

LIRA CITY ACADEMIC BOARD

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SOCIAL STUDIES PAPER

Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes



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DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO
READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. The paper is made up of **two** sections: **A & B.**
2. Section **A** has **40** questions (**40 marks**)
3. Section **B** has **15** questions (**60 marks**)
4. Answer **ALL** questions in both sections **A & B**
5. All answers must be written in the spaces provided in **BLUE** or **BLACK** ink. Only diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
6. **Unnecessary crossing** of work will lead to **loss of marks.**
7. **Poor handwriting**, which cannot be easily read may lead to **loss of marks.**
8. Do not fill anything in the boxes shown.

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QN. NO.	MARKS	EXAMINER'S INITIALS
1 - 10		
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SECTION A

1. What term is used to refer to all lines of latitude?

2. Give any **one** social benefit of a school to its neighbouring communities.

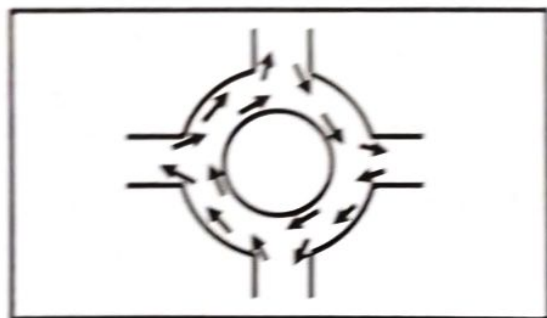
3. Give a reason why the British wanted land during the **1900** Buganda agreement.

4. State any **one** way domestic violence can cause child labour in our community.

5. Give any **one** reason why valley areas are usually fertile.

6. State any **one** problem that results from the production of similar goods by African countries.

Use the diagram below to answer questions 7 and 8.



7. Name the road section drawn above.

8. How is the road section drawn above important to drivers?

9. Give any **one** reason why the Bantu left their cradle land.

10. Why are birth certificates given to newly born babies in Uganda?

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11. State **one** way Missionaries promoted the establishment of colonial rule in Uganda.

12. Give any **one** way the location of some homes hinder their quick access to information.

13. Name the first dynasty to rule over Bunyoro Kitara Empire.

14. Give any **one** reason why bride price is paid during traditional marriage ceremony.

15. State any **one** way political parties speeded up the process of independence in Uganda.

16. Give **one** reason why landmarks are commonly used to locate places.

17. Give any **one** cause of population explosion in an area.

18. Name the type of government where the power belongs to the majority.

19. Give any **one** problem of using shadows to tell time.

20. Give any **one** way current migration is different from that of long ago.

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21. Give any **one** way charcoal burning can be reduced in our community.

22. State any **one** measure people who live in cold areas take to manage cold weather conditions.

23. Name any **one** member country of the organization of Petroleum Exporting Country (**OPEC**) in West Africa.

24. State any **one** way people use land to meet their needs for food.

25. State any **one** way the work of National Environment Management Authority (**NEMA**) can help to control drought.

26. Give **one** reason why traders need porters.

27. State any **one** way a social service centre can be protected from harm.

28. Write down any **one** factor that pushed European colonialists to start granting independence.

29. Give any **one** reason why early European Missionaries built mission centres in Uganda?

30. Give **one** reason why the government introduces development projects among people.



31. Give any **one** reason why very many people usually settle on slopes of mountains.

32. Why is the government fighting to reduce corruption among people?

33. Name the system of governance that promotes the majority rule in Uganda.

34. Give any **one** way the government of Uganda can solve the problem of Brain drain.

35. State the importance of sun in the process of rain formation.

For questions 36-40, answer Either Christianity or Islam but not both in a particular number.

36. **Either:** Mention the place where Adam and Eve lived before disobeying God.

Or: Mention the place where Adam and Hawa lived before disobeying Allah.

37. **Either:** State any **one** way sin can make a Christian to suffer.

Or: State any **one** way sin can make a Muslim to suffer.

38. **Either:** Give any **one** reason why Christians need a Bible in their daily life.

Or: Give any **one** reason why Muslims need Qur'an in their daily life.

