



DECEMBER ASSIGNMENT 2026

GRADE 5 – SOCIAL STUDIES ACTIVITY

Time: 2 HOURS



LEARNER'S DETAILS

Name: _____ SCHOOL: _____

ASST/UPI Number: _____ Date: _____

Instructions for Learners

1. Write your name, Assessment/UPI Number and the Date in the spaces provided.
2. Check the question paper carefully to ensure all pages are printed and no questions are missing.
3. Answer all the questions in the spaces provided.

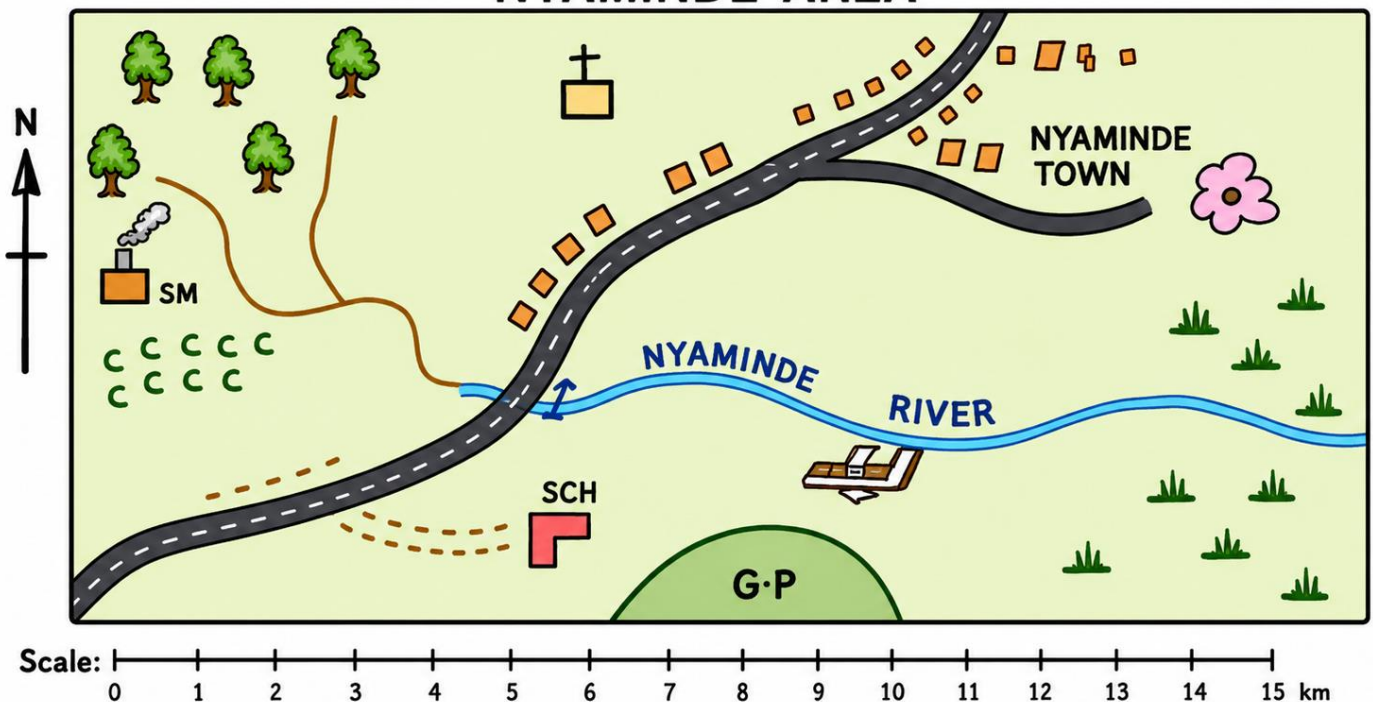
FOR EXAMINER'S USE

SECTION	% SCORE	Exceeding Expectations	Meeting Expectations	Approaching Expectations	Below Expectations	Assessors remarks
SCORE RANGE		75-100	40-74	21-39	1-20	
LEARNER SCORE						
LEVEL		4	3	2	1	
TICK LEVEL						

Answer ALL questions in this section

Study the map below and answer the question that follows.

