINUTES (1¼ hours) TO COMPLETE THIS PAPER.

3. FOR EACH QUESTION, CIRCLE THE LETTER ON THE ANSWER SHEET THAT MATCHES THE ANSWER YOU HAVE CHOSEN.

4. USE A PENCIL TO SHADE IN THE CORRECT ANSWER.

EXAMPLE:

1. Which of the following is a noun?

    A. Alvin
    B. jump
    C. because
    D. under

The correct answer is Alvin, letter A. On your answer sheet you mark:

    ●   B.   C.   D

If you need to change your answer, erase it and circle your new answer.

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5. **If you cannot answer a question leave it and move on to the next one. You will come back to it later if you have more time.**

Usage/Grammar

For questions 1 – 3, select the word which best completes the sentence.

1. The boy with the kite _____ to run in the park.

    A. likes
    B. is liking
    C. are liking
    D. like

2. Every good child _____ a gift at Christmas.

    A. was deserve
    B. deserves
    C. deserving
    D. have deserve.

3. Judging from the exam results, _____ my sister nor my brother will get promoted.

    A. both
    B. nor
    C. neither
    D. either

Select the correct punctuation mark to complete the sentence below.

4. "Give me fifty laps around the field_____" commanded the sergeant.

    A. ?
    B. .
    C. ,
    D. !

For items 5 and 6 select the sentence which is correctly punctuated.

5. A. "The next general elections will be held on December 18th, 2009," the Prime Minister announced.

    B. "The next general elections will be held on December 18th, 2009. The Prime Minister announced."

    C. The next general elections will be held on December 18th, 2009. The Prime Minister announced.

    D. The next general elections will be held on December 18th, 2009. "The Prime Minster announced"

6. A. The babys crie's were heard outside.
    B. That cars' screeching brakes' woke me up.
    C. My brother went to the men's room while I bought the snacks.
    D. The schools' fund's come from the parents donations.

For questions 7 – 8, select the word or phrase which correctly completes each sentence.

7. All lines of latitude form circles _____ the earth

    A. on
    B. across
    C. into
    D. about

8. _____ children are packed up in that classroom.

    A. too much
    B. to much
    C. to many
    D. too many

In items 9 and 10 select the sentence which is grammatically correct.

9.   A.   We must walk more quicker if we want to arrive on time.
     B.   We must walk more quick if we want to arrive on time.
     C.   We must walk quicker if we want to reach on time.
     D.   We must walk quicklier if we want to reach on time.

10. A.   We have lost an important basketball match.
     B.   We have losed an important basketball match.
     C.   We losted an important basketball match.
     D.   We lose an important basketball match.

Spelling

Select the correct spelling of the underlined word in items 11 – 14.

11. Since the books in the library are very **valueable**, we should not damage them.

     A.   valueable
     B.   valuable
     C.   valluible
     D.   valuabel

12. The H1N1 virus is very **contageous**.

     A.   contageous
     B.   contajous
     C.   contaygious
     D.   contagious

13. As soon as he heard the good news, he ran to his parents **immidiately.**

     A.   immidiately
     B.   imidiately
     C.   immediately
     D.   emidiatley

14. During the hurricane season, we **expiriense** heavy rainfalls

    A. expirience
    B. experiense
    C. eksperience
    D. experience

For questions 15 – 17, select the word which is <u>CORRECTLY</u> spelt

15. A. caracter
    B. character
    C. charactor
    D. charactar

16. A. arckitecture
    B. architecher
    C. architecture
    D. arkitecture

17. A. lafter
    B. laughter
    C. laftor
    D. laughtor

For items 18 – 20, select the underlined word which is <u>INCORRECTLY</u> spelt in each sentence.

18. <u>Weather</u> you <u>believe</u> it or not; I can fly a <u>plane</u> from <u>here</u> to Martinique.
       A   B   C   D

19. The <u>operation</u> was <u>successful</u> and she <u>gained</u> a lot of <u>wait</u>.
        A   B   C   D

20. The <u>ion</u> <u>filings</u> were <u>attracted</u> to the <u>magnet</u>.
       A   B   C   D

Vocabulary

Choose the prefix of the underlined word to make it the opposite.

21.　Everyone at the meeting **agreed** with Mr. Lewis' point.

    A.　dis
    B.　un
    C.　re
    D.　in

For items 22 - 23, select the word which is opposite in meaning to the one underlined.

22.　After the Layou River Flood, the government placed the people of Layou in <u>permanent</u> shelters at Jimmit

    A.　brief
    B.　little
    C.　temporary
    D.　strong

23.　The <u>generous</u> old man refused to make a contribution towards the children's party.

    A.　greedy
    B.　handsome
    C.　lonely
    D.　special

Select the word which can be used to replace the underline word/s in questions 24 - 26.

24.　We did not buy the gold chain because it was <u>costing a lot of money</u>.

    A.　valueless
    B.　expensive
    C.　high class
    D.　invaluable

25. Mr. Edwards is one of the most **prominent** members of our town.

    A.   dedicated
    B.   educated
    C.   wealthy
    D.   outstanding

26. The <u>dead tree branches, old bottles, old cans and leaves</u> brought in by the storm littered the beach.

    A.   shells
    B.   flood
    C.   debris
    D.   deluge

For questions 27 – 28 choose a suitable word to complete the sentence.

27. The old soldier could not _____ the pain any longer.

    A.   bier
    B.   beer
    C.   bear
    D.   bare

28. The _____ child was punished and was asked to apologize to the teacher.

    A.   insolent
    B.   coward
    C.   frank
    D.   obedient

29. Nadia had to **force** her way through the crowd.

In which sentence below does **force** have the same meaning as the sentence above?

    A.   The <u>force</u> of the explosion blew the windows off the wall.
    B.   We had to <u>force</u> the puppy through the hole in the fence.
    C.   The <u>force</u> of gravity keeps us on the ground.
    D.   Don't <u>force</u> the child to play if he doesn't want to.

30.   I am not feeling **well** today.

In which sentence below does **well** have the same meaning as the sentence above?

A.   He had a feeling that he did **well** on the test.
B.   During the drought, even the **well** was dry.
C.   **Well**, what is the answer?
D.   Mr. Mark did not report to work today because he is not **well.**

Study Skills

Study the section of the book below and answer the questions 31 - 33.

Absorption of food, 133, 134, 179	Activity series, 152, 154, 179	Capillaries, 134
Acceleration and accelerators, 79, 85, 179	Adam's apple, 32	Carbohydrates, 127, 129, 144
Accommodation in eyes, 17, 179	Advertisements, 39	Carbon and carbonates, 46-47, 146-9, 159
Accumulator, 52, 79	Air see gases; oxygen	Carbon dioxide, 46, 147, 165
Acids/acidity and alkalis, 40-4	Bones see skeleton	Digital meters, 54
and metals, 43-44, 148	Brain, 4, 37, 39	Dilute solution, 45, 146, 179
and materials, 156, 159	Bricks, 155-7, 159	Dipolar magnets, 68-70
and rocks, 146	Calcium and compounds, 99-100, 147-8, 156. 157, 159	Diseases see health
and salts, 43, 117, 123	Calibration, 76	Diurnal animals, 115
of soil, 45-7	Calories and calorimeter, 128, 179	Diverging beams of light, 7, 13, 16, 179
	Camera, pinhole, 9-12	Domains, 72, 73

31.   A student is doing a project on bricks. On which page would he find relevant information?

A.   156
B.   154
C.   146
D.   115

32.   On which page can information on the acidity of soils be found?

A.   40 - 44
B.   45 - 47 .
C.   43 - 44
D.   146

33. What part of the book was this section taken from?

A. glossary
B. contents
C. bibliography
D. index

34. Which of these words would appear first in a dictionary?

A. electorate
B. election
C. electron
D. elective

35. Jack wanted to find the meaning of a word used in one of his textbooks. Where would he have to look for the meaning?

A. index
B. contents
C. glossary
D. introduction

36. Two guide words on a page in the dictionary are **fractional** and **frame.** Which of the following words would also appear on that page?

A. France
B. framer
C. fragrant
D. factoid

37. Where would you find a list of the different books and their authors in the library?

A. In the catalogue
B. In an encyclopedia
C. In a directory
D. in a dictionary

38. Which of the following books will **NOT** be found in the reference section of the library?

    A.   An encyclopedia
    B.   A dictionary
    C.   An almanac
    D.   A novel.

COMPREHENSION

Instructions

1. This section contains 4 passages and 22 questions
2. Read each passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.
3. If you do not know an answer, leave it and move on the next. You may return to the ones you have not answered if you have more time.

The article below was taken from a news company. Study it and answer the questions that follow.

CrysTal Networks launches broadband internet services

BY HERMISHA ROLLE, STAFF REPORTER
November 18, 2009

Residents of Roseau and environs will be the first to sample a new broadband internet service launched yesterday by CrysTal Networks.

The service, named 'Ping!net' will gradually extend to other areas of Montserrat in the coming months, and is expected to go islandwide by June 2010.

According to Chief Executive Officer of CrysTal Networks, Wally Mandel, the new internet service is just the first of many market changes that the company will make over the next few months.

"This is our first step into the market changes.... It is the first real change that you are going to see from CrysTal Networks over the next coming months," the CEO said.

The new product was launched at the company's Roseau office yesterday. At the launching CrysTal Networks Public Relations Representative, Hally Shaw, said that the new product comes under a suite of services being re-launched by CrysTal Networks over the next coming months.

According to Shaw the new product will feature "three tiers of service," representing the various high speeds that will be available to customers.

