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Additional Materials required:
Multiple Choice Answer Sheet
Soft pencil (B or HB)
Soft clean eraser

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

1. Write your Centre number, candidate number and candidate name on the Answer Sheet in the spaces provided.
2. Use a soft pencil.
3. Answer **all** questions.
4. For each question there are four possible answers **A, B, C** and **D**.
5. Choose the **one** you consider correct and record your choice in soft pencil on the Answer Sheet.

Example:

If you think B is the right answer, mark the lozenge like this:

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6. Thoroughly erase mistakes when making changes to an answer.
7. Read the instructions on the Answer Sheet very carefully.
8. **DO NOT OPEN THIS PAPER UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.**

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- 1 Who created the Heavens and the Earth?
- A Jesus
 - B God
 - C Holy Ghost
 - D Holy Spirit
- 2 Which **one** of the following combinations best describes order of creation according to the Bible?
- (i) Light and darkness
 - (ii) Earth and Sea
 - (iii) Vegetation
 - (iv) Living creatures in water and birds
 - (v) Cattle and everything that creeps
 - (vi) Man
- A (vi), (v), (iii), (ii) and (i)
 - B (ii), (vi), (v), (iii) and (iv)
 - C (vi), (i), (iv), (ii) and (i)
 - D (i), (ii), (iii),(iv) and (v)
- 3 According to God in whose image and likeness was man created?
- A In the image and likeness of God the Father only
 - B In the image and likeness of the Trinity of God
 - C In the image and likeness of heavenly bodies
 - D In the image and likeness of Jesus and the Holy Spirit
- 4 Which of the following days was blessed and hallowed by God?
- A First day
 - B Fourth day
 - C Seventh day
 - D Third day
- 5 Why did God send the ten plagues?
- A To punish the Egyptians
 - B To release the Egyptians from slavery
 - C To punish the Israelites
 - D To release the Israelites from slavery

- 6 How many chariots did Pharaoh pick when he followed the Israelites?
- A 600
 - B 200
 - C 2000
 - D 400
- 7 Which of the following rivers flowed water to the Garden of Eden?
- A River Nile
 - B River Jordan
 - C River Cichon
 - D River Goshen
- 8 'Is it because there are no graves in Egypt that you have taken us to die in the wilderness?'
- What made the Israelites to say this to Moses?
- A Because the Egyptians were marching forward
 - B Because they had no water in the wilderness
 - C Because the Egyptians were marching after them
 - D Because they were suffering from hunger
- 9 Which **one** of the following describes an exodus?
- A Living in one place for a long time
 - B Staying in a country for a long time
 - C Taking a long journey to a far country
 - D Leaving a place at once in large numbers
- 10 How did the plague of frogs affect the Egyptians?
- A The frogs kill all the Egyptian leaders
 - B The frogs entered Pharaoh's bedroom
 - C The frogs entered all the houses and buildings of Israelites
 - D The frogs infested all the Egyptians and animals drinking places

- 11 Which **one** of the following teachings is **NOT** from the Lord's Prayer?
- A God is our Heavenly Father
 - B God has power and glory
 - C God is with us in spirit
 - D God protect us from temptations
- 12 Which **one** of the following statements best describes a synagogue?
- A A place of worship for at least 12 Christians
 - B A holy place of worship for at least 50 people
 - C A place of worship for at least 100 Jewish people
 - D A place of worship for at least 12 Jewish people
- 13 To whom were the Ten Commandments first given?
- A Joshua
 - B Caleb
 - C Aaron
 - D Moses
- 14 Which of the following is less likely to happen during public worship?
- A Singing together
 - B meditation
 - C Offering
 - D Sharing a meal
- 15 Where do Christians worship God?
- A Temple
 - B Office
 - C Church building
 - D In a house
- 16 Which **one** of the following statements best defines the word humility?
- A Is a modest and high view of ones' importance
 - B Is a modest or low view of one's importance
 - C Is highest view of one's importance
 - D Is a lowest evaluation of one's own worth

- 17 Which **one** of the following definitions best defines peace?
- A A state of being quiet
 - B A state of being unable to speak
 - C A stat of being calm, without war and fighting
 - D A state of being calm and loving
- 18 Who among the disciples was with Jesus when He healed Simon's mother in-law?
- A James and John
 - B Peter and John
 - C Andrew and Judas
 - D Peter and James
- 19 Which **one** of the following best describes the uses of a Bible?
- A Light, joy, strength and peace
 - B Medication, loyalty, peace and trust
 - C Edification, coronation, trust and loyalty
 - D Meditation, correction, strength and trust
- 20 Which of the following is **NOT** one of the beliefs among Christians?
- A Judgement
 - B Life after death
 - C Worship
 - D Trinity
- 21 Which of the following books is classified under writings?
- A Jeremiah
 - B Ecclesiastes
 - C Deuteronomy
 - D Ephesians

