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INSTRUCTIONS FOR QUESTION PAPER

STEP 1

Fill in your **QUESTION PAPER NUMBER**, which consists of **five numbers**, in the **five blocks** on the optical chart. The question paper number is printed in **red** in the top right-hand corner of the paper.

STEP 2

Fully colour in the corresponding circle that is directly below each number so that the number inside each circle is no longer visible. Once a circle has been coloured in, it should look like this: ●

STEP 3

Fill in your **INITIALS AND SURNAME** in the blocks provided.

STEP 4

Colour in the full size of the corresponding circle that is directly below each letter so that the letter inside each circle is no longer visible. Once a circle has been coloured in, it should look like this: ●

STEP 5

Colour in the full area of the circles of your current grade, sex and home language. Remember, only **one home language** should be coloured in.

STEP 6

Fill in your **CELL PHONE NUMBER** in the blocks provided. Then colour in the full size of the corresponding circle that is directly below each number so that the number inside each circle is no longer visible. **If you do not have a cell phone then please leave this section blank.**

STEP 7

Complete the final block on the page to verify your **SURNAME AND INITIALS** and the **NAME OF YOUR SCHOOL**. Also indicate if you would be interested in finding out more information regarding Jakes Gerwel Fellowship by colouring in the full size of the circle corresponding to your answer.

STEP 8

Do not begin to answer the question paper before the invigilator is satisfied that all required information on the front page of the optical chart has been filled in correctly.

STEP 9

Turn over the optical chart and answer the questions by clearly colouring in the appropriate circles in sections 1, 2, 3. Each question has only **one** correct answer. Answers are marked positively. Marks are not subtracted for incorrect answers.

STEP 10

You may keep your question paper. For own use, mark your answers on the question paper so that you can check them against the memorandum which will be forwarded to your school in due course.

INSTRUKSIES VIR VRAESTEL

STAP 1

Vul in jou **VRAESTELNOMMER**, wat uit **vyf nommers** bestaan, in die **vyf blokkies** op die optiese kaart. Die vraestelnommer is in **rooi** gedruk in die boonste hoek regs op die vraestel.

STAP 2

Kleur die ooreenstemmende sirkel direk onder elke nommer volledig in sodat die nommer binne die sirkel nie meer sigbaar is nie. Wanneer die sirkel ingekleur is, moet dit so lyk: ●

STAP 3

Vul in jou **VOORLETTERS EN VAN** in die blokkies wat daarvoor voorsiening maak.

STAP 4

Kleur die ooreenstemmende sirkel direk onder elke letter in sodat die letter binne die sirkel nie meer sigbaar is nie. Wanneer die sirkel ingekleur is, moet dit so lyk: ●

STAP 5

Kleur die volledige area van die sirkels van jou huidige graad, geslag en huistaal in. Onthou om slegs **een huistaal** in te kleur.

STAP 6

Vul in jou **SELFOONNOMMER** in die blokkies wat daarvoor voorsiening maak. Kleur dan die ooreenstemmende sirkel direk onder elke nommer in sodat die nommer in die sirkel nie meer sigbaar is nie. **Indien jy nie 'n selfoon het nie, laat hierdie afdeling asseblief oop.**

STAP 7

Voltooi die finale blokkie op die blad om jou **VAN EN VOORLETTERS** en die **NAAM VAN JOU SKOOL** te bevestig. Dui ook aan of jy meer inligting oor die Jakes Gerwel-stigting wil ontvang deur die sirkel wat met jou antwoord ooreenstem volledig in te kleur.

STAP 8

Moenie begin om die vraestel te beantwoord voordat die toesighouer nie tevrede is dat al die noodsaaklike inligting op die voorblad van die optiese kaart korrek voltooi is nie.

STAP 9

Draai die optiese kaart om en beantwoord die vrae deur die toepaslike sirkels in afdelings 1, 2, 3 duidelik in te kleur. Elke vraag het slegs **een** korrekte antwoord. Antwoorde word positief gemerk. Punte word nie afgetrek vir verkeerde antwoorde nie.

