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ORDINARY LEVEL

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MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTION PAPER

One and a half hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Read the following instructions carefully before you start answering the questions in this paper. Make sure you have a soft HB pencil and an eraser for this examination.

1. USE AN HB PENCIL THROUGHOUT THE EXAMINATION.
2. DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.

Before the examination begins:

3. Check that this question booklet is headed "Ordinary Level - 0562 Citizenship Education 1".
4. Fill in the information required in the spaces above.
5. Fill in the information required in the spaces provided on the answer sheet using your HB pencil:
Candidate Name, Exam Session, Subject Code and Candidate Identification Number.
Take care that you do not crease or fold the answer sheet or make any marks on it other than those asked for in these instructions.

How to answer the questions in this examination

6. Answer ALL questions in this examination. All questions carry equal marks.
7. Each question has FOUR suggested answers: A, B, C and D. Decide on which answer is correct. Find the number of the question on the Answer Sheet and draw a horizontal line across the letter to join the square brackets for the answer you have chosen.
For example, if C is your correct answer, mark C as shown below:
[A] [B] [C] [D]
8. Mark only one answer for each question. If you mark more than one answer, you will score a zero for that question. If you change your mind about an answer, erase the first mark carefully and then mark your new answer.
9. Avoid spending too much time on any one question. If you find a question difficult, move on to the next question. You can come back to this question later.
10. Do all your rough work in this booklet using the blank spaces in the question booklet.
11. At the end of the examination, the invigilator shall collect the answer sheet first and then the question booklet. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO LEAVE THE EXAMINATION HALL WITH IT.

1. Citizenship can be defined as:
 A entitlement to civil liberties and fundamental freedoms.
 B relationship between the individual and the State.
 C the sense of belonging to a given community or country.
 D the love for and the pride of belonging to one's fatherland.
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2. A non-Cameroonian can obtain Cameroonian Citizenship through:
 A Naturalization
 B Nationalization
 C Emigration
 D Immigration
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3. A permanent seat of domestic life which paves the way for the acquisition of moral and cultural values is ...
 A a Shrine
 B the Home
 C the Chief's Palace
 D the Market
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4. John's father is my father's brother. Who then is John to me?
 A Nephew
 B Half-brother
 C Uncle
 D Cousin
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5. The best way of ensuring family protection is by ...
 A encouraging the formation of prayer groups.
 B involving children in petty trade.
 C discouraging stealing, gossip etc.
 D encouraging love for one another.
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6. All road users are expected to have a:
 A Driving License.
 B mastery of street lights.
 C mastery of the high way code.
 D National Identity Card.
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7. Which service is responsible for students career orientation within the School milieu?
 A The office of Senior Discipline Master
 B The office of the Guidance Counselor
 C The office of the Vice Principal
 D The office of the Principal
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8. One of the most attractive extra-curricular activities for students in our Secondary Schools is ...
 A traditional dances.
 B end of term socials.
 C choral competitions.
 D clearing individual portions.
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9. The following are social ills common within the School environment except:
 A gossiping.
 B fighting.
 C drunkenness.
 D cheating in examinations.
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10. Which of the following does not characterize Village life in Cameroon?
 A Hospitality
 B Witchcraft
 C Solidarity
 D Individualism
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11. Inter-village relationship can be encouraged by all of the following except:
 A exchange of gifts.
 B land-grabbing.
 C cultural festivities.
 D inter-village marriages.
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12. Citizens participate in Local Council activities because they want ...
 A development.
 B to elect their mayor.
 C to audit Council accounts.
 D to approve the Council budget.
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13. Human activities contribute to environmental degradation through:
 A intensive use of solar energy.
 B industrial expansion.
 C recycling domestic waste.
 D wind erosion.
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14. An important manifestation of environmental degradation is ...
 A water pollution and scarcity.
 B atmospheric changes.
 C presence of biodiversity.
 D solid and hazardous waste.

15. Which of the following is an important form of environmental protection?
 A Planting of trees
 B Felling of trees
 C Burning of plastics
 D Clearing and burning of grass
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16. The Administrative unit controlled and supervised by a Divisional Officer is a ...
 A Region.
 B Division.
 C Sub-Division.
 D Council.
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17. The State Official who represents the Head of State in a Region is called a ...
 A Government Delegate.
 B Senior Divisional Officer.
 C Governor.
 D Divisional Officer.
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18. In which Region is the economic capital of Cameroon found?
 A West
 B North West
 C Littoral
 D Centre
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19. The most important factor that determines the creation of administrative units in Cameroon is ...
 A number of Councils.
 B size of the population.
 C influence of the elites.
 D support for the ruling party.
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20. A drug addict is someone who ...
 A consumes drugs.
 B likes drugs.
 C abnormally depends on drugs.
 D sells drugs.
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21. The anti-social or unlawful behaviour by children or adolescent is referred to as ...
 A Vandalism
 B Robbery
 C Juvenile delinquency
 D Prostitution
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22. Prostitution is practiced by both young men and women because of ...
 A poverty and unemployment.
 B parental supervision.
 C sex education.
 D influence of religious authorities.
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23. Corruption is sometimes referred to as a "Canker worm" in the Cameroonian Society because...
 A people see nothing wrong with it.
 B it is a bad practice.
 C many people are involved in it.
 D it has eaten deep into the society.
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24. One way by which government discourages tribalism is by ...
 A implementing divide-and-rule policies.
 B promoting national integration.
 C approving the formation of political parties on tribal bases.
 D representing every tribe in the government.
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25. CONAC is an agency created by a Presidential Decree No.2006/088 of 11th March 2006 to fight against which social ill in Cameroon?
 A Drug abuse
 B Prostitution
 C Juvenile delinquency
 D Corruption
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26. When qualified voters of a given country are called upon to either accept or reject a proposed reform, the outcome is called:
 A Franchise
 B Plebiscite
 C Referendum
 D Universal suffrage
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27. The Cameroon National Symbol which represents confidentiality and authenticity is the ...
 A Seal.
 B Coat of Arms.
 C Motto.
 D Flag.
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28. Which one of the following best explains why the 1961 Federal Constitution was replaced with the 1972 Unitary Constitution?
 A To uphold Regional Balance,
 B To foster National integration.
 C To appease the Anglophones.
 D To promote Democracy.
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29. Which Constitutional change of the Republic of Cameroon allowed for the creation of an Upper House (Senate)?
 A The 1961 Constitution
 B The 1972 Constitution
 C The 1984 Constitution
 D The 1996 Constitution

