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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE, REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

NEWALA DISTRICT COUNCIL

FORM TWO JOINT MIDTERM EXAMINATION MARCH, 2024

SUBJECT: CIVICS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Time: 2 :30 Hrs.
- This question paper consists of sections A, B and C with total of 8 question
- Answer all the questions in sections A and B and only two questions from section C
- All answers must be in blue or black ink.

SECTION A (30 MARKS)

1. For each of the items (I-x), choose the correct answer from the given alternatives then fill the answer in the space provided.

(I). Why is the family stability Important?

A) It enables family members to receive loans from neighbors,
B) It enables family members to participate in development activities,
C) It enables children to be familiar with close family relatives,
D) It encourages relatives to live together in one house hold.

(II). How do you term the ability of a person to understand other people's mood and the difficulties they are going through?
A). Empathy,
B). Critical thinking,
C). Problem solving,
D). Good decision making.

(III). Which of the following factors does not influence human behavior?
A). Culture,
B). Attitude,
C). Friction,
D). Emotion.

(IV). Why traffic lights are erected along the roads?
A). To protect pedestrians and children,
B). To control the movement of vehicles and pedestrians,
C). To beautify the city and towns,
D). To enable children and elders to across the roads.

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(V). One of the following is not among the steps in the problem-solving process.
A). Initiating mediation,
B). Information gathering,
C). Defining the problem,
D). Writing a report.

(VI). Elections held between the general elections to fill a parliamentary or councilors seats is cold.
A). Democratic election,
B). By election,
C), Constituency election,
D). Referendum.

(VII). A government were by the king or queen are both the head of the state and government is known as:
A). Communist government,
B). Constitutional monarchy,
C). Absolute monarchy,
D). Constitutional government.

(VIII). A type of marriage where by a couple became a husband and wife before the district commissioner is called:
A). District marriage,
B). Early marriage,
C). Judicial marriage,
D). Traditional marriage.

(IX). One of the responsibilities of the members of the parliament is
A). To prepare government budget,
B). To interpret the law,
C). To punish law breakers,
D). To approve government budget.

(X). What are the three arms of the government?
A). The executive, Legislature,
B). The president, Judiciary and the executive,
C). The executive, legislature and judiciary,
D). The President, cabinet and judiciary.

Answers

i	ii	iii	iv	v	vi	vii	viii	ix	x

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2. Match the explanations on government concepts in List **A** with the corresponding government concept in **B** by writing its letter of the correct response below the corresponding items number in the table provided.

List A	List B
i. A form of government where by the central government with a number	A) The parliament.

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	of small local government.	
ii.	A leader of the government who has power to pard	B) The chief justice.

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	on jailed criminals.	
iii.	A system of governance where by there is transfer of author	C) Rural authorities.

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	ity to the people through the elected councilors.	
iv.	A system of government.	D) Democratic government.

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hough the elected council ors which is also known as district cou	

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	ncil.	
v.	A government organ which is made up of elected people fro	E) The president.

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	F) Fed eral gov ern me nt.				
	G) Loc al gov ern me nt				
	H) Urb an aut hor itie s.				
List A	i	ii	iii	iv	v
List B					

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3. For each of the following statement write **TRUE** for the true statement and **FALSE** for the false statement.

   i. The first permanent constitution of Tanzania was enacted in 1977.
   ii. Lack of moral values may result into school dropout among the youths.
   iii. Street children are people above 18 years old.
   iv. The head of the judicial systemin Tanzania is elected by the president.
   v. All people who are eligible votes are called the citizens.
   vi. Creative thinking is the ability to make a choice out of many options.
   vii. To become a Law, bills passed by the national Assembly must get approval of the president of the united republic of Tanzania.
   viii. Work promotes selfish attitude.
   ix. Obeying road signs reduces traffic jams on the road.
   x. One of the sources of local government revenue is development levy.

I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X

SECTION B (40 MARKS)

ANSWER ALL QUESTION IN THIS SECTION.

4. Read the following passage Carefully and then answer the question that follows.

Law is a body of rules or principles. These rules or principles aim at maintaining peace, order, justice and defining the rights and providing means for punishing wrong doers.

In a democratic country where rule of law is established, all people are equal under the law. Thus, rulers and the rules must obey the law of the country. Rule of law states that, no one is punishable unless proved guilt. It further calls for the judiciary to provide justice, protect the rights of all citizens and settle conflicts.

Rule of law therefore, demand the government to run its activities according to the constitution and serve the interests of the majority by providing them services they need.

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A) Suggest the suitable tittle for this passage.

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B) According to the passage, why rules are set? (give two reasons)

I. ……
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II. ……
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C) What does the writer mean when says all people are equal under the law?

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D) What is the role of judiciary in democratic country?

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E) Listdown two things that the government should do under the rule of law.

I. ……
II. ……

5. Define the following concepts and for each give two points on its importance
(a) National symbols

Definition
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Importance

i)……

ii) ……

Problem solving technique

Definition
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Importance

i) ……

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ii) ……

(c) National language

Definition

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Importance

i) ……...
ii) ……

d) Road safety

Definition

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Importance

i) …….
ii) …….

e) The legislature

Definition

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Importance

i) …….
ii) ……..

f) Citizenship

Definition

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Importance

i) ……
ii) ……..

g) Government

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Importance

i) ……..
ii) ……

h) Social life skills

Definition

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Importance

i) ……
ii) ……

i) Self worth

Definition

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Importance

i) ……
ii) ……

j) Team work

Definition

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Importance

i) ……
ii) ……

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer only **two** questions from this section

6. Suppose you have given the chance by the chairperson of Mtakuja village to explain on how to solve the problems for the development of the village, which six points will you most consider.

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7. By giving five points show why the government of Tanzania is important in the improving the development to the people in the country?
8. By giving five points explain why do you think most of African countries are the victims of the problem of street children?