

## Grade Eight Social Studies Model Exam Preparation

### Worksheet Four

Choose the correct answer from the given choices for the following questions.

- One of the following is a supply problem
  - Black marketing
  - Hoarding
  - Profiteering
  - all
- ..... introduced a fixed tithe than undefined agricultural taxes
  - Menelik II
  - Derg
  - Haile Selassie
  - None
- Resources that can be generated again.....
  - Renewable
  - Man made
  - Non renewable
  - none
- ..... resources are resources that are naturally available on earth
  - Coal
  - Iron
  - Uranium
  - All
- The following are among the land features formed due to wind erosion and deposition except.....
  - Loess deposit
  - Delta
  - Barchans
  - sand dune
- Which major outlet was served next to Djibouti for import and export trade during 20<sup>th</sup> century long distance?

- a. Zeila
  - b. Gambella
  - c. Berbera
  - d. Assab
7. The following towns came into existence with the completion of Ethio- Djibouti railway except.....
- a. Addis Ababa
  - b. Nazareth/Adama
  - c. Mojo
  - d. Dire Dawa
8. Who was assigned to be head of the provisional government of Ethiopia after emperor Haileselassie left the country to Europe?
- a. Abraha Deboch
  - b. Dejjazmach Hailemariam Gari
  - c. Ras Imiru Haileselasse
  - d. Ras Kassa
9. The last major counter offensive battle fought in the northern front during the second Italian aggression was
- a. Battle of Temben
  - b. Battle of Shire
  - c. Battle of Amba Aradom
  - d. Battle of Maichew
10. Which of the following is correct about air pressure except.....
- a. Air pressure is measured with Barometer
  - b. Air pressure is uniform across the plane
  - c. Air has weight
  - d. Pressure decreases with the increase of altitude
11. What was the main reason for Mussolini to replace De Bono with Marshal Pietro Badoglio in the northern front
- a. Dissatisfied by De Bono's slow advance
  - b. Assigned for another duty

- c. He was collaborated with Ethiopians
  - d. All of the above
12. The foundations of the following countries were direct results of the abolition of slavery and slave trade
- a. Ghana and Togo
  - b. Congo and Benin
  - c. Liberia and Sierra Leon
  - d. Angola and Nigeria
13. Which of the following is the immediate cause of World War II ?
- a. The Assassination of Austrian crown prince
  - b. Italy's Invasion of Ethiopia
  - c. Germany's invasion of Poland
  - d. The Assassination of Abraham Lincoln by J.Wilkbruce
14. What was the main cause for the entrance of the US into the WWII ?
- a. Germany's invasion of Poland
  - b. Germany's invasion of France
  - c. The Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor
  - d. The Invasion of Manchuria by Japan
15. Which of the following is different from others ?
- a. Altitude
  - b. Rainfall
  - c. Wind
  - d. temperature
16. The coldest of all the layers of the atmosphere is :
- a. Mesosphere
  - b. Thermosphere
  - c. Troposphere
  - d. Stratosphere
17. Which one of the following is not a control of climate and weather ?
- a. Latitude
  - b. Longitude
  - c. Altitude
  - d. Cloud cover

18. The proportion between all monthly mean temperature to the number of months in the year gives.....
- a. Annual mean temperature
  - b. Annual range temperature
  - c. Mean monthly temperature
  - d. Daily mean temperature
19. Which of the following is true about the Hewett Treat of 3 June 1884?
- a. Is caused enmity between Ethiopian and Mahdist Sudan
  - b. It helped in strengthening independence of the country Ethiopian independence
  - c. It was signed between Ethiopian and Mahdist Sudan
  - d. It enabled Ethiopia to regain the port of Massawa
20. Pressure is measured by an instrument called.....
- a. Thermometer
  - b. Anemometer
  - c. Rain gauge
  - d. Barometer
21. Maqdala was to Tewodros II as ..... was to Yohannes IV
- a. Matama
  - b. Dogali
  - c. Kufit
  - d. Gura
22. Which of the following regional rulers was not defeted by Kassa, later called Tewodros II
- a. Ras Ali of Begemidir
  - b. Dajazmach Wube of Simen and Tigray
  - c. Negus SahileSeliassie of Shewa
  - d. Dejazmach Goshu of Gojjam
23. The ruler of Egypt in the time of Yohanes IV was.....
- a. Mohammed Ali
  - b. Mohammed Said
  - Khedive Ismail
  - Hosni Mubarak
24. Which geographical feature that forms when rock layers bend upwards ?
- a. Anticline
  - b. Fluting
  - c. monocline
  - d. Syncline

25. Which agro climate zone of Ethiopia is globally known as Temperate?
- b. Kola                      b. Wurch                      c. Dega                      d. Qolla
26. Which of the following is correct about Dormant Volcano ?
- a. They may erupt the future
- b. They are likely to erupt again
- c. Another name is dead volcano
- d. Not expected erupt the future
27. Which of the following is correctly matched ?
- a. Air pressure , Barometer
- b. Temperature, Anemometer
- c. Earthquake, Seismometer
- d. Rain fall, Anemometer
28. During the summer season of the northern hemisphere, Ethiopia experience
- a. The Bega season
- b. The rainy season
- c. Winter season
- d. Dry season
29. Obtained by the difference between the maximum and minimum temperatures in a day.  
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- a. Monthly average temperature
- b. Daily range of temperature
- c. Monthly average temperature
- d. Annual mean temperature
30. Which one is correct about Troposphere ?
- a. It is coldest layer of atmosphere

