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Primary Social Studies Quiz Grade 5 (Theme 2)

Read all questions carefully. Select the option that best answers each question.

1) Which of the following is **NOT** a responsibility that the government took on in 1973? Ensuring that all Bahamians:

- can earn a living
- enjoy freedom
- enjoy free food
- enjoy safety

2) Which of the following is a sign of a strong economy?

- A country with full employment
- A country with little employment
- Many persons in a country without jobs
- Many persons who are looking for employment in a country

3) How does a government of a country get money to provide better services?

- Employ more persons
- Terminate more persons
- Charge taxes
- Plant crops

4) Which of the following is **NOT** a service that the government provides?

- Schools
- Healthcare
- Church services
- Water and electricity

5) Which island provided water to New Providence until December 2011?

- Abaco
- Andros
- Eleuthera
- Acklins

6) Which bank located in Washinton D.C, lends money to governments for development?

- Caribbean Development Bank
- Federal Bank
- British American Bank
- World Bank

7) Which Organization below, helps with training and the development of agricultural facilities?

- Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)
- Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
- Healthy Food for All (HFA)
- Government Food Agency (GFA)

8) The outer limit of a country is called its_____.

- Terrestrial grounds
- Outer Terrain
- Territorial boundary
- Outer Region

9) Which law enforcement agency patrols the waters of The Bahamas?

- Defense Force Officers
- Customs Officers
- Prison Officers
- Royal Guards

10) People who fish illegally in another country's waters are called___?

- Smugglers
- Poachers
- Tourists
- Apprehenders

11) Bringing things into a country without permission is called_____.

- Deporting
- Intercepting
- Smuggling
- Poaching

12.A radar is an instrument used to detect boats and planes. On which two islands can you find radar balloons 450 meters in the air?

- Bimini and San Salvador
- Eleuthera and Long Island
- Acklins and Rum Cay
- Grand Bahama and Exuma

13. Which country has the largest number of immigrants coming to The Bahamas?

- Haiti
- Jamaica
- USA
- Guyana

14. When does hurricane season start and end?

- July 1st to December 31st
- January 1st to May 31st
- June 1st to November 30th
- May 1st to October 31st

15. Which scientist below studies weather patterns?

- Paleontologists
- Archeologists
- Biologists
- Meteorologists

16. What does a **hurricane watch** mean?

- Hurricane conditions are expected within 36 hours.
- Hurricane conditions are expected within 24 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect an area in 60 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect an area in 72 hours.

17. What does a **hurricane alert** mean?

- Hurricane conditions are expected withing 36 hours.
- Hurricane conditions are expected within 24 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect and area in 60 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect an area in 72 hours.

18. What does a **hurricane warning** mean?

- Hurricane conditions are expected withing 36 hours.
- Hurricane conditions are expected within 24 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect and area in 60 hours.
- Hurricane conditions may affect an area in 72 hours.

19. Which country is The Bahamas' number one trading partner?

- Jamaica
- Haiti
- USA
- Canada

20. Select **TWO** of the most important services The Bahamas has.

- Farming
- Banking
- Tourism
- Fishing

21. The buying and selling of goods is called?

- Trade
- Export
- Import
- Service

22. Something one does for another person is called?

- Import
- Export
- Trade
- Service

23. Items brought into another country is called?

- Import
- Export
- Trade
- Service

24. When goods are sent abroad especially for sale into another country, this is called?

- Import
- Export
- Trade
- Service

25. Higher education is education after secondary school.

- True
- False

26. Higher education helps persons to get better jobs.

- True
- False

27. Adults over 20 years old are no longer able to receive higher education.

- True
- False

28. Which of the following is an institution where MOST Bahamians receive higher education?

- University of the West Indies
- University of The Bahamas
- Harvard University
- Oxford University

29. Which of the following is **NOT** a necessary step toward higher education?

- Spend most of your free time watching television.
- Develop good study habits.
- Do well in primary school.
- Read many books.

30. What does **CARICOM** Stand for?

- Caribbean Countries and Commerce
- Caribbean Community and Common Market
- Caribbean Countries Coming Together
- Caribbean Countries Corporation

31. Which of the following is **NOT** an aim of **CARICOM**?

- To encourage free trade between member countries
- To cooperate in economic development
- To coordinate in foreign policies
- To provide quality entertainment for all member countries

32. Which of the following is responsible for the daily running of **CARICOM**?

- Councils of Ministers
- The Secretariat
- Common Market of Ministers
- Conference of Heads of Government

33. Which of the following organizations, located in Barbados, promotes Caribbean countries worldwide and encourages tourists to visit the member states?

- Caribbean Show of Member States (CSMS)
- Caribbean Trade Shows Organization (CTSO)
- Caribbean Tourism Organization (CTO)
- Caribbean Industrial Association (CIA)

34. The Commonwealth of Nations were once all a part of the French Empire.

- True
- False

35. The Commonwealth of Nations works for equal rights and world peace.

- True
- False

36. The Bahamas is in which division of the Commonwealth of Nations?

- Pacific
- Africa
- Americas
- Asia

37. Who is the current head of the Commonwealth?

- Queen Elizabeth II
- Prince Harry
- Queen Victoria II
- Prince William I

38. Why was the Commonwealth Secretariat set up?

- To supply information to member states
- Arrange student travel from one country to another
- Coordinate activities
- All of the above

39. When is Commonwealth Day celebrated?

- Every second Monday in March
- Every first Monday in March
- Every Second Monday in April
- Every Third Monday in June

40. On which continent can Disney land be found?

- South America
- Asia
- Africa
- North America

41. Which of the following is **NOT** a Disney theme park?

- Epcot
- 6 Flags and Beyond
- Magic Kingdom
- Animal Kingdom

42. Where can Disney World be found?

- Tampa, Florida
- Miami, Florida
- Orlando, Florida
- Fort Lauderdale, Florida

43. Which of the following is a document giving permission for a person to travel to another country?

- Passport
- Certificate of Identity
- License
- Visa

44. The only way to get to Disney World from The Bahamas is by plane.

- True
- False

45. At security check points, travelers are checked for weapons and illegal drugs.

- True
- False

46. Many persons also do lots of shopping when they travel to Disney World.

- True
- false