



TOM NEWBY SCHOOL EXAMINATION



Subject	GEOGRAPHY	Examiner	MR J MAREDI
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Session	1	Duration	1 HOUR
Grade	5	Moderator	MISS M ALBERTYN
Special instructions/ Equipment	Answer in full sentences. Write all answers on the question paper		

This Exam has been compiled using notes and information contained in the Tom Newby School book. The marking memorandum has been compiled accordingly. While alternative responses will be given due acknowledgement, the official memorandum will be considered a priority document to ensure uniformity of marking.

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QUESTION 1:

(6)

Say whether the following statements are true or false, if false correct the statement.

1. Table Mountain is found in Pretoria.

2. A political map is a map that shows the boundaries of countries or areas.

3. Antarctica is found in a westerly direction from South Africa.

4. Landlocked countries are next to the sea.

5. Valleys are usually formed by rivers.

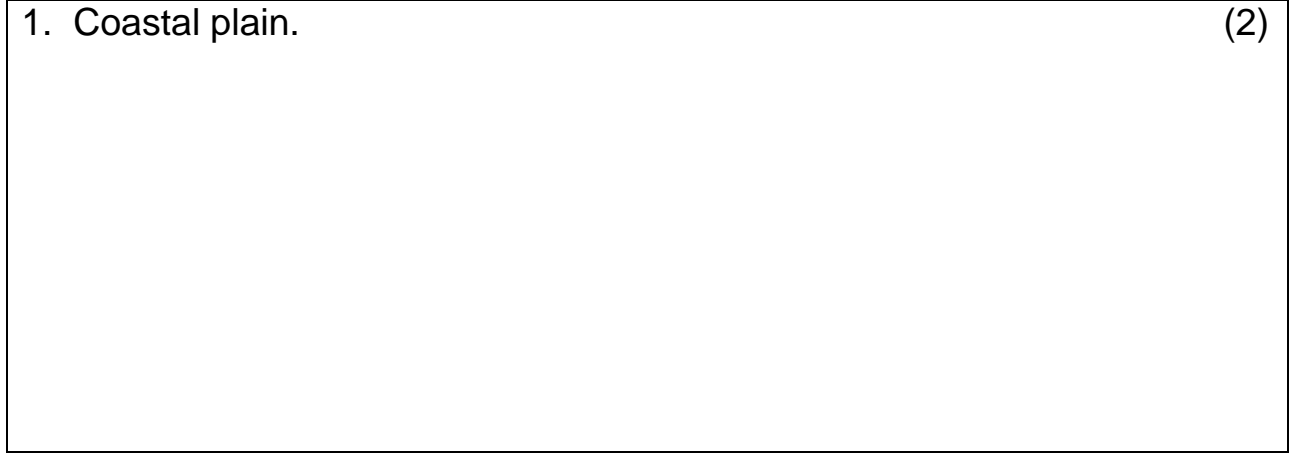
6. The word Augrabies means 'barriers of spears'.

QUESTION 2:**(9)**

Draw a picture of a landscape showing a coastal plain, a plateau and an escarpment.

1. Coastal plain.

(2)



2. A plateau.

(2)



3. An escarpment.

(2)



2.2 If you were a farmer would you plant in an escarpment area? (1)

Give one reason for your answer.

2.3 If poor people had to build their house, either in valleys high up the (2)
in the mountains or on a plateau, which area would they choose and why?

QUESTION 3:

(4)

Match the letter from column A with number from column B. Write down only the number in the block below.

Column A	Column B
A. Niger River	1. It is 4700 km long and ends when it flows into the Atlantic Ocean.
B. Zambezi River	2. It is 6650 km long and ends when it flows into the Mediterranean.
C. Nile River	3. It is 2574 km long and ends when it flows into the Indian Ocean.
D. Congo River	4. It is 4180 km long and ends when it flows into the Atlantic Ocean.
	5. It is 1750 km long.

A	B	C	D

QUESTION 4:

(3)

Define the following terms:

4.1 Capital city.

(1)

4.2 Coastline.

(1)

4.3 Erode.

(1)

QUESTION 5:

(15)

Study the map and answer the questions that follow:



5.1 List three landlocked countries in Africa

(3)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

5.2 What is the difference between a country and an Island? (2)

5.3 Would you prefer living in a country or living on an Island? (2)

Give reasons for your answer.

