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**02**

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

**Time: 1:30 Hours**

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**Instructions**

1. This paper consists of **fifty (50)** questions in sections A, B, C and D.
2. Answer **all** the questions.
3. Read all the given instructions in the **special answer sheet (OMR)** and fill in **all** the needed information.
4. Write your **Examination Number** and then **shade the digits** of the number in the respective place in your answer sheet.
5. **Shade** the letter of the correct answer for each question in the answer sheet provided, for example, if the correct answer is A shade as follows:



6. If you have to change your answer, you must rub out the shading **very neatly** before shading the new one. Use a **clean rubber**.
7. Use **HB pencil** only.
8. Cellular phones are **not allowed** in the examination room.

## SECTION A: GRAMMAR

Choose the words that complete the sentences by **shading the letters** of the correct answer in the answer sheet provided.

1. Mr. Kazi \_\_\_\_\_ his house in 1947.  
A builds                                  B was built                                  C is building  
D built                                      E has built
2. Juayote \_\_\_\_\_ reading a book now.  
A have                                  B is                                  C were                                  D had                                  E was
3. Chanjagaa \_\_\_\_\_ go to buy water melons yesterday.  
A didn't                                  B don't                                  C do                                  D doesn't                                  E does
4. They are going to town, \_\_\_\_\_  
A are they?                                  B are they.                                  C aren't they.  
D aren't they?                                  E weren't they?
5. The whole class was excited because \_\_\_\_\_ had passed the examination.  
A us                                  B him                                  C they                                  D her                                  E them
6. This dog is healthy because it \_\_\_\_\_ good food.  
A cat                                  B ate                                  C eating                                  D eaten                                  E eats
7. Mrs. Luka said that she \_\_\_\_\_ come back the following day.  
A would                                  B was                                  C had                                  D shall                                  E has
8. Omi and Mputa \_\_\_\_\_ while the teacher was teaching.  
A laugh                                  B was laughing                                  C were laughing  
D laughs                                  E have laughed
9. They \_\_\_\_\_ to harvest crops next month.  
A have gone                                  B will go                                  C is going                                  D has gone                                  E are gone
10. I found Jane \_\_\_\_\_ bread at the bakery.  
A boiling                                  B cooking                                  C roasting                                  D frying                                  E baking
11. \_\_\_\_\_ house is this?  
A Whose                                  B Whom                                  C Who                                  D Why                                  E Where
12. Is there \_\_\_\_\_ orange juice left?  
A a                                  B few                                  C many                                  D any                                  E most
13. The teacher put all his books \_\_\_\_\_ the table.  
A in                                  B on                                  C at                                  D to                                  E of
14. Hey, Anne, what are you looking \_\_\_\_\_?  
A to                                  B in                                  C for                                  D on                                  E into

15. This book is yours but the blue one is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A mine            B your            C my            D me            E their
16. She was not familiar \_\_\_\_\_ the school.  
 A by            B with            C at            D in            E on
17. This is my mother's house \_\_\_\_\_ she built it herself.  
 A although            B who            C where  
 D because            E even if
18. I have been teaching in this school \_\_\_\_\_ 1970.  
 A for            B since            C unless            D about            E on
19. Peter and Paul are good friends. They always sit \_\_\_\_\_ each other.  
 A besides            B between            C beside            D before            E behind
20. He neither cooked his food \_\_\_\_\_ cleaned his room.  
 A also            B only            C but            D or            E nor
21. To \_\_\_\_\_ does this dictionary belong?  
 A what            B that            C who            D whom            E whose
22. I have talked to my teachers \_\_\_\_\_ one hour.  
 A since            B for            C by            D on            E at
23. John's behavior is different \_\_\_\_\_ his father.  
 A from            B with            C than            D as            E to
24. \_\_\_\_\_ Jitihada is always late for class, he is going to pass the examination.  
 A In spite            B But            C Despite            D Even            E Although
25. Masanja is \_\_\_\_\_ than Mayala.  
 A tall            B the tallest            C taller  
 D tallest            E most taller
26. You can \_\_\_\_\_ read or write on the blackboard.  
 A neither            B either            C and            D nor            E or
27. We have known him \_\_\_\_\_ 1995.  
 A for            B since            C by            D at            E in
28. Jane was told to do the work by \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A ourselves            B himself            C herself  
 D her own            E themselves
29. Juma was so tired \_\_\_\_\_ he had to go for a rest.  
 A that            B such            C for            D although            E enough
30. Samson is not only intelligent \_\_\_\_\_ obedient to his teacher.  
 A but            B but also            C and also            D and            E also

## SECTION B: VOCABULARY

For each of the following questions, choose the correct answer and **shade its letter** in the answer sheet provided.

