



Myfuture CBC Revision

Music - Grade 1

Question Paper

1. What should you do if someone is singing off-key during a song?

- A. Stop singing altogether
- B. Make fun of them
- C. Turn the music up to drown them out
- D. Politely offer them help

2. Which of the following is important to consider when arranging a melody for different instruments?

- A. Adapting the melody to suit each instrument's range and timbre
- B. Making every instrument play in the same octave
- C. Using only percussion instruments for the melody
- D. Ignoring the dynamics and articulation markings

3. Which of the following is a common theme in Kenyan singing games?

- A. Playing in the snow
- B. Cycling in the park
- C. Hiking in the mountains
- D. Building a sandcastle

4. When playing singing games, should you use sharp objects like knives or scissors?

- A. Sometimes
- B. Maybe
- C. Yes
- D. No

5. What is the purpose of singing games from diverse cultures like Kenyan singing games?

- A. To discourage creativity and individual expression
- B. To encourage cooperation and social interaction
- C. To promote competition among participants
- D. To teach children to sing in harmony

6. What is the name of the famous Kenyan musical group known for their hit song 'Jambo Bwana'?

- A. Black Eyed Peas
- B. Makadem
- C. Imagine Dragons
- D. Them Mushrooms

7. What type of music is commonly played during Kenyan traditional weddings?

- A. Benga
- B. Pop
- C. Jazz
- D. Reggae

8. What do musicians do to prepare for a song performance?

- A. Rehearsing
- B. Sleeping
- C. Shopping
- D. Cooking

9. Which term refers to the speed at which a piece of music is played?

- A. Beat
- B. Pitch
- C. Meter
- D. Tempo

10. What is the name of the popular Kenyan music style that incorporates elements of hip-hop and traditional African rhythms?

- A. Kwaito
- B. Genge
- C. Ohangla
- D. Rumba

11. Which type of song is known for its use of improvisation and complex rhythms?

- A. Jazz song
- B. Electronic dance music song
- C. Metal song
- D. Ska song

12. Which of the following is a common call-and-response singing game in Kenya?

- A. Luk Luk Goosi
- B. London Bridge is Falling Down
- C. Kick the Can
- D. Duck Duck Goose

13. Which of the following is NOT a factor to consider when creating a melody?

- A. Emotion
- B. Volume control
- C. Length
- D. Instrumentation

14. Which instrument is a bowed string instrument with four strings that are played with a bow?

- A. Ukulele
- B. Flute
- C. Guitar
- D. Cello

15. What does decrescendo mean

- A. To gradually become louder
- B. To sing without music
- C. To sing with accompaniment
- D. To gradually become softer

16. What is the name of a popular Taita song game played by children in Kenya?

- A. Duck Duck Goose
- B. Kihooto
- C. Kati
- D. Twister

17. Tushangilie Kenya is an example of

- A. Patriotic song
- B. Sacred song
- C. Lullabies
- D. Action songs

18. Which of the following is an example of singing game

- A. Let the children come to me
- B. Oh God of all creation
- C. I love you Lord
- D. Twinkle Twinkle Little star

19. How can a melody be developed in a composition?

- A. By repeating the same note
- B. By using random notes
- C. By playing in a fast tempo
- D. By adding variations and embellishments

20. What is the most important aspect of performing a song with dance?

- A. Learning the lyrics
- B. Eating a snack
- C. Knowing the choreography
- D. Wearing the right colors

21. How can dancers engage the audience during a performance?

- A. Directly interacting with the audience
- B. Ignoring the audience
- C. Facing away from the audience
- D. Closing eyes

22. Which Kenyan song is sung in Swahili and English to bridge cultural divides?

- A. Malaika
- B. Simba
- C. Karibu
- D. Jambo Bwana

23. Which wind instrument is also known as a 'sax'?

- A. Oboe
- B. Harp
- C. Saxophone
- D. Cello

24. In what way does music stimulate creativity?

- A. It doesn't affect creativity
- B. It limits creative thinking
- C. It sparks imagination and inspires new ideas
- D. It stifles creativity

