

**PRESIDENT'S OFFICE
REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

FORM THREE MIDTERM EXAMINATION

GEOGRAPHY

TIME: 2 : 30 HOURS.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper consists of section A, B and C with a total of eleven (11) questions.
2. Answer all questions in section A and B and two questions in section C.
3. Section A carries sixteen (16) marks, Section B carries fifty four (54) marks, Section C carries thirty(30) marks
4. All writings must be in blue or black ink.
5. Use pencil to draw the diagrams
6. Cellular phones, calculators and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
7. Write your **Examination Number** at the top right corner of every page.

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QUESTIONS NUMBERS	SCORE	EXAMINER'S INITIAL
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SECTION A. (16 marks)

Answer all questions in this section

1. For each of the items(i) – (x) choose the correct answer from the alternatives and write its letter beside item number

i) What will happen when the orbit of the heavenly body is nearest to the sun?

- a) Perihelion
- b) Aphelion
- c) Sunset
- d) Sunrise
- e) Equinox

ii) Moses wants to transport his car from Japan to Tanzania which mode of transport

would be best to use?

- a) Water
- b) Pipeline
- c) Animal
- d) Road
- e) Cable

iii) Which among the following is a heavenly body that possess and transmit its own light?

- a) Moon
- b) Sun
- c) Earth
- d) Asteroid
- e) Planet

iv) Mingo visited his friend in Kigoma during the holiday. He was surprised to see many

trees had shed their leaves because of cold weather. Which season of the year was it?

- a) Spring
- b) Winter
- c) Autumn
- d) Summer
- e) None of the above

v) Geography as the branch of science originated from two Greek words which are:-

- a) Graphein and physics
- b) Demography and graphein
- c) Geo and graphene
- d) Geography and geographer
- e) Edaphic and geology.

vi) Salome is form three student's she used to go to beach during the weekend at noon time,

after reaching she experienced wind which blows from the sea to land.

Salome was

experienced process called...

- a) Noon breeze
- b) Enjoying and swimming
- c) Land breeze
- d) Sea breeze
- e) Continental shelf

vii) Which set of elements of weather are mainly used to classify climate of an area?

- a) Humidity and precipitation
- b) Temperature and humidity
- c) Wind and temperature
- d) Temperature and rainfall
- e) Temperature and sunshine.

viii) Liverpool team scored a goal at 5:00 PM in England (15°W) at what time the goal was

scored in Dar es salaam (45°W)

- a) 01:00 pm
- b) 7:00 pm
- c) 09:45 pm
- d) 09:00 pm
- e) 06:30 am

ix) Geography teacher told his student's that when the earth spines on its axis lead to the

occurrence of day and night. The concept that geography teacher taught is known as

- a) Movement of the earth
- b) Solar eclipse
- c) Rotation of the earth
- d) Revolution of the earth
- e) Solar system

- x) The shallow part of the sea that stretches from the sea is called
- Continental shelf
 - Continental slope
 - Ocean ridge
 - Ocean trench
 - Island

2. Match the description of the types of agriculture in LIST A, with the correct type of agriculture in LIST B, by writing the letter of correct answer.

	LIST A	LIST B
i)	Crop cultivation practiced in small plot of land	A. Agriculture
ii)	System of agriculture in which land is cultivated and left for some years to improve its fertility	B. Large scale agriculture
iii)	Traditional system of crop cultivation in which farmers move to new farm land when the yield are low	C. Subsistence agriculture
iv)	Activity of growing crops and rearing livestock	D. Sedentary agriculture
v)	System of agriculture in which farms are owned by government, cooperatives and private companies	E. Pastoralism
vi)	Activity of rearing livestock such as cattle	F. Shifting cultivation
		G. Monoculture
		H. Bush fallowing
		I. Dairy farming

SECTION B.(54 marks)

Answer all questions in this section.

3. Answer these questions as applied in map reading and interpretation
- What do you understand by the term map
 - Identify three natural contents found in topographical map
 - Briefly explain the five ways which are used to identify relief of the mapped area.

d) Using the map scale 1:50,000 change scale from representative fractional scale into statement scale.

4. Carefully study the weather data for a station in Australia and answer the question that follow

Month	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Temp.(°C)	28.3	27.5	28.5	29	26.7	26	26	25	24	26	27	25
RAINFULL MM	380	330	240	175	170	5	2.5	2.2	17	50	210	230

- Calculate the annual mean temperature for the station
 - Determine the rainfall range
 - Find the total annual temperature
 - Suggest the type of climate that station experience
 - Which month in the station have highest temperature
5. Answer the following question as applied in photograph.
- Differentiate the term photograph and photography
 - By providing three points compare map and photograph
 - Briefly contrast the map and photograph by giving three points.
 - List down three types of photograph
 - In three points, briefly explain the importance of photograph.
6. The geography teacher gave students an assignment of explain the spherical shape of the earth unfortunately Mashirimo failed. As an expert of geography, briefly explain the evidences that prove spherical shape of the earth.
7. Briefly explain with the aid of diagrams the following geographical terms:-
- Lunar eclipse
 - Solar eclipse
8. With the aid of diagram, explain three types of rainfall.

SECTION C (30 marks)

Answer two questions from this section.

9. Mr. Kagose wants to establish a plastic processing industry in Kibaha town. Analyze six factors he should consider before locating industry.

10. "Tanzania has realized that improving transport is inevitable for sustainable socio economic development" Justify this quotation by giving six point.
11. The United Republic of Tanzania has made a lot of effort on improving the tourism sector in six points explain positive impact of tourism in Tanzania.