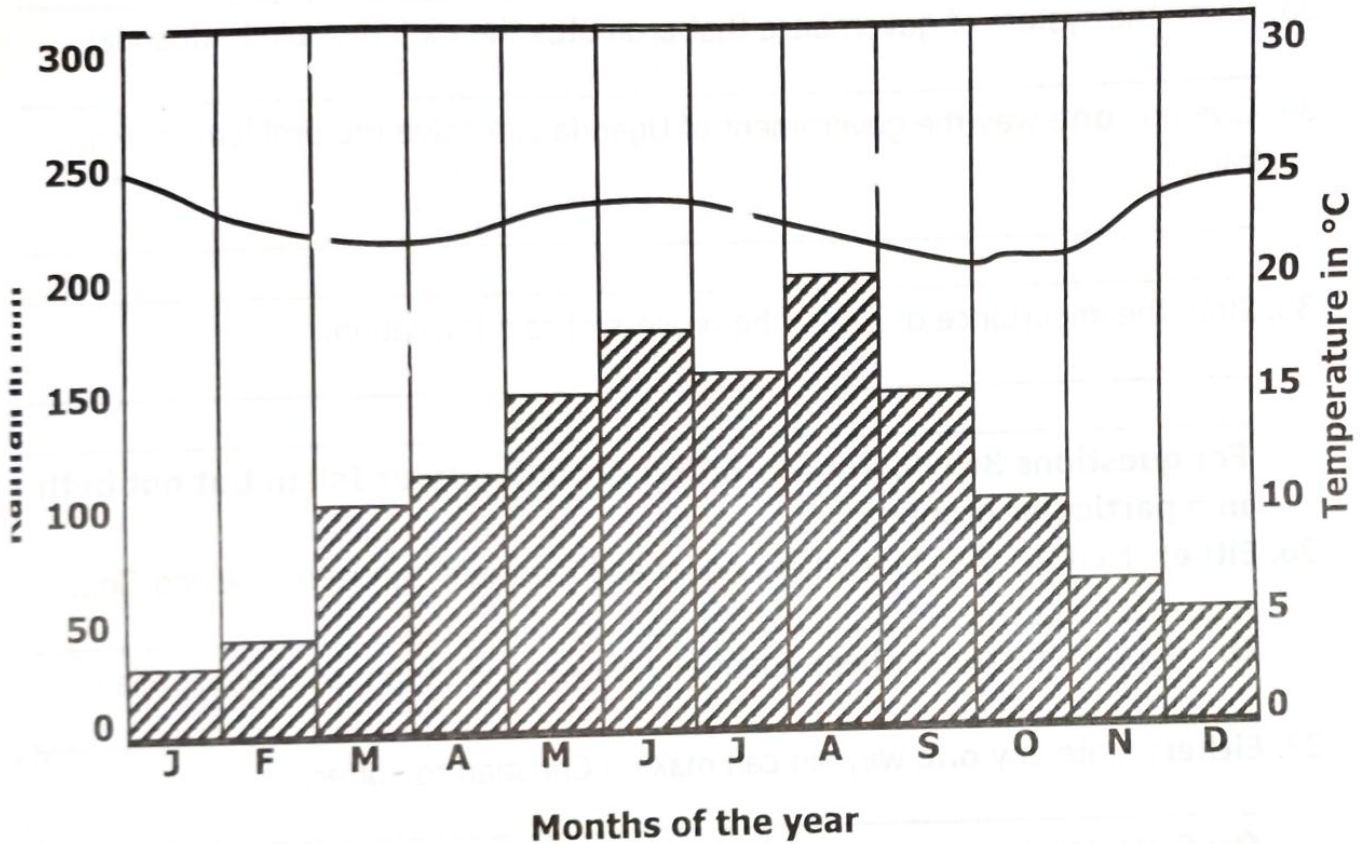
39. **Either:** Write down any **one** way Christians prepare for the coming of the Messiah.

Or: Write down any **one** way how Muslims prepare for Allah's judgment.

40. **BOTH:** Give the meaning of the term **success**.

SECTION B

41. Study the climatic graph below carefully and answer the questions that follow.



a) Name the month with the lowest temperature.

b) Identify the type of climate shown on the graph.

c) State **one** reason why the above type of climate is suitable for cultivation.

d) Mention any **one** factor that influences the existence of the type of climate shown on the graph above.

42. a) What term is used to mean the steady increase in the number of people in an area?

b) Write down any **two** factors that led to the above named state of population.

i) _____

ii) _____

c) State any **one** way a dense population can be a problem to the environment.

43. a) Name the official on local council I executive who is in charge of;

i). **Security in the village** _____

ii). **Children's welfare** _____

b) Write down any **two** ways the central government can make the delivery of services in our rural communities easy.



