

JUNIOR SCHOOL ASSESSMENT TEST

GRADE EIGHT -2025

**PIONEER MARK
SERIES**

AGRICULTURE & NUTRITION

Name: _____

School: _____ ADM No. _____ Date: _____

ASSESSMENT RUBRIC: PERFORMANCE LEVEL

Exceeding expectation	Meeting expectation	Approaching expectation	Below expectation	Total score (%)

1. a) Define the term soil conservation measures. (1mk)

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b) Give two reasons for carrying out soil conservation. (2mks)

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2. State two categories of water that is harvested for storage. (2mks)

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3. Outline two methods of tanks installation at home or at school. (2mks)

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4. Discuss two advantages of practicing agroforestry. (4mks)

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5. When rearing animals, a farmer should ensure hygiene is observed. Outline 3 hygiene practices that should be practiced. (3mks)

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6. Jane was repairing a torn skirt late in evening. State 3 safety precautions that she observed while carrying out the practice. (3mks)

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7. Outline 5 problems caused by soil erosion. (5mks)

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8. Grade 8 learners at sugoi junior school went to visit the neighbouring farm. They noticed that the farm was likely to be affected by soil erosion due to its sloppiness. State four methods of soil conservation they should have advised the farmer to use.

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ii. iv.

9. Name three detracts for keeping off wild animals from the farm. (3mks)

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10.State two importances of preserving fruits and vegetables at home. (2mks)

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11.Outline 3 rearing practices carried out in a poultry fold. (3mks)

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12.How can a farmer identify that crops in the farm has been attacked by pests? (2mks)

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13.Discuss various roles of a kitchen garden in food and nutrition security. (4mks)

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14.Outline the procedure followed when processing fresh fish. (4mks)

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15.Create a clear awareness poster on preventing soil pollution in the local community. (3mks)

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16.What are some of the importances of value addition on crop produce? (3mks)

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