



EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF ZAMBIA

GRADE SEVEN COMPOSITE EXAMINATION – 2021

Special Paper 1

SUBJECT 6/1

60 MINUTES

TD/SP1/G7/2021

- 1 Read these instructions carefully.
- 2 **DO NOT** turn this page before you are told. Your teacher will tell you when to turn this page to begin answering the questions.
- 3 There are **50** questions in this **Special Paper One** paper. You will be given **exactly 60 minutes** to do the questions.
- 4 For each question, four answers are given, but only one of the four is correct. Work out which is the **best** answer. Then, on your **Answer Sheet**, mark the box completely by shading the answer space of the letter of your choice. If you had chosen answer **D** for a question, you would show it like this:-

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| A | B | C | |
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- 5 You must **SHADE** your answer spaces **completely** and **darkly** using an HB pencil. If you have to change your answer, you must rub out the shading **very neatly** before shading the new one. **Use a clean rubber.**
- 6 When you have finished one page, go straight on without waiting to be told. If you have time left at the end of the question paper, use it to check your work carefully.
- 7 Look at your **Answer Sheet**. On the top left hand side are boxes which should have, Examination Year, your School Number and Examination Number. It should also say **Subject 6 Paper 1**.
- 8 Look at your **Answer Sheet** again. At the bottom left hand side, it should have your Surname, Forename, Subject – Special Paper One, Name of Primary School and your Secondary School of choice.
- 9 **Put up your hand now if:**
You have any question.
You have the wrong answer sheet.
You will not be able to ask questions once the examination has begun.

DO NOT TURN THIS PAGE UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD.
USE ONLY AN HB / PENCIL FOR YOUR ANSWERS.

- 1 Which word will complete the pattern?

BREATH - BET

DRIVER - DIE

GROWTH - GOT

HEALTH -

A EAT

B HAT ✓

C LET

D TEA

- 2 Which word must be put in the to complete the pattern?

MAGGOT - MAT

HOSTAGE - HOE

DISCIPLE - DIE

TROPHY -

A HOT

B TOP

C TROP

D TRY ✓

- 3 Which number must be put in the box to complete the series?

13, 15, 17, 21, 23

A 16

B 18

C 19 ✓

D 20

- 4 Which word must be put in the to complete the pattern?

PATTERN - PART

HERMIT - HEIR

CONJURE -

A CORN ✓

B CURE

C HORN

D PURE

- 5 Which letters must be put in the box to complete the series?

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| I | E | A |
| J | F | B |
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| L | H | D |

- A K L M
B K P Q
C K G C ✓
D K S T

- 6 Which number must be put in the box to complete the pattern?
1, 10, 100, 10 000, 100 000, 1 000 000

- A 900
B 1000 ✓
C 2000
D 3000

- 7 Which letters must be put in the box to complete the series?

ZYXW - ABCD - VUTS - - RQPO

- A EFGH ✓
B DEFG
C UVWS
D OPQR

- 8 If 1246589709365 stands for DEMONSTRATION, then 351259 stands for ...

- A ADMIRE.
B INDENT.
C STRAND.
D TRENDS.

- 9 Which word will complete the pattern?

TRIP - STRIPE
HAD - SHADE
CAR -

- A SCARE ✓
B SCRAP
C SCORE
D SPARE

- 10 Blood ALWAYS has ...
A CELLS.
B CLOTS.
C GERMS.
D VIRUS.
- 11 If REVELATION is 1232456789 then LEAVE is ...
A 42325.
B 42532.
C 12324. ✓
D 12653.
- 12 Which of the following words would come FIRST if they were arranged in ALPHABETICAL order?
A PARABLE 1 ✓
B PARASITE 1
C PARALYSE 3
D PARADE 2
- 13 If PHOTOSYNTHESIS means 98151347586323 then 39117 is ...
A PHOTO
B SOON
C SPOON
D STONE
- 14 A word ALWAYS has ...
A COMMA. 1
B LETTERS. 2
C SYMBOLS. 3 ✓
D VOWELS. 0
- 15 What comes next in the series?
JK9, LM3, NO16, PQ4, RS25, TV5
A VW5
B TV5 ✓
C TU7
D TU6

