

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION



ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

2014 GRADE SIX NATIONAL ASSESSMENT

SOCIAL STUDIES - PAPER 1

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30 Marks

TIME: 50 Minutes

Answer ALL Questions

Read the Following Instructions Carefully

1. This paper has 30 questions. You have 50 minutes to answer them.
2. Each question has four possible answers: A, B, C, D
3. Read each question carefully then choose the correct answer.
4. On the answer sheet, find the number of the question you want to answer.
5. Shade the circle with the letter of the answer you have chosen.

Sample Question:

The highest point of land in Antigua is:

- A. Fig Tree Hill C. Shirley Heights
B. Mount Obama D. the Highlands

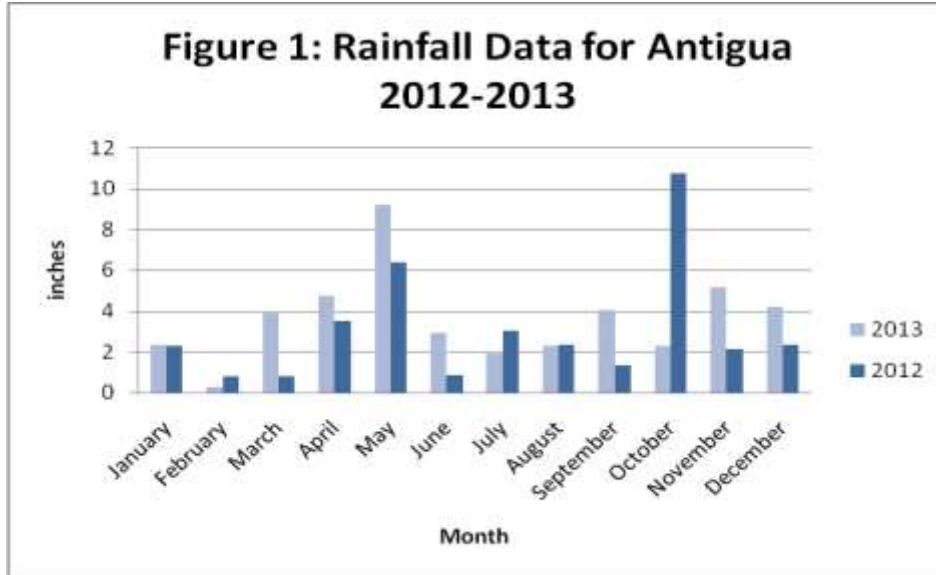
The correct answer is *Mount Obama*, so on your answer sheet you should shade the circle containing the letter *B*.



6. If you want to change your answer, be sure to erase your old answer completely and fill your new choice.
7. If you cannot answer a question, omit it and go on to the next one. You can come back to the harder question later.
8. Your score will be the total number of correct answers.

<p>1. Who wrote the National Anthem of Antigua and Barbuda?</p> <p>A. Dr. Edris Bird B. Gordon Christopher C. Novelle H. Richards D. Walter Chambers</p>	<p>6. The members in the upper House of Parliament make up the</p> <p>A. Cabinet B. Parties C. Representatives D. Senate</p>
<p>2. In what year was the Sugar Factory at Gunthorpes established?</p> <p>A. 1904 B. 1939 C. 1967 D. 1981</p>	<p>7. What is the name of the present Commissioner of Police in Antigua and Barbuda?</p> <p>A. Delano Christopher B. Edric Potter C. Vere Browne D. Wright George</p>
<p>3. Which official identification would a Voter need to show at the polling station on Election Day?</p> <p>A. Citizen Certificate B. Driver's license C. Passport D. Voter's ID card</p>	<p>8. What animal wildlife inhabits Barbuda?</p> <p>A. English Fallow Deer and mongoose B. English Fallow Deer and wild pigs C. Antigua Racer snake and wild pigs D. Wild pigs and mongoose</p>
<p>4. Sir Curtly Ambrose, Sir Richie Richardson and Sir Anderson Roberts were knighted at the Sir Vivian Richards Stadium. What sport did these men play?</p> <p>A. Softball B. Basketball C. Cricket D. Football</p>	<p>9. Which line of the National Anthem comes after the following? <i>God of Nations, let thy blessing Fall upon this land of ours Rain and sunshine ever sending</i></p> <p>A. Fill her fields with crops and flowers B. Ever striving, ever seeking C. Give us strength, faith, loyalty D. Sparing nothing, giving all</p>
<p>5. On which date was the statue of former West Indies cricket captain unveiled at Sir Vivian Richards Stadium?</p> <p>A. 26th February, 2014 B. 27th February, 2014 C. 1st March, 2014 D. 2nd March, 2014</p>	<p>10. The Antigua Racer snake is found on which offshore island?</p> <p>A. Long Island B. Great Bird Island C. Redonda D. Smith Island</p>