STAP 10

Jy mag jou vraestel behou. Vir jou eie gebruik, merk jou antwoorde op die vraestel sodat jy dit kan vergelyk met die memorandum wat later aan jou skool gestuur sal word.

QUESTION PAPER | VRAESTEL

SECTION 1 | AFDELING 1 (25 X 1)

- How many other countries does South Africa share a border with?
Met hoeveel lande deel Suid-Afrika 'n landsgrens?
A. 4 B. 6 C. 8
- What is the most common first language spoken in South Africa?
Watter eerste taal word die meeste in Suid-Afrika gepraat?
A. isiZulu / isiZoele
B. Engels / English
C. isiXhosa
- What famous tourist attraction in Kimberley also reflects the history of diamond mining in the area?
Watter bekende toerismebestemming in Kimberley verteenwoordig ook die geskiedenis van die diamantmynbedryf in die omgewing?
A. The Large Pit / Die Groot Put
B. The Big Hole / Die Groot Gat
C. The Diamond Crater / Die Diamantkrater
- Which South African province is shaped like a bean?
Watter Suid-Afrikaanse provinsie is in die vorm van 'n boontjie?
A. Free State / Vrystaat
B. Western Cape / Weskaap
C. Gauteng
- The kimono is a traditional garment of which country?
Die kimono is 'n tradisionele kledingstuk van watter land?
A. Japan B. Hawaii C. India / Indië
- Which advert's slogan includes 'nobody makes better tea than you and...'
Watter advertensie-slagspreuk sluit in "niemand maak beter tee as jy en ..."?
A. Rooibos
B. Five Roses / Vyf Rose
C. Joko
- In which year was Nelson Mandela released from prison?
In watter jaar is Nelson Mandela uit die gevangenis vrygelaat?
A. 1990 B. 1980 C. 2000
- What does SPCA stand for?
Waarvoor staan DBV?
A. Society for the Protection of Captured Animals / Dierebeheervereniging
B. Society for the Protection of Children and Animals / Dronkbestuurvereniging
C. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals / Dierebeskermingsvereniging
- To which family of musical instruments does the clarinet belong?
Aan watter musiekinstrument-familie behoort die klarinet?
A. Brass / Koper
B. Woodwind / Houtblaas
C. Strings / Snaar
- What is the name of the currency used in Botswana?
Wat word Botswana se geldeenheid genoem?
A. Dollar B. Pula C. Pound / Pond
- Which colour is not a primary colour?
Watter kleur is nie 'n primêre kleur nie?
A. Green / Groen B. Yellow / Geel C. Blue / Blou
- Which country was Indira Gandhi Prime Minister of?
Van watter land was Indira Gandhi die Eerste Minister?
A. Mexico/ Meksiko B. Russia/ Rusland C. India/ Indië
- In which country is the Katse Dam located?
In watter land is die Katsedam geleë?
A. Canada/ Kanada B. Lesotho C. Greece/ Griekeland
- What is the name of the largest dam in South Africa?
Wat is die naam van die grootste dam in Suid-Afrika?
A. Hoover Dam/ Hooverdam
B. Pongolapoort Dam/ Pongolapoortdam
C. Gariep Dam/ Gariepdam
- What kind of animal is a black mamba?
Watter soort dier is 'n swart mamba?
A. Spider/ Spinnekop B. Snake/ Slang C. Scorpion/Skerpioen
- What is the name of South Africa's state-owned electricity company?
Wat is die naam van Suid-Afrika se staatsbeheerde elektrisiteitsmaatskappy?
A. Iscor B. Transnet C. Eskom
- Where does the car brand Mercedes-Benz originate?
Waar het die motorhandelsmerk Mercedes-Benz ontstaan?
A. Italy/ Italië
B. Ukraine/ Oekraïne
C. Germany/ Duitsland
- Which previous First Lady published a book named "Becoming"?
Watter voormalige presidentsvrou het 'n boek getitel "Becoming" gepubliseer?
A. Barak Obama B. Michelle Obama C. Patricia De Lille
- Which country is the singer Justin Bieber from?
Van watter land is die sanger Justin Bieber?
A. Canada/ Kanada
B. South Africa/ Suid-Afrika
C. India/ Indië
- Which is the nearest star to planet Earth?
Watter ster is die naaste aan die planeet Aarde?
A. Proxima Centauri
B. The Sun/ Die son
C. Barnard's Star/ Barnard se Ster
- What is the official language of Argentina?
Wat is die amptelike taal van Argentinië?
A. Argentinian/ Argentyns
B. French/ Frans
C. Spanish/ Spaans
- How many strings does an average violin have?
Hoeveel snare het 'n gemiddelde viool?
A. 4 B. 5 C. 6
- What was the name of the toy cowboy in the movie Toy Story?
Wat is die naam van die speelgoed-cowboy in die fliek "Toy Story"?
A. Andy B. Woody C. Rocky
- Polokwane is located in which province?
Polokwane is in watter provinsie geleë?
A. Mpumalanga
B. North West/ Noordwes
C. Limpopo
- What two colours mixed together form green?
Watter twee kleure word gemeng om groen te vorm?
A. Blue and Red/ Blou en Rooi
B. Yellow and Red/ Geel en Rooi
C. Yellow and Blue/ Geel en Blou

