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SEE 002: EDUCATION, SOCIAL ORGANIZATION, CUSTOM AND CULTURE OF NIGERIA

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THE ANSWER SHEET PROVIDED

TIME ALLOWED: 1 HOUR

1. The practice of fattening to initiate young girls into marriage was popular among the (a)Ibibio (b) Isoko (c) Ovie (d) Urhobo
2. The earliest Europeans to visit what is now known as Nigeria were (a) Anglican Missionaries (b) Roman Catholic Missionaries (c) The Portuguese (d) Methodist Missionaries
3. The minister of capital territory at the emirate level in the hausa kingdom is called (a) Madawaki (b) Galadima (c) Waziri (d) Sarkin lada
4. The first missionary school in Badagry was established by (a) Mr and Mrs DeGraft (b) Reverend Henry Townsend (c) Samuel Ajayi Crowther (d) Reverend Hope Waddell
5. The administrative officer who is in charge of ceremonial duties is known as (a) The Madawaki (b) The Galadima (c) The Sarkin Lada (d) The Waziri
6. The pioneer methodist missionary to come to an area now known as Nigeria is (a) Reverend Henry Townsend (b) Reverend Thomas Barch Freeman (c) Samuel Ajayi Crowther (d) Reverend Hope Waddell
7. The name of the first principal of CMS Grammar School was (a) Rev. T.B Macaulay (b) J. M Harden (c) Edward Miller (d) Henry Townsend
8. The Igbo concept of law was based on the belief that law came from the earth goddess called (a) Otola (b) Ofor (c) Odio (d) Ala
9. In the yoruba indigeneous moral educational system, a child that was born and not trained is called (a) Akogba (b) Abiko (c) Omoale (d) Omolasan
10. During the barter period \_\_\_\_\_ was the most acceptable item of transaction (a) Palm Products (b) Textile (c) Agro products (d) Farm products
11. The head of the senior household in Igbo community is called (a) Okpara (b) Galadima (c) Waziri (d) Sarkin Lada
12. In the Nigerian indigeneous economic system, people who served as collateral securities for loans are known as (a) Slaves (b) Pawns and Peons (c) Clientage (d) Cooperative Group
13. The University College Ibadan was established by (a) Dr. Azikwe (b) Dr. Haskins (c) Dr. Flexner (d) Dr Kenneth Mellanby
14. "Little reliance can be placed upon traditions of nations who are unacquainted with the art of writing" This assertion was made by who?
  - a. Fajana
  - b. Ellis
  - c. Fafunwa

4 d. Robert Mugsbe

15. \_\_\_\_\_ are recognized as accumulating "trivials" and training the memory of children.
- Ethics
  - Oral transmissions
  - Taboos
  - Riddles
16. According to Fajana "the fact that Yoruba philosophy is unwritten is enough to tempt anyone to feel that the people "thought" little. But when we remember that books are only aids to memory or a way of communicating ideas, it will be appreciated that writing is not really essential to fruitful thinking". What is your opinion of this statement?
- Logical but unreasonable
  - Illogical but reasonable
  - Logical and reasonable
  - Illogical and unreasonable
17. One can say that while riddles are metaphorical, folktales are predominantly \_\_\_\_\_.
- Axiological
  - Metaphysical
  - Epistemological
  - systematic
18. A saying like "It bears fruits, we cannot pluck them, the fruits fall, we cannot gather them, what is it?" is an example of
- Proverb
  - Idiom
  - Folklore
  - Riddle
19. \_\_\_\_\_ are acceptable phrases, constructions and expressions usually contrary to the normal patterns of language, expressions of having meaning different from the literal
- Proverbs
  - Idioms
  - Folklores
  - Riddles
20. "If a child has as many clothes as his father, he has not as many rags". This proverb could be referred as a one said to:
- advise
  - comment
  - reproach
  - warn
  - encourage
21. Which of the following proverbs could be used to encourage someone?
- A snake bites a smart and a wise person, only once
  - A teacher will not teach us to do evil if we don't have evil inside us
  - Once bitten twice shy
  - It may take a long time, the stammerer will call father

