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# MOI GIRLS NAIROBI KCSE TRIAL AND PRACTICE EXAM 2016

## BIOLOGY PAPER 231/1

### MARKING SCHEME

1.
  - Buccal cavity/ prank ✓
  - Lungs ✓
  - Skin ✓1<sup>st</sup> 2 correct answers)
2.
  - remove carbon (IV) oxide from the pond ✓
  - Provide breeding site for fish ✓
  - Provide oxygen for the fish/aquatic organism ✓(1<sup>st</sup> 2 correct answers)
3.
  - Transpiration pull ✓
  - Capillarity ✓
  - Adhesion /cohesion ✓
  - Root pressure ✓
  - Diffusion ✓
  - Osmosis ✓(1<sup>st</sup> 3 correct answers)
4.
  - Dorsal/Anal fins ✓
  - Pectoral/Pelvic fin ✓
  - Dorsal/ventral fins/caudal fins ✓
5.
  - Albinism ✓
  - Sickle cell anaemia ✓
  - Haemophilia ✓
  - Phenylketonuria ✓
  - colour blindness ✓
  - chondroplasia/chondrodystrophic
- b)
  - i) - Occurs when chromatid breaks and when rejoining rotates and joins in an inserted position ✓
  - ii) Translocation – Occurs when a section of a chromatid breaks off and becomes attached to another chromatid of another chromosome. ✓
6.
  - Insufficient utilization of food resources/wastage ✓
  - Through respiration ✓
  - Through inhalation/urination/micturition ✓Accept – defeacation ✓
7.
  - a)- Fovea/ Yellow spot/fovea centralis ✓
  - b) – Upside down/inverted ✓
  - Back to front/reversed ✓
  - Smaller than object/diminished ✓

- Real ✓ (Mark 1<sup>st</sup> two)
8.
  - Collenchyma ✓
9.
  - Causes ovulation ✓
  - Induces graafian follicle to become corpus luteum ✓
  - Stimulates corpus luteum to release progesterone. ✓
10.
  - i) Condition in which the stamen/anthers of a flower mature before the carpels / stigma / pistil ✓
  - Acc- Male parts mature before female parts of the flower ✓
  - ii) Self sterility
  - Pollen grains from anthers of a flower fail to germinate on the stigma of the same flower ✓
- 11.

Ball and socket	Hinge joint
- Allow movement in all planes/ 360 <sup>0</sup>	-Allows movt only in one plane /180 <sup>0</sup>

- b) - Shock absorber/distributes pressure ✓  
 - Lubricates joints  
 - Nourishes the cartilage/supplies oxygen ✓  
 (Any 1<sup>st</sup> 2 correct answers)
12. a) Diffusion ✓  
 b) – Visking tubing is semi-permeable ✓  
 - Iodine molecules Move from beaker into the visking tubing ✓  
 - Thus producing the blue-black colour with starch solution ✓  
 - Starch molecules are too large to pass through the walls of the visking tubing into solution in the beaker ✓  
 - therefore Iodine solution doesn't change colour ✓ (3 first correct answers)
13. a) – Sieve tubes /sieve tube element/ sieve element ✓  
 - companion cell/cytoplasmic strand/filaments ✓  
 b) Amino acids ✓  
 - Hormones ✓  
 - Lipids/oils ✓  
 - Resins ✓ (mark 1<sup>st</sup> 2 correct answers)  
 - vitamins ✓
14. - Biconcave shaped to provide a large surface area for absorption of oxygen/carbon (IV) oxide ✓  
 - Absence of nucleus hence more haemoglobin to carry sufficient oxygen/carbon (IV) oxide ✓  
 - Alter shape to enable to pass through the narrow lumen of capillaries to supply oxygen/ remove carbon (IV) oxide ✓  
 - Have haemoglobin with high affinity for oxygen/carbon (IV) oxide/uptake of more oxygen/carbon (IV) oxide. ✓  
 - RBC are many/numerous to carry more oxygen/carbon (IV) oxide ✓  
 Reject – answer if carbon iv oxide/carbon (iv) oxide
15. - The amount of oxygen required to convert (accumulated) lactic acid to water, carbon (IV) oxide and energy/amount of oxygen required to get rid of (accumulated) lactic acid (when supply of oxygen is less than demand)/anaerobic respiration. ✓

b)- Plant	Animal
- Ethyl alcohol/ethanol and carbon (IV) oxide	Lactic acid ✓
- Heat 210kg	150kg ✓