Shaw said Ping!net offers the lowest internet rates on the island and does not require a sign up contract. She added that the modem is free and there is no monthly line rental charge involved.

The public relations representative said that Ping expects to launch two other services- Ping!talk and Ping!tv in the near future.

Shaw also mentioned a new partnership that the company has formed with Fone shack in which CrysTal Networks customers will soon be able to pay their bills at the Fone shack outlet.

Under the brand Ping!net service, the first internet package-Ping!net Express, comes with 1.5 megabytes costing $84.50 monthly, Ping!net Turbo, the second package, comes with 2.5 megabytes will cost $149.50 monthly, while the fastest speed of 3.5 megabytes comes with the Ping!net. Extreme option runs at $249.50 monthly.

Every customer signing up for any package will get to experience Ping!net Extreme as a free upgrade for the first 30 days.

Current CrysTal Networks customers will pay a fee of $75 for installation while new costumers will pay $150.

Adapted from Article from **Dominica News Online**

39. Who wrote this article?

    A.   Wally Mandel
    B.   The people of Roseau
    C.   Hermisha Rolle
    D.   Hally Shaw

40. What is Ping!net

    A.   The sound a bell makes
    B.   A new line of internet service
    C.   Something only the people of Roseau and environs will have
    D.   A service that is found island wide

41. Which news company published this article?

    A.   Hermisha Rolle
    B.   Dominica News Online
    C.   Crystal Network
    D.   The Chief Executive Officer

42. How many Ping!net packages are being offered

    A.   1
    B.   2
    C.   3
    D.   4

43. Which of the following is a bonus being offered by the company?

    A.   Free internet upgrade for the first 30 days.
    B.   Lowest internet rate.
    C. $249.50 rebate.
    D.   Being able to pay your bills at Fone Shack.

For centuries comets have been one of our biggest mysteries. They are among the most beautiful and interesting sights in the universe. People from all over the world have been surprised— and often scared—by the sight of a comet blazing across the sky. Edmund Halley, an astronomer in the late 1600s, was very interested in comets. He studied them for most of his life.

Part of Halley's studies involved measuring the paths of comets through the night sky. Halley learned that comets move around the Sun in the path of an ellipse. (An ellipse is like a circle that has been stretched out in one direction.) He ascertained that because comets travel in an elliptical path, the same comet could be seen from Earth again and again. This was a brand new concept during his time.

In 1682, Halley noticed a comet that was especially bright and large. He spent a long time studying it. Then it disappeared from view. Based on his calculations, Halley predicted that this bright comet would return in 1758 or 1759. This was about 75 years after he first saw the comet. However, Halley died in 1742. Thus, he was not able to see that he was correct. This same bright comet returned right on time. Not long after that, because Halley had learned so much about it, the comet was named "Halley's comet" in his honor.

Scientists who had been following Halley's work began to look back through history. They learned that for centuries there had been mention of a comet in the sky about every 75 years, going all the way back to 467 B.C. Often, the return of Halley's Comet seemed to coincide with important events in history. For many years people believed that Halley's Comet caused catastrophes, from sicknesses to war.

Since then, scientists have learned more about comets. They now know that comets do not cause bad events. They have also learned what comets are like. All comets consist of a head and a tail. Some comet tails are longer than others. The head is made mostly of ice, plus some dust and pieces of rock. U.S. astronomer Fred Whipple coined the phrase "dirty snowballs" to describe comets. Comets move through the sky very quickly. However, their speed depends on how close they are to the Sun. When Halley's Comet is farthest from the sun, it moves at about 2,040 miles per hour. When it is closest to the Sun, or at its *perihelion*, it moves at an amazing 122,000 miles per hour!

For a long time scientists wondered where comets came from. Today, most scientists believe that comets come from an unseen cloud of particles called the Oort cloud. This cloud probably surrounds our solar system. It may contain somewhere between 10 and 100 trillion comets.

People today remain *fascinated* by this celestial time-traveler. The most recent visit from Halley's Comet was in 1985-1986. This time, scientists all over the world studied the

comet. Two Soviet spacecraft, the Vega 1 and Vega 2, got a close look at the comet as it raced around the Sun. Halley's comet should next return in 2061. Who knows what high-tech equipment will be around to study it then? However, other comets are periodically discovered making a once-in-a-lifetime visit. If you get the chance to study one of these stellar fireballs, do so. You'll be thrilled!

44.   Why can comets be seen from earth over and over again?

    A.   they travel fast
    B.   they travel along a circular path
    C.   the earth turns around
    D.   Halley predicted that it would pass again

45.   In what year was Haley's Comet first noticed?

    A.   75 years ago
    B.   1682
    C.   1742
    D.   1958 or 1959

46.   Why are some comets referred to as "dirty snowballs?"

    A.   They are made mostly of ice, and pieces of rock.
    B.   They are covered in space dirt.
    C.   They cannot be cleaned by rainfall.
    D.   They were thought to cause sickness and wars.

47.   Suggest another word that could be used instead of the word *fascinated*.

    A.   uninterested
    B.   disgusted
    C.   amazed
    D.   alarmed

48.   How do scientists believe that comets are formed?

    A.   from fireballs.
    B.   from clouds.
    C.   from a head and a tail.
    D.   from unseen particles.

The Dominica Grammar School Past Student Association

In association with

Caribbean Stars Airways

Present a

Fund–Raising

Dinner and Dance

On Saturday January 17th, 2010 from 7:00 pm
At the New Briggs Hotel
Victoria Street, Kingston 6.

Featuring:
The Swinging All-Stars Band, Ophelia Harry, Arrow and Tonto

Tickets cost $125.00 single and $200.00 couple.
Dress code: Formal

Gate Prizes:
A trip for two to Barbados
courtesy Caribbean Stars Airways
Or
A weekend for two at Jungle Bay Resorts
courtesy Michaels Woods

For Tickets: *Call 925-1326 or 625-9826*
Or e-mail dgspsa@hotmail.com

Proceeds in aid of Dominica Home for the Aged.

49.   Who is organizing the dinner?

      A.   Caribbean Airways
      B.   The Dominica Grammar School
      C.   The New Briggs Hotel
      D.   Ophelia Harry

50.   Which word or phrase is closest in meaning to the phrase 'in association with' as used in the advertisement?

      A.   too
      B.   as well as
      C.   or
      D.   in place of

51.   Where is the dinner and dance being held?

      A.   Jungle Bay Resorts
      B.   In Barbados
      C.   The Dominica Grammar School
      D.   The New Briggs Hotel

52.   Which of the following is offering a gate prize?

      A.   Jungle Bay Resorts
      B.   Fort Young Hotel
      C.   Michael Woods
      D.   Swinging All-Stars Band

53.   How can tickets for the dinner be purchased?

      A.   by sending an e-mail
      B.   by visiting Caribbean Airways office
      C.   by contacting the swinging-all Stars Band
      D.   by wearing a formal dress

54.   From the advertisement, what do you think the word **proceeds** mean?

      A.   Cost of tickets
      B. $200.00
      C. $125.00
      D.   Profits

Michael Joseph Jackson was born on the 29th of August 1958 in Gary, Indiana. He was the 7th of nine children. He began his musical career at the age of 5 as the lead singer of the *Jackson 5* which was formed in 1964. In these early years, the Jackson 5 - Jackie, Jermaine, Tito, Marlon and Michael, played in local clubs and bars in Gary, Indiana. Michael was the lead singer.

In 1977 Michael made his first film debut when he starred in the musical 'The Wiz' where he played Scarecrow. Diana Ross played the lead role of Dorothy. It was at this time Michael met Quincy Jones who was doing the score for the film.

Michael teamed up with Quincy Jones as his producer for his first solo album with Epic Records. The, "Off The Wall" album was the first ever album to release a record breaking four number 1 singles in America.

In 1982 Michael Jackson released the world's largest selling album of all time, 'Thriller'. This album produced 7 hit singles, breaking yet again more records, and went on to sell over 50 million copies worldwide. He worked with the best directors and producers, using the latest technology and special effects for the hit song 'Billie Jean'. In 1983 Michael performed the now legendary moonwalk for the first time on the 'Motown 25 years' anniversary show.

In 1984 Michael won a record breaking 8 Grammy awards in one night. The awards were for his work on the 'Thriller' album and his work on the narrative for the 'ET Storybook'.

On December 9th, 1984 at the last concert of the Jackson's Victory Tour, Michael announced that he was splitting from the group and going *solo*.

In 1987 Michael released his much awaited third solo album, titled 'Bad', and launched his record breaking first solo world tour. At the end of the 1980s Michael was named 'Artist of the Decade' for his success off of his 'Thriller' and 'Bad' albums.

In 1991 Michael signed with Sony Music the largest ever recording contract and released his fourth solo album, 'Dangerous'. He toured the world again in 1992, taking his concerts to countries that had never before been visited by a pop/rock artist. Also Michael founded the 'Heal the World Foundation' to help improve the lives of children across the world.

In 1995 Michael released a fifth album, titled 'HIStory'. It was a double album. The first half contained new material and second half comprised greatest hits.

In 1997 Michael released the remix album 'Blood On The Dance Floor' which also contained 5 new songs linked with a 38min film "Ghosts". In this film Michael played 5 roles using the latest special effects and make-up artistry, combined with his dance and music.

In September, 2001 Michael celebrated his 30th anniversary as a solo artist with two concerts held in New York, USA. Many artists such as Whitney Houston, Usher, Destiny's Child, Shaggy and many more performed their own and Michael Jacksons past songs. Michael then reunited with all of his brothers and performed their biggest hits. Michael then went on to perform some of his biggest hits.

