



# Noah's Ark Independent Primary School

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## Instructions

Carefully read all the questions before you start writing.

Answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided.

Write neatly and legibly

## Section A

1. Find five false statements and circle them. (5)
- 1.1 You can be forced to work for someone.
  - 1.2 You have the right to believe in whatever you want, even if other people think your beliefs are strange or crazy.
  - 1.3 The police are not allowed to lock you up for a long time without giving you a court trial.
  - 1.4 You have the right to choose your friends.
  - 1.5 If a person murders someone else, he or she loses his or her citizenship and will not be able to vote in the next elections.
  - 1.6 The Constitution is the highest law in the land.
  - 1.7 The Bill of Rights is the second highest law in the land.
  - 1.8 The Bill of Rights protects us if the government tries to take our rights way.
  - 1.9 You can be sentenced to death by the courts.

1/0 Human rights apply to responsible citizens; people lose their rights if they break the law.

2. Match the term in column A with the information in column B. (5)

Column A	Answer	Column B
2.1 Reliable		a) Natural abilities to do something well.
2.2 Talents		b) You have this for yourself when you have a good self-image
2.3 Respect		c) Example of positive personal quality
2.4 Gender construct		d) A way of handling information
2.5 Chunking		e) How we expect boys and girls to behave

3. Fill in the missing terms by choosing from the word box below. (5)

association	privacy	career
bill of rights	abilities	

3.1 The term \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the occupation or profession that a person does.

3.2 \_\_\_\_\_ refers to those things you are good at.

3.3 In South Africa, human rights have been listed in a \_\_\_\_\_ in the Constitution.

3.4 Because of our right to personal \_\_\_\_\_, you cannot be searched or have your home or possessions searched.

3.5 Because of our right to freedom of \_\_\_\_\_, we can be friends with whoever we want to.

4. Circle the correct answer for the questions below.

4.1 Identify the statement that does not reflect a positive personal quality.

A I own an iPad.

B I have a good imagination and am never bored.

C I appreciate the hard work my teacher does.

D I always remember my family member's birthdays and make them cards.

4.2 Which of the following is incorrect? Do the following to read with understanding:

A Read before you do your other homework.

B Read anywhere, anytime

C Read when your mind is fresh

D Concentrate while you are reading

4.3 Which of the following will you not read when you want to relax?

A magazines

B a book on something that interests you

C interesting internet sites

D exam papers

- 4.4 A thing you should not say if your friend suggests doing something that you know is wrong is:
- A I'll do things your way this time if you do things my way next time; after all it's good to negotiate.
  - B Let's rather do something else.
  - C I'm not doing this because I'm your friend and I don't want to see you in trouble.
  - D That's not my idea of fun; playing soccer is much more fun.

4.5 Choose the correct definition of self-acceptance.

- A Accepting the way you are including your weaknesses.
- B Accepting that you have only strengths and no weaknesses.
- C Accepting the differences between you and others.
- D Accepting the things about yourself you don't like only.

5. Say whether the following statements are true or false. (5)

- 5.1 If an abused child phones childline for help, they will ask to speak to the child's parents or guardian right away to check that the child is telling the truth. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.2 If an abused child phones childline for help, they will contact a social worker to help the child. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.3 Childline is an organisation that provides safety for victims of abuse. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.4 If an abused child phones childline for help the child will not be taken away from the abuser, but they will give the child therapy to deal with the abuse. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5.5 Childline prepares children to testify in court if a case is made against an abuser. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ / 25 Marks (Section A)

Section B

6. Jabu's family keeps on asking him what he wants to do one day when he leaves school. He has no idea, he does not even know how to begin thinking about such a big question.

Explain to Jabu the four factors that can give him more information and help to guide him in choosing a career direction. (8)

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7. Explain why each of the following situations is risky.

- a) Mpho was stopped by a stranger who asked her to help look for his lost dog. She jumped into the passenger seat and he sped off with her in the car. (2)

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- b) A stranger stood at the gate of a school, taking photographs of the girls as they entered the school (2)

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c) Sheila gave out her personal information, including her address, while she was in a chat room on the internet. (2)

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d) David and his friends went to the skate park late at night without their parent's permission. (2)

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8. Effective communication is a two-way process. Explain this statement. (1)

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9. Why do children need to be able to express their emotions to their parents, whether positive or negative, without feeling threatened or scared? (2)

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10. How can you avoid being influenced by your peers to make bad choices? (4)

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11. Why is it important to have positive role models in our lives. (2)

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Section C

Answer any TWO of the three questions.