16. - light intensity  
 - wavelength/colour/quality of light ✓
17. a) - Hypermetropia/long sightedness;  
 b) - Use of convex lens; accept converging lens/biconvex lens lens  
 - To converge the rays so that image is focused on the retina/form a sharp image on the retina ✓ to form a sharp image in the retina)  
 - To refract light rays in order to focus rays sharply on to the retina, ✓
18. - current continents existed as one large land mass/Pangea/Eurasia / Gond wana Land  
 - The present continents drifted leading to isolation of organism ✓  
 - Organism in each continent evolved along different lines ✓  
 - hence emergence of new species ✓
19. -  $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$  pm  $\frac{1}{3}$  m  $\frac{1}{3}$ ; ✓  
 b) - Herbivorous ✓ reject herbivore  
 c) – Lack of canines/incisors on the on the lower jaw/presence of canines / Incisors on the lower jaw only ✓
20. i) – has actively dividing cells that give rise to new epidermal cells ✓

- light✓
- Epidermal cells contain Melanin that protects /prevents the skin against ultraviolet rays/UV
- 21.
- ii - Secrete sebum, an antiseptic/water repellent substance/prevent drying/cracking of skin/makes skin supple. ✓
  - a) (Rate of) transpiration ✓
  - b) i) – Cut shoot under water✓
  - Apply petroleum jelly to cork-glass/Bung-glass/Bung-shoot connection ✓
  - Open reservoir tap✓ (mark any 1<sup>st</sup> 2 correct answers)
  - ii) – To ensure no air enters leafy shoot/xylem ✓
  - To ensure the apparatus is air tight ✓
  - To remove air bubbles from tubes ✓
- 22.
- Protein synthesis ✓
  - b) Secretion of substance/enzymes/polysaccharides/glycoprotein /synthesized proteins /synthesized / carbohydrates/synthesized materials✓
  - Packaging of carbohydrates/proteins/glycoproteins /synthesized material✓
  - modification of carbohydrates/protein/formation of glycoproteins✓
  - Transport of carbohydrates/proteins/glycoproteins/lipids/synthesized materials; ✓
  - Production of lysosomes✓
- 23.a) ( Allele refers to) alternative form of a gene ✓ (which occupy the cell loci which control the same characteristic)
- b) A cross made between a (homozygous) recessive parent and a parent of unknown genotype (to determine whether the unknown genotype is homozygous or heterozygous for dominant gene)✓
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- | Lamarckian  | Darwinian   |
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| -Inheritance of acquired characteristics  | -Inheritance of genetically acquired characteristics ;✓                               |
| - Environment induce production of favourable characteristics which are inherited | -A characteristics appears spontaneously which is then transmitted to the offspring ; |
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- .a) – Diastase enzyme breaks down/digests/hydrolyses starch to glucose✓
  - Some glucose used to make cellulose (which is incorporated into new cells)
  - Some glucose oxidized to release energy used in chemical activities taking place) in the growing tips✓
  - b) Ethylene ✓
26. ( a scientific system of ) naming organisms using the generic/genus and specific/species name ✓
27. – Sorus ✓ reject sori
- b) – Pteridophyta ;✓
  - ii) – Leaves divided into leaflets known as pinna
  - Presence of sori/spore bearing structures ✓
- 28.
- i) **Candida** albicans ✓
  - ii) *Vibrio cholerae* ✓
- 30.
- ATP ✓
- Accept – Adenosine triphosphate;
- Reject – small letters i.e atp, Atp, etc.