

SOCIAL STUDIES/VCCE

STANDARD 4

TERM 2

Section I- Multiple Choice Items

Answer ALL questions in this section by selecting the correct answer.

1. Which national holiday is celebrated on the 24th September?

- A. Phagwa
- B. Independence Day
- C. Republic Day
- D. Diwali



2. Which of the following is an example of being disrespectful?

- A. Saying good morning to your teacher
- B. waiting for your turn in a line
- C. leaving your class without permission
- D. saying sorry if you accidentally walk into someone

3. Which of the following is a **communicable disease**?

- A. Cancer
- B. Kidney infection
- C. Covid19
- D. heart disease

4. Which of the following is a **disadvantage** of modern technology?

- A. It saves us time
- B. We can make friends all over the world via the internet
- C. Cyber bullying
- D. We can shop online

5. The picture on the right most likely shows

- A. the correct way to clap
- B. the correct way to wash your hands
- C. how to save water
- D. parts of the body



6. The teacher awarded Luke a high mark for a project he borrowed. As Luke's best friend, what should you tell him?

- (A) Ask him to make a copy for you
- (B) Be proud of his achievement
- (C) Remain quiet and not say a word
- (D) Tell him to tell the teacher the truth

7. Your sister got married recently and you would like to send the pictures to your relatives in Canada as quickly and cheaply as possible. You can do this by:

- a. Courier
- b. Posting
- c. Telegram
- d. Emailing

8. All the following are forms of technology except:

- a. using the internet
- b. using a desktop
- c. sending WhatsApp messages
- d. playing football



9. What is one likely **disadvantage** of the rise in use of technology?

- a. More skilled technicians
- b. Less participation in outdoor activities
- c. More students becoming computer literate
- d. Communication is faster and easier

10. Which of the following is not an example of print media

- a. Newspaper
- b. Flyers
- c. Brochures
- d. Advertisement on TV

11. Every child in Trinidad and Tobago has the right to an education. Your responsibility as a pupil is to :

- a. Engage in a hobby
- b. Make friends
- c. Learn to the best of your ability
- d. Play games and relax

12. Garbage is near a children's play-park. Responsible citizens in this community would:

- a. Complain to their friends about the garbage
- b. Throw more garbage there
- c. Get together to clear the area
- d. Call the police and complain.

13. Why do people migrate to another country?

- a. Better job opportunities
- b. War in their home country
- c. Better education opportunities abroad
- d. All of the above

14. Which of the following NOT a form of instant communication

- a. Telephone call
- b. Mailing a letter
- c) WhatsApp message
- d) Email

15. Which of the following is also called the 'Greatest Show on Earth'

- a. Phagwa
- b. Carnival
- c. Eid – ul – Fitr
- d. Labour day

16. Carnival was introduced by:

- a. The English
- b. The French
- c. The Amerindians
- d. The Spanish

17. Carnival 2021 was cancelled because of:

- a. The spread of the Covid19 Virus in Trinidad and Tobago
- b. The Government not having enough money
- c. The bad behaviour of masqueraders.
- d. Tourists could not travel to Trinidad and Tobago this year

18. The Covid19 Virus is considered a communicable disease because:

- a. It originated in China
- b. It caused a pandemic
- c. It can spread easily from one person to another
- d. Many persons around the world have died because of it.

19. Puberty is the time when a person changes from a child into ____

- a. person
- b. an adult
- c. a woman
- d. a man

20. Sometimes people have pimples during puberty. This is normally caused by ____.

- a. catching a virus
- b. worrying too much about things
- c. getting too much sun
- d. a natural increase in the skin's oils

21. When people reach puberty, they need to take showers and wash their hair more often than when they were young children because ____.

- a. they get dirtier than young children
- b. they perspire more than young children
- c. they need to use up extra energy
- d. showers help you grow faster

22. Girls usually reach puberty a little (earlier / later) than boys.

23. By the end of puberty, boys usually end up a little ____ than girls.

- a) shorter
- b) faster
- c) taller
- d) slower

SECTION 2: Choose true / false for the following questions

24. Newspapers are a form of mass media. (true / false)

25. The Spanish speaking immigrants who recently came to Trinidad came from Spain. (true / false)

26. Emigration is when people come into your country. (true / false)

27. The main purpose of most advertisements is to get you to buy their products and services. (true/false)

28. A boy's hips get wider during puberty. (true / false)

29. Hair grows under the armpits of both boys and girls during puberty. (true / false)

30. The media always reports the truth to the public. (true / false)