25. What makes a melody memorable to the listener?

- A. Changing key signatures frequently
- B. Having a unique structure with no repetition
- C. Being overly complex and difficult to follow
- D. Consistent patterns and repeated motifs

26. A tone is the same as _____ semitones.

- A. Three
- B. Four
- C. One
- D. Two

27. Why is it important to be confident while performing a song with dance?

- A. To engage the audience
- B. To show insecurity
- C. To make people sad
- D. To hide in a corner

28. Which of the following objects does not produce sounds

- A. Siren
- B. Fire
- C. Bell
- D. Alarm

29. The people of Kenya are defended by

- A. Unity
- B. Justice
- C. Liberty
- D. Peace

30. Which type of performance is often accompanied by a conductor directing the musicians or singers?

- A. Solo performance
- B. Duet performance
- C. Quartet performance
- D. Choral performance

31. What should you do before starting to sing games?

- A. Eat food while singing
- B. Wash your hands
- C. Run around the room
- D. Drink water before starting

32. At the end of a singing game, it is good manners to:

- A. Criticize others' performances
- B. Boast about your own singing skills
- C. Give everyone a high-five
- D. Walk away without saying anything

33. What should you do if you feel unwell during a singing game?

- A. Ignore your feelings and keep playing
- B. Lie down on the floor
- C. Tell the teacher or supervisor
- D. Keep it to yourself

34. Most singing games require

- A. many props
- B. Parents
- C. Attention
- D. many people

35. Fill the missing words in the national anthem:
_____ this our land and nstion

- A. Bless
- B. Hide
- C. Love
- D. Care

36. Below is the first verse of the Kenya national Anthem, which one is the first

- A. Oh God of all Creation
- B. May we dwell in unity, peace and liberty, plenty be found within our borders
- C. Bless this our land and nation,
- D. Justice be our shield and defender

37. What is the name of the traditional Kenyan music and dance style originating from the Luhya community?

- A. Kankobela
- B. Taarab
- C. Tinga Tinga
- D. Isukuti

38. A melody may move up, down, or stay the same.

- A. None
- B. True
- C. False
- D. Not clear

39. What should you do if you accidentally bump into someone during a singing game?

- A. Blame them
- B. Laugh at them
- C. Run away quickly
- D. Apologize and see if they are okay

40. Which instrument is a brass instrument with three valves that change the pitch of the notes?

- A. Trombone
- B. Trumpet
- C. Harmonica
- D. Violin

41. Which wind instrument requires the player to blow into a reed?

- A. Trombone
- B. Saxophone
- C. Trumpet
- D. Clarinet

42. We sin sacred songs mainly when at

- A. River
- B. School
- C. Home
- D. Church

43. What is the best way to express the mood of a song through dance?

- A. Staying silent
- B. Closing eyes
- C. Smiling all the time
- D. Matching movements to the music

44. What should you do if someone constantly tries to show off while singing in a game?

- A. Compliment them on their singing
- B. Ignore their behavior
- C. Encourage others to take turns
- D. Join in and compete with them

45. What is syncopation in music?

- A. A type of sport
- B. A type of fruit
- C. A type of rhythm
- D. A type of clothing

46. Dance forms that increase cardiovascular endurance, strength and flexibility

- A. Concert dance
- B. Recreational dance
- C. Creative movement and dance
- D. Dance fitness

47. Warming up before singing games is

- A. Mandatory
- B. Not safe
- C. Safe
- D. Enjoyment

48. Which activity is represented in the Kenyan singing game 'Mambele'?

- A. Hunting for treasure
- B. Dancing in the rain
- C. Climbing a mountain
- D. Fishing in a river

49. Which instrument is a small, high-pitched wind instrument that is held vertically and played by blowing air into a mouthpiece?

- A. Clarinet
- B. Saxophone
- C. Harmonica
- D. Flute

50. What is the role of variation in a melody?

- A. To add interest and excitement
- B. To limit musical possibilities
- C. To maintain monotony
- D. To discourage creativity