SECTION 2 | AFDELING 2 (20 x 1,5)

- 1 What is Meghan Markle's title?
Wat is Meghan Markle se titel?
A. Duchess of Cambridge/ Hertogin van Cambridge
B. Princess of Wales/ Prinses van Wallis
C. Duchess of Sussex/ Hertogin van Sussex
- 2 Who won the 2010 FIFA World Cup?
Wie het die 2010-FIFA-wêreldbeker gewen?
A. England/ Engeland
B. Spain/ Spanje
C. South Africa/ Suid-Afrika
- 3 Who is the current minister of Education in South Africa?
Wie is tans die minister van onderwys in Suid-Afrika?
A. Thokozi Xasa B. Angie Motshekga C. Des Van Rooyen
- 4 Which advert's slogan concludes with '...the GP's choice'?
Watter advertensie-slagspreuk eindig met "...die huisdokter se keuse"?
A. Panado B. Paracetamol C. Pacific Nation
- 5 Which Roman numerals represent the number 25?
Watter Romeinse syfer verteenwoordig die nommer 25?
A. VVX B. XXI C. XXV
- 6 How many countries are there in Africa?
Hoeveel lande is daar in Afrika?
A. 34 B. 54 C. 74
- 7 What is the name of the most abundant element in the universe?
Wat is die naam van die mees algemene element in die heelal?
A. Hydrogen/ Waterstof
B. Nitrogen/ Stikstof
C. Helium
- 8 What chemical element is diamond made of?
Uit watter chemiese bestanddeel bestaan diamante?
A. Oxygen/ Suurstof
B. Carbon/ Koolstof
C. Hydrogen/ Waterstof
- 9 Which three countries are the largest tea producers?
Watter drie lande is die grootste teeprodusente?
A. South Africa, Nigeria and Botswana/
Suid-Afrika, Nigerië en Botswana
B. China, Kenya and India/ China, Kenia en Indië
C. Peru, Brazil and Argentina/ Peru, Brasilië en Argentinië
- 10 What is the national animal of Zimbabwe?
Wat is die nasionale dier van Zimbabwe?
A. Lion/ Leeu
B. Sable Antelope/ Sabelhoring-wildsbok
C. Crocodile/ Krokodil
- 11 In which country was the movie "Lord of the Rings" filmed?
In watter land was die rolprent "Lord of the Rings" verfilm?
A. Kenya / Kenia
B. New Zealand/ Nieu-Zeeland
C. Chile
- 12 Which vitamins are particularly good for strong bones and teeth?
Watter vitamien is veral goed vir sterk bene en tande?
A. Calcium & Vitamin D/ Kalsium en Vitamien D
B. Vitamin B/ Vitamien B
C. Vitamin C/ Vitamien C
- 13 Hypertension refers to...
Hipertensie verwys na...

