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CARIBBEAN STUDIES

Paper 01

1 hour 30 minutes

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

1. This paper consists of fifteen questions. Answer ALL questions.
2. Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
3. You have an average of six minutes per question.
4. You should NOT bring notes or other textual materials into the examination room for use during the sitting of this paper.

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SECTION A

MODULE 1 – CARIBBEAN SOCIETY AND CULTURE

1. (a) Define the term ‘diaspora’.

[2 marks]

- (b) Outline TWO ways in which the Caribbean diaspora contributes to the Caribbean region.

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

2. Explain how EACH of the following contributed to the movement towards independence in the British West Indies:

- (a) Adult suffrage movement

[3 marks]

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(b) Internal self-government

[3 marks]

Total 6 marks

3. Define EACH of the following terms:

(i) Caste

[2 marks]

(ii) Dougla

[2 marks]

(iii) Mestizo

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

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4. Describe THREE ways in which drought affects the environment in the Caribbean.

Total 6 marks

5. (a) Describe TWO ways in which a **named** Hindu festival OR Islamic celebration impacts Caribbean society.

[4 marks]

(b) State TWO ways in which Caribbean carnivals contribute to the economies of the region.

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

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SECTION B

MODULE 2 – ISSUES IN CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENT

6. (a) Explain why ‘good governance’ is considered an indicator of development.

[3 marks]

- (b) Explain the difference between Gross Domestic Product (GDP) and Gross National Product (GNP).

[3 marks]

Total 6 marks

7. Explain ONE way in which EACH of the following groups has been impacted by the **unequal** distribution of wealth in the Caribbean:

(i) Indigenous peoples

[2 marks]

(ii) Women

[2 marks]

(iii) The elite

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

8. Explain THREE ways in which the Caribbean Tourism Organisation (CTO) promotes development in the region.

Total 6 marks

9. Outline THREE aims of the Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA) signed between the European Union and CARIFORUM in 2008.

Total 6 marks

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10. Explain the role of EACH of the following institutions in the development of the Caribbean region:

(i) The Caribbean Development Bank (CDB)

[3 marks]

(ii) The West Indies Cricket Board (WICB)

[3 marks]

Total 6 marks

SECTION C

**MODULE 3 – INVESTIGATING HUMAN AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT
IN THE CARIBBEAN**

11. “Countries with democratic political systems do not go to war with other like-minded countries.”

(a) State TWO reasons why the statement above can be considered a hypothesis.

[2 marks]

(b) Identify TWO variables in the hypothesis.

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

12. The World Trade Organization (WTO) has been approached by Country A to investigate a complaint against Country B over the sale of pepper sauce. You have been asked to carry out research on the case.

(a) State TWO advantages of using primary sources of data for this research.

[2 marks]

(b) State TWO ways in which you would establish the reliability of your data-collecting instruments.

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

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13. Describe TWO ways in which quantitative research differs from qualitative research.

Total 4 marks

14. (a) Give TWO reasons why it is important to refer to the research objectives in the conclusion of a research study.

[2 marks]

- (b) Give TWO reasons why it is important to include new or interesting findings in the conclusion of a research study.

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

15. (a) Define the term 'plagiarism'.

[2 marks]

(b) State ONE reason why plagiarism is unacceptable in research.

[1 mark]

(c) State ONE measure that a researcher can take to avoid plagiarism.

[1 mark]

Total 4 marks

END OF TEST

IF YOU FINISH BEFORE TIME IS CALLED, CHECK YOUR WORK ON THIS TEST.