

FORM TWO MOCK EXAMINATIONS – MAY 2023

CIVICS MARKING GUIDE

1. (1 Mark @ each)

Columns	ii	ii	iii	iv	v	vi	vii	viii	ix	x
Answers	B	C	C	D	C	A	A	B	D	A

2. (1 Mark @ each)

LIST A	i	ii	iii	iv	v
LIST B	I	D	E	C	H

3. **Courtship** (2 Marks)

Is the period during which two people carefully study each other, and they get to know one another before they get married. Courtship enables the two partners to understand each other and to know other's family members. It is also an appropriate time for the preparation of marriage.

Marriage – Is the union of a man and a woman who agree to each other to live together as wife and husband. It is a formal and legal bond between a man and a woman. It is normally accompanied by a wedding ceremony

Importance of Courtship (2 Marks @ each)

- i. It helps the couples to develop self-discipline
- ii. Courtship enables the couples to know each other before they get married
- iii. Courtship helps the couples to prepare for marriage
- iv. It helps the couples to show evidence of maturity

4. Work (2 Marks)

Is any lawful activity that a person does so as to earn a living. It can also be defined as the use of physical strength and mental skills in making things or providing services. Examples of work include farming, brick-making, livestock-keeping, fishing, carpentry, trading, teaching, nursing patients, etc.

Relationship between work and national development (2 Marks @ each)

- i. Work keeps people busy as a result people do not have time to engage themselves in crimes.
- ii. Work stands as an identity in the society. Example Judges, Carpenters, teachers, nurses among others. Such identity encourages a sense of hard working.
- iii. Work brings respect in the society because who ever work hard he/she is likely to prosper and contribute to national development.
- iv. Work contributes to the growth of national income because people are able to pay taxes to the government.

5. A political party (2 Marks)

Is a group of citizens who are legally organized so as to take control of the government. In order to achieve its objective, a political party presents its constitution and programmes to the people on the basis of whom the people make decisions whether to accept or reject the party. Examples of Political Parties are CCM, CHADEMA, NCCR – Mageuzi, ACT – Wazalendo, TLP and UDP to mention few.

Functions of Political Parties (2 Marks @ each)

- i. To cooperate with the ruling party in all matters of public interests
- ii. Keenly observe the actions of the ruling party and its government
- iii. To show love for the country and get concerned over what the people are doing or how they are treated by the government.
- iv. To keep searching for new members so as to increase the chance of taking control of the government when the general election is held.

6. Local government (2 Marks)

Local government is a local authority that has some power over a small political and administrative area of the country. It is therefore a system of administration overseen within a democratically elected body of councilors. In Tanzania, local government appears at different levels such as, the village government, the ward government, the district council, the town council, the municipal council, the city council. The functions of a local government fall under two categories; the permissive functions and the mandatory functions.

Functions of the local government (2 Marks @ each)

- i. Collection and proper utilization of revenue
- ii. Maintenance of law and order
- iii. Making of by-laws for the implementation of national and local policies, consideration, regulation and co-ordination of development plans, projects and programs.
- iv. Building and maintaining health centers, primary schools as well as charging fees for services and licenses.

7. Citizenship (2 Marks)

Is the legal right of a person to belong to a particular country. Citizenship goes with rights and duties. A citizen who knows well his/her rights and duties is a responsible citizen. Citizenship can be categorized into several categories such as Citizenship by Marriage, Citizenship by registration, Citizenship by birth and citizenship by naturalization.

Functions of a Responsible citizen (2 Marks @ each)

- i. Loyalty to the country.
- ii. Paying taxes to the government honestly.

- iii. To show love and defend his/her country.
- iv. Obedience to the laws of the country which are passed by the institutions of the country from time to time.

8. **Road accidents** (2 Marks)

Are the unpleasant or unusual events that happen on or along the road unexpectedly and cause damage, fatalities (killing of people) or injuries. They take many forms, example, a car can crash, knocking down road poles due to brake failure, or a driver can lose control, knocking down pedestrians or animals crossing the road.

Methods of eradicating road accidents (2 Marks @ each)

- i. Frequent check up of vehicles including their weight and number of passengers
- ii. Road users should be made aware on road rules and adhere to them accordingly.
- iii. Traffic regulation and law enforcement departments must work efficiently.
- iv. Alcohol and drugs should be prohibited when driving.

9. **Social skills** (2 Marks)

This is the ability to understand and live in peace and harmony with others. These are skills for the development of positive interpersonal relationships with friends, family members, peers, people in authority and adults. Social life skills can be developed through building positive relationships with others where a person can meet and relate with others in various places such as schools, playing field and social gathering. Relationships can be between children and parents or students and teachers. They can also be between relatives, neighbors or peers. Being able to form healthy relationships enables one to know how to behave properly in each relationship

We can use Social skills in the following ways. (2 Marks @ each)

- i. Forming relationship with other people - This skill enables one to know how to behave in each relationship. It helps a person to behave properly according to the prevailing situation.
- ii. Showing empathy – this is the ability to feel what others are going through, especially when they are experiencing problems. This social skill enables one to understand other people's problems and show feelings. It enables a person to take part in finding out ways to solve other people's problems.
- iii. Exhibiting peer resistance – A person who have proper social skills is able to resist bad influences from his/her peers or friends. Such a person does not do things that are unacceptable to society, for example fighting, prostitution, theft and truancy.
- iv. Making good friends – A person can use this skill to make good friends.
Good friends are those who: Respect and assist us, our parents, relatives and elders go to school and school rules, assist each other when in problems and correct each other when one misbehaves.

10. Caphlen is one of the students at one the Secondary schools found in Tanzania, she is unaware of the necessity of having a stable government. With the aid of six evidences, explain to her the reasons as to why it is necessary to have a stable government that will serve the interests of the people.

Introduction (2 Marks)

The government is a group of people who are democratically elected or appointed so as to take control of the country. In other words, government is a group of people within a community who have power and authority to perform administrative functions. These include planning, making decisions and even the implementation of policies. Government can be created through elections, by force or through hereditary means. The criteria used to categorize governments are based on how a given government has acquired its position, the means of formation of the government and the power distribution among the three organs of the state. The most appropriate way of categorizing governments is based on how government leaders get into power. This refers to a peaceful election process or violent processes used to acquire government power.

Main Body (2 Marks@ each)

The followings are the reasons as to why it is necessary to have a stable government that can be used to serve the interest of the people.

- i. It provides citizens with social services like health care, education and safe water.
- ii. The government constructs and maintains infrastructure like roads, school buildings and hospitals.
- iii. Maintenance of peace and order in the country is also the role of the government. The government provides security for citizens and their property through the police and the army.
- iv. Governments initiate and maintain relationships with other countries. The government leaders visit different countries and send ambassadors to those states. Other countries are also invited to do the same in Tanzania. Our country is a member of different international organizations including the United Nations, African Union and the Commonwealth.
- v. The government collects revenue for the development of the country. Citizens pay taxes to the government which, in turn, provides social services using the money collected.
- vi. It guides the country by preparing and implementing good policies as well as the individual rights of citizens are protected by the government.

Conclusion (1 Mark)

Any relevant conclusion can be used to award a mark.