

JSS1 FIRST TERM TEST

SOCIAL AND CITIZENSHIP STUDIES

Time: 1 Hour **Total Marks:** 30

Instructions: Answer all 20 objective questions. Answer any 3 of the 5 essay questions. Each objective question carries 1 mark. Each essay question carries 3 marks. One bonus mark may be awarded for the best overall performance.

SECTION A: OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS (20 MARKS)

1. Citizenship is the:

- A. Ability to travel anywhere
- B. Legal status of belonging to a country
- C. Ownership of a house
- D. Ability to speak many languages

2. One way of becoming a citizen is by:

- A. Birth
- B. Buying food
- C. Visiting a country once
- D. Learning a sport

3. When a foreigner fulfils legal requirements and applies to become a citizen, this is called:

- A. Migration
- B. Naturalisation
- C. Tourism
- D. Trading

4. Which quality is expected of a good citizen?

- A. Dishonesty
- B. Disobedience
- C. Patriotism
- D. Destruction of public property

5. A good citizen should:

- A. Break laws
- B. Damage public property
- C. Respect the laws of the country
- D. Disrespect others

6. Fundamental human rights are:

- A. Gifts only for rich people
- B. Rules for children only
- C. Basic rights belonging to human beings
- D. Privileges for government workers only

7. Which of these is a fundamental human right?

- A. Right to destroy property
- B. Right to life
- C. Right to break laws
- D. Right to harm others

8. The right to fair hearing means the right to:

- A. Be heard fairly when a case is considered
- B. Decide every case alone
- C. Avoid all laws
- D. Punish anyone

9. Freedom of expression allows people to:

- A. Insult everyone without consequence
- B. Express opinions within the law
- C. Destroy public property
- D. Ignore all responsibilities

10. Which action violates another person's rights?

- A. Respecting another person's opinion
- B. Listening politely
- C. Preventing someone from expressing a lawful opinion
- D. Treating people fairly

11. Which is a duty of a citizen?

- A. Destroying public property
- B. Paying taxes as required
- C. Disobeying laws
- D. Damaging roads

12. Citizens have a responsibility to:

- A. Protect public property
- B. Waste public resources
- C. Pollute the environment
- D. Encourage violence

13. Obeying the laws of a country helps to maintain:

- A. Confusion
- B. Dishonesty
- C. Peace and order
- D. Destruction

14. Keeping the community clean is an example of:

- A. Disobedience
- B. A citizen's responsibility
- C. Human rights abuse
- D. Laziness

15. One possible result of neglecting citizens' duties is:

- A. Better public facilities automatically
- B. More respect for laws
- C. Poor maintenance of public facilities
- D. Perfect cleanliness

16. The family is commonly described as the:

- A. Basic unit of society
- B. Largest country in the world
- C. Same thing as a school
- D. Group of strangers only

17. A nuclear family usually consists of:

- A. Parents and children
- B. All people in a village
- C. Only friends
- D. Teachers and pupils

18. An extended family may include:

- A. Only parents and children
- B. Grandparents, uncles, aunts and cousins
- C. Only classmates
- D. Only neighbours

19. Children can contribute to family life by:

- A. Refusing all instructions
- B. Damaging household items
- C. Helping with suitable household chores
- D. Disrespecting family members

20. Respect and cooperation among family members help to promote:

- A. Constant quarrels
- B. Neglect
- C. A peaceful home
- D. Dishonesty

SECTION B: ESSAY QUESTIONS (ANSWER ANY THREE)

1. Citizenship

- (a) Define citizenship. (1 mark)
- (b) State two ways a person can become a citizen. (2 marks)

2. Fundamental Human Rights

- (a) What are fundamental human rights? (1 mark)
- (b) List two fundamental human rights. (2 marks)

3. Duties and Responsibilities of Citizens

State three duties or responsibilities of a citizen. (3 marks)

4. Family

- (a) Define family. (1 mark)
 - (b) Mention two types of family. (1 mark)
 - (c) State one importance of the family. (1 mark)
- 5. Responsibilities of Family Members**
- (a) State two responsibilities of parents in the family. (2 marks)
 - (b) State one responsibility of a child in the family. (1 mark)

Check your work before submitting.