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SOCIAL STUDIES

Paper 02 – General Proficiency

2 hours 40 minutes

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

This paper has THREE sections as follows:

SECTION A	Questions 1, 2 and 3	– Individual, Family and Society
SECTION B	Part I – Questions 4 and 5	– Development and Use of Resources
	Part II – Questions 6 and 7	– Regional Integration
SECTION C	Question 8	– Communication
	Question 9	– Consumer Affairs
	Question 10	– Tourism

1. You MUST answer a total of FIVE questions – TWO from SECTION A, TWO from SECTION B (choose ONE from Part I and ONE from Part II) and ONE from SECTION C.

2. Where questions require an explanation, suggestion, proposal or reason, you should develop your response fully.

3. Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet.

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5. You are advised to take some time to read through the paper and plan your answers.

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7. **If you use the extra page(s) you MUST write the question number clearly in the box provided at the top of the extra page(s) and, where relevant, include the question part beside the answer.**

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SECTION A

INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY AND SOCIETY

Answer TWO questions from this section.
ALL answers MUST be given in complete sentences.

Where questions require an explanation, suggestion, proposal or reason, you should develop your response fully.

1. (a) Define the term 'bigamy'.

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(b) (i) State TWO factors that may cause newly married couples to delay parenthood.

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(ii) Outline TWO reasons why emotional readiness is necessary for good parenting.

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(c) (i) Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies which parents may use to encourage their children to communicate with them. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested in (c) (i) is likely to be successful. **(6 marks)**

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2. (a) (i) Define the term 'culture'.

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(ii) List TWO factors which contribute to the cultural variety seen in Caribbean music.

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(b) Outline TWO reasons why Caribbean musicians may wish to promote their particular style of music.

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(c) (i) Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies the Ministry of Culture may use to encourage artistes to create music featuring the Caribbean rhythm. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Explain fully why EACH strategies you suggested in (c) (i) is likely to be successful. **(6 marks)**

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3. Josh: I have not voted for a parliamentary representative for my area for the last three elections.

Stan: I don't bother to vote either. The floating voters always decide the outcome of elections.

(a) (i) What does the term 'floating voter' in the dialogue mean?

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(2 marks)

(ii) State the term used to describe the voter behaviour shown by the two speakers in the dialogue above.

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(iii) Give TWO reasons why some registered voters may behave in a way similar to the speakers engaged in the dialogue.

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(b) State ONE problem that may arise when newly registered voters are NOT educated about the process of voting in an election.

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(c) (i) Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies which the youth arm of a political party may use to encourage young persons to vote. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Explain fully why EACH strategy suggested in (c) (i) is likely to be successful. **(6 marks)**

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SECTION B

PART I

DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF RESOURCES

Answer EITHER Question 4 OR Question 5.
ALL answers MUST be given in complete sentences.

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4. The following table gives the life expectancy rates of six countries, A to F. Use it to answer Part (a).

