

Annual Examinations for Secondary Schools 2022

YEAR 9 **ETHICS** **TIME: 1 hour**

Name: _____

Class: _____

1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL
12%	12%	12%	15%	25%	24%	100%

- 1. Which of the following can you share on social media? If the information should not be shared, tick PRIVATE.**

(12 marks)

	Private	Not Private
Your home address		
A picture of you with your friends on last year's school outing		
Your live GPS location		
Your hobbies		
Your favourite film		
A picture of you in your underwear		

2. Fill in with the correct word from the table below:

(12 marks)

group	members	born
interests	rules	virtual

People who live in a community often share the same aims, communicate with one another and follow a common set of _____ and norms of behaviour.

Not every _____ of people is a community; living in the same geographical space does not make a community. People are either _____ in a community, or join a community, either because they choose to do so or because of the circumstances they find themselves in. People are often _____ of different communities, which can be both physical and _____. Examples of communities are the family, the school, and communities based on special _____ such as football or gaming.

3. Answer the following questions:

(12 marks)

a. What are open and closed communities?

(4 marks)

b. Mention one positive aspect of a closed community. (2 marks)

c. Mention one positive aspect of an open community. (2 marks)

d. Mention one negative aspect of a closed community. (2 marks)

e. Mention one negative aspect of an open community. (2 marks)

4. Answer the following questions:

(15 marks)



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a. What is a role model? (2 marks)

b. Who is your role model, and why are they your role model? (4 marks)

- c. How can you be a good role model to others? (5 marks)

- d. What makes a bad role model? (4 marks)

5. Case Studies

(25 Marks)

I. Rahim

Rahim is having some difficulties at home and at school. His parents are constantly fighting and they are going through a divorce. He cannot concentrate at school, and he is not getting good marks on his tests and examinations. He is feeling lonely and depressed. Sometimes, when his situation becomes too much for him to handle, he harms himself. Although he feels bad about this, he cannot seem to stop himself.

- a. Mention two negative consequences of Self-Harm. (4 marks)

b. Is Rahim morally free to harm himself? Why?

(5 marks)

c. Mention two things that Rahim can do to improve his situation.

(4 marks)

II. Laura and Jen

Laura and Jen are in a relationship. Laura is very self-absorbed and constantly worrying about how she looks. She is constantly dieting and refuses to eat with Jen at restaurants. She spends endless hours putting on make-up and trying on clothes, then taking selfies and uploading them on social media. Jen is getting upset because Laura is not investing enough time in their relationship and is feeling ignored. Laura seems to only be interested in her self-image.

- a. Laura is a Newbie ☐
 Nerd ☐
 Narcissist ☐

(2 marks)

- b. Is Laura keeping a healthy balance between the time spent taking care of herself and the time spent investing in her relationship with Jen? Explain your answer. (5 marks)

- c. Do you think that the story above is a good example of self-care or self-obsession? Briefly explain the difference between the two. (5 marks)

6. Choose ONE of the following and write around 150 words about it. (24 Marks)

- A. Bullying goes against the notions of justice and fairness. Discuss.
- B. People who have self-respect do their best not to harm themselves. Discuss.

Title chosen:

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