

LIFE ORIENTATION: GRADE 9  
NOVEMBER 2017 EXAMINATION



**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**LO TEACHER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EXAMINER: MRS MCLAUGHLIN**  
**MARK ALLOCATION: 110 marks**

**MODERATOR: MR FARQUHAR**  
**TIME: 2 hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Read through all the questions carefully and then answer each question to the best of your ability.
- This exam has three sections, A, B and C.
- Answer Sections A and B on the question paper. **Section C must be answered on the ruled paper provided.**
- Write only in black or blue pen. Rule a margin on the right hand side of your page for Section C.
- Remember to write your name and your LO teacher's name in the space above.

**THIS TABLE TO BE FILLED IN BY THE TEACHERS ONLY**

A:Q1(12)	A:Q2(6)	A:Q3(5)	A:Q4(5)	A:Q5(6)	B:Q6(14)	B:Q7(10)
B:Q8(16)	C:Q9(12)	C:Q10(12)	C:Q11(12)	110	70	%

**SECTION A: SHORT QUESTIONS**

- ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED:

1) Provide the definition for the following words. Answer in full sentences.

a) Life-long learning:

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b) Co-existence:

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c) Code of conduct:

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d) Apprenticeship:

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e) Depression:

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f) Addiction:

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(2 x 6 = 12)

2) Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. Write only 'true' or 'false' next to the question number.

a) A scholarship is a form of financial assistance given to learners who display particular talent or skill and possess a record of outstanding academic, sporting or cultural achievement. \_\_\_\_\_

b) If your friends are very clear about which career path they want you to follow, you should follow that path without questioning it. \_\_\_\_\_

c) Drugs and alcohol can be classified as productive coping techniques. \_\_\_\_\_

d) Flashbacks are a common symptom of trauma. \_\_\_\_\_

e) Ethics in sport means winning is all important. You do not need to abide by the code of conduct or show good sportsmanship \_\_\_\_\_

(6 x 1 = 6)

3) Match the types of violence with the correct images that represent these types. Write down the letter of the image you think matches it in the column below.

You may use each option only once.

Type of violence	Picture
1) Domestic violence	
2) Gang violence	
3) Bullying	
4) Verbal abuse	
5) Cyber bullying	

(1 x 5 = 5)

A



B



C



D



E



4) Two possible answers are indicated in each sentence below.

Choose the word(s) that best completes the sentences. Highlight or circle your answer.

- A volunteer (chooses / is forced) to offer their services for free.
- Community hours imposed by a school or court of law is known as (volunteering / community service).
- Voting in local and national elections is an example of (individual / community) responsibility.
- Complete the expression: "With rights comes (responsibility / selfishness)".
- Individual responsibility means that a person (upholds / breaks) standards set by society. (1x5=5)

5) Fill in the missing words by selecting a word out the box:

<b>crisis</b>	<b>learnership</b>	<b>student loan</b>
<b>University of Technology</b>	<b>volunteer</b>	
<b>NGO</b>	<b>UNISA</b>	

- a) \_\_\_\_\_ is a tertiary institution that focuses on more practical aspects of training.
- b) \_\_\_\_\_ is an example of a distance learning institution where one can obtain a qualification without physically attending lectures.
- c) A \_\_\_\_\_ is a serious or dangerous event or a time when a situation has reached its worst point.
- d) A \_\_\_\_\_ has to be paid back after you finish studying at a low interest rate.
- e) A \_\_\_\_\_ is an approach that allows one to study whilst earning an income and gaining work experience.
- f) The *Nelson Mandela's Children Fund* is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_.

(1 x 6 = 6)

**TOTAL SECTION A: 34 MARKS**

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**SECTION B:**

**QUESTION 6:**

6.1) Discuss how the following might contribute to an individual being violent:

a) genetics

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(2)

b) alcohol abuse

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(2)

c) desensitisation

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(2)

d) brain injury

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(2)

6.2) How does violence affect the individual who has witnessed the act of violence? (2)

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6.3) Name 3 warning signs that someone may be about to start behaving violently? (3)

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6.4) State what the acronym PTSD stands for: (1)

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**QUESTION 7:**

**"A handball on the goal-line by Luis Suarez prevented Ghana from scoring in the last minute and Uruguay made it through to the World Cup Semi Final"**

7.1) What sport is the above quote referring to? \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

7.2) What does "being ethical in sport" mean? (2)

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7.3) According to the above quote, what was the unethical behaviour in this match? (2)

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7.4) Write up a code of conduct which has 5 points that could be used for sports matches at school. (5)

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**QUESTION 8:**

**After school some students will chose to further their studies at university level. One consideration to bear in mind is how you will fund your tertiary studies.**

a) Define what "tertiary studies" mean. (2)

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b) Explain two ways in which you can fund your university studies (2 x 2)

1)

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c) What is a non-designated subject? (2)

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d) Name a non-designated subject that HHS offers \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

e) What does the abbreviation APS stand for? \_\_\_\_\_ (1)

f) What percentage do you need to obtain in Life Orientation in order to gain university entrance?  
\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

g) Define what is meant by the term “gap year” (2)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

h) State 2 advantages and 1 disadvantage of taking a gap year (2+1)

Advantages:

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Disadvantage:

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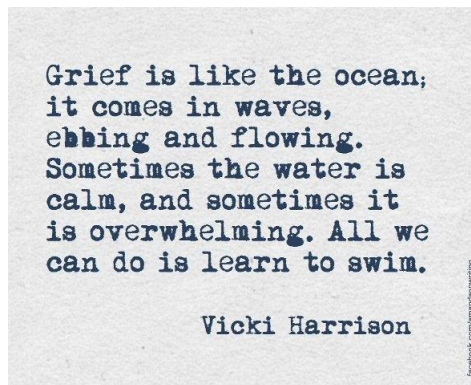
**TOTAL SECTION B: 40 MARKS**

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**SECTION C:**

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING 3 ESSAY QUESTIONS ON THE EXAM PAPER ATTACHED TO THE END OF THE EXAM. NUMBER THE QUESTIONS CAREFULLY.**

**QUESTION 9:**



In a short essay, describe the 5 stage grieving process (5 x 2 =10)

There will also be marks allocated for:

essay format (1)

essay flow (1)

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**QUESTION 10: Cyber Bullying**



With the development of social media sites and smart phones, a new type of bullying was created: Cyber Bullying.

Write an essay of approximately a page, about cyber bullying where you include the following:

- A definition of cyber bullying (2)
- Two consequences of cyber bullying for the person being bullied (2)
- What an individual should do if they are being cyber bullied (2)
- TWO ways you can protect yourself online (2x2)

There will also be marks allocated for:

essay format (1)

essay flow (1)

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## QUESTION 11: Volunteerism

Consider the quotes below:



In an essay of approximately a page in length, discuss the importance of volunteerism in society. Your essay should include the following:

- A definition of a volunteer (2)
- How volunteering helps society (2)
- Personal benefits of volunteering (3)
- Identify an organisation that relies on volunteers and state 2 things you can do to volunteer at that organisation (3)

There will also be marks allocated for:  
essay format (1)  
essay flow (1)

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**TOTAL SECTION C: 36 MARKS**

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**TOTAL OF EXAM: 110 MARKS**