

Memorandum

Learning area: SOCIAL – SCIENCES

Disciple: GEOGRAPHY

Grade7

June examination

Year: 2025

NB. Accept other relevant answers.

Section A: 15 marks

Section B: 35 marks

Section A

Question 1

1.1.1 = B4

1.1.2 = A3

1.1.3 = B2

1.1.4 = D3

1.1.5 = D1

(1 mark each) = 5 marks

1.2

1.1 Restaurant = N/NE

1.2 Hospital = SW

1.3 Petrol station = SE

(1 mark each) = 3 marks

1.3 Important features of a map

(a) Key/legend

(b) Scale

(c) Compass – direction

(1 mark each) = 3 marks

1.4 Definitions of terms

(a) Key = Where you find information on the map. (1x2 = 2 marks)

(b) Scale = The amount in which things are made bigger or smaller. (1x2 = 2 marks)

SECTION A

TOTAL = 15 marks

SECTION B

Question 2

2.1.1 = D

2.1.2 = E

2.1.3 = C

2.1. 4 = A

2.1. 5 = B

(1 mark each) = 5 marks

2.2 = 4 (four) layers (1x1=1)

2.3

1. Crust

2. Mantle.

3. Outer – core

4. Inner – core

(1 mark each) = 4 marks

Question 3

3.1. Earthquake (1x2 = 2 marks)

Sudden movement of the earth caused by the convergence and divergence of tectonic plate

Any relevant definition

3.2. = One (1)/once a year (1x1 = 1 mark)

3.3 Nasca plate moving under the eastern side of South American plate. (1x1 = 1 mark)

3.4. They are built to resist earthquakes (1x2 = 2 marks)

3.5 Effects of earthquakes

(Death, injuries, houses will collapsed, damage to roads and infrastructure, damage to bridges)

(2 marks for any 2 correct and relevant answers)

3.6 Reducing the impact of earthquakes

* Earthquake drills

* Knowing what to do during earthquakes (any correct and relevant answer) 2 marks

Question 4

4.1 Volcano

Opening in the earth's crust through which lava and ash erupt. (1x 2 = 2 marks)

4.2 = Near the edges of tectonic plates. (1x1 = 1 Mark)

4.3 Lava coats the edge of the crater and builds a cone as the lava cools. (1x2 = 2 marks)

4.4

= Destroyed 250 homes and killed 57 people (1x1 = 1 mark)

Question 5

5.1 = Gange river (1x1 = 1 mark)

5.2

* Get water

* get food

Any correct and relevant answer (1 mark each) = 2 marks

5.3

Build hall and barriers (1x 1 = 1 mark)

5.4 Reducing the impact of floods

* build more dams

* use correct methods of farming

* plant many trees

* avoid living near rivers

* know what to do during floods

SECTION B TOTAL = 35 marks

Grand total 50 marks