



CARIBBEAN EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL

ADVANCED PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION

CARIBBEAN STUDIES

PAPER 01

1 hour 30 minutes

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer ALL questions.**
- 2. Write your answer to each question in the space provided.**
- 3. You should NOT bring notes or other textual materials into the examination room for use during this paper.**
- 4. You have an average of six minutes per question.**

SECTION A

MODULE 1 – CARIBBEAN SOCIETY AND CULTURE

1. Explain what is meant by EACH of the following terms:

(a) Plural society

[2 marks]

(b) Mestizo

[2 marks]

(c) Doula

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

2. (a) Define the term 'soil erosion'.

[2 marks]

(b) Describe TWO processes that have contributed to soil erosion in the Caribbean.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

3. (a) Name TWO groups of indentured labourers who were brought to the Caribbean after Emancipation in 1838.

[2 marks]

(b) Give TWO reasons why EACH group of indentured labourers named in (a) were brought to the Caribbean.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

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4. (a) Explain what is meant by the term 'the family as a social institution'.

[2 marks]

(b) Outline TWO reasons why many Caribbean family forms were considered 'dysfunctional' by colonial authorities.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

5. (a) Describe TWO ways in which immigrant labour from the Caribbean has impacted on the economies of Europe and North America.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

(b) Describe ONE way in which Cuban immigrants have influenced policy in North America.

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

SECTION B

MODULE 2 – ISSUES IN CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENT

6. (a) Define the term 'per capita income'.

[2 marks]

(b) Explain ONE way in which 'levels of income' is a better indicator of development than 'per capita income'.

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

7. (a) Define the term 'popular movement'.

[2 marks]

(b) Describe TWO ways in which a **named** popular movement in the Caribbean has contributed to national identity.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

8. (a) Explain what is meant by the 'mutual advantage' concept of social justice.

[2 marks]

(b) Distinguish between 'prejudice' and 'discrimination'.

[4 marks]

Total 6 marks

9. (a) Define the term 'mass media'.

[2 marks]

(b) Explain ONE way in which the Caribbean mass media has hindered the promotion of Caribbean entertainment internationally.

[2 marks]

- (c) Explain ONE way in which the mass media has assisted in the promotion of Caribbean entertainment internationally.

[2 marks]

Total 6 marks

10. (a) Explain the term 'Pan-Africanism'.

[3 marks]

- (b) Give ONE reason why some interest groups in the Caribbean opposed Pan-Africanism.

[2 marks]

- (c) State ONE way in which Pan-Africanists attempted to unite people of the African Diaspora.

[1 mark]

Total 6 marks

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SECTION C

**MODULE 3 – INVESTIGATING HUMAN AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT
IN THE CARIBBEAN**

11. (a) State why the following may be classified as a hypothesis:

“Dancehall culture has contributed to the erosion of moral values in the Caribbean.”

[1 mark]

(b) List THREE reasons why an individual may want to research the above hypothesis.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

[3 marks]

Total 4 marks

12. Describe TWO ways in which electronic mail (e-mail) can be used in research.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[4 marks]

Total 4 marks

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13. In a research project on health in the Caribbean, it was found that the high incidence of HIV/AIDS is evidence of an unequal distribution of resources.

(a) List TWO data collection methods that would have been used in this project.

[2 marks]

(b) State TWO ways in which the data collected in the project could be presented.

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

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14. (a) State TWO advantages of using oral sources when conducting research.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[2 marks]

(b) Identify TWO ethical issues that must be considered when conducting research.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

15. (a) Identify TWO issues that should be addressed in the section of the research study entitled "Conclusions and Recommendations".

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[2 marks]

(b) State TWO reasons why a bibliography should be included in a research study.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

[2 marks]

Total 4 marks

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