<p>11. Which is NOT a function of the CARICOM Single Market & Economy (CSM&E) agreement?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Promoting the free movement of Caribbean labourB. Creating a regional governmentC. Increasing trade among Caribbean member statesD. Fostering cultural exchange among Caribbean countries	<p>15. Which of these statements does NOT describe slaves?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. They are owned like animalsB. They are lazyC. They have few rightsD. They work without pay
<p>12. Why do meteorologists study clouds?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. The shape, movement and height of clouds tell us what type of weather will occurB. The shape of clouds tell us the height of a place above sea levelC. To tell if there will be a hurricaneD. To tell us how long a day will be	<p>16. Why does the government of Antigua and Barbuda trade? In order to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. get foreign exchangeB. build machinesC. weaken the economyD. feed the population
<p>13. The OFFICIAL function of an Ambassador is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. purchase equipment from another countryB. report to the Prime Minister on health mattersC. attend conferences in other parts of the worldD. be a representative of his/her country	<p>17. Which of the following is NOT a reason why people migrate?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Better education opportunitiesB. Warmer climateC. Better employmentD. Low crime rate
<p>14. Why should we listen to the opinions of others? To</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. stop them when they are wrongB. teach them what is correctC. get another point of viewD. laugh at them	<p>18. Which of the following is TRUE about Antigua?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. It is not a member of CARICOMB. It is divided into three parishesC. It was once a colony of EnglandD. It was not a colony of France



Source: Antigua Meteorological Services

Use Figure 1 to answer questions 19-21.

19. Which two months had the same amount of rainfall in both 2012 and 2013?

- A. November and December
- B. November and September
- C. January and August
- D. April and November

22. Which of the following coordinates would help you find a town in the Caribbean?

- A. 40° N; 120° E
- B. 17° N; 61° W
- C. 20° S; 60° E
- D. 0°; 160° W

20. Which month had the highest rainfall in 2012?

- A. October
- B. May
- C. January
- D. February

23. All of the following will help to protect the environment EXCEPT:

- A. burying animal and vegetable matter
- B. emptying raw sewage in ponds
- C. burning solid matter in an incinerator
- D. using approved weedicides and pesticides

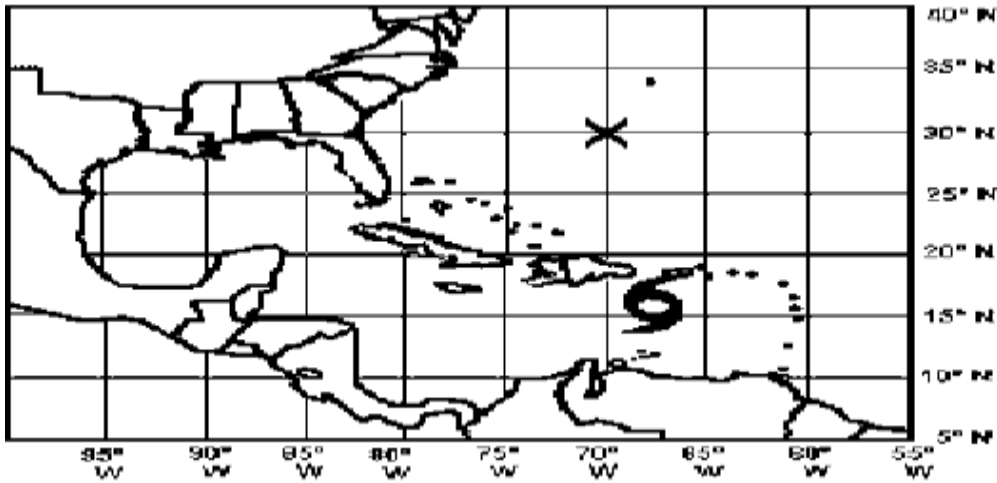
21. Compare each month of 2012 with the Same month in 2013. How many months in 2012 had higher rainfall than the same month in 2013?

- A. 7
- B. 6
- C. 4
- D. 3

24. Which of these statements is NOT true about weather forecasters? They

- A. appear on both television and radio
- B. give useful information to farmers and pilots
- C. tell us what the weather will be like in the next 24 hours
- D. only tell us about cloud cover and hurricanes

Use this map to answer questions 25-28.



25. What is the BEST name for the point X?

- A. Coordinates
- B. Latitude
- C. Longitude
- D. Meridian

28. The symbol shown along the 15° latitude represents a/an

- A. anticyclone
- B. hurricane
- C. tropical depression
- D. tropical storm

26. What is the exact location of X?

- A. 30° E; 70°S
- B. 30°S; 70°E
- C. 30°N; 70°W
- D. 30°W; 70°N

29. Which of these continents does the equator pass through?

- A. South America and Africa
- B. South America and Antarctica
- C. North America and Europe
- D. Europe and Asia

27. Which of the following important imaginary lines can be found southward of 5°N?

- A. Equator
- B. Latitude
- C. Longitude
- D. Meridian

60°W	45°W	30°W	15°W	0°	15°E	30°E	45°E	60°E
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30. If it is 3:00 p.m. at Greenwich 0° what time is it at 45° W?

- A. 6:00 a.m.
- B. 12:00 noon
- C. 6:00 p.m.
- D. 12:00 midnight