- 16 Which numbers must be put in the box to complete the pattern?
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| 22 | 33 |
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| 44 | 56 |
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| 55 | 68 |
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- A 80, 66
 B 84, 70
 C 70, 84
 D 66, 80 ✓
- 17 Three of the following are ALIKE in some way. Which one is DIFFERENT?
- A CABIN
 B HOSTEL
 C LODGE
 D HOTEL
- 18 Which word must be put in the box to complete the series?
- CD - GH - KL - OP - ST
- A OP ✓
 B PO
 C MN
 D EF
- 19 BLOOD is to RED as CHLOROPHYLL is to ...
- A BLUE.
 B BROWN.
 C GREEN.
 D YELLOW.
- 20 Which numbers must complete the pattern?
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| 7 | 2 | 49 |
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| 8 | 2 | 64 |
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| 9 | 2 | 81 |
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| 10 | 2 | 100 |
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- A 4, 2, 16
 B 5, 2, 25
 C 6, 2, 36
 D 7, 2, 49 ✓
- 21 A bottle ALWAYS has a ...
- A CONTENT.
 B GLASS.
 C LIQUID.
 D SHAPE.

- 22 Mr P had Y teeth. 7 teeth were removed and he remained with 25. After 2 months he lost 3 teeth. How many teeth did he have at first?
- A 32
 - B 25
 - C 22
 - D 21
- 23 In each quarter of the year, Tiza planted maize in the first, beans in the second, okra in the third and rice in the last quarter. Which crop did she plant in January?
- A BEANS
 - B MAIZE
 - C OKRA
 - D RICE
- 24 Which letters must be put in the box to complete the PATTERN?
- $\frac{AC}{D}, \frac{BD}{E}, \boxed{}, \frac{DF}{G}$
- A $\frac{EC}{F}$
 - B $\frac{FC}{E}$
 - C $\frac{CF}{F}$
 - D $\frac{CE}{F}$ ✓
- 25 Which letter in the word FAVOURITE would come THIRD if arranged in ALPHABETICAL order?
- A R 4
 - B E 2
 - C F 3 ✓
 - D A 1
- 26 Three of the following are ALIKE in some way. Which one is DIFFERENT?
- A BOOTS
 - B SANDALS
 - C SHOES
 - D SOCKS

- 27 Ndopu grows lemons, maize, cotton and carrots. Which of the following crops could be grown together in the section with guavas, oranges and apples?
- A CARROTS
 - B COTTON
 - C LEMON
 - D MAIZE
- 28 Four girls went to pick their uniform on the line. Alice and Jane got a blue blouse, Rose and Sally got white ones. Rose and Jane got black shirts while Alice and Sally got grey ones. Who wore a white blouse and black shirt uniform?
- A ALICE
 - B JANE
 - C ROSE
 - D SALLY
- 29 A cow drinks water from a river, stream and lake while a dog does so from the river, well and pond. A man fetches water from the river, pond and lake. The rest of the village does so from a borehole, river and spring. Which one is the major source of water?
- A LAKE
 - B RIVER
 - C STREAM
 - D WELL
- 30 A champion ALWAYS has ...
- A VICTORY.
 - B TROPHY.
 - C DEFEAT.
 - D CONTEST.
- 31 If the following words are arranged in ALPHABETICAL order which one would be correct?
- A CHEEKY, CHEESE, CHATTER, CHEETAH
 - B CHEETAH, CHATTER, CHEEKY, CHEESE
 - C CHEESE, CHEETAH, CHEEKY, CHATTER
 - D CHATTER, CHEEKY, CHEESE, CHEETAH
- 32 Which word is OPPOSITE to ENTRANCE?
- A WENT
 - B LEAVE
 - C EXIT
 - D DOOR

