

# DISTINCTION KPSEA ASSESSMENT



## MONITORING LEARNER'S PROGRESS GRADE SIX - 2026

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PREMIER

### ENGLISH

Read the conversation below and then answer question 1 to 5.

**Attendant** : Hello Sally, how may I help you?

**Sally** : I would like to send an email to my aunt who lives in South Africa.

**Attendant** : That is okay. Have you ever sent an email before?

**Sally** : I am afraid I have never sent one before. Will you kindly assist me?

**Attendant** : Yes, I shall assist you. Do you have an email address?

**Sally** : Yes, I do.

**Attendant** : There are steps to follow when sending an email. First, you must ensure that the computer or smart mobile phone you are using is connected to the internet.

**Sally** : Yes, I know how to do that. I always use data bundles to access the Internet on my mother's mobile phone.

**Attendant** : Next, you log into *Gmail* or *Yahoo* depending on your email address. What is your email address?

**Sally** : My email address is *sally10@gmail.com*.

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| <p>1. What does a person need to send an email?</p> <p>A. A computer</p> <p>B. His own laptop</p> <p>C. An email address</p> <p>D. Data bundles.</p> <p>2. How do we know that Sally had never sent an email before?</p> <p>A. She went to a cybercafe.</p> <p>B. She kept asking many questions.</p> <p>C. She sought assistance to send an email to her aunt.</p> <p>D. She did not know any of the steps.</p> <p>3. Which one of the following statements is true?</p> <p>A. Internet is not good for children.</p> <p>B. It is wrong to send emails to strangers.</p> | <p>C. It is not possible to send an email using a smart phone.</p> <p>D. It is right to share your password with friends.</p> <p>4. Sally received the reply to her email. Where is she likely to find the message?</p> <p>A. In her inbox.</p> <p>B. In her outbox.</p> <p>C. In her aunt's inbox.</p> <p>D. In her sent folder.</p> <p>5. Which one among the following is not a step followed when sending an email?</p> <p>A. Connect the computer to the internet.</p> <p>B. Log into Gmail or Yahoo.</p> <p>C. Key in the message and then click send.</p> <p>D. Leave your email address open for the reply to come.</p> |
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Read the story below and then answer questions 6 to 9.

Have you ever thought about the causes of obesity? The leading cause of obesity is eating a lot of processed foods. Processed foods are usually colourful, attractive, sugary and with chemicals that are unhealthy. Lack of physical activities is another cause of obesity. Today, children prefer to sit and watch television, play games on laptops, computers and phones. Playing outdoor games and helping with house chores help in preventing obesity.

Sleep is also very important if you want to live a healthy life. Lack of enough sleep and rest can also lead to obesity. When you do not have enough sleep, your appetite increases and you eat more than what your body requires.

6. What is the leading cause of obesity?  
 A. Overeating.  
 B. Eating sugary foods.  
 C. Eating processed foods.  
 D. Lack of physical exercise.
7. Playing outdoor games and helping with house chores help \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. in preventing obesity.  
 B. stop us from doing bad things.  
 C. to mould us well.  
 D. shows how responsible children we are.

8. The word "important" as used in the last paragraph means the same as \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. vital  
 B. necessity  
 C. unnecessary  
 D. unimportant
9. What is the greatest effect of lack of sleep?  
 A. Frequent headaches.  
 B. Insomnia.  
 C. Fatigue and diarrhoea.  
 D. More appetite hence overeating and becoming obese.

**Read the story below and then answer questions 10 to 12.**

One day, Mr Aura and his family entered an expensive restaurant to have a meal. The staff of the restaurant were happy to welcome them. They knew the family would order the most nutritious food.

A menu was given to the family and the waiter waited patiently for the family to place their order. After carefully looking at the list of food, the family decided to eat that day's special food: ugali, fish and spinach. The waiter took the order and immediately went for it.

When the dish was served to the family, they were very happy. The food was tastier than they thought. After eating the main meal, they were served fruits. They ate paw paws, oranges and water melon. The meal was well balanced because it had all the nutrients the human body requires.

When the bill was brought to the family, Mrs Aura took it and checked that it was correct. She then paid the bill and thanked the waiter.