In October 2001 Michael released the album 'Invincible' releasing only 2 singles including the big hit "You Rock My World". The second single "Cry" was released with a very poor music video which did not feature Michael Jackson.

On June 25th, 2009 Michael Jackson died suddenly of a reported cardiac arrest. He was 50 years old.

55.   Who is this passage about?

A.   The Jackson 5
B.   Gary Indiana
C.   Michael Jackson
D.   Dianna Ross

56.   Michael Jackson made his film debut in 1977. What was his role in the film?

A.   The Wiz
B.   Scarecrow
C.   Dorothy
D.   Dian Ross

57.   Based on the passage, how many albums did Michael Jackson make?

A.   3
B.   5
C.   6
D.   7

58.   In the passage, what does the word *solo* mean?

A.   Alone
B.   In a group
C.   A musical instrument
D.   The moonwalk dance

59. Why was Michael Jackson named artist of the decade in 1987?

    A.   Because he released a much awaited album
    B.   He named his third solo album "Bad"
    C.   He had a recording breaking world tour
    D.   Because of his success on his "Thriller" and "Bad" albums.

60. This type of article is referred to as a biography. Based on the information in the article, what do you think a biography is?

    A.   A story about a person's life.
    B.   Something a person did.
    C.   All the albums that a person released
    D.   How a person gets popular

Mathematics

Grade 6

National Assessment

May 25, 2010

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EXAMPLE:

1. What does the 6 in the number 65 432 represent?

   A. tens of thousands
   B. thousands
   C. hundreds
   D. ones

The correct answer is tens of thousands, letter A. On your answer sheet you mark:

●   B.   C.   D

If you need to change your answer, erase it and circle your new answer.

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4. **NO calculators** are allowed.

5. **If you cannot answer a question leave it and move on to the next one. You will come back to it later if you have more time.**

Number Concepts

1. The number ninety-nine thousand, eight hundred and six is written as

    A. 90 9806
    B. 99 806
    C. 90 986
    D. 99 86

2. Which number, when rounded to the nearest hundred will be 800?

    A. 827
    B. 899
    C. 850
    D. 750

3. In which of the following situations would it be a good idea to round off numbers?

    A. When determining the outcome of the general elections.
    B. When writing a check for the electric bill.
    C. When recording statistics on world population.
    D. When stating your age.

4. What type of number is the product of 10 x 10 called?

    A. Square number
    B. Prime number
    C. Triangular number
    D. Double number

5. Which of the following best describes a prime number?

    A. A number with more than one factors.
    B. A number that cannot be divided by two.
    C. Any number greater than one.
    D. A number with only two factors.

6. What is 24 written as a product of its prime factors?

    A. 2 x 2 x 3 x 3
    B. 2 x 2 x 2 x 3
    C. 2 x 12
    D. 1 x 24

7. Three factors of 36 are

    A. 2, 5 and 18
    B. 2, 3 and 8
    C. 3, 12 and 30
    D. 4, 9 and 12

Computation

8. Each person running in a race will get a card with a number on it. The remaining runners will get numbers in the pattern below.

    | 75 | | 77 | | 80 | | 84 | | 89 | | ? |

    What number does [?] represent?

    A. 90
    B. 95
    C. 100
    D. 102

9. The sum of 3652 and 7419 is

    A. 3 767
    B. 10 061
    C. 11 071
    D. 10 10611

10. If $n = 15$, what is $115 + n$?

    A. $115n$
    B. 100
    C. 130
    D. 1725

11. In August, 20 973 people visited an art museum. In September, 18 426 people visited the same museum. How many people visited the museum in August and September?

    A.   39 399
    B.   18 553
    C.   38 399
    D.   2 547

12. The difference between 10 001 and 100 is

    A.   10 101
    B.   11 001
    C.   9 900
    D.   9 901

13. The area of the Dominica Republic is 18 700 square miles. If Belize is 9 833 square miles smaller than the Dominica Republic, what is its area?

    A.   8 867
    B.   11 133
    C.   28 533
    D.   17 533

14. Yolanda, Mario and Jim have some tokens. Yolanda has 16 tokens. Mario has 18 tokens and Jim has 26 tokens. How many would they each have if they divided all the tokens equally among themselves?

    A.   20
    B.   21
    C.   30
    D.   60

15. Karyn can make 4 bracelets in 2 hours. Her sister, Mira, can make 2 times that amount in the same time. How many bracelets can they make together in 4 hours?

    A.   8
    B.   16
    C.   20
    D.   24

16. Find the product of 7024 and 14

    A.   98 336
    B.   35 120
    C.   7 038
    D.   7 010

17. $10056 \div 4 =$

    A.   2014
    B.   2514
    C.   10052
    D.   10060

18. If $24 \times 16 = 384$, which number sentence below <u>MUST</u> also be true?

    A. $384 \times 16 = 24$
    B. $384 \div 16 = 24$
    C. $384 + 16 = 24$
    D. $384 - 16 = 24$

19. Pam is trading coins with her friends. She trades 5 of her coins for 8 of Steven's coins, and 7 of her coins for 4 of Kathy's coins. How many coins does she have now, if she started with 50 coins?

    A.   26
    B.   50
    C.   62
    D.   74

20. 15 parents brought 1 dozen muffins each to a bake sale. The muffins were then divided and placed on 3 tables. How many muffins were on each table, if the muffins were distributed evenly?

    A.   12
    B.   15
    C.   60
    D.   180

21. A map uses a scale of 1 inch to represent 20 miles. How many miles would 7 inches represent?

    A. 27
    B. 28
    C. 140
    D. 141

22. The table below shows the reading scores of 5 children in grade 4.

Name	Scores
Kimberly	78
Tom	90
Jude	58
Risa	60
Collin	84

What is the average score on the test?

    A. 74
    B. 78
    C. 365
    D. 370

Measurement

23. If US $1 = EC $2.70, how much should I get for US $25.00?

    A. EC $27.70
    B. US $27.70
    C. EC $67.50
    D. US $67.50

24. Kevin brought money for the fair. He spent $10.50 on rides, $4.25 on food, and $5.75 on games. At the end of the day, he had $9.50 left. How much money did Kevin bring to the fair?

    A. $11.00
    B. $15.75
    C. $20.50
    D. $30.00

25. Jason bought two items for lunch. He gave the cashier a five-dollar bill. His change was $1.20. What two items did Jason buy?

Item	Cost
Chili	$2.95
Vegetable soup	$2.35
Grilled cheese	$2.85
Juice	$1.15
Lemonade	$0.95

    A.   Chili and Juice
    B.   Grilled cheese and lemonade
    C.   Vegetable soup and grilled cheese
    D.   Chili and lemonade

26. How long is it from 9:45 am to 11:25 am?

    A.   2 minutes and 40 seconds
    B.   2 hours and 40 minutes
    C.   1 hour and 40 minutes
    D.   140 minutes

27. Buses to the museum leave every 40 minutes, starting at 8:15 am. What time does the third bus leave for the museum?

    A.   10:15 am
    B.   9:35 am
    C.   8:55 am
    D.   8:15 am

28. A concert is held each week on a Saturday or a Sunday. If one is held on a Saturday, the next will be held on a Sunday. If the first concert is held on Saturday, January 5ⁿᵈ, 2010, when will the third concert be held?

   A.   Saturday, January 19th, 2010
   B.   Sunday, January 20th, 2010
   C.   Sunday, January 13th, 2010
   D.   Saturday, January 12th, 2010

29. Which is the most suitable unit to weigh a bag of cement?

   A.   litres
   B.   metres
   C.   grammes
   D.   kilogrammes

30. Which is the best estimate of the mass of a clothes pin?

   A.   9 grams
   B.   90 grams
   C.   1000 grams
   D.   9 kilograms

31. The weight on a scale read 75 kg. Which of the following was most likely on the scale?

   A.   A cow
   B.   A baby
   C.   An adult man
   D.   An adult cat

32. How many millilitres are there in 1 litre?

   A.   1
   B.   10
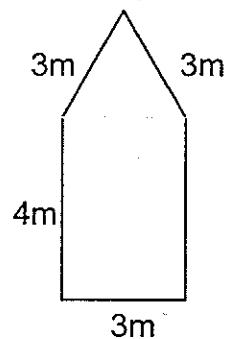   C.   100
   D.   1000

33.　Mrs. Evans needs 5000 cm of material to make a costume. The material is sold by the metre. How many metres must Mrs. Evans buy?

A.　5
B.　50
C.　500
D.　5000

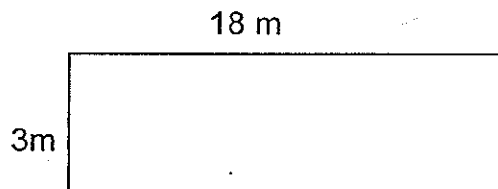34.　Which is the best estimate of the length of your classroom?