- b. It extends as far 1000 km above the surface
  - c. It is the lower portion of atmosphere
  - d. Direct relation between temperature
31. Which trade activity involves the selling of goods large quantity?
- a. Enter pot trade
  - b. Retail trade
  - c. Whole sale trade
  - d. Import trade
32. Which one is socially formed group of individuals with similar skin color, facial features and height ?
- a. Language
  - b. Religion
  - c. Human race
  - d. Multicultural
33. The first tax system was introduced by Emperor .....
- a. Hileslassi I
  - b. Tewodros II
  - c. Menelik II
  - d. Zerayakob
34. All of the following are Sematic Language Except.
- a. Afargna
  - b. Ge,ez
  - c. Amharic
  - d. Guragigna
35. Which one of the following refers to primary economic activities classified as primary economy ?
- a. Producing final goods
  - b. Provision of service
  - c. Processing raw material
  - d. Extraction of resource
36. Which one of the following economic activities classified as a tertiary economic activities ?
- a. Agriculture
  - b. Transportation
  - c. Construction
  - d. Mining

37. The science and practice of farming for local or commercial use is.....
- a. Agriculture
  - b. Fishing
  - c. Manufacture
  - d. Transportation
38. Who was the Portugal sailor to search all water routes around Africa to East ?
- a. Bartholomew Diaz
  - b. Christopher Columbus
  - c. Vasco da Gama
  - d. a and c
39. The religious movement that led to separation of Protestants from the catholic church was .....
- a. Reformation
  - b. Renaissance
  - c. The council of Trent
  - d. Counter reformation
40. The monastic order of Society of Jesus was founded by
- a. Martin Luther
  - b. Michelangelo
  - c. Leonardo da Vinci
  - d. Ignatius Loyala
41. Was an English man is often considered as the greatest poet and playwright of all time:
- a. Nicola Machiavelli
  - b. Leonardo De Vinci
  - c. Johannes Gutenberg
  - d. William Shakespeare
42. Which one is describes the first industrial revolution activities ?
- a. Use of electricity and Petroleum as source of power
  - b. Use of steam and coal as source of power
  - c. Mankind has entered the space age

- d. Invention of faster and newer means of transportation
43. Which one of the following marks the social consequences of industrial revolution?
- a. Explanation of world trade activities
  - b. Decline of landed aristocracy
  - c. Development and growth of cities
  - d. Explanation of factory
44. Which of the following country was the member of triple entente during first world war ?
- a. German
  - b. Austrian Hungary
  - c. France
  - d. Italy
45. What was the immediate cause of first world war ?
- a. German troops invaded Poland
  - b. The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand
  - c. Nationalism, Imperialism, Militarism
  - d. The formation of the Alliance system
46. On August 6 and 9, 1945, the USA dropped two Atomic bombs two Japanese cities were respectively
- a. Nagasaki and Hiroshima
  - b. Hiroshima and Nagasaki
  - c. Hiroshima and Tokyo
  - d. Nagasaki and Tokyo
47. Germany declared war on ..... In August 1, 1914 and on ..... In August 3, 1914 respectively
- a. Poland and England
  - b. Italy and France
  - c. Russia and France
  - d. Austro Hungary and Serbian

48. Russian president Michal Gorbachove promised to improve living standards of the people and industrial efficiency of Russia a policy called .....
- a. NATO
  - b. rest-Litovsk
  - c. Glasnost
  - d. Versailles
49. Which countries were the first actors of slave trade in Africa ?
- a. Britian and France
  - b. Portuguese and Spain
  - c. Caribbean countries
  - d. Africans and Americans
50. Why do European choose Africans for slavery ?
- a. They do not develop a certain level of immunity to tropical diseases
  - b. They were unfamiliar European diseases
  - c. They quickly died of the harsh treatments
  - d. They have experience in metal working and agriculture
51. Which of the following was the political factor that led to abolition of slave trade ?
- a. American war of independence against Britian
  - b. Africans had to make the best of their ability and resisted enslavement
  - c. European manufacturers found that cheap wage labor
  - d. European were seeking market began to regard African as the source of raw materials
52. Among the following one is not the objective of OAU
- a. Promote unity and solidarity
  - b. Territorial integrity of member states
  - c. Create barriers to the flow of market between member states
  - d. Promote international cooperation with in UN frame work
53. Which of the following is true about colonialism in Africa?
- a. All African countries were colonized

- b. The system of administration was democratic
  - c. Ethiopia and Liberia were independent
  - d. African Religious and traditional forms supported by colonial powers
54. The first president of Ghana after independence was:
- a. Jomo Kenyata
  - b. Augustino Neto
  - c. Samora Michel's
  - d. Kwame Nkrumab
55. The treaty that was signed between Emperor Menlik II of Ethiopia and Pietro Antoneli of Italy on may 2, 1889 was :
- a. Hewet treaty
  - b. Wuchale treaty
  - c. Addis Ababa treaty
  - d. Dogali treaty
56. The first bank of Ethiopian was known as .....
- a. Commercial Bank of Ethiopia
  - b. Zemen bank of Ethiopia
  - c. Construction Bank of Ethiopia
  - d. Bank of Abyssinia
57. In 1875 and 1876 by which battle emperor Yohannes defeated the Egyptians force
- a. Battle of Gundat and Gura
  - b. Battle of Leche
  - c. Battle of Embabo
  - d. Battle of Assam
58. Emperor Tewodros II established on arms manufacturing at :
- a. Mekdela
  - b. Metema
  - c. Gafat
  - d. Tolay

59. On July 11, 1871 Kassa Mercha defeated Tekla Giyorgis at the battle of ..... ?

- a. Daraseg
- b. Guramba
- c. Assam
- d. Ayshal

60. Which one of the following is wrongly combined ?

- a. Dejjach Goshu – Battle of Guramba
- b. Dajjach Liban AMade and Amade Bashir – Battle of Assam
- c. Ras Ali – Battle of Ayshal
- d. Dejjach Wube --- Battle of Gorgora Bichen