10. How did the staff at the restaurant receive Mr Aura and his family?  
 A. In a hostile manner.  
 B. Warmly  
 C. With cold hands.  
 D. Openly
11. Whenever you go to a hotel, you \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. place an order.  
 B. request for your order.  
 C. demand your order.  
 D. ask for your order.
12. Why did the family settle for fish, ugali and spinach?  
 A. It was the day's special food.  
 B. Besides being a balanced diet, it was the day's special food.  
 C. The children loved it.  
 D. There wasn't any other food.

**Read the story below and then answer questions 13 to 15.**

The night was peaceful. Mzee Olempaka and his family had just had their dinner. They sat outside their Manyatta around a bonfire which kept them warm. The fire not only kept them warm but also kept wild animals from attacking their herd of cattle.

By his community's standards, Mzee Olempaka was a very rich man. He had a lot of cattle. He was a well known man in all the villages across the ridges. He was famous not only for his wealth and kindness but also for his failure to marry a second wife. This was despite it being a requirement in his culture.

13. The family sat around a bonfire \_\_\_\_\_  
 A. to become warm as they tell stories.  
 B. because the night was peaceful.  
 C. to look out for wild animals.  
 D. to take care of their herd of cattle.
14. Why was Mzee Olempaka regarded as wealthy?  
 A. He lived peacefully with his family.  
 B. He had a large family.  
 C. He owned a large herd of cattle.  
 D. He ate and lived well with his big family.
15. Mzee Olempaka was famous. This means he was \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. very popular.  
 B. well known.  
 C. respected.  
 D. treated with despise.

Read the passage below. It contains blank spaces numbered 16 to 20. For each blank space, choose the best alternative from the given four.

Once upon a time, \_\_16\_\_ was drought. All the wells and streams dried up and the animals had \_\_17\_\_ water to drink. So, they went to lion, their king and \_\_18\_\_ him to \_\_19\_\_ a solution. Lion told them to come back after three days. Now, after they \_\_20\_\_ left, Lion called his council of elders to deliberate on the problem at hand.

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| 16. A. their   | B. there       | C. they'll  | D. they're |
| 17. A. no      | B. little      | C. a little | D. some    |
| 18. A. begged  | B. pressurized | C. demanded | D. asked   |
| 19. A. produce | B. create      | C. provide  | D. makes   |
| 20. A. hand    | B. had         | C. herd     | D. hard    |

For questions 21 - 27, choose the alternative that best completes the given sentence.

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| <p>21. There is ____ water in the bottle for everyone.</p> <p>A. each</p> <p>B. some</p> <p>C. enough</p> <p>D. a lot of</p> <p>22. ____ girl in the group introduced herself.</p> <p>A. A lot of</p> <p>B. Enough</p> <p>C. Some</p> <p>D. Each</p> <p>23. He ate ____ food and now he feels sick.</p> <p>A. each</p> <p>B. some</p> <p>C. enough</p> <p>D. a lot of</p> <p>24. ____ of the boys in the class were chosen for the team.</p> <p>A. Some</p> <p>B. Each</p> <p>C. Enough</p> <p>D. a lot of</p> <p>25. You can ____ take tea ____ coffee with your breakfast.</p> <p>A. neither ... nor</p> <p>B. either ... or</p> <p>C. both ... and</p> <p>D. not only ... but also</p> | <p>26. ____ John ____ Peter is coming to school today. They are both sick.</p> <p>A. not only ... but also</p> <p>B. either ... or</p> <p>C. neither ... nor</p> <p>D. both .... And</p> <p>27. He is ____ at solving puzzles.</p> <p>A. good</p> <p>B. best</p> <p>C. better</p> <p>D. most good</p> <p>28. Choose the alternative with an abstract noun.</p> <p>A. Stone</p> <p>B. Happiness</p> <p>C. Candle</p> <p>D. Rain</p> <p>29. Choose the alternative with a concrete noun.</p> <p>A. Truth</p> <p>B. River</p> <p>C. Kindness</p> <p>D. Anger</p> <p>30. Which sentence uses a superlative adjective?</p> <p>A. Mary is taller than Jane.</p> <p>B. This is the most beautiful dress in the shop.</p> <p>C. My brother is fast.</p> <p>D. She runs as fast as I.</p> |
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