A.　5 metres
B.　2 miles
C.　½ kilometre
D.　40 metres

35.　What is the perimeter of this pentagon?

A.　11 m
B.　17 m
C.　20 m
D.　21 m

36.　What is the area of this rectangle?

A.　54 m^2
B.　42 m^2
C.　21 m^2
D.　15 m^2

37. A rectangle has an area of 48 square metres. If the length of the rectangle is 8 metres, what is the width?

    A.   56 metres
    B.   40 metres
    C.   8 metres
    D.   6 metres

Geometry

38. Steve wants to build his house in the shape of a pentagon. How many sides should his house have?

    A.   4
    B.   5
    C.   7
    D.   9

39. What type of angle is formed when a vertical line meets a horizontal line?

    A.   An acute angle
    B.   An obtuse angle
    C.   A right angle
    D.   A reflex angle

40. How many lines of symmetry does a circle have?

    A.   0
    B.   1
    C.   4
    D.   An infinite number

41. Jerry found a solid shape with 6 faces, 8 vertices and 12 edges. What shape is it most likely to be?

    A.   prism
    B.   triangle
    C.   pyramid
    D.   cube

47. How many tenths are needed to make a whole?

    A. 1
    B. 2
    C. 5
    D. 10

48. Calculate 2.2 + 1.9

    A. 41
    B. 4.1
    C. 3.11
    D. 3.1

Problem Solving

49. Mandy is older than Britney, but younger than Joseph. Joseph is younger than Patrick. Who is the youngest?

    A. Mandy
    B. Britney
    C. Joseph
    D. Patrick

50. Sam and Judy live the same distance from school but in opposite directions. If they each live 4.8 miles from school, how far do they live from each other?

    A. 9.6 miles
    B. 4.8 miles
    C. 2.4 miles
    D. 0 miles

51. There are 5 teams in a football league. Each team will play each other team once. How many games will be played?

    A. 5
    B. 9
    C. 10
    D. 20

52. A number was multiplied by 7, then 8 was added to the product. The result was 71. What was the number?

 A. 7
 B. 9
 C. 15
 D. 56

53. What is the value of $n + n - 3$ if $n = 7$?

 A. 0
 B. 3
 C. 7
 D. 11

54. The items listed below are on sale for ½ off the regular price. How much money would be needed to buy 1 of each item listed at the sale price?
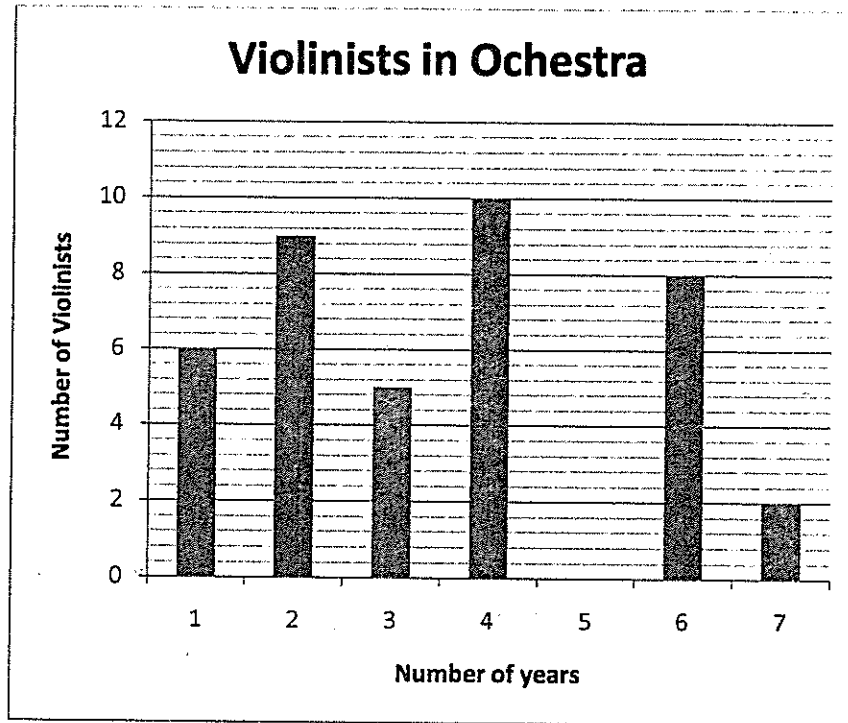
Item	Regular Price
Nike Cap	$24.00
Shirt	$48.00
CD	$30.00
MP3 Player	$56.00

 A. $24.00
 B. $56.00
 C. $79.00
 D. $158.00

Statistics

The graph below shows the number of violinists in an orchestra and the number of years they have been there.
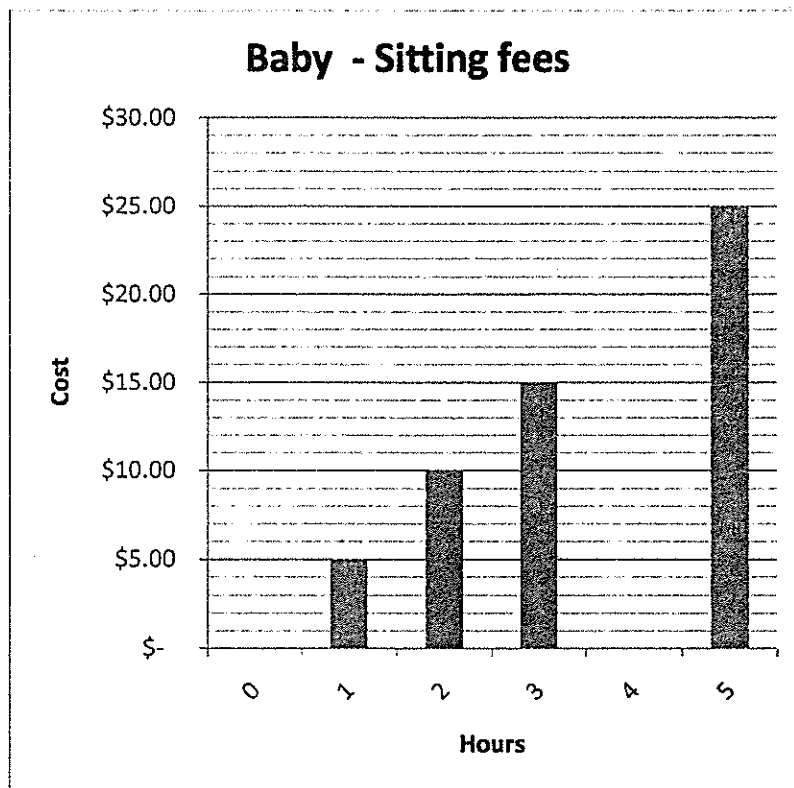
Study the graph and answer questions 55 - 56

Violinists in Ochestra

55. How many violinists have been in the orchestra for 4 years or less?

    A.   30
    B.   13
    C.   10
    D.   4

56. If there were 45 violinists altogether, how many were there for 5 years?

    A.   6
    B.   11
    C.   20
    D.   50

The graph below shows the cost of a baby-sitting service.

Study the graph and answer questions 57 - 58

Baby - Sitting fees

Cost (vertical axis: $30.00, $25.00, $20.00, $15.00, $10.00, $5.00, $-)

Hours (horizontal axis: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

57.   How much does it cost to baby-sit per hour?

    A. $25.00
    B. $10.00
    C. $5.00
    D. $0.00

58.   How much would it cost to baby-sit for 4 hours?

    A. $30.00
    B. $20.00
    C. $5.00
    D. $4.00

Three boys and 2 girls went on a fishing trip. The pictograph below shows the number of fishes each caught.

Study the graph and answer questions 59 - 60

	Number of fish caught
Boy #1	🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟
Girl #1	🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟
Boy #2	🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟
Boy #3	🐟 🐟 🐟
Girl #2	🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟 🐟
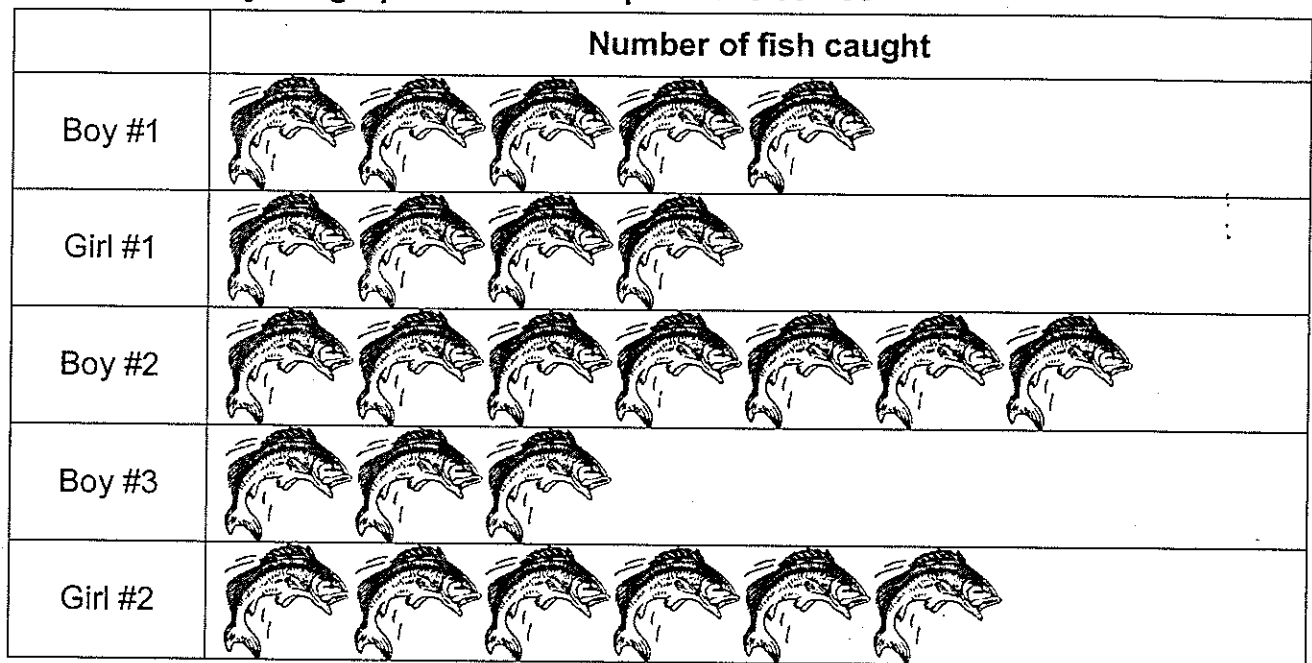
🐟 = 4 fish

59. How many fishes were caught altogether?

    A.   25
    B.   40
    C.   60
    D.   100

60. How many more fishes did the boys catch than the girls?

    A.   60
    B.   40
    C.   20
    D.   5

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Science

Grade 6

National Assessment

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EXAMPLE:

1. Which object is most likely to float in a container of water?

    A. leaf
    B. key
    C. pen
    D. coin

The correct answer is leaf, letter A. on your answer sheet you mark:

    ●   B.   C.   D

If you need to change your answer, erase it and circle your new answer.

