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Paper 01

1 hour 30 minutes

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

1. This paper consists of fifteen questions. Answer ALL questions.
2. Write your answers to each question in the spaces 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) State the names of the TWO mainland Caribbean countries where English is the official language.

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[2 marks]

- (b) Identify ONE **geographical** feature of mainland Caribbean countries.

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[1 mark]

- (c) Name ONE **geological** feature of a mainland Caribbean country and explain ONE way in which it impacts the society.

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[3 marks]

Total 6 marks

2. (a) State the name of the individual who crafted the term 'creolisation'.

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[1 mark]

- (b) Distinguish between the terms 'acculturation' and 'creolisation'.

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[4 marks]

- (c) State the name of ONE creolised Caribbean music form.

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[1 mark]

Total 6 marks

3. (a) Explain why flooding is a natural event in the Caribbean.

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[2 marks]

- (b) Outline TWO ways in which flooding has an economic impact on Caribbean economies.

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[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

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4. (a) State the name of ONE Caribbean individual who was awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature.

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[1 mark]

- (b) Identify the country of origin of the individual named in 4 (a).

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[1 mark]

- (c) Outline TWO ways in which EITHER the visual arts OR traditional dance forms contribute to the creation of Caribbean culture.

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Total 6 marks

5. (a) State TWO reasons why people from the Anglophone Caribbean migrated to North America after 1960.

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[2 marks]

- (b) Explain TWO ways in which Cuban migrants in the United States influenced US – Cuban relations.

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[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

SECTION B

MODULE 2 – ISSUES IN CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENT

6. (a) Define the term ‘Human Development Index’.

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[2 marks]

- (b) Outline TWO ways in which the Human Development Index is a useful measure of human development.

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[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

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7. (a) Explain the purpose of the Gini coefficient.

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[3 marks]

(b) Distinguish between ‘sustainable development’ and ‘economic development’.

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[3 marks]

Total 6 marks

8. (a) Identify TWO Caribbean industries that have been affected adversely by globalization.

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[2 marks]

(b) Outline ONE way in which EACH of the industries identified in 8 (a) has been affected adversely by globalization.

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[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

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9. (a) From the countries that are members of the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS), identify ONE country that is

(i) independent

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[1 mark]

(ii) non-independent

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[1 mark]

(b) Explain TWO ways in which the OECS functions as an economic union.

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Total 6 marks

10. (a) Explain the term ‘affirmative action’ as it relates to gender.

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[2 marks]

(b) Outline TWO reasons why few women occupy leadership positions in the Caribbean.

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[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

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SECTION C

MODULE 3 – INVESTIGATING ISSUES IN THE CARIBBEAN

- 11.** The Caribbean Parent Teachers Association is conducting research on the incidence of absenteeism in schools. They have developed the following hypothesis:

Facebook has contributed to the growing problem of absenteeism in Caribbean secondary schools.

- (a) Identify TWO variables in the hypothesis.

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[2 marks]

- (b) Identify ONE data collection instrument that could be used to undertake the research and state ONE reason to support your choice.

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[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

12. (a) Define the term ‘validity’ as it relates to research.

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[2 marks]

(b) Explain ONE way of ensuring that conclusions from the data are valid.

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[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

13. (a) Outline ONE advantage of using Internet sources for research.

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[2 marks]

(b) Outline ONE disadvantage of using Internet sources for research.

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[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

14. You have been asked by the Ministry of Culture to conduct research on the number of parties held during the carnival season from 2008 to 2012, and the ages and gender of those attending these parties.

(a) Formulate TWO research questions that your data will seek to answer.

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[2 marks]

(b) Give ONE reason why a text format would NOT be a preferred method of presenting the data from your research.

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[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

15. As a student of CAPE Caribbean Studies, you have decided to do your School-Based Assessment project on the incidence of police brutality against teenagers in your district.

(a) State TWO reasons why you would have to gain the consent of your research subjects.

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[2 marks]

(b) Outline TWO measures that you can take to guarantee the confidentiality of your respondents.

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[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

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