22. The followings are political office holders at emirate level EXCEPT
- The Magaji
  - The Galadima
  - The Sarkin ladin
  - The Sarkin fada
23. The followings are the ways through which the power of a king could be checked in Yoruba kingdom EXCEPT by
- forcing him to open an empty calabash
  - sending him to exile
  - depriving him of his traditional right
  - consult gods for appropriate punishment
24. In Hausa/Fulani community, the administrative officer who is in charge of ceremonial duties is
- The Mingua
  - The Waziri
  - The Galadima
  - The Madawaki
25. The administrative system of Igbo people was based on
- Age grade
  - Accumulation of wealth
  - Social Unit
  - Social class
26. The roles performed by Balogun in tradition Yoruba kingdom could be likened to function of
- The Waziri
  - The Madawaki
  - The Sarkin fada
  - The Galadima
27. In tradition igbo community, "ofò" is the symbol of the following EXCEPT
- Justice
  - Authority
  - Right conduct
  - power
28. Another name for chief alkali in Islamic law is known as
- Alkadi
  - Khadi
  - Akhadi
  - Kahdi
29. Among the Urobo people, justice could be dispensed at the following levels EXCEPT
- family level
  - quarter level
  - village level
  - town level
30. Usually a thief caught in the act would have one of the following as penalty
- Two hands amputated
  - Stone death in the public



- (A) pedagogical (B) phonological (C) educational (D) print
42. By far the **most** serious problem confronting the teaching of English Language in the nation's schools has to do with the quality of the ..... available  
(A) Teachers (B) textbooks (C) L2 users (D) transcript writers
43. In the 1989 constitution, subsection 19 (4) states: "Government shall encourage the ..... of the indigenous languages"  
(A) teaching (B) speaking (C) abolition (D) learning
44. The teaching of the three major indigenous languages as second language was faced with both ..... and ..... problems  
(A) economic/political (B) attitudinal/behavioural (C) logistics/conceptual (D) sociological/psychological
45. The policy that was drafted in 1973 conference contained----- sections  
a. 14  
b. 12  
c. 13  
d. 10
46. The teacher-pupil ratio for pre-primary is-----  
a. 1-30  
b. 1-25  
c. 1-35  
d. 1-20
47. Which section of the National Policy on Education states that no education system can rise above the quality of its teachers  
a. Section 10  
b. Section 28  
c. Section 57  
d. section 55
48. All these are part of the policy on education **EXCEPT**  
a. Nomadic education  
b. Special education  
c. Technical education  
d. Non-Formal education
49. Which of the following people chaired **1973 conference on education**  
a. A. B. Fafunwa  
b. S. O. Adebo  
c. B. Idowu  
d. M. A. Makinde
50. The communiqué reached at the education summit for tertiary education in Nigeria included all these **EXCEPT**

- a. University education would be tuition-free
- b. NUC and FME would organize and finance the universities
- c. A greater proportion of education expenditure would be devoted to science and technology
- d. The university graduates would be offered employments

51. The teacher-pupil ratio for primary is-----

- e. 1-35
- f. 1-20
- g. 1-25
- h. 1-30

52. Which year was education made free but not compulsory in Nigeria?

- a. 1986
- b. 1967
- c. 1976
- d. 1977

53. At what level of education was counselling included in the system of education in Nigeria?

- a. University
- b. Secondary
- c. Tertiary
- d. Primary

54. The recommendations of 1973 conference passed through these bodies but not

- a. NCE
- b. NIJC
- c. JCCE
- d. FME

55. At what level of the policy would religious instruction be made available without compelling the students to accept them?

- a. Special education level
- b. Secondary education level
- c. Philosophy of Nigerian education level
- a. Primary education level

56. The following overall national objectives

- Preparation for useful living within the society; and
- Preparation for higher education

are meant for

- a. Secondary education
- b. Primary education
- c. Vocational education
- d. Special education

57. The main purpose of establishing open university is to
- Add to the number of existing universities
  - Run better courses
  - Liberalize education
  - Prevent students from going overseas to study
58. At what level of education is evening schooling practicable?
- Technical education
  - Adult & non-formal education
  - Special education
  - Pre-primary education
59. The following bodies are the cabinet for the formulation of educational policy EXCEPT
- NCE
  - JCC
  - NUC
  - NCE & JCC
60. The first tertiary institution established in Nigeria was
- University College, Ibadan
  - Nigerian College of Arts, Science and Technology
  - Yaba Higher College
  - Methodist Boys High School, Lagos