



# TOM NEWBY SCHOOL EXAMINATION



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<b>Subject</b>	<b>GEOGRAPHY</b>	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Mrs P Singh</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>21 November 2017</b>	<b>Total marks</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>Session</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>1 hour</b>
<b>Grade</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Moderator</b>	<b>Miss Albertyn</b>
<b>Special instructions/ Equipment</b>	<b>1. Read all the questions carefully. 2. Answer all questions on the question paper</b>		
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## **QUESTION 1:** Climates of the world

[5]

Multiple choice.

- 1.1. The coldest parts of the world are at the:
  - a. Northern and Southern hemispheres.
  - b. North and South Poles.
  - c. Equator.
  - d. Eastern and Western hemispheres.
  
- 1.2. The height above sea level also affects:
  - a. Wind speed.
  - b. Humidity.
  - c. Temperature.
  - d. Cloud cover.
  
- 1.3. The higher we go the \_\_\_\_\_ it gets.
  - a. colder.
  - b. hotter.
  - c. wetter.
  - d. windier.
  
- 1.4. Places near the sea have a \_\_\_\_\_ climate.
  - a. hot.
  - b. moderate.
  - c. cold.
  - d. wet.
  
- 1.5. The sea \_\_\_\_\_ the land in summer.
  - a. wets.
  - b. heats.
  - c. cools.
  - d. dries.

**QUESTION 2:** Lagos

[8]

Fill in the blank spaces to completed the facts.

- 2.1. Lagos is located along the \_\_\_\_\_ coastline.
- 2.2. It is one of the largest and \_\_\_\_\_ cities on the continent of Africa.
- 2.3. Lagos has a tropical \_\_\_\_\_ climate.
- 2.4. Lagos experienced a large growth of population when oil was discovered in \_\_\_\_\_ in the 1970s.
- 2.5. Most of the country's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ institutions are in Lagos.
- 2.6. Lagos has some overcrowded areas. These areas are called \_\_\_\_\_.

**QUESTION 3:** Tropical Rainforests

[8]

True or False. State whether the following statements are true or false. If it is false, correct the statement.

- 3.1. Tropical rainforests are called the 'jewels of the earth' because all the world's plant and animal species live in these forests.

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- 3.2. Tropical rainforests are found along the low-lying areas of the equator.

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- 3.3. Tropical rainforests are forests that are cold and dry.

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- 3.4. One of the most well-known rainforests is the Amazon forest.

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3.5. Trees are very important because they turn oxygen into nitrogen.

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3.6. Rainforests absorb 7.8 million tons of carbon dioxide every year.

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**QUESTION 4:** Location of Settlements

[8]

Study the pictures below. Now, state the type of town that has been established and give a reason why the settlement came about.

Picture	Type of Town	Reason
4.1. 	(1)	(1)
4.2. 	(1)	(1)
4.3. 	(1)	(1)
4.4. 	(1)	(1)

**QUESTION 5:** The Bedouin Lifestyle.

[6]

Matching.

Match the word in Column A with the phrase in Column B.

<u>Column A</u>	<u>Column B</u>
5.1. Camels	a. People who move from one area to another.
5.2. Bedouins	b. A water source in the desert that provides water for humans and animals.
5.3. Cairo	c. They transported salt, spices, gold and ivory through the desert.
5.4. Nomads	d. Is a famous trading town, in the Sahara Desert.
5.5. Timbuktu	e. Are used to carry belongings across the desert.
5.6. Oasis	f. Is found on the Nile River.

5.1. \_\_\_\_\_ 5.2. \_\_\_\_\_ 5.3. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5.4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5.5. \_\_\_\_\_ 5.6. \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 6:** Natural vegetation and Wildlife in the desert.

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6.1. List two ways plants have adapted to living in the desert. (2)

- a. \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_

6.2. Name three ways in which animals have adapted to living in the desert. (3)

- a. \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 7:** Long Questions (full sentences)

[10]

7.1. Give two reasons as to how the Orang-utan has adapted to living in the Tropical Rainforest. (2)

- a. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
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7.2. Provide one reason as to why the Orang-utan is becoming endangered. (1)

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7.3. Compare rural areas to urban areas by providing two differences. (2)

<u>Rural Areas</u>	<u>Urban Areas</u>
1. _____ _____	1. _____ _____
2. _____ _____	2. _____ _____

7.4. You live in the city. In your opinion what are some of the negative effects of living in the city? Write two good sentences to explain this. (2)

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
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7.5. The Northern Cape is the most sparsely populated province in South Africa. Why do you think most people do not want to live there? (1)

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7.6. a. What is the name of the area you live in?  
b. Why do you think your parents chose to live in this area? Give two good reasons. (2)

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