



WESTERING PRIMARY SCHOOL
LIFE SKILLS ASSESSMENT
GRADE 5
Memorandum

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TOTAL MARKS: 30 MARKS

Instructions

1. Answer all questions on the question paper.
2. Look carefully at the mark allocation when answering questions.
3. Write neatly and legibly.

Question 1

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True or false

1. State whether the following statements are true or false.

1.1 Shouting at somebody is a positive way to give feedback.	False
1.2 Copying everything your friends do is a good thing.	False
1.3 We have the Bill of Rights in place to ensure children get treated fairly.	True
1.4 Your self-concept is how others see and feel about you.	False
1.5 Never allow anyone to touch you in a manner that makes you feel uncomfortable.	True

Question 2

Underline the correct answer

2. Underline the correct answer for each question below.

[10]

2.1 Which of the following is an example of bullying?

(1)

- A. Not helping someone with their homework
- B. Repeatedly calling a classmate hurtful names**
- C. Inviting everyone to your birthday party
- D. Sharing your lunch with a friend

2.2 Discrimination happens when someone is treated unfairly because of their...

(1)

- A. Favourite food
- B. Choice of hobbies
- C. Race, gender, religion, or disability**
- D. Style of clothing

2.3 What is a stereotype?

(1)

- A. A belief about a group of people that is not true**
- B. A personal opinion based on experience
- C. A legal document protecting rights
- D. A belief about a group of people that is true

2.4 Which of the following is a right all children have?

(1)

- A. To drive a car
- B. To be protected from harm and abuse**
- C. To vote in elections
- D. To have electricity

2.5 Which of these is a form of emotional abuse?

(1)

- A. Hitting or slapping
- B. Constantly yelling at or insulting a child**
- C. Not giving a child enough food
- D. Touching a child inappropriately

2.6 Neglect is a form of abuse that involves:

(1)

- A. Yelling or screaming at someone
- B. Failing to provide basic needs like food, shelter, or supervision**
- C. Forcing a child to do chores
- D. Giving too many toys to a child

2.7 Which of the following best describes physical abuse? (1)

- A. Teasing someone and making them cry
- B. Not helping someone with homework
- C. Hitting, kicking, or hurting someone physically**
- D. Ignoring someone when they speak

2.8 Sexual abuse involves: (1)

- A. Giving a child a hug when they are sad
- B. Inappropriate sexual behaviour toward a child**
- C. Leaving a child at school too long
- D. Not taking a child to the doctor

2.9 Which strategy can help deal with abuse or prevent it? (1)

- A. Keeping secrets to protect others
- B. Ignoring what's happening
- C. Talking to a trusted adult**
- D. Blaming the victim

2.10 Which option below is not a human right? (1)

- A. The right to a name
- B. The right to electricity**
- C. The right to be safe
- D. The right to education

Question 3 [7]

Questions and answers

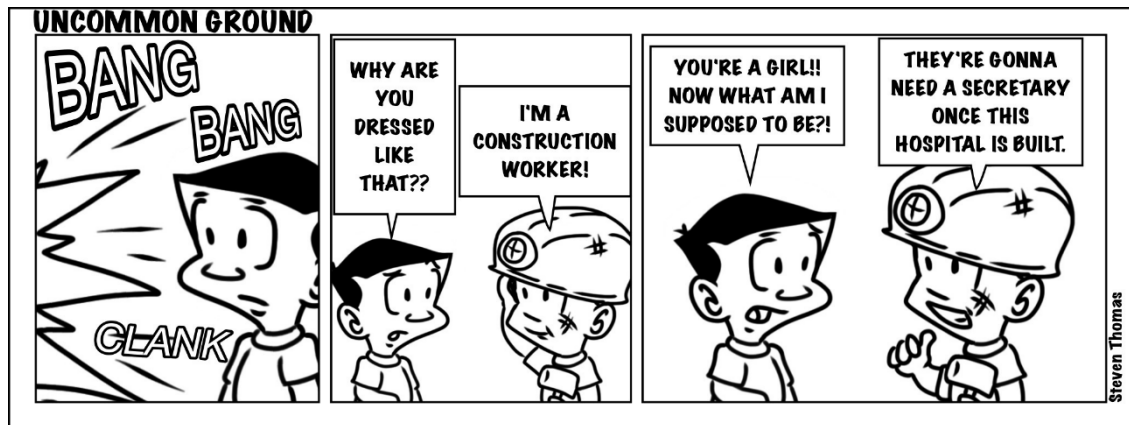
3.1 Name one way you can build your self-concept. (1)

Set yourself some goals; eat healthily; exercise often; practice honesty (any is suitable)

3.2 Feedback is a way in which we tell someone how well they have done something, or where they can improve. Give an example of: (2)

- a) Positive feedback: **Well done on the great mark you received for this test; Good job. (Any reasonable example will suffice)**
- b) Negative feedback: **You are terrible at Tennis; you absolutely suck. (Any reasonable example will suffice)**

2.3 Look at the following comic strip and answer the questions that follow:



- a) Does the comic strip above show an example of stereotyping, bias or discrimination? (1)
Discrimination or stereotyping is acceptable.
- b) Explain the reason for your answer above by giving the definition of the word you chose. (1)
Stereotyping: the generalising of groups of people e.g. woman/men.
Discrimination: Unfair treatment because of gender/ sex.
- c) What does the term constructive criticism mean? Give me one example of constructive criticism. (2)
Constructive criticism is when you tell someone something negative, in a positive way.

Question 4

[8]

Case study

4. Read the text below and answer the questions that follow.

Jack and Sizwe have been friends since Grade 1. They are both currently in Grade 6. In Grade 6, the school which they attend choose whom they want to become prefects in Grade 7. Sizwe was elected as a leader but not Jack. Sizwe noticed that Jack had bruises on his arms after the leaders' election. He did not think much of it, because boys often play roughly with one another.

That day, Sizwe went home with Jack to work on a task. Jack went to his father's study to tell his father that they were going to work on a task. Sizwe heard shouting, then moaning which then became crying. Sizwe immediately ran to the study to see what was going. There he saw Jack lying on the floor with his father towering over him, with a clenched fist.

4.1 What is this type of violence at home called? (1)

Domestic violence.

4.2 Jack is clearly in an abusive situation. Is this emotional abuse, physical abuse or neglect? (1)

Physical abuse

4.3 Mention one Childline number and the police number Jack could use to get help? (2)

116; 112 and or 08000 55 555 and 10111

4.4 If Jack decides to call one of these numbers, what information should he have ready to tell them? (4)

Your name, address, phone number and why you need their help.

Q 2 answers

- B
- C
- A
- B
- B
- B
- C
- B
- C
- B