5.4 Name any two Islands which you can see on the map: (2)

1. _____

2. _____

5.5 Which country borders with Nigeria in the north east? (1)

5.6 Why do you think that people from other countries in Africa relocate to South Africa? Give two reasons for your answer (2)

5.7 In which direction will you travel if you move from Angola to Botswana (1)

5.8 Name any two seas which you can see on the map. (2)

A. _____ B. _____

QUESTIONS 6:

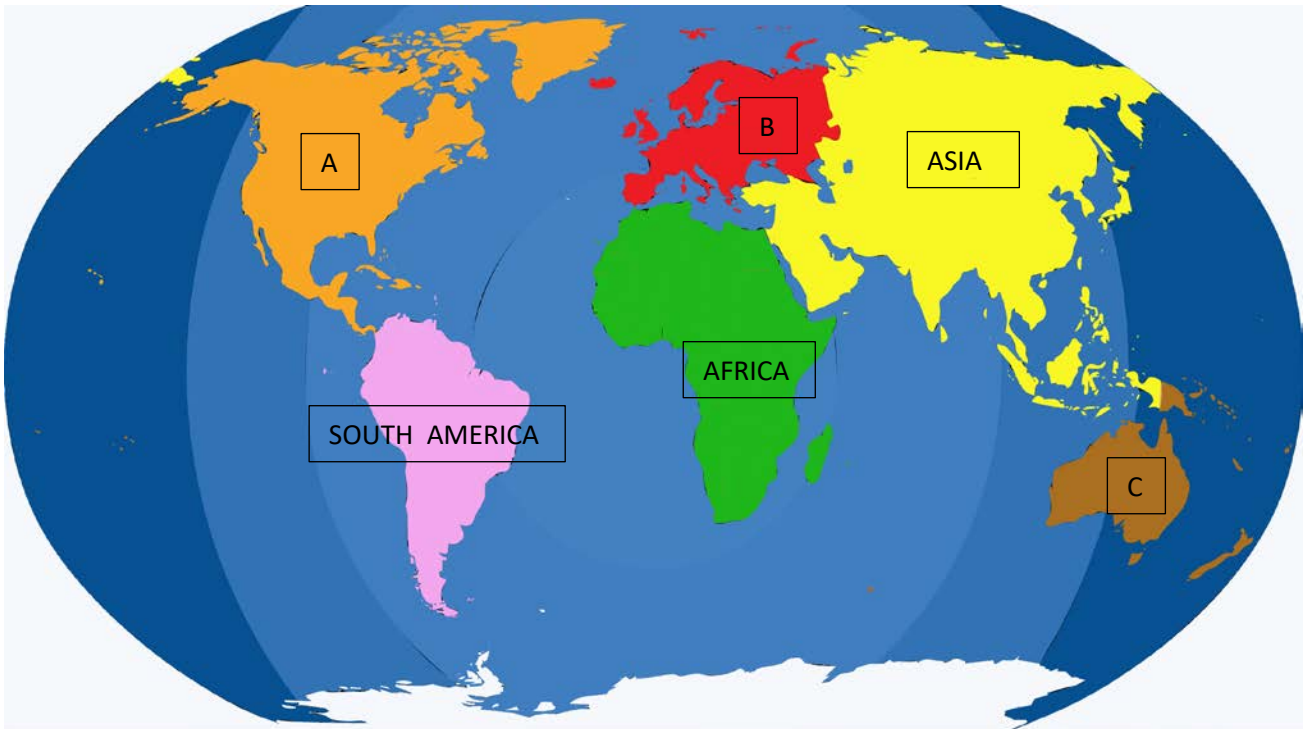
(6)

Fill in the missing word from the list below.

Highveld , Namaqualand, Little Karoo, Lowveld, Kalahari and Great Karoo.
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The _____ is a desert found in the centre of Southern Africa.
 _____ is a large valley found between mountain ranges in the Western Cape.

The _____ is a lower lying area which is between approximately 800m above sea level. The _____ is the smaller of the two valleys in the Western Cape that is found between mountain ranges. _____ is found in Namibia, next to the cold Atlantic Ocean and along the west coast of the Northern Province. The _____ is a high lying area over 1600 meters high.

QUESTION 7:**(4)**

7.1 Look at the map and fill in the missing continents.

(3)

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

7.2 Explain why people prefer living in Europe rather than Australia.

(1)

7.3 Name the continent which is not shown on the map.

(1)

QUESTION 8:**(6×½=3)**

Read the information and use it to complete the table on page 7.



Mount Kilimanjaro, in Tanzania is the highest mountain in Africa. It is 5895m above sea level. This is an old volcano.



Mount Kenya is found in Kenya. It is 5199m high. It is also an old volcano.



The Victoria Falls is found on the Zambezi River between Zambia and Zimbabwe. The falls are 108m high. The local name for Victoria Falls is 'the smoke that thunders'.



The Maletsunyane Falls is found in Lesotho on a tributary of the Orange/Gariep River. The falls are 192m high. The local name for the falls is 'place of smoke'.

	Name	Country	Depth of Length
Highest Waterfall			
Highest Mountain			

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