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4. **If you cannot answer a question leave it and move on to the next one. You will come back to it later if you have more time.**

LIFE PROCESSES

1.   The stages of an animal's growth and change are part of its

   A.   Life cycle
   B.   Life span
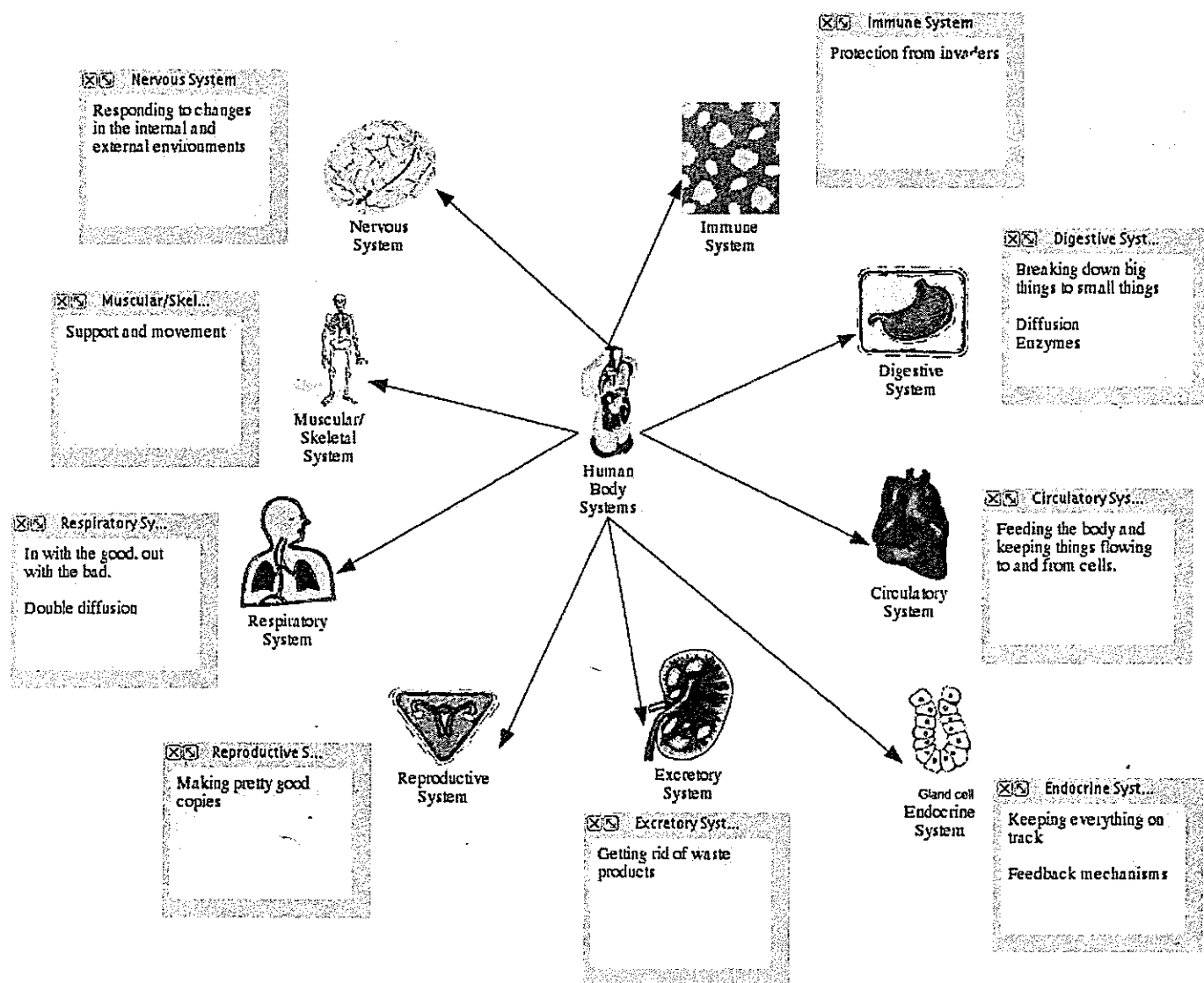   C.   Life style
   D.   Instincts

2.   What is reproduction?

   A.   when offspring is an exact copy of its parent
   B.   when offspring make parents
   C.   when parents make offspring
   D.   when the food we eat changes its form.

3.   The function of the red blood cells is to

   A.   help clot blood
   B.   fight disease-causing germs
   C.   help us breathe
   D.   transport gases

4.   What is the name given to the muscle that contracts and relaxes when we breathe?

   A.   Trachea
   B.   Diaphragm
   C.   Bronchi
   D.   Alveoli

5.   What is the name of the organ that controls all other organs in the body?

   A.   The heart
   B.   The brain
   C.   The nervous system
   D.   The muscles

Study the diagram of the body systems below then answer questions 6 – 9.

Immune System
Protection from invaders

Nervous System
Responding to changes in the internal and external environments

Nervous System

Immune System

Digestive Syst...
Breaking down big things to small things

Diffusion
Enzymes

Digestive System

Muscular/Skel...
Support and movement

Muscular/ Skeletal System

Human Body Systems

Respiratory Sy...
In with the good, out with the bad.

Double diffusion

Respiratory System

Circulatory Sys...
Feeding the body and keeping things flowing to and from cells.

Circulatory System

Reproductive S...
Making pretty good copies

Reproductive System

Excretory System

Excretory Syst...
Getting rid of waste products

Gland cell
Endocrine System

Endocrine Syst...
Keeping everything on track

Feedback mechanisms

6.   Which organ is part of the circulatory system?

    A.   Heart
    B.   Stomach
    C.   Small intestines
    D.   Penis

7. John had some crackers during snack time. Which body system helped him break down the food and get the energy from the crackers?

   A. Respiratory system
   B. Endocrine system
   C. Digestive system
   D. Circulatory system

8. Which of these systems is used most often when we urinate?

   A. Endocrine system
   B. Excretory system
   C. Immune system
   D. Nervous system

9. Alvin is at home, sick with the flu. Which body system will help him recover quickly?

   A. Respiratory system
   B. Skeletal system
   C. Reproductive system
   D. Immune system

10. Why is it important to include fibre in our diet?

    A. It helps us gain weight.
    B. It helps with weight loss.
    C. It allows the food to move along in the digestive tract.
    D. It helps help build your body back to fitness after sickness.

11. What name is given to the liquid part of the blood?

    A. Platelets
    B. White corpuscles
    C. Red corpuscles
    D. Plasma

12. Which mineral is used to build strong bones and teeth?

    A. Calcium
    B. Iron
    C. Zinc
    D. Potassium

13. In order to keep our teeth strong and healthy you should always brush your teeth with toothpaste containing which ingredient?

    A. Calcium
    B. Chlorine
    C. Fluoride
    D. Potassium

14. Which of the following is **NOT** a vertebrate?

    A. Frog
    B. worm
    C. Bird
    D. Snake

15. What causes the roots of a plant to grow downwards?

    A. Gravity
    B. Other plants
    C. Nutrients
    D. Underground animals

16. In the life cycle of a plant, the first step is the seed germinates. During the second step, the plant grows. What occurs in the third step of the life cycle of a plant?

    A. The fruit releases seeds
    B. We eat the plant
    C. The plant dies.
    D. The plant flowers

17. Your friend runs off every morning and afternoon to smoke marijuana with his friends. He could be described as a

    A. drug addict
    B. alcoholic
    C. second hand smoker
    D. chain smoker   [D seems correct but A may be popular]

18. Which of these is an effect of drug abuse?

    A. An increase in theft and burglary.
    B. Better grades at exams
    C. Better performance in sports.
    D. Improved relationships with friends.

19. Before having a surgery, the doctor gave Bill an injection that caused him to sleep. This injection must have been a/an

    A. hallucinogen
    B. steroid
    C. stimulant
    D. anesthetic

20. During the operation it was noticed that the linings of Bill's lungs were extremely black. This shows that Bill was probably a/an

    A. alcoholic
    B. smoker
    C. cocaine user
    D. painter

EARTH AND ATMOSPHERE

21. What instrument would you use to measure how big an earthquake is?

    A. Calculator
    B. Spectrometer
    C. Seismograph
    D. Abacus

**Study the diagram below and answer questions 22 - 24**
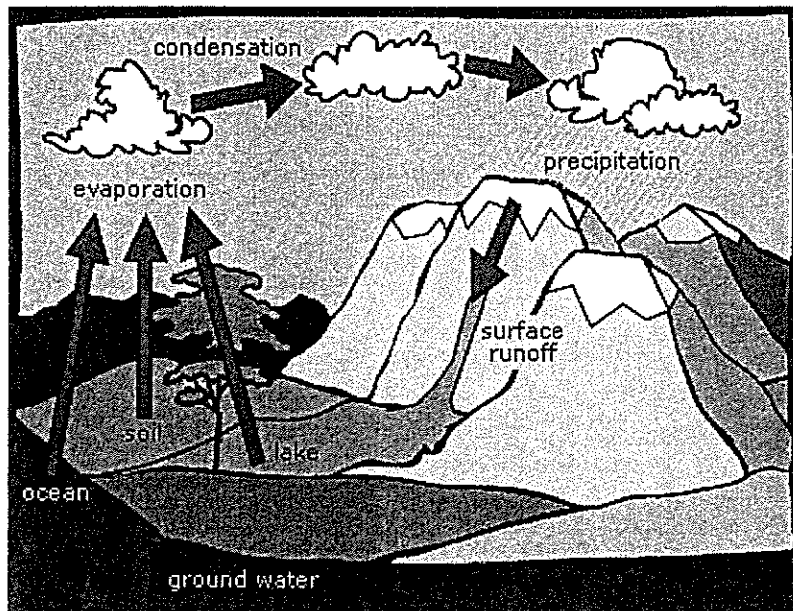
22.   Where does the energy that powers the water cycle come from?