- 33** A boy caught 3 spiders. Two of the spiders had their 4 legs removed. How many legs remained among the 3 spiders?
- A** 20
 - B** 16
 - C** 4
 - D** 3
- 34** JOURNALIST is to REPORT as COMEDIAN is to ...
- A** ADVERTISE.
 - B** ANNOUNCE.
 - C** BROADCAST.
 - D** ENTERTAIN.
- 35** Which word is OPPOSITE of COMMON?
- A** FAMILIAR
 - B** RARE
 - C** SAME
 - D** SIMILAR
- 36** Which word is the OPPOSITE of MIX?
- A** COMBINE
 - B** DISSOLVE
 - C** INCLUDE
 - D** SEPARATE
- 37** VOLUME is to CUBIC as AREA is to ...
- A** SQUARED.
 - B** RECTANGLE.
 - C** LENGTH.
 - D** HEIGHT.
- 38** Which of the following are ALPHABETICALLY arranged in ASCENDING order?
- A** CABBAGE, CABINET, CABMAN, CABOTAGE
 - B** CABBAGE, CABMAN, CABINET, CABOTAGE
 - C** CABINET, CABMAN, COBATAGE, CABBAGE
 - D** CABINET, COBATAGE, CABBAGE, CABMAN
- 39** Three of the following are ALIKE in some way. Which one is DIFFERENT?
- A** ABROAD
 - B** DOMESTIC
 - C** EXTERNAL
 - D** FOREIGN

- 40 Three of the following are ALIKE in some way. Which ONE IS DIFFERENT?
- A BOILING
 - B DRYING
 - C SALTING
 - D SMOKING
- 41 VEHICLE is to HIRE as BUILDING is to ...
- A BUY.
 - B LEVY.
 - C RENT.
 - D SALE.
- 42 Which of the following word is OPPOSITE of the word TRANSPARENT?
- A COLOURLESS
 - B OPAQUE
 - C RAINBOW
 - D SCREEN
- 43 Three of the following are ALIKE in some way. Which ONE IS DIFFERENT?
- A AREA
 - B DECIMALS
 - C PERIMETER
 - D VOLUME
- 44 If the following words are arranged in ALPHABETICAL order which one would be correct?
- A FLIMSY, FLINCH, FLING, FLIGHT
 - B FLINCH, FLIGHT, FLIMSY, FLING
 - C FLING, FLIMSY, FLINCH, FLIGHT
 - D FLIGHT, FLIMSY, FLINCH, FLING
- 45 Chabu described her favourite fruit as yellow when ripe, has a single hard seed and has hairy fibre. Which of the fruits below could it be?
- A APPLE
 - B GUAVA
 - C LEMON
 - D MANGO
- 46 Which word is OPPOSITE to INTRODUCTION?
- A BEGINNING
 - B COMMENCE
 - C CONCLUSION
 - D STARTING

- 47** What do we call a set of twins who look different despite being twins?
- A** Different
 - B** Semi
 - C** Same
 - D** Fraternal
- 48** TEMPERATURE is to ... as MASS is to KILOGRAM.
- A** WEIGHT
 - B** VOLUME
 - C** HEIGHTS
 - D** CELCIUS
- 49** An actor ALWAYS has a ...
- A** DANCE.
 - B** LINE.
 - C** ROLE.
 - D** SKETCH.
- 50** Which of the following words are arranged ALPHABETICALLY in ASCENDING order?
- A** EARTH, EARN, EARLY, EASTER
 - B** EARN, EARLY, EASTER, EARTH
 - C** EASTER, EARTH, EARN, EARLY
 - D** EARLY, EARN, EARTH, EASTER

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| 1. B | 28. C |
| 2. D | 29. B |
| 3. C | 30. A |
| 4. A | 31. D |
| 5. C | 32. C |
| 6. B | 33. B |
| 7. A | 34. D |
| 8. B | 35. B |
| 9. A | 36. D |
| 10. A | 37. A |
| 11. B | 38. A |
| 12. A | 39. B |
| 13. C | 40. C |
| 14. B | 41. C |
| 15. B | 42. B |
| 16. D | 43. B |
| 17. A | 44. D |
| 18. A | 45. D |
| 19. C | 46. C |
| 20. D | 47. D |
| 21. D | 48. D |
| 22. A | 49. C |
| 23. B | 50. D |
| 24. D | |
| 25. C | |
| 26. D | |
| 27. C | |