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1. Use **HB pencil** throughout.
2. If you have got a blank answer sheet, complete its top section as follows.
 - (a) In the space marked *Name*, write in capital letters your **surname** followed by your **other names**.
 - (b) In the spaces marked *Examination, Year, Subject and Paper*, write 'WASSCE', '2011 NOV.', 'ENGLISH LANGUAGE' and '3', respectively.
 - (c) In the box marked *Index Number*, write your **index number** vertically in the spaces on the left-hand side. There are numbered spaces in line with each digit. Shade carefully the space with the same number as each digit.
 - (d) In the box marked *Paper Code*, write the digits **302343** in the spaces on the left-hand side. Shade the corresponding numbered spaces in the same way as for your index number.
 - (e) In the box marked *Sex*, shade the space marked **M** if you are **male**, or **F** if you are **female**.
3. If you have got a pre-printed answer sheet, check that the details are correctly printed, as described in 2 above. In the boxes marked *Index Number, Paper Code and Sex*, **reshade** each of the shaded spaces.
4. An example is given below. This is for a **male** candidate, whose name is **Chukwuma Adekunle CIROMA**, whose **index number** is **5251102068** and who is offering **English Language 3**.

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- INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**
1. Use grade **HB pencil** throughout.
 2. Answer each question by choosing one letter and shading it like this: [A] [B] [C]
 3. Erase completely any answers you wish to change.
 4. Leave extra spaces blank if the answer spaces provided are more than you need.
 5. Do not make any markings across the heavy black marks at the right-hand edge of your answer sheet.

For Supervisors only.
 If candidate is absent shade this space:

Answer all the questions.

Each question is followed by four options lettered A to D. Find out the correct option for each question and shade in pencil on your answer sheet, the answer space which bears the same letter as the option you have chosen. Give only one answer to each question.

Be sure you understand the instructions at the beginning of each section before you try to answer any of the questions that follow them.

Do not spend too much time on a question. If you find a question difficult, leave it and go on and try it again later.

Use HB pencil throughout. If you wish to change an answer, erase your first answer completely and shade the appropriate space for the new answer.

Do all rough work on this question paper.

SECTION 1

From the words lettered A to D, choose the word that has the same vowel sound as the one represented by the letter(s) underlined. An example is given below.

Example: seat

- A. sit
- B. cite
- C. set
- D. key

The correct answer is D because only key contains the same vowel as the one underlined in seat. Therefore, answer space D would be shaded.

[A]

[B]

[C]

[D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

1. reach

- A. breath
- B. chick
- C. breed
- D. heard

2. eacher

- A. erase
- B. peck
- C. alone
- D. prey

3. aid

- A. says
- B. paid
- C. laid
- D. pride

4. ew

- A. book
- B. coup
- C. sew
- D. were

5. uitar

- A. circuit
- B. seize
- C. fruit
- D. quay

6. ait

- A. plate
- B. cab
- C. path
- D. wait

7. auard

- A. gourd
- B. clerk
- C. man
- D. guest

8. ause

- A. was
- B. sport
- C. dog
- D. swam

9. ough

- A. now
- B. boo
- C. young
- D. bought

- 10. could
 - A. canoe
 - B. shoe
 - C. fuel
 - D. put
- 11. cover
 - A. flush
 - B. work
 - C. cot
 - D. over
- 12. journey
 - A. ugly
 - B. four
 - C. couple
 - D. earth
- 13. height
 - A. eight
 - B. heir
 - C. rye
 - D. weight
- 14. weird
 - A. fire
 - B. peer
 - C. pea
 - D. fried
- 15. care
 - A. here
 - B. fear
 - C. air
 - D. deer

SECTION 2

From the words lettered A to D, choose the word that has the **same consonant sound** as the one represented by the letter(s) underlined. An example is given below.

Example: vice

- A. cat
- B. dress
- C. show
- D. chalk

The correct answer is B because only dress has the same consonant sound as the one underlined in vice. Therefore, answer space B would be shaded.

[A] ~~[B]~~ [C] [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

- 16. song
 - A. snag
 - B. thing
 - C. stone
 - D. smog
- 17. seize
 - A. cease
 - B. peace
 - C. sees
 - D. price
- 18. plumber
 - A. blame
 - B. rubber
 - C. carry
 - D. handy
- 19. cough
 - A. psyche
 - B. physics
 - C. psychology
 - D. though
- 20. thought
 - A. taught
 - B. though
 - C. those
 - D. theme
- 21. treasure
 - A. fridge
 - B. soldier
 - C. illusion
 - D. stage

- 22. further
 - A. tooth
 - B. think
 - C. although
 - D. thanks
- 23. river
 - A. cart
 - B. bark
 - C. hurt
 - D. marry
- 24. salt
 - A. boys
 - B. psalm
 - C. praise
 - D. shore
- 25. ritual
 - A. taste
 - B. rite
 - C. watch
 - D. it
- 26. vast
 - A. pest
 - B. fiesta
 - C. invest
 - D. west
- 27. den
 - A. bathe
 - B. then
 - C. laid
 - D. they
- 28. home
 - A. honour
 - B. heir
 - C. hour
 - D. hover
- 29. get
 - A. gesture
 - B. engine
 - C. ghastly
 - D. neighbour

- 30. tomb
 - A. castle
 - B. length
 - C. thigh
 - D. worked

SECTION 3

From the words lettered A to D, choose the word that **rhymes** with the given word. An example is given below.

Example: obtain

- A. detain
- B. detail
- C. claim
- D. relay

The correct answer is A because only detain rhymes with obtain. Therefore, answer space A would be shaded.

