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## Education Bureau

# Territory-wide System Assessment 2009 

Secondary 3
Mathematics
QUESTION BOOKLET

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. There are 49 questions in this paper.
2. The time allowed is 65 minutes.
3. Answer ALL questions in the separate ANSWER BOOKLET.
4. The use of HKEAA approved calculators is permitted.
5. Rough work should be done on the rough work sheet provided.
6. The diagrams in this paper are not necessarily drawn to scale.

## FORMULAS FOR REFERENCE



SECTION A: Choose the best answer for each question.
You should mark all your answers in the ANSWER BOOKLET.

1. There were 26 students in a class. During today's Home Economic lesson, each student brought one to three eggs. Which of the following numbers CANNOT be the total number of eggs brought by the class of students?
A. 16
B. 26
C. 55
D. 75
2. Round off 0.001849 to 3 decimal places.
A. 0.00
B. 0.001
C. 0.002
D. 0.00185
3. There are 1100 students in Excellent Secondary School and 500 of them are girls. Find the ratio of number of boys to number of girls in that school.
A. $11: 5$
B. $5: 11$
C. $6: 5$
D. $5: 6$
4. Mary bought 0.6 kg of pork chop with $\$ 60$. Find the selling price of pork chop per kg .
A. $\quad \$ 0.01$
B. $\$ 36$
C. $\$ 59.4$
D. $\$ 100$
5. The base fee of Helen's mobile phone plan is $\$ 20$. It includes 500 minutes free airtime. The fee thereafter is $\$ 0.1$ per minute.

Helen used her mobile phone for more than 500 minutes this month. If she used the phone for $x$ minutes, which of the following equations can be used to find Helen's mobile phone fees $\$ C$ this month?
A. $\quad C=20+(0.1) x$
B. $C=20+(0.1) x-500$
C. $C=20+(500-x)(0.1)$
D. $\quad C=20+(x-500)(0.1)$
6. Simplify $3 x^{3}+2 x^{3}$.
A. $5 x^{3}$
B. $6 x^{3}$
C. $5 x^{6}$
D. $6 x^{6}$
7. Mandy has pocket money $\$ x$. Clare has pocket money $\$ 47$, which is $\$ 10$ less than three times Mandy's amount. Which of the following equations can be used to find the value of $x$ ?
A. $3 x=47-10$
B. $3 x-10=47$
C. $3(47)=x-10$
D. $3(47)-10=x$
8. Karen has $\$ 150$. She needs to buy $x$ egg tarts for the party. Each egg tart costs $\$ 3$. Which of the following inequalities gives the range of $x$ ?
A. $x+3 \geq 150$
B. $x+3 \leq 150$
C. $3 x \geq 150$
D. $3 x \leq 150$
9.


The figure above shows the graphs of $4 x+14 y-13=0$ and $2 x-y+4=0$.
Solve $\left\{\begin{array}{l}4 x+14 y-13=0 \\ 2 x-y+4=0\end{array}\right.$ graphically.
A. The exact solution is $(-1.3,1.3)$.
B. The exact solution is $(-1.5,1.5)$.
C. The approximate solution is $(-1.3,1.3)$.
D. The approximate solution is $(-1.5,1.5)$.
10. Which of the following weather reports made use of the most suitable unit and degree of accuracy to express the total rainfall?
A. The total rainfall recorded yesterday was 21.4 mm .
B. The total rainfall recorded yesterday was 21.42387 mm .
C. The total rainfall recorded yesterday was 0.0214 m .
D. The total rainfall recorded yesterday was 0.02142387 m .
11. The Pure Water Company bought a new water tank. The tank is a cylinder with diameter 6 m and height 10 m . Find the volume of the water tank in terms of $\pi$.
A. $60 \pi \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
B. $90 \pi \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
C. $120 \pi \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
D. $360 \pi \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

12. The height of the pyramid in the figure is 20 cm . It has a square base with side length 9 cm . The volume of the pyramid is
A. $\quad 180 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.
B. $540 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.
C. $720 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.
D. $\quad 1620 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$.

13. The angle marked in the figure is $180^{\circ}$. Which type of angle is it?
A. Acute angle
B. Obtuse angle
C. Straight angle
D. Reflex angle
14. Which of the following 3-D figures can be made by the net on the right?
A. Cylinder
B. Cone
C. Sphere
D. Regular tetrahedron
15. Figure 1


Figure 2


Figure 1 is changed to Figure 2 after a single transformation. The transformation is
A. rotation.
B. reflection.
C. translation.
D. enlargement.
16. Which of the following figures shows that $x$ and $y$ are corresponding angles?
A.

B.

C.

17. In $\triangle A B C, \angle A C D=\angle B C D . C D$ is
A. a median of $\triangle A B C$.
B. a perpendicular bisector of $\triangle A B C$.
C. an altitude of $\triangle A B C$.
D. an angle bisector of $\triangle A B C$.

18. In the figure, the image of point $\boldsymbol{A}$ reflected along straight line $x=1$ is
A. $(1,3)$.
B. $(3,3)$.
C. $(4,3)$.
D. $(5,3)$.

19. In the figure, the $\qquad$ of the top of flagpole from $P$ is $\qquad$ .

20. After school examination, the results were analysed. It was found that, in general, when the mathematics mark of a student is higher, the science mark is also higher. From which of the following scatter diagrams can this be concluded?
A.

B. Science

C.

D.

