

PRIMARY SCHOOL EDUCATION ASSESSMENT

AUGUST ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES 2026

GRADE 5 – AGRICULTURE

Time: 1 Hour 30 Minutes



LEARNER'S DETAILS

Name: _____ School: _____

Assessment Number: _____ Date: _____

School Code: _____ Signature: _____

Instructions for Learners

1. Write your name, school name, and assessment number in the spaces provided.
2. This paper consists of 30 questions.
3. Check the question paper carefully to ensure all pages are printed and no questions are missing.
4. Answer all the questions in the spaces provided.

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SECTION	SECTION A	SECTION B	% SCORE	EE1	EE2	ME1	ME2	AE1	AE2	BE1	BE2
SCORE RANGE	15 MARKS	25 MARKS		90-100	75-89	58-74	41-57	31-40	21-30	11-20	1-10
	POINTS			8 POINTS	7 POINTS	6 POINTS	5 POINTS	4 POINTS	3 POINTS	2 POINTS	1 POINT
LEARNER'S TOTAL SCORE											

Answer ALL questions in this section

1. Soil should be conserved because it provides all the following to plants except
 A. nutrients B. water
 C. air D. pests
2. Grade 5 learners wanted to construct an organic waste pit. Which of the following materials were they not supposed to dump in the pit?
 A. Organic kitchen waste
 B. Plant residue
 C. Plastic food wrapper
 D. Food remains
3. Which of the following tools is the best to use to dig an organic waste pit?
 A. Spade B. Panga
 C. Jembe D. Rake
4. Grade 5 learners were asked by their teacher to identify sites that require soil improvement in the school compound. Which sites did they identify?
 A. Eroded places
 B. Sites with healthy crops
 C. Sites with weeds
 D. Sites with a lot of manure
5. Which one of the following practices helps in soil improvement?
 A. Constructing a dam
 B. Constructing an organic waste pit
 C. Planting crops
 D. Digging the land

6. The picture below shows a method used by a farmer to conserve water on the farm.



Identify the method used.

- A. Mulching B. Shading
C. Cover cropping D. Weeding
7. Which one of the following crops cannot be used as a cover crop?
- A. Beans B. Sweet potatoes
C. Desmodium D. Onions
8. Grade 5 learners were asked by their teacher to list materials that can be used for mulching. Which of the following is correct?
- A. Banana leaves and dry grass
B. Plastic papers and sacks
C. Dry grass and sacks
D. Twigs and polythene bags
9. Wild animals should not be killed because they are important to us. Which one of the following is an importance of wild animals?
- A. They destroy crops
B. They kill domestic animals
C. They attract tourists
D. They scare away domestic animals
10. The picture below shows a cover crop.



Identify the cover crop shown.

- A. Pumpkin B. Sweet potato
C. Beans D. Maize
11. Which one of the following is a safe way of handling wild animals that destroy crops on the farm?
- A. Killing them B. Using safe traps
C. Beating them D. Poisoning them
12. What is the importance of growing vegetables on the farm?
- A. To provide protective foods
B. To provide energy-giving foods
C. To provide body-building foods
D. To provide a balanced diet
13. Identify the type of nursery bed shown in the picture below.



- A. Container nursery bed
B. Ground nursery bed
C. Container seed bed
D. Innovative tyre garden
14. Which one of the following tools is used to level a nursery bed during preparation?
- A. Jembe B. Panga
C. Rake D. Watering can
15. To prevent seedlings from drying up in the nursery bed, the farmer should
- A. water the seedlings B. add fertilizer
C. remove weeds D. add manure
16. Bees can be kept as domestic animals by farmers. What is their usefulness?
- A. They give us milk
B. They are kept for meat
C. They provide the farmer with honey
D. They are kept for their skin

17. The substances that we get from the food we eat are called

- A. nutrients B. diet C. food D. fibre

18. Which of the following food nutrients provides the body with energy?

- A. Proteins B. Vitamins
C. Water D. Carbohydrates

19. Which of the following is not an example of vegetables?

- A. Cabbage B. Potato
C. Kales D. Spinach

20. Which one of the following cannot be cooked by the dry fat frying method?

- A. Bacon B. Fish
C. Maize D. Chicken

21. The cooking method where food is submerged in extremely hot oil is known as

- A. dry fat frying B. shallow fat frying
C. boiling D. deep frying

22. Good grooming practices involve all the following except

- A. personal hygiene
B. dressing
C. physical exercises
D. poor etiquette

23. The following are safety measures that should be observed when cleaning surfaces at home. Which one is not correct?

- A. Use appropriate materials or equipment
B. Dry the surface properly
C. Clean when there are people in the room
D. Wear comfortable shoes that do not slip on wet floors

24. What is the purpose of using vinegar or lemon when laundering a fast-coloured cotton shirt or blouse?

- A. To brighten the colour
B. To change the colour
C. To remove dirt
D. To soak the cotton

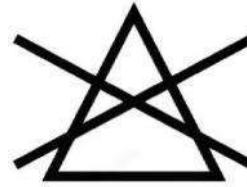
25. What should be done to clothes after laundering to prevent fading?

- A. Turn the cloth upside down
B. Turn the cloth inside out
C. Use vinegar when laundering
D. Soak in clean water

26. The following are fragile kitchen equipment. Which one is not fragile?

- A. Cup B. Glass plate
C. Wooden spoon D. Glass bowl

27. Mitchell saw the care label below on her blouse. What does it indicate?



- A. Dry clean B. Do not dry clean
C. Bleach D. Do not bleach

28. Carol is a tailor in our estate. She repairs torn clothes and also makes new ones. When sewing using a needle, she has to protect her fingers from getting pricked. The most appropriate tool to use is

- A. Tape measure B. Mask
C. Thimble D. Pin cushion

29. The item drawn below is used in sewing.



The item is called

- A. Calibrated string
B. Tape measure
C. Flexible ruler
D. Measuring string

30. The following are fuels used at home. Which one is not?

- A. Gas B. Firewood
C. Paraffin D. Water

ANSWERS

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