[A] [B] [C] [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

- 31. match
 - A. flush
 - B. mast
 - C. batch
 - D. preach
- 32. roam
 - A. home
 - B. from
 - C. broom
 - D. prune
- 33. burrow
 - A. drummer
 - B. furrow
 - C. token
 - D. bureau
- 34. repent
 - A. repeat
 - B. invent
 - C. report
 - D. repaid

35. lane
- A. ray
 - B. neigh
 - C. reign
 - D. prime

SECTION 4

In each of the following questions, the main/primary stress is indicated by writing the syllable on which it occurs in capital letters.

From the words lettered A to D, choose the one that has the **correct stress**. An example is given below.

Example: democratic

- A. DE-mo-cra-tic
- B. de-MO-cra-tic
- C. de-mo-CRA-tic
- D. de-mo-cra-TIC

The correct answer is C because the main/primary stress of the word democratic is on the third syllable. Therefore, answer space C would be shaded.

[A] [B] [C] [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

36. humility
- A. Hu-mi-li-ty
 - B. hu-MI-li-ty
 - C. hu-mi-LI-ty
 - D. hu-mi-li-TY
37. motivation
- A. MO-ti-va-tion
 - B. mo-TI-va-tion
 - C. mo-ti-VA-tion
 - D. mo-ti-va-TION
38. perishable
- A. PER-i-sha-ble
 - B. per-I-sha-ble
 - C. per-i-SHA-ble
 - D. per-i-sha-BLE

39. curriculum
- A. CUR-ri-cu-lum
 - B. cur-RI-cu-lum
 - C. cur-ri-CU-lum
 - D. cur-ri-cu-LUM

40. impossible
- A. IM-pos-si-ble
 - B. im-POS-si-ble
 - C. im-pos-SI-ble
 - D. im-pos-si-BLE

SECTION 5

In the following options lettered A to D, all the words **except one** have the same stress pattern. Identify the one with the **different stress pattern** and shade your answer in the usual way. An example is given below.

Example:

- A. away
- B. apart
- C. behind
- D. river

Options A, B, C are all stressed on the second syllable while option D is the only one stressed on the first syllable. So, D is the correct answer. Therefore, answer space D would be shaded.

[A] [B] [C] [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

41. A. number
B. command
C. conclude
D. remark
42. A. centre
B. people
C. certain
D. concern

- 43. A. defensive
B. quality
C. dependable
D. indiscipline
- 44. A. exodus
B. exercise
C. examine
D. execute
- 45. A. supply
B. madam
C. demand
D. request

SECTION 6

In each of the following sentences, the word that receives the **emphatic stress** is written in **capital letters**. From the questions lettered A to D, choose the one to which the given sentence is the appropriate answer. An example is given below.

Example: My mother's FRIEND hates pets.

- A. Does your mother's boss hate pets?
- B. Does your mother's friend love pets?
- C. Does your mother's friend hate toys?
- D. Does your father's friend hate pets?

The correct answer is A because My mother's FRIEND hates pets answers the question, Does your mother's boss hate pets? Therefore, answer space A would be shaded.

[A] [B] [C] [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

- 46. Michael works weekdays at the HOSPITAL.
A. Does John work weekdays at the hospital?
B. Does Michael work weekends at the hospital?
C. Does Michael work weekdays at the gymnasium?
D. Does Michael sing weekdays at the hospital?

- 47. Mary's watch is made of SILVER.
A. Is Mary's watch made of gold?
B. Is John's watch made of silver?
C. Is Mary's bag made of silver?
D. Is Mary's watch made without silver?
- 48. The Nigerian team WON the Nation's Cup in 1994.
A. Did the Ghanaian team win the Nation's Cup in 1994?
B. Did the Nigerian team lose the Nation's Cup in 1994?
C. Did the Nigerian team win the World Cup in 1994?
D. Did the Nigerian team win the Nation's Cup in 2006?
- 49. My uncle is coming FROM Kano today.
A. Is my sister coming from Kano today?
B. Is my uncle coming from Abuja today?
C. Is my uncle coming to Kano today?
D. Is my uncle coming from Kano tomorrow?
- 50. The FINAL paper of the examination was easy.
A. Was the final paper of the examination difficult?
B. Was the first paper of the examination easy?
C. Was the final paper of the test easy?
D. Was the final session of the examination easy?

SECTION 7

From the words lettered A to D, choose the word that contains the **sound** represented by the given phonetic symbol. An example is given below.

Example: /ɔɪ/

- A. yell
- B. holy
- C. boy
- D. idiot

The correct answer is C because only boy contains the sound represented by the given symbol. Therefore, answer space C would be shaded.

[A] [B] ~~[C]~~ [D]

Now answer the questions that follow.

51. /i/

- A. guitar
- B. seize
- C. pretty
- D. lettuce

52. /e/

- A. leopard
- B. pity
- C. phoenix
- D. key

53. /ʊ/

- A. foot
- B. two
- C. blue
- D. shoe

54. /ʌ/

- A. cool
- B. couple
- C. work
- D. journey

55. /ə/

- A. early
- B. work
- C. kingdom
- D. make

56. /ʃ/

- A. measure
- B. beige
- C. pressure
- D. church

57. /dʒ/

- A. wages
- B. matches
- C. goggle
- D. saddle

58. /j/

- A. rage
- B. stew
- C. jump
- D. jail

59. /z/

- A. lace
- B. dress
- C. sink
- D. easy

60. /θ/

- A. this
- B. brother
- C. method
- D. sudden