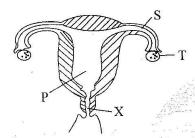
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SCIENCE

- 1. The stage of HIV infection where the patient starts showing signs of AIDS is known as
 - A. Incubation stage.
 - B. Symptomatic stage.
 - C. Full blown AIDS.
 - D. Window stage.
- 2. The diagram below shows the female reproductive system



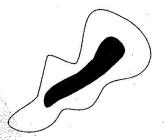
In which of the labelled parts does fusion of the male and female sex cells occur?

- A.P
- B.X
- C.T
- D.S
- 3. The following are signs and symptoms of a certain sexually transmitted infection:
 - (i) Infertility if not treated
 - (ii) Pain in the lower abdomen in females
 - (iii) Testicles swelling
 - (iv) Pain when passing urine
 - (v) Yellowish discharge from penis

Which sexually transmitted infection has the above signs and symptoms?

- A. Gonorrhoea.
- B. Syphilis.
- C. Genital herpes.
- D. Chancroid.
- 4. The following are proper ways of storing medicine **except**
 - A. not keeping syrup in soda bottles
 - B. locking medicine kits.
 - C. keeping medicine out of reach of children.
 - D. taking medicine according to doctor's instructions.

- 5. Which of the following is a social effect of abusing drugs?
 - A. Blackout.
- B. Withdrawal.
- C. Rape.
- D. Fits.
- Animals depend on plants for the following except one. Which one?
 - A. Oxygen.
- B. Food.
- C. Pollination.
- D. Medicine.
- 7. The diagram below shows a certain blood component



It is most likely to be

- A. red blood cell
- B. white blood cell
- C. platelet
- D. plasma.
- 8. Identify the weed drawn below



- A. Oxalis.
- B. Black jack
- C. Sodom apple.
- D. Pigweed.
- 9. Which pair below consists of field pests only?
 - A. White ant and weevil.
 - B. Weevil and mouse.
 - C. Stalkborer and weaver bird.
 - D. Rodent and white ant.

- 10. The following are methods of controlling human intestinal worms **except**
 - A. proper diet.
 - B. proper cooking of food.
 - C. regular deworming.
 - D. proper sanitation.
- 11. Which of the following is **not** an effect of parasites on livestock?
 - A. Poor health.
- B. Blood in stool.
- C. Irritation.
- D. Anaemia.
- 12. The following sources of electricity work the same way a bicycle dynamo except
 - A. solar panel.
 - B. wind driven generator
 - C. geothermal generator
 - D. hydroelectric generator.
- 13. The diagram below shows a beak of a certain bird



It is most likely to be

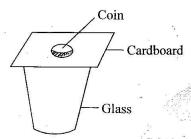
- A. filter feeder.
- B. nectar feeder.
- C. grain eater.
- D. flesh eater.
- 14. Lungworms are found in the
 - A. small intestines only.
 - B. liver and small intestines.
 - C. lungs and liver.
 - D. brain, lungs and stomach.
- 15. Which of the following is **not** a sign or symptom of kwashiorkor?
 - A. Swelling of the stomach.
 - B. Bones protruding under the skin.
 - C. Lacking strength to play.
 - D. Poor appetite.
- 16. Which of the following is both a modern and traditional method of preserving food?
 - A. Drying.
- B. Smoking.
- C. Salting.
- D. Canning.
- 17. Which of the following shows the sixth and the third planets in the solar system respectively?
 - A. Jupiter, earth.
- B. Saturn, mars.
- C. Neptune, mars.
- D. Saturn, earth.

- 18. Which of the following shows the reason why a pregnant mother requires food rich in iron?
 - A. For strong bones of the baby.
 - B. To maintain high level of amniotic fluid.
 - C. For formation of blood for the baby and the mother.
 - D. To prevent dehydration.
- 19. Which of the following shows the energy transformation in burning fuels?
 - A. Chemical \rightarrow electrical \rightarrow heat \rightarrow light
 - B. Chemical \rightarrow heat \rightarrow light
 - $^{\circ}$ C. Chemical \rightarrow heat \rightarrow kinetic
 - D. Chemical \rightarrow electrical \rightarrow magnetic
- **20.** Which of the following is a renewable form of energy?
 - A. Natural gas.
- B. Diesel.
- C. Biogas.
- D. Petrol.
- 21. Which one does not show a way of controlling air pollution?
 - A. Not smoking cigarettes.
 - B. Treating sewage.
 - C. Reducing use of farm chemicals.
 - D. Treating waste industrial gases.
- 22. Std. 5 pupils collected the following materials for their practical lesson:
 - (i) Wax
- (ii) Stand
- (iii) Candle
- (iv) Match box
- (v) Pins
- (vi) Metal rod

What were they likely to investigate during the practical lesson?

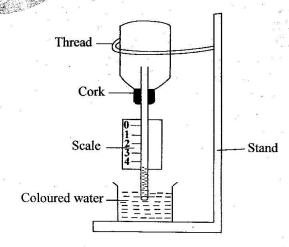
- A. Convection in liquids.
- B. Expansion in solids.
- C. Good and poor conductors of heat.
- D. Conduction of heat in solids.
- 23. Std. 7 pupil wrote the word BLACK on a paper and placed it in front of a mirror. How did it appear on the mirror?
 - **ALKOAJB**
- BLACA I B
- BLACK.D
- D. KCALB
- **24.** Which one is an adaptation of animals that move by leaping?
 - A. Strong hind legs.
- B. Streamlined body.
- C. Have wings.
- D. Have webbed feet.