- A. Head lice/ Kopluise
B. Obesity/ Oorgewig
C. Blood Pressure/ Bloeddruk
- 14 Which comic book character has a dog named Dogmatix?
Watter strokiesprentkarakter het 'n hond genaamd Dogmatix?
A. Tin Tin B. Asterix C. Dilbert
- 15 In what year did the first two people land on the moon?
In watter jaar het die eerste twee mense op die maan geland?
A. 1949 B. 1969 C. 1959
- 16 Where would you find the Stonehenge?
Waar sal jy Stonehenge vind?
A. England/ Engeland
B. Brazil/ Brasilië
C. Greenland/ Groenland
- 17 In which modern-day country would you find Timbuktu?
In watter moderne land sal jy Timboektoe vind?
A. Mali B. Italy/ Italië C. Portugal
- 18 On which continent is the Gobi desert?
Op watter vasteland is die Gobi-woestyn?
A. Asia/ Asië
B. South America/ Suid-Amerika
C. Africa/ Afrika
- 19 Which famous English singer visited South Africa in 2019 as part of his Divide Tour?
Watter beroemde Engelse sanger het Suid-Afrika in 2019 besoek as deel van sy Divide-toer?
A. Beyonce B. Ed Sheeran C. Sam Smith
- 20 Which chess piece only moves diagonally?
Watter skaakstuk mag slegs diagonaal beweeg?
A. A Knight/ 'n Perd
B. A Pawn/ 'n Pion
C. A Bishop/ 'n Biskop

SECTION 3 | AFDELING 3 (15 x 2)

- 1 What is the name of the new South African political party with a purple cow logo?
Wat is die naam van die nuwe Suid-Afrikaanse politieke party met 'n pers koei as logo?
A. GOOD B. KISS C. ZACP
- 2 What was the name of the massacre near Rustenburg where 34 striking mine workers were killed in 2012?
Wat is die naam van die menseslagting naby Rustenburg waarin 34 stakende mynwerkers in 2012 dood is?
A. Lonmin B. Marikana C. Sharpville
- 3 What was the airline model that crashed in Ethiopia on March 2019 killing 157 people?
Wat is die model van die vliegtuig wat in Maart 2019 in Ethiopië neergestort en 157 mense se lewens geëis het?
A. Airbus A380 B. Boeing 737 MAX 8 C. Boeing 747
- 4 What colour is the black box in a commercial aeroplane?
Watter kleur is die vlugopnemer ("black box") in 'n kommersiële vliegtuig?
A. Black/ Swart B. Silver/ Silwer C. Orange/ Oranje
- 5 In radio frequency, what does FM stand for?
In radiofrekwensie, waarvoor staan FM?
A. Frequency Mapping/ Frekwensiemeting
B. Frequency Modulation/ Frekwensiemodulering
C. Frequency Magnification/ Frekwensiemagnetisering