   A.   Plants
   B.   Animals
   C.   Water
   D.   Sun.

23.   What is evaporation?

   A.   Warm water changes to gas.
   B.   Water vapor meets cold air and changes back into liquid.
   C.   Water vapor meets warm air and changes back into liquid.
   D.   Plants take in water from the soil.

24.   What is the correct term for moisture that falls to the ground from clouds?

   A.   Condensation
   B.   Precipitation
   C.   Surface runoff
   D.   Ground water

25.   Which of these gases make up the largest percentage of air?

    A.   Hydrogen
    B.   Oxygen
    C.   Carbon dioxide
    D.   Nitrogen

26.   Which is the best way to reduce air pollution?

    A.   Dump all waste in rivers.
    B.   Use more bicycles
    C.   Drive faster cars
    D.   Burn all garbage

27.   What phase is the moon in when it appears to be a bright circle?

    A.   First quarter
    B.   New moon
    C.   Full moon
    D.   Eclipse

28.   Which of these causes night and day on earth?

    A.   The earth spinning on it axis.
    B.   The earth orbiting the sun.
    C.   The sun spinning on its axis/
    D.   The moon orbiting the earth.

29.   How long does it take for the earth to travel round the sun?

    A.   1 day
    B.   1 week
    C.   1 month
    D.   1 year

Use the diagram below to answer question 30.


SOLID   LIQUID   GAS
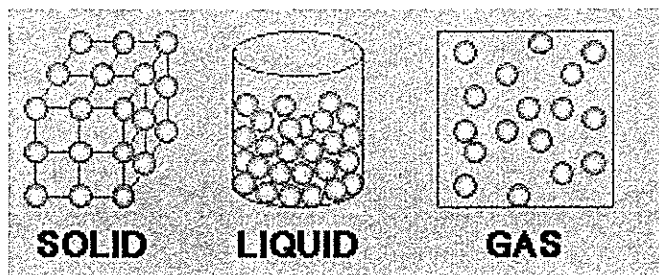
30.   What does the picture represent?

A.   The states of matter
B.   Boiling
C.   Freezing
D.   The water cycle

31.   What would be the best reason for painting an iron gate?

A.   To beautify it
B.   To make it look like your neighbour's
C.   To protect it from rust
D.   Because Christmas is coming

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

32.   A scout needs to raise a flag to the top of a pole on Independence Day. Which is the easiest way for him to do so?

A.   Use a metal ring
B.   Use a pulley
C.   Climb a ladder
D.   Get another scout to help

33.   Why would it be easier to ride a bicycle on a road than on grass?

A.   There is less friction on the road
B.   There is more friction on the road.
C.   The grass might be wet.
D.   The road is closer to the sidewalk.

Use the diagram below to answer question 34
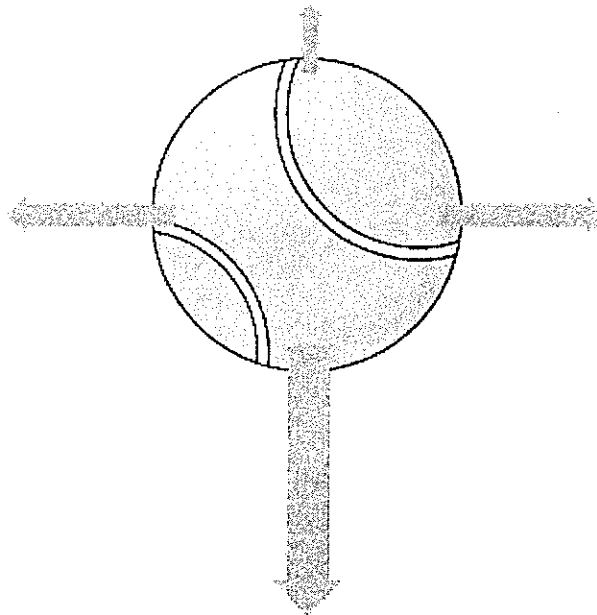
34. The arrows in the diagram represent the sizes of forces acting on a stationary tennis ball. What will happen to the tennis ball?

A. It will not move
B. It will move to the left
C. It will move downwards
D. It will move to the right.

35. A desk will not move on its own unless

A. a force is applied
B. gravity is applied
C. a mass is applied
D. friction is applied

36. Why is electrical wiring usually covered with a layer of plastic?

A. To help the electricity flow
B. To prevent electricity from flowing
C. To let it look pretty
D. To make it safe to touch

37. What function does an electrical circuit serve in your home?

   A. It protects your home against lightning strikes.
   B. It increases the voltage from the power lines outside your house.
   C. It provides a complete path for electricity to flow.
   D. It prevents you from getting electrical shocks.

38. Bar magnets have two poles. What are they?

   A. East and west
   B. North and south
   C. Red and black
   D. Hot and cold

Use the diagram below to help you answer question 39
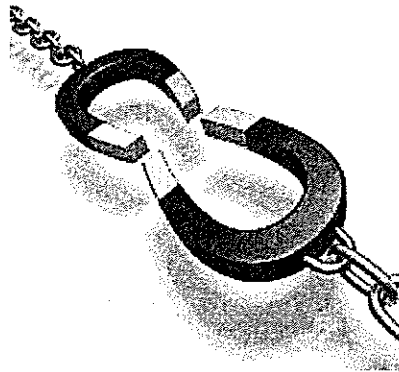
39. On a magnet, like poles _____1_____ each other while unlike poles _____2_____ each other.

   Which two words should be placed on the lines?

   A. 1 = attract; 2 = repel
   B. 1 − oppose; 2 − connect
   C. 1 = connect; 2 = oppose
   D. 1 = repel; 2 = attract

40. In the eye, the image we see is formed on the

   A. Pupil
   B. Retina
   C. Iris
   D. Optic nerve

41. Which of these items will cast the darkest shadow?

   A. Piece of wood
   B. Plain glass
   C. A plastic bag
   D. Coloured paper

42. To make a wall reflect as much light as possible, you should paint it

   A. Black
   B. White
   C. Yellow
   D. Cream

43. Why do people using large noisy drills often wear ear muffs?

   A. It looks nice on them
   B. To listen to music while they work
   C. Because their ears are cold
   D. Because loud sounds can damage the ear.

44. What would be a good material to lay on a floor to soften the sound of footsteps?

   A. Carpet
   B. Wood
   C. Metal
   D. Plastic

45. As you fill a bottle with water, what happens to the sound made when you blow over the top of it?

   A. It gets lower in pitch
   B. It gets higher in pitch
   C. It stays the same
   D. It vibrates

46. What happens when something is heated?

   A. Its energy decreases
   B. It becomes smaller
   C. It boils
   D. Its temperature changes

47. Niran sits in a far corner of his kitchen, away from the stove. When his mom lights the stove, he feels the heat. This heat that he feels is as a result of

    A. Conduction
    B. Convection
    C. Radiation
    D. Transmission

48. Which of these would you use to measure the temperature of water?

    A. A piece of metal
    B. A thermometer
    C. A gauge
    D. A voltmeter

49. Which of these means **stored energy**

    A. Kinetic energy
    B. Potential energy
    C. Chemical energy
    D. Electrical energy

50. When a flashlight is turned on, energy in the flashlight changes its form. Which of these energy changes takes place in the flashlight?

    A. Electrical energy to light energy
    B. Chemical to heat
    C. Heat to light
    D. Solar to electrical

End of Test!