12. Lerato's father is a widower and is constantly drunk. When he drinks, he becomes very unpredictable and sometimes hits her.

a) What kind of abuse is Lerato experiencing? (1)

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b) Give two examples of where Lerato can get help. (2)

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c) Advice Lerato on how she can protect herself from threatening and risky situations. Keep in mind the tips you were taught about. (7)

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13. Answer the following:

a) What is a place of safety? (1)

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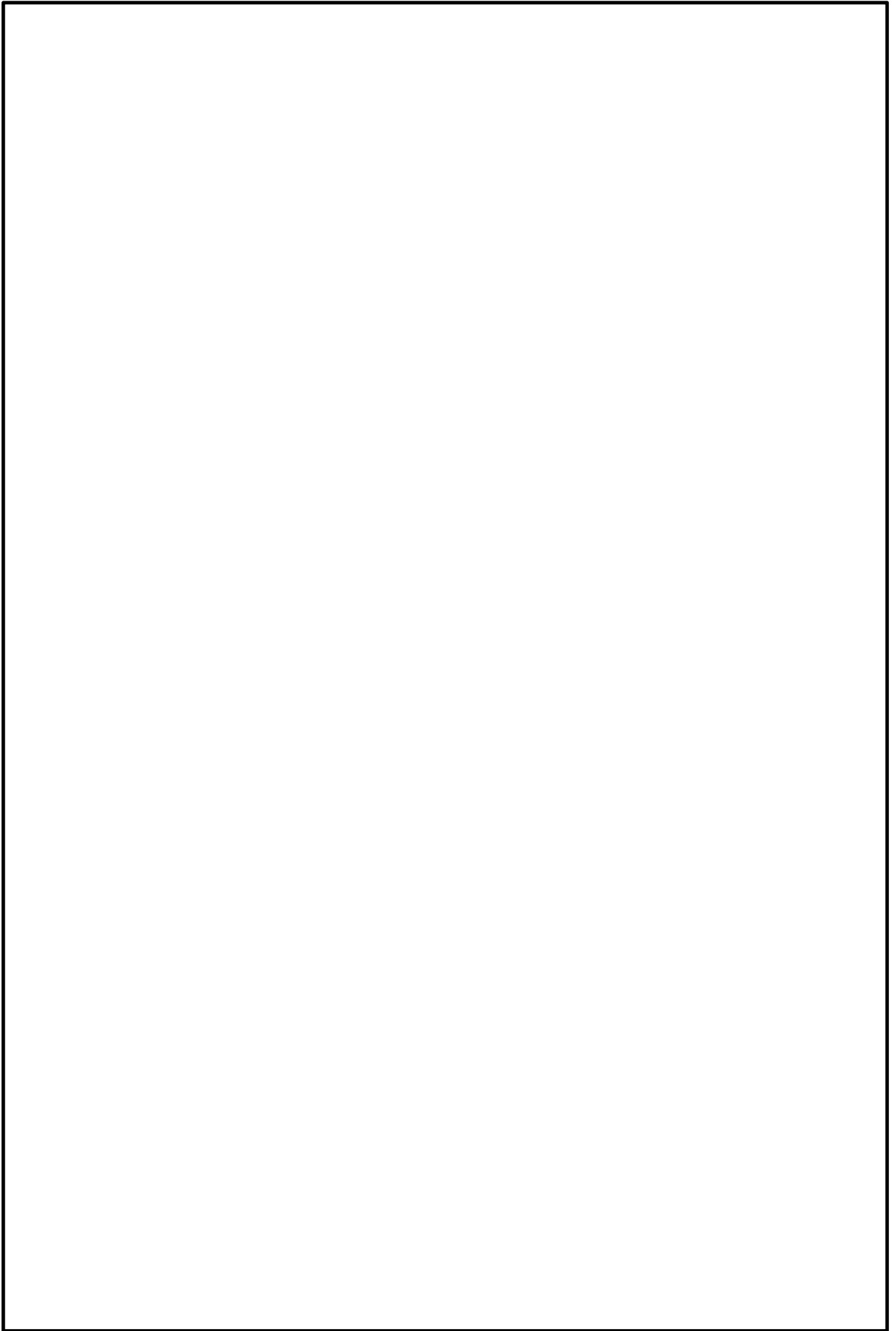
b) How do places of safety help abused or neglected children? (2)

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c) Design a poster on abuse to briefly teach about abuse, types of abuse and where to get help. Use the rubric to guide you. (7)

Criteria	Possible Mark	Actual Mark
Poster has heading	2	
At least two types of abuse mentioned	2	
Effects of abuse on personal, social health and relationships	6	
Places of get help listed	2	
Neatness and creativity	2	
Total Marks	$14 \div 2 = 7$	



14. Susan loves Mathematics and is excellent in the subject. She is also very good at Natural Sciences, Technology and Life Orientation. On weekends, Susan enjoys fixing machines and cars with her dad.

a) Define the term abilities. (1)

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b) Give two examples of career fields. (2)

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c) In your own opinion, which career should Susan choose? Justify your answer (3)

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d) Advise Susan on how to choose a career. Keep in mind interest and abilities. (4)

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