



# Noah's Ark Independent Primary School

Subject: Geography	Examiner: Matongo, N
Type: End of Year Exam	Moderator: Rwizi, A
Date: 22 November 2019	Grade: 5
Marks: 50 Marks	Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes

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## Instructions:

Answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided.

Write neatly and legibly

Carefully read all questions before answering

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## Section A: World maps and compass direction

1. Choose if the following statements are true or false, if false re-write the statement correctly. (6)

1.1 The equator divides the Earth into East and west.

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1.2 The needle of a compass always points to the South.

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1.3 The South Pole is on the continent of Antarctica.

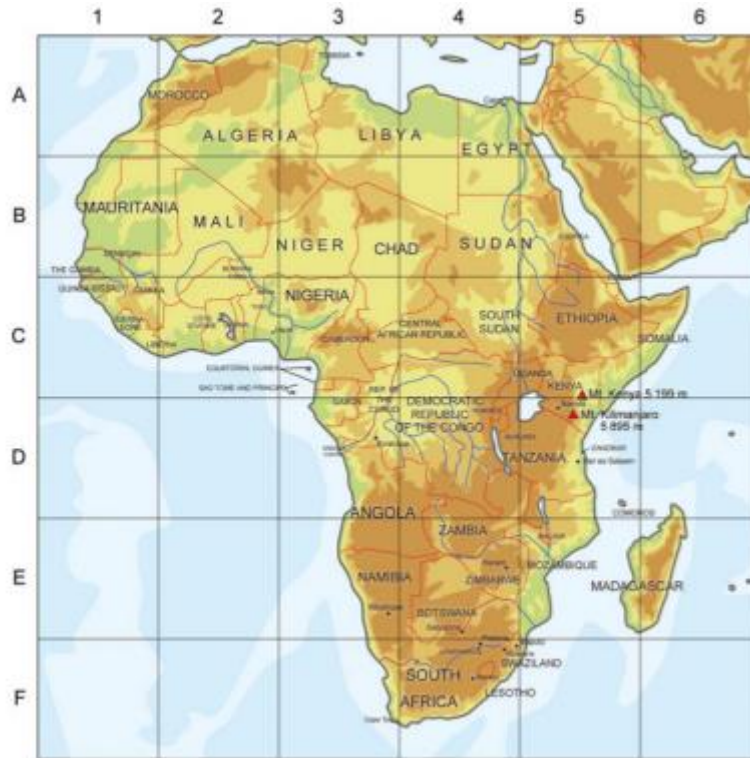
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1.4 The North pole is always shown to be at the top of the globe.

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2. Study the map below and use it to answer the questions that follow.



2.1 What continent is shown in this map? (1)

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2.2 Explain what a landlocked country is. (2)

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2.3 Which country is completely bordered by South Africa?(1)

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2.4 Why do you think there is lighter blue around the continent of Africa? (2)

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2.5 How high is the highest peak in Africa? (1)

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2.6 Give the grid reference for the city of Johannesburg. (1)

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2.7 In grid reference D5 there is a feature.

Explain what it is. (2)

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Section B: South Africa from above (Physical Map)

1. Study the pictures below and respond to the questions that follow.



1.1 Match the pictures with South Africa's three main areas (costal plain / plateau / escarpment) (3)

Picture A -----

Picture B -----

Picture C -----

1.2 Differentiate between a bay and a cape. (4)

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1.3 Explain how the white river got its name. (2)

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1.4 How may people be influenced to live where they live? (1)

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Section C: Weather, climate and vegetation of South Africa

1. State the four main elements of weather. (4)

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2. Explain how rainfall is measured. (2)

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3. How do you describe wind. Give an example. (1)

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4. How does weather affect people. (2)

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5. Study the picture below and answer the questions that follow.



5.1 Identify the feature in the picture above and explain what happened there. (3)

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5.2 Give two uses of diamonds. (2)

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5.3 How are gold, platinum and silver similar in their use? (1)

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5.4 Explain why coal is a non-renewable resource. (1)

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6. Explain two ways in which mining damages the environment. (2)

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7. Miners say there are 100 ways to die in a mine. Write a short paragraph of about 8 lines explaining some of the health and safety risks for miners. (6)

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