

OPENER STD 5 TERM 2 2020

ENGLISH ACTIVITIES

NAME.....

Learner's Number

Gender Boy

Girl

County name County code

Sub county name Sub county code

School name School code

The grid below is to be filled by the teacher after marking the learner's work

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Numbers 1-15				
Measurement 16-23				
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Read the passage below. It contains blank spaces numbered 1 - 15. For each blank space, choose the BEST alternative from the choices given.

Kadzo was ten 1 old. She was 2 to join standard five 3 two weeks time. It was a 4 time for her doing all preparations by 5. She mended her uniform, fixed the buttons, washed her uniform 6 polished her school shoes.

She put all the things she would need together 7 8 all books in her school bag. She noticed that the bag was 9 heavy for her to lift up. 10, Mr Safari 11 her father would drop her at school.

The night 12 school she hardly slept. She had missed her classmates so 13. She had 14 in the Indian Ocean and she had a lot to talk 15. She woke up before the first cock crowed to ensure she was not late. At half past six she waved her parents goodbye and left for school.

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| 1. A. year | B. years | C. ear | D. ears |
| 2. A. went | B. go | C. gone | D. going |
| 3. A. in | B. at | C. with | D. on |
| 4. A. good | B. bad | C. busy | D. active |
| 5. A. himself | B. herself | C. itself | D. themselves |
| 6. A. , | B. but | C. and | D. . |
| 7. A. after | B. before | C. for | D. then |
| 8. A. packed | B. packing | C. parked | D. parking |
| 9. A. too | B. to | C. so | D. that |
| 10. A. Luck | B. Luckily | C. Lucky | D. Lacking |
| 11. A. , | B. . | C. ? | D. ! |
| 12. A. just | B. following | C. after | D. before |
| 13. A. many | B. more | C. most | D. much |
| 14. A. swam | B. swum | C. swim | D. swimming |
| 15. A. for | B. before | C. about | D. on |

For questions 16 and 17, choose the **BEST** alternative to fill the gaps.

16. John is the _____ boy in our class.
A. taller B. tallest
C. tall D. more taller
17. Chief is to chiefs as loaf is to _____.
A. loaves B. loafes
C. loaf's D. loaf

For questions 18 to 20, choose the **BEST** answer to fill the gaps **CORRECTLY**.

18. Kasaine is suffering _____ typhoid;
A. with B. from
C. of D. together
19. After misusing all his busfare Ali walked _____ foot for 10 kilometre.
A. by B. with
C. on D. among
20. My mother is a _____ lady.
A. short brown friendly
B. friendly short brown
C. short friendly brown
D. brown friendly short

For questions 21 and 22, identify **VERBS** in the sentences.

21. The standard five west pupils water the flowers everyday.
A. pupils B. everyday
C. flowers D. water
22. The beautiful girls comb their hair in the morning.
A. beautiful B. comb
C. girls D. morning

For questions 23 to 25, choose the **BEST** answer to fill in the gaps correctly.

23. My father is _____ old to play football.
A. so B. to
C. too D. two
24. The tourists are in the hotel, _____?
A. aren't they B. are they not
C. are they D. do they
25. The doctor made the patient _____ the medicine.
A. drink B. took
C. taking D. take

Read the passage below and use it to answer questions 26 to 37.

Once upon a time, there lived an old woman, Akinyi, a university graduate son Juma, and a husband, Nelson who was blind. The old woman together with her son worked hard on their garden and a small grocery shop to provide for the family needs. The family lived in a small village in Kisumu. Just outside their house was the grocery shop which was as clean as a new pin with all the items neatly arranged on the shelves.

The lady was always kind and good hearted even though no one knew much about her family struggles except the son. The son always supported her mother to make sure that they did not lack the basic needs.

In the same village there lived a little boy called Orum who always wished to join university after completing his secondary education. He severally visited the shop and chatted with Juma about education life.

One day, Juma called Orum and gave him two juicy mangoes. Orum thanked him and asked him where he had bought them. Juma said he grew them in their garden. He added that he grew many fresh fruits and vegetables. "Would you like to come and see the garden?" asked Juma.

Juma took him down a narrow path until they reached a small wooden gate. What a beautiful garden and house! Juma took him round the garden full of ripe juicy fruits and fresh vegetables.

They grew oranges, mangoes, bananas, apples and lemons in plenty. There were rows of cabbages, sukuma wiki, spinach and pigweeds. Orum was amazed at how much the family had doing it silently and without pride.