21. The following table lists the number of days of fencing practice of Susan and her teammates last month:

| Fencing team member | Number of days of practice |
| :---: | :---: |
| Susan | 14 |
| Karen | 10 |
| Yuki | 14 |
| Mandy | 12 |

Find the arithmetic mean and median of this set of data.
A. $\quad$ Arithmetic mean $=12.5$ days; median $=12$ days.
B. Arithmetic mean $=12.5$ days; median $=13$ days.
C. Arithmetic mean $=14$ days; median $=12$ days.
D. Arithmetic mean $=14$ days; median $=13$ days.

## SECTION B: Write ALL the answers in the ANSWER BOOKLET. Working need not be shown.

22. The manager of a football team used positive and negative numbers to represent goals scored and goals lost. Use suitable numbers to represent the following goals scored and goals lost:
(i) 4 goals scored
(ii) 5 goals lost
23. Determine whether the values mentioned in the following situations are exact or estimated values.
(i) There were 28 participants in a Marathon Race.
(ii) The viewing rate of a Marathon Race on a TV station was $\mathbf{4 7 \%}$.
24. Round off 159.972 to three significant figures.
25. It is given that $a: b: c=4: 6: 9$. If $a=2$, find the values of $b$ and $c$.
26. The $n^{\text {th }}$ term of a sequence is $\frac{2 n}{n+1}$. Find the value of the $5^{\text {th }}$ term of the sequence.
27. If $4 x^{3}+4 x^{2}-5 x-3$ is factorized, the result is $(2 x+1)(2 x+3)(x-1)$.

What is the result when $(2 x+1)(2 x+3)(x-1)$ is expanded?
28. Factorize $2 x^{2}-x-6$.
29.


The figure shows the graphs of $5 y+3 x=4$ and $4 x-7 y-19=0$.
Solve $\left\{\begin{array}{c}5 y+3 x=4 \\ 4 x-7 y-19=0\end{array}\right.$ graphically.
30. Make $x$ the subject of the formula $w=\frac{10}{x}+2$.
31. The length, width and height of a cuboid are 22 cm , 15 cm and 8 cm respectively. Find the total surface area of the cuboid.

32. Use suitable notations and letters to represent the angle marked in the figure.

33.


Which of the following triangles is/are congruent to $\triangle P Q R$ in the figure above?
(There may be more than one answer.)


Triangle $A$


Triangle $B$


Triangle $C$
34.


In the figure, $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle D E F$. Find
(a) the value of $x$;
(b) the value of $y$.
35. (a) It is given that the slope of straight line $L_{1}$ is -4 . If a straight line $L_{2}$ is perpendicular to $L_{1}$, find the slope of $L_{2}$.
(b) It is given that the slope of straight line $L_{3}$ is -5 . If a straight line $L_{4}$ is parallel to $L_{3}$, find the slope of $L_{4}$.
36. According to the figure, find the value of $x$.

37. The figure shows a triangular prism. $A B C D$ and $D C F E$ are rectangles. $\quad A B C D$ is a horizontal plane, and $D C F E$ is a vertical plane. Name the angle between line $A E$ and horizontal plane $A B C D$.

38. Find the polar coordinates of point $\boldsymbol{A}$ in the figure.

39. Two fair coins are tossed once. Find the probability of getting one head and one tail.
40. The following cumulative frequency polygon shows the 400 m race running times of 25 students:


How many students took more than 70 s to finish the race?

## SECTION C: All working must be clearly shown. <br> Write the mathematical expressions, answers and statements/conclusions in the spaces provided in the ANSWER BOOKLET.

41. The Student Council used $15 \%$ of school grant to buy a Table-tennis Table. The table costs $\$ 1200$. Find the amount of school grant.
42. Ben deposited $\$ 4000$ into a bank. The interest rate was $3 \%$ p.a., compounded yearly. Find the amount that Ben would receive after 3 years, correct to the nearest dollars.
43. Complete the following table for the equation $2 y=x+1$ in the ANSWER BOOKLET.

| $x$ | -3 | 0 | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $y$ |  |  | 2 |

Draw the graph of this equation on the rectangular coordinate plane given in the ANSWER BOOKLET.
44. The ticket prices of a fast ferry were $\$ 90$ and $\$ 70$ for adult and child respectively. On a ferry, 122 passengers were on board, in which the number of adults was $x$ and the number of children was $y$. The total ticket income was $\$ 10200$.
(a) According to the above description, write a pair of equations in $x$ and $y$.
(b) How many children were on the fast ferry?
45. The area of a circle is $256 \pi \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.
(a) Let the radius of the circle be $r \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the value of $r$.
(b) Find the circumference of the circle. Express the answer in terms of $\pi$.

46. In the figure, the base of the right pyramid is a square of side length 8 cm . Its slant height is 5 cm .

Find the total surface area of the pyramid.

47. In the figure, $C D E$ and $F G H$ are straight lines,
$A B / / C E, \angle B A D=40^{\circ}, \angle D G H=50^{\circ}$, $\angle A D G=90^{\circ}$.

Prove that $C E / / F H$.

48. Find the distance between the points $A(20,7)$ and $B(-15,-5)$ in the rectangular coordinate plane.
49. The volunteering hours of 15 students are recorded as follows:

| 25 | 25 | 27 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 13 | 35 | 46 |
| 13 | 25 | 15 |
| 51 | 36 | 38 |
| 25 | 18 | 51 |

According to the data, complete the stem-and-leaf diagram in the ANSWER BOOKLET.

## END OF PAPER