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Social Studies

Grade 6

National Assessment

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EXAMPLE:

1. Which of these is a primary product?

    A. soap
    B. pasta
    C. banana
    D. fertiliser

The correct answer is banana, letter C. on your answer sheet you mark:
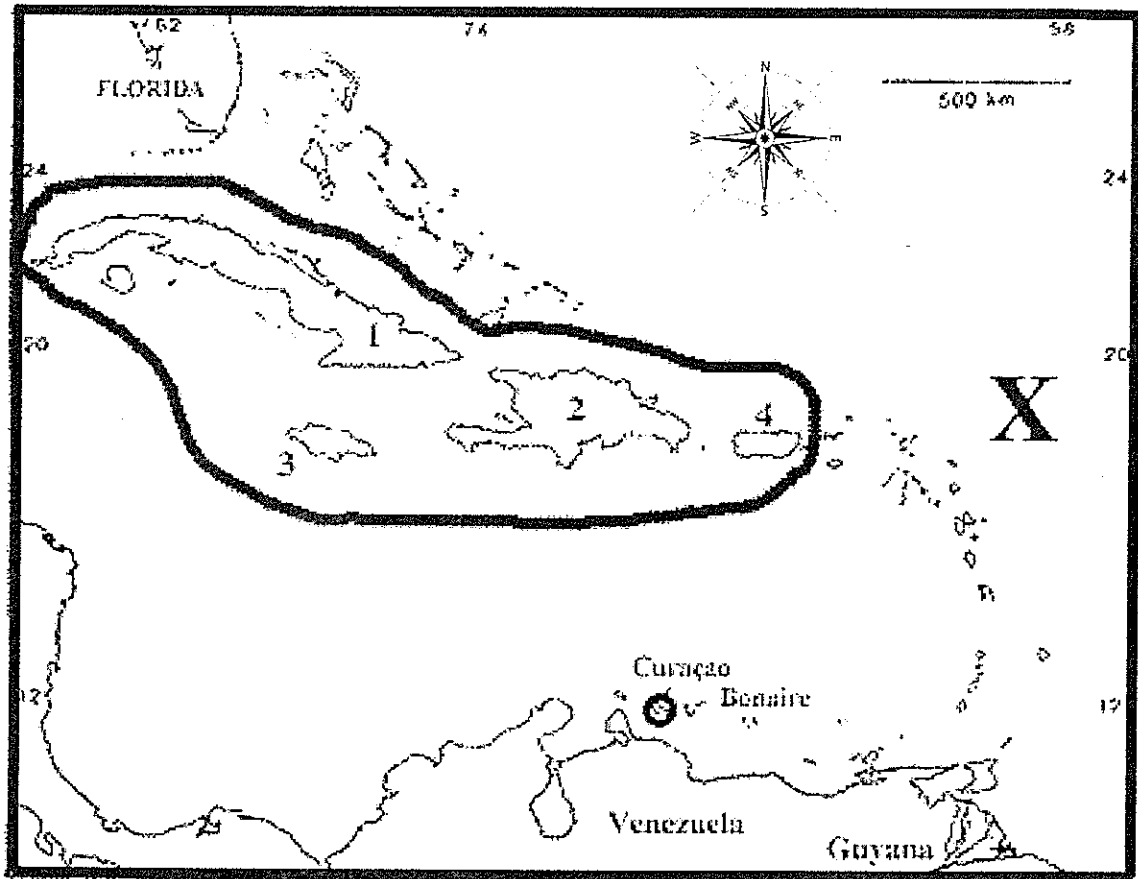
    A.   B.   ●   D

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GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

Study the map below and use it to answer questions 1 – 4.

1. In the map above the four islands labeled 1, 2, 3, and 4 and circled are known as what group of islands?

   A. The Windward Islands
   B. The West Indies
   C. The Greater Antilles
   D. The super power islands

2. Where can one find Venezuela and Guyana?

   A. In South America
   B. In the Lesser Antilles
   C. In North America
   D. In the Greater Antilles

3.   Florida is to the _____ of the island labeled 2.

     A.   North
     B.   North-west
     C.   North-east
     D.   South

4.   The body of water labeled **X** is the

     A.   Caribbean Sea
     B.   Pacific Ocean
     C.   Atlantic Ocean
     D.   Red Sea

5.   Why did the Caribs and Arawaks settle near the coastlines and along rivers?

     A.   They were mostly fishermen and farmers
     B.   They enjoyed looking at the sunsets
     C.   The mountains were too far away
     D.   They wanted to bathe in the river all day.

6.   The Amerindians who settled on our island lived in

     A.   caves
     B.   tree houses
     C.   skyscrapers
     D.   tents

PEOPLE

7.   Which of the following groups of countries speak the same language?

     A.   Dominica, Haiti and Puerto Rico
     B.   Aruba, Bonaire and Curacao
     C.   Jamaica, Martinique and Cuba
   D.   Trinidad, St. Kitts and Guadeloupe

Study the picture below and use it to answer questions 8 and 9
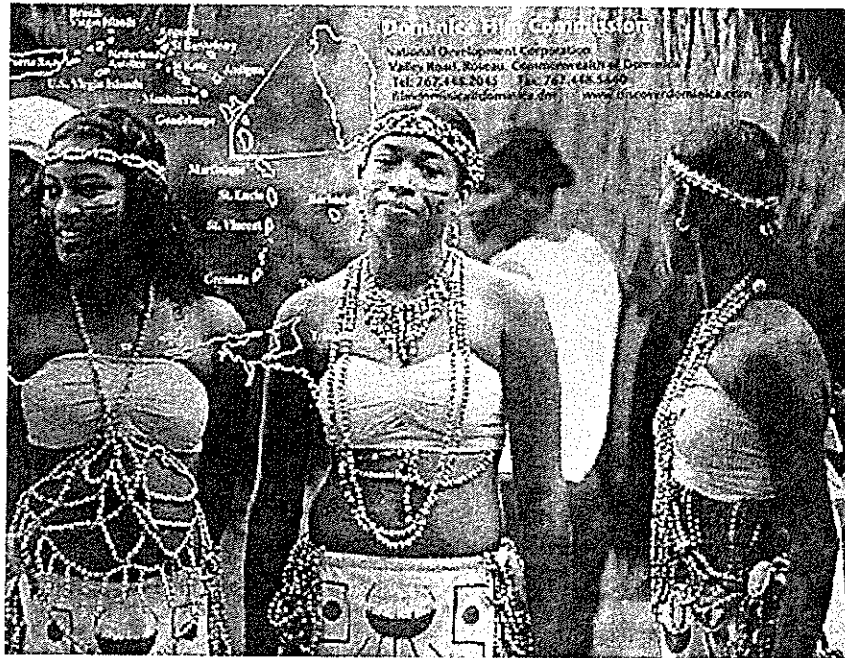
8.   The people shown in the photograph are descendants of which group?

   A.   African
   B.   American
   C.   European
   D.   Amerindian

9.   Where can people from this ethnic group most likely be found in Dominica?

   A.   Sineku
   B.   Portsmouth
   C.   Roseau
   D.   Boetica

10.   All of the following are true about the Africans **EXCEPT**

   A.   they influenced our Creole language.
   B.   they came to the Caribbean as slaves.
   C.   they were mostly taken from Africa.
   D.   they were responsible for killing the Amerindians.
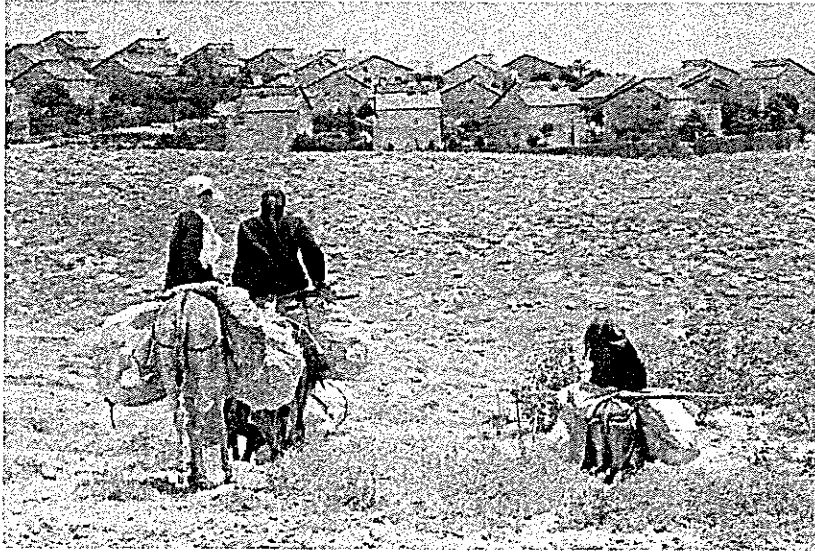
11.   What type of clothing do people living in this area wear?

A.   Thick, warm clothing
B.   Light, cotton clothing
C.   Dark, coloured clothing
D.   Warm, cotton clothing

12.   After the general elections in Dominica, what role will the leader of the party with the most seats take up?

A.   overnor
B.   Prime Minister
C.   President
D.   Mayor

13.   Which party won the 2009 General Elections in Dominica?

A.   United Workers Party
B.   Dominica Freedom party
C.   Dominica Labour Party
D.   People's Democratic Movement

14. Which of the following is a Caribbean organization?

    A.   F.A.O.
    B.   O.A.S.
    C.   U.N.I.C.E.F.
    D.   C.A.R.I.C.O.M.

15. Which of these organisations in Dominica is responsible for importing and exporting of local products?

    A.   DEXIA.
    B.   DHTA
    C.   PSU
    D.   DTA

16. Which of these is a political leader?

    A.   The chairman of DOMLEC's board of directors.
    B.   The coach of the National Football Team.
    C.   The President of Venezuela.
    D.   The president of your school's student council.

17. Who is the current Minister of Education of Dominica?

    A.   Hon. Roosevelt Skerritt
    B.   Hon. Petter Saint Jean
    C.   Hon. Justina Charles
    D.   Hon. Rayburn Blackmore

PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT

18. Which of the following is a feature of a tropical island?

    A.   snow
    B.   deserts
    C.   rainforests
    D.   glaciers

19. Which set of natural features can be found in Dominica?

A.   Swamps, plateaus, caves
B.   Waterfalls, coral reefs, forests
C.   Hotsprings, grasslands, tar pits
D.   Glaciers, icecapped mountains and deserts

Study the picture below and answer questions 20 and 21.

20.   What disaster is being displayed in the picture?

A.   Landslide
B.   Flood
C.   Tsunami
D.   Volcanic eruption

21.   Which of the following will most likely to lead to this disaster?

A.   earthquake
B.   hurricane
C.   landslide
D.   volcano

22.   In the Caribbean region, the hurricane season runs from

A.   January to June
B.   September to November
C.   January to December
D.   June to November

Study the picture below and answer questions 23 and 24.