NYAMINDE AREA



Key									
Tarmac road	Footpath	River	Bridge	Quarry	School	Airstrip	Scrub	Murram road	Settlement
Permanent building	Game park	Saw mill	Coffee	Church					
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1. Which one of the following economic activities is carried out in Nyaminde area?

- A. Lumbering
- B. Fishing
- C. Trading
- D. Selling

2. What is the main source of water in Nyaminde area?

- A. Quarry
- B. School
- C. River Nyaminde
- D. Game park

3. Which one of the following is the main cash crop grown in Nyaminde area?

- A. Tea
- B. Coffee
- C. Maize
- D. Cotton

4. What type of settlement is found in Nyaminde area?

- A. Linear
- B. Clustered
- C. Scattered
- D. Sparse

5. Nyaminde area is a:

- A. Ward
- B. Sub-county
- C. Constituency
- D. County

6. The people of Nyaminde area are mainly:

- A. Pagans
- B. Muslims
- C. Hindus
- D. Christians

7. Which one of the following is NOT a historical built environment in Kenya?

- A. Monuments
- B. Forests
- C. Gedi Ruins
- D. Fort Jesus

8. A resource is something that we can use to make:

- A. Wealth
- B. Clothes
- C. Taxes
- D. Table mats

9. The growing of traditional crops mainly for family consumption is called _____ farming.

- A. Arable
- B. Subsistence
- C. Livestock
- D. Mixed

10. Which country borders Kenya to the north-west?

- A. Somalia
- B. Tanzania
- C. South Sudan
- D. Ethiopia

11. Which is the largest language group in Kenya?

- A. Bantu
- B. Nilotes
- C. Semites
- D. Cushites

12. The following are horticultural crops EXCEPT:

- A. Pineapples
- B. Roses
- C. Vegetables
- D. Coffee

13. What type of climate is experienced along the coastal area near the Indian Ocean?

- A. Mountain climate
- B. Modified equatorial climate
- C. Desert climate
- D. Tropical climate

14. Which one of the following is NOT a relief feature?

- A. Mountain
- B. Valley
- C. River
- D. Hill

15. The main elements of a map include the frame, title, scale, compass and:

- A. Map
- B. Location
- C. Key
- D. Quarry

16. Which one of the following is NOT a dairy product?

- A. Wool B. Cream C. Cheese D. Ghee

17. Soda ash is a mineral mined in Kenya at:

- A. Gilgil
B. Magadi
C. Bamburi
D. Ngamia

18. Which one of the following is a problem facing mining in Kenya?

- A. Security in the mines
B. Adequate capital
C. Lack of skilled labour
D. Good roads

19. The following are methods of fishing EXCEPT:

- A. Net drifting
B. Harpooning
C. Nile perch
D. Hook and line

20. Which one of the following is an example of a national park in Kenya?

- A. Marsabit
B. Amboseli
C. Losai
D. Kisite

21. Which type of birds is a major tourist attraction at Lake Nakuru?

- A. Weaver birds
B. Peacocks
C. Flamingos
D. Vultures

22. A person who travels to various places for leisure and enjoyment is called a:

- A. Tourist B. Trader
C. Buyer D. Tourism

23. The officers who protect wildlife in game parks are called:

- A. Watchmen B. Wardens
C. Askaris D. K.D.F.

24. The Maasai warriors are called:

- A. Manyattas
B. Laibons
C. Morans
D. Prophets

25. The degree of hotness or coldness of a place is called:

- A. Weather
B. Temperature
C. Wind
D. Rain

26. The meat obtained from a pig is called:

- A. Beef
B. Poultry
C. Bacon
D. Mutton

27. The fastest means of communication among the following is through the use of:

- A. Horns
B. Telephone services
C. Telegrams
D. Postal services

28. People who walk along or beside a road are called:

- A. Vehicles
B. Pedestrians
C. Passengers
D. Travellers

29. General elections in Kenya are held after every:

- A. Two years
B. Three years
C. Four years
D. Five years

30. A Giriama leader who resisted European traders and colonial rule was called:

- A. Kivoi
B. Mugo
C. Mekatilili
D. Mulungu

ANSWER KEY

1. A
2. C
3. B
4. A
5. D
6. D
7. B
8. A
9. B
10. C
11. A
12. D
13. B
14. C
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16. A
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26. C
27. B
28. B
29. D
30. C