31. Your uncle's wife is your \_\_\_\_\_.  
A nephew      B aunt      C cousin      D niece      E mother
32. A building along the roadside where motorists pay to stay in and have meals is a \_\_\_\_\_.  
A motel      B restaurant      C hotelier      D canteen      E hotel
33. The opposite of the word "expensive" is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A cheap      B sheep      C sheap      D chip      E ship
34. A person who mends shoes is a \_\_\_\_\_.  
A cobra      B barber      C cobber  
D cobbler      E shoe shiner
35. A group of buffaloes or cattle is called \_\_\_\_\_.  
A a flock      B a horde      C a gang      D a hedge      E a herd
36. Another meaning for the word "purchase" is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A sell      B buy      C selling      D exchange      E export

## SECTION C: COMPOSITION

This section has four mixed sentences. Arrange the sentences so as to make a good composition by giving them letters A-D. **Shade the letter** of the correct answer in your answer sheet.

37. When Mrs. Daudi came back from work, she did not find the meat.
38. One day, Mrs. Daudi put some meat in the cupboard and left for work.
39. From that day the cat was chased away.
40. Her cat opened the cupboard and ate the meat.

## SECTION D: COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage carefully and then answer the questions that follow by **shading the letter** of the correct answer in your answer sheet.

Tourism is a type of business. Both developed and undeveloped countries use this business as a source of income. These countries have tourist attractions such as wild animals, high mountains, attractive beaches, rivers and lakes. Tourists spend money on food, accommodation, transport and many other things. In this way a country which is visited by many tourists can make a lot of money.

Tanzania is one of those countries which are visited by tourists every year. She gets a lot of money from attracting tourists. The tourists pay visits to National parks such as Ngorongoro, Serengeti, Manyara and Mikumi. Some wild animals found in those parks are lions, elephants, tigers, antelopes, hippopotamus, buffaloes, zebras and baboons. The tourists can also take photos and buy books containing information about wild life.

Apart from visiting National parks, tourists also climb Mount Kilimanjaro which is a snow-capped mountain. This is the highest mountain in Africa with a height of over five thousand meters above sea level. Mountain climbers are helped by guides and porters. Tourists pay the guides and porters. Most tourists enjoy staying in Tanzania because of the tourist attractions which she has.

41. What is the source of income in many countries?  
A Animals                                      B Accommodation                                      C Transport  
D Photos                                      E Tourism.
42. A person who travels for the purpose of visiting another place for pleasure is a \_\_\_\_\_.  
A potter                      B tourist                      C guide                      D guard                      E native
43. According to the passage, where is tourism conducted?  
A Developed countries                                      B Developing countries  
C Developing and developed countries                                      D Many countries  
E Tropical countries.
44. Who pays the porters?  
A Tanzania                      B Tourism                      C Animals                      D Tourists                      E Guides.
45. The opposite of the word "income" is \_\_\_\_\_.  
A expensive                                      B experience                                      C outcome  
D expense                                      E expenditure
46. What else do tourists do apart from visiting National parks in Tanzania?  
A Buy clothes                                      B Climb the mountain                                      C Stay in Tanzania  
D Open business                                      E Visit lakes.
47. Tourists' money is spent on which of the following items?  
A Food, accommodation and transport                                      B Food, clothes and photos  
C Transport and shopping                                      D Accommodation and clothes  
E Buying animals.

48. According to the passage, which are the animals found in the national parks?
- A Lions, elephants and hyena                      B Tigers, buffaloes and peacocks  
C Lions, impala and antelopes                      D Lions, elephants and baboons  
E Zebras, tigers and wild pigs.
49. How high is the highest mountain in Africa?
- A Over five hundred kilometers                      B About five thousand meters  
C Over five thousand meters                      D Over five thousand kilometers  
E About five thousand centimeter.
50. What does the pronoun “She” stands for in this passage?
- A A girl                      B A woman                      C A mountain  
D A tourist                      E A country.