23.   The picture above shows a/an

A.   Urban city
B.   Rural community
C.   Farming village
D.   Fish market

24.   Which of these communities in Dominica is most like the one in the picture?

A.   Vielle Case
B.   Roseau
C.   Castle Bruce
D.   Boetica

25.   Which is the best reason why most people in Dominica live near the coast?

A.   It is too cold elsewhere.
B.   The shops in the other parts are too small.
C.   There are too many forests in the other areas.
D.   There are more people along the coast.

CULTURE

Study the picture below and answer questions 26 and 27.
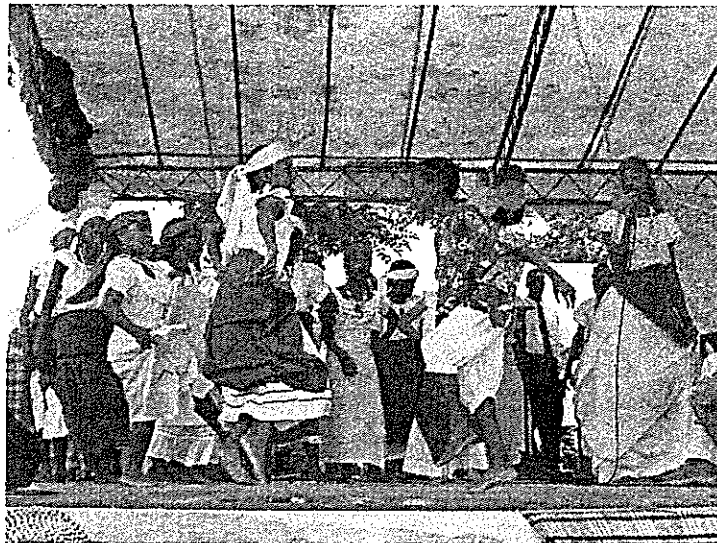

26.   What event is taking place in the picture?

A.   Independence celebrations
B.   Birthday party
C.   Carnival
D.   Christmas

27. Which of the following events usually occur around that time?

    A.   Calypso singing
    B.   Heel and toe polka dancing
    C.   Flower shows
    D.   World Creole Music Festival

28. Ajani's family wears turbans and long clothing. They celebrate Hosien festivals every year. From which group do you think his family comes?

    A.   Amerindians
    B.   Africans
    C.   Asians
    D.   Europeans

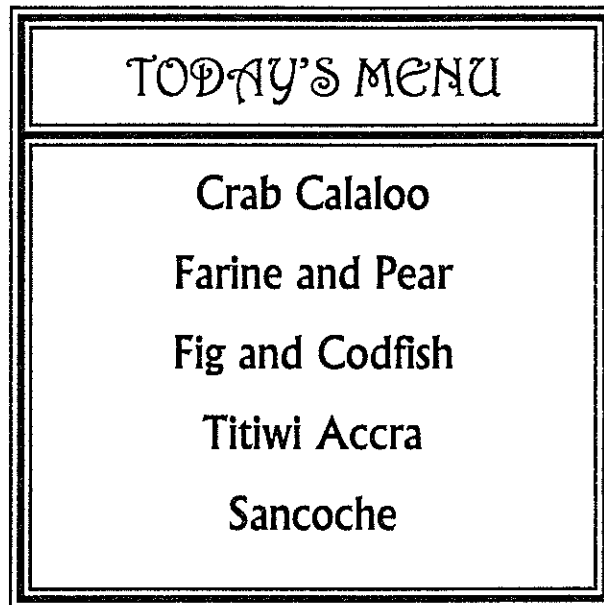**Use the picture below to answer questions 28 and 29.**

29. What event is taking place in the photo above?

    A.   Bèlè dancing
    B.   Hide and seek
    C.   Birthday party
    D.   Carnival

30. Which of the following would **NOT** be used in a local jing-ping band?

   A.   Gwaghe
   B.   Accordion
   C.   Boom-boom
   D.   Guitar

Use the menu below to answer question 30.

TODAY'S MENU

Crab Calaloo

Farine and Pear

Fig and Codfish

Titiwi Accra

Sancoche

31. During which time of the year would we most likely find the menu above at a restaurant?

   A.   Christmas
   B.   Creole Day
   C.   Easter
   D.   May Day

COMMUNICATION

32. Which of the following documents would a Dominican travelling to the America need?

    A.   A passport and visa
    B.   A driver's license and passport
    C.   A good ID card and a visa
    D.   A recent passport

    Use the picture below to answer question 33.

33. Which of the following is being depicted in the picture above?

    A.   A group of people waiting to vote
    B.   Carnival in the streets
    C.   A group of people protesting
    D.   A group of people supporting their leader.

34. In which section of a newspaper would a person find this article?

    A. Editorial
    B. Sports
    C. World news
    D. Classified ads.

ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

35. John is a civil servant. Which of these positions would John most likely hold?

    A. An insurance agent
    B. A cashier at Whitchurch supermarket
    C. A bar tender at a hotel
    D. A teacher at your school

36. Dominica sells soap to Trinidad and Jamaica and buys sugar from Barbados. Which islands are involved in exporting goods?

    A. Barbados and Jamaica
    B. Trinidad and Dominica
    C. Barbados and Dominca
    D. Trinidad and Jamaica

Use the picture below to answer questions 37 – 38.


37.   What type of trade are the people involved in?

A.   Illegal trade
B.   Local trade
C.   Regional trade
D.   Black market

38.   In which industry are the people who produce the items displayed on the stands involved?

A.   Primary
B.   Secondary
C.   Tertiary
D.   Primary and secondary.

39.   Narla travelled from Switzerland to Barbados to enjoy the white, sandy beaches. What kind of tourist is she?

A.   Eco tourist
B.   Regional tourist
C.   International tourist
D.   Domestic tourist

40. Which of the following could be a reason for a drop in tourist arrivals to Dominica?

    A.   The temperature is too hot in Dominica.
    B.   The crime rate is getting higher.
    C.   Tourists are too busy at work.
    D.   Tourists do not spend enough money when they come.

41. The building of new roads and tracks to get to attraction sites is an example of

    A.   Accessibility
    B.   Accommodation
    C.   Attraction
    D.   Amenities

42. As the number of tourist arrivals decline, which of the following is also expected to decline?

    A.   The number of cruise ships.
    B.   The number of hotels that were built.
    C.   The number of schools being built.
    D.   The number of hotel workers.

Photograph by Bill Brown

43. What type of tourist does this advertisement appeal to?

    A.   Eco-tourists
    B.   Business tourists
    C.   Cultural tourists
    D.   Sporting tourists

Use the picture below to answer question 44 and 45.
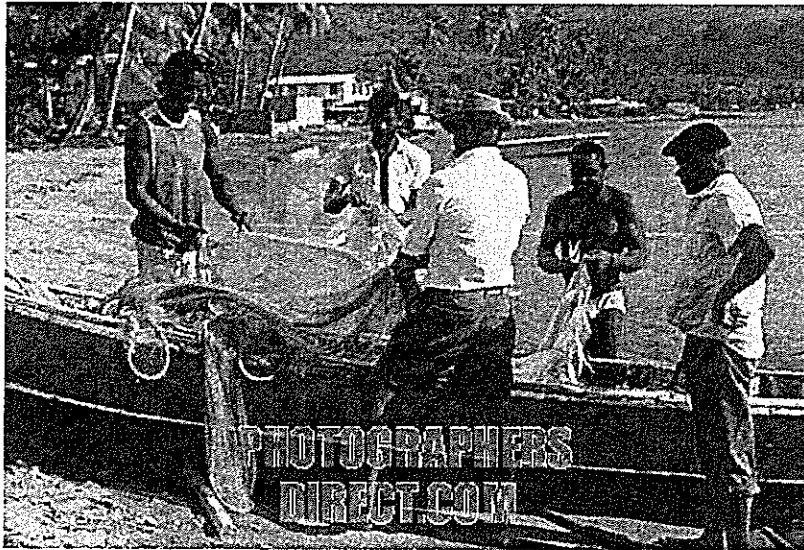
44. The workers in the picture provide

    A.   a service only
    B.   goods only
    C.   raw materials
    D.   goods and services

45. Which of the following occupations is **NOT** directly related to this activity?

    A.   net weaver
    B.   boat builder
    C.   vendor
    D.   banker

Use the picture below to answer question 46.

46. What occupation would the majority of the people living in the area above most likely be employed in?

   A.   Farming
   B.   Banking
   C.   Fishing
   D.   Mining

DRUGS

47. Which group of people must work together to stop the importation of drugs?

   A.   Customs and police
   B.   Security guards and judges
   C.   Businessmen and social workers
   D.   Ministers and teachers

48. Which of the following is a social problem caused by the use and abuse of drugs?

   A.   Formation of youth groups
   B.   Gang violence
   C.   Pollution
   D.   Caring for the elderly

49. What is the best advice to give to a friend who just found some marijuana in the gardens?

    A.   Let's sell it and save the money for rainy days.
    B.   Let's try it and see what the "high" is all about.
    C.   Let's take it to the police. They will get rid of it.
    D.   Let's sell it and get some Christmas gifts.

Use the picture below to answer question 50.

50. What message is being sent by the picture?

    A.   To get high you need some money!
    B.   You need time to get high!
    C.   If you get high you will be arrested!
    D.   Stay away from drugs!

End of Test!

Do not forget to write your candidate number on your answer sheet!