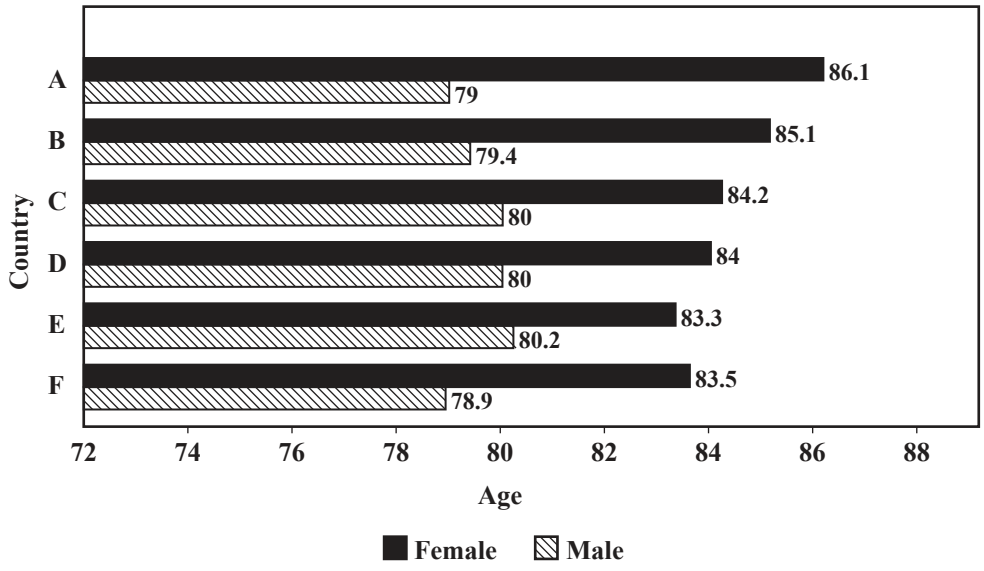


Figure 1: Countries with the highest life expectancy rates

(a) (i) Name the country with the HIGHEST life expectancy for males.

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(ii) Give TWO factors that could account for the difference in the life expectancy rates for males and females in Country F.

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(iii) State ONE conclusion that may be drawn from the graph about the life expectancy rate of the six countries.

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(b) Give TWO reasons why the government of a country would require statistics on health care.

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(c) (i) Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies the leader of a community group may implement to help members improve their nutrition and health. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested in (c) (i) is likely to be successful. **(6 marks)**

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5. (a) (i) Name the MAIN form of nonrenewable energy used in the Caribbean.

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(ii) List THREE ways in which forests contribute to the economy of a country.

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(3 marks)

(b) Outline TWO reasons why a Caribbean country may prefer to use **more** renewable sources of energy.

Reason 1: .....

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Reason 2: .....

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(4 marks)

(c) (i) Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies Caribbean governments may use to conserve natural resources. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Explain fully why EACH strategy, you suggested in (c) (i) is likely to be successful. **(6 marks)**

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PART II

REGIONAL INTEGRATION

Answer EITHER Question 6 OR Question 7.

Where questions require an explanation, suggestion, proposal or reason, you should develop your response fully.

6.

Sports: Integrating the Caribbean

Write an essay on the above topic. Begin by naming ONE sport in which the region is represented by a single team and identifying the body that is responsible for its development. Outline ONE advantage of this arrangement to the regional integration process. Explain TWO ways in which sportspersons in CARICOM countries benefit from participating in regional competitions. Suggest, giving full details, THREE actions which businesses may take to help in the development of sportsmen and sportswomen in the region. Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested is likely to be successful.

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7.

CARICOM Governments: Spearheading the Integration Process

Write an essay on the above topic. In your essay state TWO functions of the Conference of Heads of Government. Name TWO physical resources which are unequally distributed among CARICOM countries. Explain TWO ways in which the unequal distribution of these two resources, among CARICOM countries, has affected regional integration. Suggest THREE strategies which Caribbean governments could use to share resources. Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested is likely to be successful.

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SECTION C

OPTIONS

Answer ONLY ONE from Questions 8 to 10.

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8. COMMUNICATION

Communication: An essential element in promoting regional integration

Write an essay on the above topic. In your essay define the terms 'sender' and 'receiver'. State TWO ways in which failure of systems or equipment may affect the communication process. Explain TWO ways in which effective communication can assist the process of regional integration. Suggest THREE strategies that regional news agencies may use to extend their services to all Caribbean nationals. Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested is likely to be successful.

Total 20 marks

9. CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Hire-purchase: Advantages and disadvantages

Using the above headline, write an article for your school newspaper. Begin your article by stating TWO ways in which consumers benefit by buying goods on hire-purchase. State TWO ways a consumer may purchase an item other than by the hire-purchase method. Explain TWO ways by which businesses which offer hire-purchase arrangements exploit consumers. Suggest THREE actions a consumer may take to create a good credit relationship with a business that offers goods on hire-purchase. Explain fully why EACH action you suggested is likely to be successful.

Total 20 marks

10. TOURISM

Tourism: Creating Economic and Social Linkages

Write an essay on the above topic. State TWO ways in which the agricultural industry supports the tourism sector. Describe how ONE area of the economy, other than agriculture, benefits from tourism. Outline TWO reasons why tourism officials in the Caribbean may want visitors to interact with residents. Suggest, giving full details, THREE strategies a Ministry of Tourism may use to promote interaction between visitors and residents. Explain fully why EACH strategy you suggested is likely to be successful.

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