- 6 Who won the Oscar for the Best Actor this year for his portrayal of Freddie Mercury in the film *Bohemian Rhapsody*?
Wie het vanjaar die Oscar vir beste akteur gewen vir sy vertolking van Freddie Mercury in die fliek "Bohemian Rhapsody"?
A. Bradley Cooper B. Rami Malek C. Willem Dafoe
- 7 What was the name of the cyclone that devastated Mozambique in March 2019?
Wat is die naam van die sikloon wat in Maart 2019 verwoesting in Mosambiek gesaai het?
A. Cyclone Idai/ Sikloon Idai
B. Cyclone Betty/ Sikloon Betty
C. Cyclone/ Perla/Sikloon Perla
- 8 What is the fear of heights called?
Wat word 'n vrees vir hoogtes genoem?
A. Acrophobia/ Akrofobie
B. Agoraphobia/ Agorafobie
C. Algophobia/ Algefobie
- 9 Who is the Prime Minister of New Zealand?
Wie is die Eerste Minister van Nieu-Zeeland?
A. Erna Solberg
B. Jacinda Ardern
C. Theresa May
- 10 Which Hindu festival is known as the Festival of Lights?
Watter Hindoe-fees staan as die Fees van die Ligte bekend?
A. Hanukah B. Diwali C. Dasera
- 11 What is the name of Cyril Ramaphosa's eldest son?
Wat is Cyril Ramaphosa se oudste seun se naam?
A. Mandla B. Andile C. Duduzane
- 12 Which sport activities are included in a Triathlon?
Watter sportaktiwiteite vorm deel van driekamp?
A. Running, Swimming, Cycling/ Hardloop, Swem, Fietsry
B. Swimming, Cycling, Boxing/ Swem, Fietsry, Boks
C. Swimming, Cycling, Sailing/ Swem, Fietsry, Seil
- 13 How many consonants are there in the English Alphabet?
Hoeveel konsonante is daar in die Engelse alfabet?
A. 21 B. 23 C. 26
- 14 For what sport is Quinton de Kock known?
Vir watter sport is Quinton de Kock bekend?
A. Cricket/ Krieket
B. Rugby
C. Tennis
- 15 Who is the Commander in Chief of the Economic Freedom Fighters (EFF)?
Wie is die leier ("Commander in Chief") van die Ekonomiese Vryheidsvegters (EFF)?
A. Dali Mpofu
B. Floyd Shivambu
C. Julius Malema
- 3 What is the study of the human heart called?
Wat word die studie van die menslike hart genoem?
- 4 How many provinces does South Africa consist of?
Hoeveel provinsies is daar in Suid-Afrika?
- 5 Who was the first person to set foot on the moon?
Wie is die eerste persoon wat op die maan geloop het?
- 6 What is the capital city of Angola?
Wat is die hoofstad van Angola?
- 7 What is a female fox called?
Wat word 'n vroulike vos genoem?
- 8 What holiday is celebrated in South Africa on June 16?
Watter vakansiedag word op 16 Junie in Suid-Afrika gevier?
- 9 Where are the Houses of Parliament of South Africa situated?
Waar in Suid-Afrika is die Parlementsgeboue geleë?
- 10 How many children does former President Jacob Zuma have?
Hoeveel kinders het oudpresident Jacob Zuma?

IMPORTANT

- Make absolutely sure that you have completed your optical chart correctly.
- If necessary, ask the invigilator for assistance.
- Hand in only the optical chart.

This paper was compiled and administered by the Jakes Gerwel Fellowship.

BELANGRIK

- Maak doodseker dat jy die optiese kaart korrek ingevul het.
- Indien nodig, vra die opsiener om hulp.
- Lewer slegs die optiese kaart in.

Hierdie vraestel is deur Jakes Gerwel Fellowship opgestel en geadministreer.

PRIZES

Prizes are allocated as follows:

Gr. 6 & 7: First place in each grade R700, second place R400, third place R200

Certificates (gold, silver and bronze) will be awarded to learners obtaining first, second and third places in their grade in South Africa.

Each learner who participates in the **World Knowledge Olympiad** will receive a certificate of participation.

PRYSE

Pryse word as volg toegeken:

Gr 6 & 7: Eerste plek in elke graad R700, tweede plek R400, derde plek R200

Sertifikaat (goud, silwer en brons) word toegeken aan leerders wat die eerste, tweede en derde plekke in hul grade in Suid-Afrika behaal het.

Elke deelnemer aan die **Wêreldkennis-olimpiade** ontvang 'n sertifikaat van deelname.

SECTION 4 | AFDELING 4

- 1 Who will be hosting the 2019 Cricket World Cup?
Wie is die gasheer van die 2019-krieketwêreldbeker?
- 2 Which well-known South African road race will take place for the 50th time in 2019?
Watter bekende Suid-Afrikaanse padwedloop vind in 2019 vir die 50ste keer plaas?