- 22** Which **one** of the following messages is contained in the Gospels?
- A** It gives instructions for teaching from the Old and New Testament
 - B** It give good news about the birth, life, death resurrection and ascension of Jesus
 - C** It brings prophecy about the birth, life death resurrection of Jesus and the work of the apostles
 - D** It brings about the history of the disciples and the early church
- 23** Which combination of statements are **NOT** true about the story of the Good Samaritan?
- (i)** The Jewish man was travelling from Jericho to Jerusalem.
 - (ii)** The robbers stripped him and beat him.
 - (iii)** The Samaritan felt compassion for him.
 - (iv)** The next day the Samaritan paid 10 denarii to the innkeeper.
- A** **(i)** and **(ii)** only
 - B** **(ii)** and **(iv)** only
 - C** **(i)** and **(iv)** only
 - D** **(iii)** and **(iv)** only
- 24** Which combination of statements are God's words when He blessed man?
- (i)** Be fruitful and multiply
 - (ii)** Be of a great nation
 - (iii)** May your enemies respect you
 - (iv)** Fill the earth and subdue it
 - (v)** Be subtle and generous
- A** **(i)** and **(ii)** only
 - B** **(ii)** and **(v)** only
 - C** **(iii)** and **(iv)** only
 - D** **(i)** and **(iv)** only
- 25** What is the difference between the cross and crucifix?
- A** They both represent the death of Jesus Christ.
 - B** The crucifix has the figure of Jesus, yet the cross does not.
 - C** The cross has the figure of Jesus, yet the crucifix does not
 - D** They both have figure of Jesus

- 26** What role was played by Aaron to Moses before the Egyptians king and at Mount Sinai?
- A** Brother and just a Priest
 - B** Spokesman and a high Priest
 - C** advisor and helper
 - D** Brother and helper
- 27** What lesson can be learnt from the incidents of the ten plagues
- A** Other God's ought to be worshipped
 - B** God and other God's can be worshipped without a problem
 - C** God alone deserves to be worshipped
 - D** He alone deserves to be worshipped by Pharaoh
- 28** '...Give us this day our daily bread.'
- Which of the following best explains the statement from the Lord's Prayer?
- A** Without prayer there is no bread
 - B** Prayer is for our daily bread
 - C** We must always rely on God to provide for us
 - D** We must always pray to God to provide us with food
- 29** Which of the following statements best explains why at some point the disciples of Jesus once thought Jesus was a ghost?
- A** Because he had risen from the dead
 - B** They had seen him walking on the water
 - C** It was common to see ghosts
 - D** Because they had seen Jesus asleep in the boat
- 30** Which lesson is learnt from the parable of the lost sheep?
- A** When sheep are lost do not look for them
 - B** There is joy in heaven when one sinner repents
 - C** God is a faithful shepherd
 - D** God wants us to take care of our sheep

- 31** In the story of Lazarus, how did Jesus prove He was human?
- A** He raised Lazarus from the dead
 - B** He took away the stone
 - C** He wept too
 - D** He attended Lazarus's funeral
- 32** Which of the following lessons can be learnt about God's character from the destruction of Gomorrah and Sodom?
- (i)** He hates sin
 - (ii)** He is unfair
 - (iii)** He is protective on righteous people.
 - (iv)** He hates evil doers
- A** **(i)** and **(ii)** only
 - B** **(ii)** only
 - C** **(i)** and **(iii)** only
 - D** **(iii)** and **(iv)** only
- 33** With reference to the miracle of the feeding of 5000 people, why did Jesus command people to sit in groups of 50?
- A** He was exercising his authority
 - B** He was showing His leadership skills
 - C** He wanted to teach out to everyone
 - D** He wanted order in the distribution of food
- 34** In the parable of the lost sheep what does the lost sheep represent?
- A** The lost Christians from the devil
 - B** The lost human beings from the faith
 - C** The self-righteous people from others
 - D** The self-conscious and respectable people

35 The Bible consists of the Old and New testament.

Which **one** of the following statements shows that the Old and New testaments are important?

- A** The whole Bible is inspired by God
- B** The new testament is easy to read for Christians
- C** The old testament has useful lessons for Christians
- D** The new testament has relevant teachings for Christians

36 Which of these statements would support the argument that Eve had a reason to fall into temptation of the serpent.

- A** She heard the instruction from Adam
- B** She was not present when God gave instructions to Adam
- C** She wanted to taste the fruit for the first time
- D** She wanted to be clever like the serpent

37 Christians believe in the resurrection of the dead.

Which **one** of the following arguments are Christians likely to use in support of the above statement?

- A** There is no proof of resurrection
- B** Jesus resurrected on the 3rd day
- C** Jesus ascended into heaven
- D** People will be judged on the last day

38 What do the parables of the Prodigal Son and the Lost Sheep have in common?

- A** Share themes of shame and guilt
- B** Share the theme of shame and pride
- C** Share themes of loss, searching and rejoicing
- D** Share themes of guilt, loss and shame

39 Which of the following characteristics are true about Bartimaeus the blind man?

- A** Submissive, naïve, easily swayed and arrogant
- B** Trustworthy, visible, and stubborn
- C** Determined, humble, submissive and specific
- D** Loyal, honest and friendly

40 Sizakele was ridiculed and made fun of by grade 7 pupils at morning assembly. But she never held a grudge against them. This she showed by sharing her lunch meal with them.

What sort of behaviour was shown by Sizakele?

- A** Fairness and loving
- B** Obedience and Fairness
- C** Self- control and forgiveness
- D** Respect and fairness

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