30. All the following Constitutional bodies are arms of the Cameroon State except:
- A the Legislative
 - B the Executive
 - C the Armed Forces
 - D the Judiciary

31. The Executive Arm of Government is responsible for the ...
- A making of laws.
 - B interpretation of laws.
 - C adoption of the State budget.
 - D promulgation (endorsement) of laws.

Question 32 is based on the picture of a public building shown below



32. The arm of Government represented by the photograph above is responsible for the ...
- A control of Government action through oral and written questions.
 - B enforcement of laws voted by the Legislature.
 - C appointment of Ministers, Governors and Directors.
 - D interpretation of laws enacted by the Executive.

33. The following are qualities of any good and reliable electoral process except:
- A multiple registration of voters.
 - B publication of the electoral lists before election day.
 - C biometric registration of voters.
 - D use of transparent ballot boxes.

34. Which of the following ways does not represent an individual's participation in the political life of his country?
- A Holding public office.
 - B Being neutral.
 - C Militating in a political party
 - D Contesting elections.

35. Which of the following is a consequence of an electoral malpractice in Cameroon?
- A General acceptance of results.
 - B Massive registration of voters.
 - C Voter apathy.
 - D Election of popular candidates.

36. A written request by a customer to his banker to effect regular payment of a fixed amount on his behalf to creditors is called:
- A Savings
 - B Bank deposit
 - C Loans
 - D Cheques

37. Which of the following institutions is responsible for the protection of workers interests in Cameroon?
- A The Cameroon Trade Union
 - B The National Social Insurance Fund.
 - C The Ministry of Labour and Social Security.
 - D The Ministry of Public Service and Administrative Reforms.

38. Generally, economic growth will lead to economic development in Cameroon when the following conditions are fulfilled except:
- A political will.
 - B capital flight.
 - C population expansion.
 - D education and training.

39. Identify from the list below, an item which is not a source of Government revenue.
- A Income Tax
 - B Value Added Tax
 - C Customs Duties
 - D Public Works Scheme

40. A businessman guilty of tax evasion in Cameroon can face the following consequences except:
- A destruction of his business premises.
 - B impounding of his vehicle.
 - C imprisonment of one to five years.
 - D freezing of his bank account.

41. Identify from the options below the one that is not a fundamental Human Right.
- A Freedom of expression
 - B Freedom of movement
 - C Freedom from torture
 - D Freedom to retaliate when attacked

42. The following are forms of Human Rights violation based on culture except:
- A female genital mutilation.
 - B torture of widows.
 - C arrest without warrant.
 - D breast ironing.
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43. Identify from the list below, a function that is **not** performed by the Cameroon National Commission on Human Rights and Freedoms.
- A Monitoring elections.
 - B Punishing those who violate human rights.
 - C Visiting prisons and detention cells.
 - D Organizing training on human rights issues.
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44. Which of the following statements does **not** fall under the importance of International Humanitarian Law?
- A Soldiers captured in war must not be killed.
 - B It guarantees freedom to fair trial in a law court.
 - C It helps prevent the use of weapons that can endanger human life.
 - D It only allows the killing of soldiers who target civilian populations.
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45. The UN Charter aims at:
- A ensuring world peace and security.
 - B protecting the rights of refugees.
 - C ensuring economic equality amongst Nations.
 - D ensuring fair treatment for aggressors.
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46. An important source of conflict between tribal groups in Cameroon is:
- A common ancestral worship.
 - B inter-tribal marriages.
 - C poorly defined inter-tribal boundaries.
 - D entertainment during inter-tribal celebrations.
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47. A situation where men and women enjoy the same rights and responsibilities in the development of their communities is known as:
- A Gender stereotype.
 - B Gender equity.
 - C Gender stratification.
 - D Gender equality.
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48. A Cameroonian scientist honoured by the International community for his contributions in the research on cancer and HIV/AIDS is ...
- A Professor Bernard Fonlon.
 - B Professor Victor Anomah Ngu.
 - C Professor Gotlieb Monekosso.
 - D Professor Daniel Noni Lantum.
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49. Which of the following is **not** a political effect of Globalization?
- A Greater inter-dependence of nations.
 - B Increased environmental protection.
 - C Creation of regional organizations.
 - D Spread of democratic ideas to developing countries.
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50. Which one of the following best illustrates Child Trafficking?
- A Using children as trade articles.
 - B Employment of children to work without pay.
 - C Dealing in human parts extracted from children.
 - D Using of minors as house helps.

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