i). _____

ii). _____

44. Use the sketch map of Uganda below to answer the questions that follow.



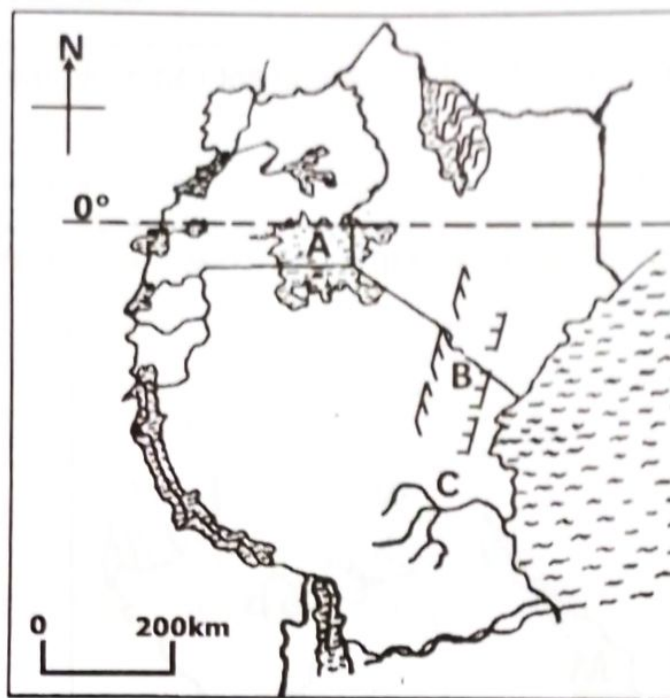
a) Name the first European explorer to see the source of river marked **W**.

b) Name the cradle land of the ethnic group that entered Uganda through the route marked **M** on the map.

c) Write down any **one** factor that influences the climate of the area labelled **K** on the map.

d) State any **one** factor that makes water transport difficult between lakes **A** and **B**.

45. Study the sketch map of East Africa below and use it to answer questions.



a) Why was lake marked **A** renamed by John Hanning Speke during exploration work?

b) Name the arm of the rift valley marked **B**.

c) How is the line of latitude marked 0° economically important to areas where it passes from?

d) How was river marked **C** important to the fighters of the Maji Maji rebellion in Tanzania?

46. a) Give the difference between **relief** and **drainage features**.

b) State any **one** way drainage features hinder road transport in an area.

c) Write down any **two** ways people can conserve drainage features in their environment.

i) _____

ii) _____

47. State any **two** ways teachers can enforce discipline in classrooms.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give any **two** reasons why discipline should be observed in schools.

i) _____

ii) _____

48. Complete the table below correctly.

	Title of king	Kingdom
a)	Kabaka	_____
b)	_____	Bunyoro
c)	Nabongo	_____
d)	_____	Nyamwezi

49. a) Name any **two** tree species that provide hardwood timber in the Equatorial rainforest.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) State any **one** way game parks contribute to the economic development of Uganda.

c) How has the government of Uganda tried to improve on the tourism sector?

50. a) How is the **Witwaters Rand** important to the economic development of South Africa?

b) State any **two** reasons why mining industry in South Africa is highly developed?

i) _____

ii) _____

c) Give any **one** way capital is useful in the mining sector of a country.

For questions 51-55, answer Either Christianity or Islam but not both in a number. No marks will be given for attempting both alternatives.

51. **Either:**

a) Write down any **two** religious rituals performed in Christianity.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Write down any **one** reason why each of the following religious ritual mentioned above is performed in Christianity.

Or:

a) State any **two** religious rituals performed in Islam.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Write down any **two** reasons why each religious rituals mentioned above is performed in Islam.

i) _____

ii) _____

52. **Either:**

a) State any **two** ways Jesus' followers benefited from the miracles he performed.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give any **two** reasons why Jesus Christ performed miracles in many places.

i) _____

ii) _____

Or:

a) State any **two** ways Muhammad's followers benefited from the miracles he performed.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give any **two** reasons why Muhammad performed miracles in many places.

i) _____

ii) _____

53. **Either:**

a) Write down any **two** ways Christians can strengthen their faith in God.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) State any **two** human behaviors that affect the faith of Christians.

i) _____

ii) _____

Or:

a) Write down any **two** ways Muslims strengthen their faith in Allah.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) State any **two** human behaviours that affect their faith in Allah.

i) _____

ii) _____

54. **Either:**

a) Mention any **two** selfless acts in Christianity.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give any **two** reasons why Christianity teaches against selfishness.

i) _____

ii) _____

Or:

a) Mention any **two** selfless acts in Islam.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give any **two** reasons why Islam teaches against selfishness.

i) _____

ii) _____

55. **Either:** Match places in List **A** with the rightful information in list **B**.

A

B

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|-----------------|--|
| i) Golgotha | Judas Iscariot committed suicide. |
| ii) Goshen | Noah's Ark rested. |
| iii) Mt. Ararat | Place where Jesus Christ was crucified. |
| iv) Akeldama | Place where the Israelites lived while in Egypt. |

- i) **Golgotha** _____
- ii) **Goshen** _____
- iii) **Mt. Ararat** _____
- iv) **Akeldama** _____

Or: Match places in list **A** With their information in list **B** rightfully.

A

B

- | | |
|-------------------|--|
| i) Kaaba | Muslims gather for worship after Hajj. |
| ii) Zam zam well | Prophet Muhmmad received Qur'an. |
| iii) Care of Hira | Muslims get holy water for healing. |
| iv) Arafat | It is the house of Allah on earth. |

- i) **Kaaba** _____
- ii) **Zam-Zam well** _____
- iii) **Cave of Hira** _____
- iv) **Arafat** _____



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