- 25. Which pair of animals below shows omnivores only?
 - A. Chimpanzee and dog.
 - B. Pig and human beings.
 - C. Lion and hyena.
 - D. Zebra and giraffe.
- 26. Which material below will attract a magnet?
 - A. Silver.
- B. Alumininium.
- C. Copper.
- D. Steel.
- 27. A std 7 pupil set up an experiment shown below



- What happened to the coin when the cardboard was pushed?
- A. It remained on the cardboard.
- B. It fell outside the glass.
- C. It fell inside the glass.
- D. It broke the glass.
- 28. Which statement is true about canine teeth?
 - A. Are eight in total in adult's mouth.
 - B. Are the first to grow.
 - C. Are used for gripping food.
 - D. Are found between premolars and molars.
- 29. Which of the following occurs in both adolescent boys and girls?
 - A. Menstrual flow.
 - B. Enlargement of breasts.
 - C. Voice breaking.
 - D. Increase in weight and height.
- **30.** The following are straight fertilizers **except** one. Which one?
 - A. Urea.
 - B. Calcium ammonium nitrate.
 - C. Diammonium phosphate.
 - D. Double super phosphate.
- 31. Which two nutritional deficiency diseases are caused by lack of minerals in the body?
 - A. Rickets and anaemia.
 - B. Kwashiorkor and marasmus.
 - C. Anaemia and kwashiorkor.
 - D. Marasmus and rickets.

- 32. Which one is **not** a symptom of food poisoning?
 - A. Feeling weak and dizzy.
 - B. Abdominal pain.
 - C. Diarrhoea.
 - D. Paleness of the body.
- 33. Mr. Kamau rears sheep and goats at home. Which type of organic manure is he likely to make?
 - A. Compost manure.
 - B. Green manure.
 - C. Farmyard manure.
 - D. Organic mulches.
- **34.** Which is the best method of managing plastic wastes at home?
 - A. Recycling them.
 - B. Reusing them.
 - C. Burning them.
 - D. Burying them deep in soil
- **35.** Which group of food given below is made up of protective food **only**?
 - A. Beans, maize, milk.
 - B. Tomato, carrot, guava.
 - C. Yam, peas, cabbage.
 - D. Green banana, kales, orange.
- 36. The diagram below shows a certain weather measuring instrument



The instrument works on the principle that

- A. liquids expand when heated.
- B. matter occupies space.
- C. water exerts pressure.
- D. air contracts when cooled.

- 37. Which one of the following is **not** a change of state of matter?
 - A. Cooling water to make ice.
 - B. Heating cooking fat to get oil.
 - C. Cooling air to get water.
 - D. Grinding solid to get powder.
- **38.** Which is the brightest and hottest planet in the solar system?
 - A. Mars.
 - B. Mercury.
 - C. Venus.
 - D. Jupiter.
- 39. In raingauge amount of rainfall is measured in units called
 - A. millimetres.
 - B. litres.
 - C. millibars.
 - D. millilitres.
- 40. Ships and other vessels may cause water pollution **mainly** by
 - A. releasing raw sewage into water.
 - B. causing oil spillage into water.
 - C. causing acid rain.
 - D. releasing farm chemicals into water.
- 41. Which of the following is **not** a sign or a symptom of bilharzia?
 - A. High fever.
 - B. Blood in stool and urine.
 - C. Pain in muscles and joints.
 - D. Itchiness in bladder.
- **42.** Which one of the following birds is most likely to be found in a flower garden?
 - A. Sunbird.
- B. Eagle.
- C. Chicken.
- D. Duck.
- 43. When conducting an experiment to investigate the rate of water retention in different types of soil, which of the following need not to be kept equal?
 - A. Volume of water.
 - B. Time duration.
 - C. Size of soil particles.
 - D. Size of funnels.
- 44. Which of the following is **not** a macronutrient majorly needed by plants?
 - A. Phosphorus.
 - B. Nitrogen.
 - C. Potassium.
 - D. Iron.

- 45. Which one of the following places is most likely to cause high growth of water plants in near a river?
 - A. Garage.
 - B. Factory.
 - C. Market centre.
 - D. Maize farm.
- **46**. Which part of a flower protects the inner parts during bud stage?
 - A. Petals.
 - B. Anther.
 - C. Flower stalk.
 - D. Sepals.
- 47. Which of the following is **not** a characteristic of reptiles?
 - A. Varying body temperature.
 - B. Laying unfertilized eggs.
 - C. Breathing through lungs.
 - D. Scales on the body.
- **48.** The following are ways in which water is used for recreation **except** one. Which one?
 - A. Sport fishing.
 - B. Swimming.
 - C. Boat racing.
 - D. Making fountains.
- 49. Std. 4 pupils heated a sample of soil in a glass covered with a lid. Which component of soil were they investigating?
 - A. Organic matter.
 - B. Air.
 - C. Moisture.
 - D. Mineral salts.
- 50. Which is the best method of controlling the type of soil erosion illustrated below?



- A. Building gabions.
- B. Planting grass.
- C. Terracing.
- D. Contour farming.