26. How many people have been mentioned in the passage?
A. 3 B. 6
C. 4 D. 5
27. What hindered Mr Nelson from providing for his family? He was
A. dumb B. blind
C. crippled D. deaf
28. Which one of the following statements is **NOT TRUE** according to the passage?
A. The graduate son worked in an office.
B. The woman and the son worked hard.
C. The fruits and vegetables were picked from their garden.
D. Orum liked the humility of the family.
29. Which words **BEST** show how the lady was?
A. Slow B. Lazy
C. Proud D. Good-hearted
30. What was Orum's wish? To
A. have a great garden.
B. be employed in an office.
C. join university.
D. have a grocery shop.
31. All the following statements are **TRUE** about the grocery shop **EXCEPT**
A. it was clean.
B. it was always closed.
C. items were well arranged.
D. it had neat shelves.
32. Which one of the following is **NOT** a basic need?
A. Medical care B. Food
C. Shelter D. Clothes
33. Orum's chat with Juma was all about
A. good employment
B. education life.
C. basic needs.
D. blind father
34. Which type of fruits was Orum given by Juma?
A. Oranges B. Apples
C. Mangoes D. Bananas
35. Where was Juma and his mother getting the juicy fruits and fresh vegetables from
A. market
B. their neighbour's farm
C. suppliers
D. their garden
36. How was the gate they found after following the narrow path?
A. An old metallic gate.
B. A small wooden gate.
C. A new wooden gate.
D. A strong wooden gate.
37. Which one of the following did **NOT** amaze Orum? How
A. much the family had.
B. proud the family was.
C. it did its work silently.
D. it worked with humility.
38. Which is the **BEST** title for the passage?
A. Hardwork pays.
B. The blind should rest.
C. Pride pays
D. Graduates work in offices

Read the passage below and then answer questions 39-50.

The living room which is also called the sitting room is the smartest and cleanest part of our homes. The room is made up of armchairs, sofa sets, tables, stools, a radio, television, a big cupboard, table-clothes, beautiful curtains, wall hangings and special family photos.

The visitors are received there where they sit on the comfortable arm-chairs, sofa sets and stools in case they are many and cannot fit on the seats.

When visitors are served food or drinks they are placed on the tables to make them feel comfortable while eating.

The radio and television are meant for entertaining the visitors during their stay especially when the meetings are over before they leave the home.

The big cupboard is where the best utensils are kept to be used by the family occasionally and also for the guests. The table clothes are stored in the lower drawers to be used for special events.

The beautiful curtains and wall hangings are used to make the room look attractive and admirable. Special family photos are displayed on the walls for the visitors to see and have a view of family members stages of growth. Some photographs show when the same baby is years old. The whole family may also have different photos taken at different years.

Families assemble here at supper time to take dinner then say a prayer before going to bed.

39. Which one of the statements is **TRUE** about a sitting room? It has
- A. cookers.
 - B. sofa sets
 - C. beds
 - D. sufurias and pans.
40. In which room are visitors received in a home?
- A. Sitting room.
 - B. Kitchen
 - C. Bedroom
 - D. Washroom
41. Which items entertain visitors?
- A. Arm-chairs and sofa sets.
 - B. Radios and television.
 - C. Curtains and wall hangings
 - D. Stools and tables.
42. What is kept in the big cupboards.
- A. Foods and drinks
 - B. Best utensils.
 - C. Wall hangings.
 - D. Family members photos.
43. What is stored on the lower drawers?
- A. Spoons, knives and forks
 - B. Door mats
 - C. Table clothes
 - D. Table mats
44. Which one of the following makes the room attractive and admirable?
- A. Wall hangings
 - B. Bed covers
 - C. Mosquito nets
 - D. Duvets
45. What does the family photos show?
- A. Family wealth.
 - B. Members stages of growth.
 - C. Firstborns and lastborns.
 - D. The parents.
46. When does the family meet in this room?
- A. During bed time.
 - B. During meals.
 - C. When cooking food.
 - D. When taking shower.
47. What is the **LAST** thing that a family does before going to bed?
- A. Saying a prayer.
 - B. Seeing family photos.
 - C. Washing utensils.
 - D. Receiving visitors.
48. Where is the visitors food and drinks placed after it is served?
- A. On the sofa set.
 - B. On the cupboard.
 - C. In the drawers.
 - D. On the tables.
49. Which machine is used for taking photographs?
- A. Television
 - B. Tape recorder
 - C. Camera
 - D. Flashdisk
50. Which is the **BEST** title for the passage?
- A. A home
 - B. A sitting room
 - C. Visitors
 - D. Resting time