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| **NAME……………………………………………………………….…ADMNO…………………CLASS…………………**  **SCHOOL………………………………………CANDIDATE SIGNATURE………………….**  **DATE…………………………………………….**  **565/1**  **BUSINESS STUDIES**  **FORM 1**  **JULY/AUGUST 2015**  **TIME: 2 HOURS**  ***Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education***  **BUSINESS STUDIES**  **PAPER 1**  **TIME: 2 HOURS.**  **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE’S**  Answer **ALL** the questions in the spaces provided **below** each question.  **FOR EXAMINER’S USE ONLY:**   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Question | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | | Marks |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Question | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | | Marks |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | | TOTAL MARKS |  |  | | --- | |  | |
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1. Define the following terms as used in Business Studies. (4mks )
2. Economics………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..……
3. Entrepreneurship……………………………………………………………………………...

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1. Distribution………………………………………………………………………...................

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1. Highlight four ways in which entrepreneurs can observe ethics in the management of their business. (4 mks)
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3. Outline***four*** benefits to an entrepreneur who prepares a business plan.(4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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4. State FOUR characteristics of economic resources. (4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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5. State the factors of production and their rewards. (4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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6. State**four**ways in which the utility of a product can be increased. (4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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(d)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

7. Highlight**four** external factors that may negatively influence the operations of a business.(4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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(d)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

8. Name***four*** main categories of business activities that an entrepreneur can be engage in. (4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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(d)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

9. Outline ***four*** ways in which business studies may be beneficial to an individual.(4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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10. State***three*** characteristics of human wants. (3mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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11. Outline ***three***characteristics of labour as a factor of production. (3mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(c)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

12. State whether the following is basic or secondary wants. (4mks)

(a)Medicine………………………………………………………………………………………….

(b) Water…………………………………………………………………………………………….…..

(c)Education ……………………………………………………………………………………….…….

(d)Housing………………………………………………………………………………………….…..

13. Outline***four*** differences betweengoods and services. (4mks)

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|  | Goods | Services |
| i |  |  |
| ii |  |  |
| iii |  |  |
| iv |  |  |

14. State ***four*** ways productivity of land as a factor of production can be improved. (4mks)

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15. Outline***four*** ways in which the legal political environment can influence the activities of a business. (4 marks)

(a)……………………………………………………………………………………………...……………

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(d)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………… 16.Highlight***four*** challenges that entrepreneurs face when carrying out business activities. (4mks)

(a)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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17 State ***four*** advantages of division of labour and spaecialisation. (4mks)

(a)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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18. State four ways in which a business opportunity may exist.(4mks)

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19. Outline***four*** ways in which an employer can improve the performance of the employees (4mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(c)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(d)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

20. State***three*** factors that have promoted the growth of entrepreneurship in Kenya. (3mks)

(a)…………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

21. State any ***three*** factors that may lead to success of a business. (3mks)

(a)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(c)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

22. Highlight ***fou****r*features of indirect production. (4mks)

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(b)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(c) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(d)………………………………………………………………………………………………......................

23. Identify the level of production for each of the following activities.(4mks)

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|  | **Activity** | **Level of production** |
| (a) | Fishing |  |
| (b) | Constructing a bridge |  |
| (c) | Insuring a car |  |
| (d) | Dress making |  |

24. Outlinefour reasons why a government may decide to control the exploitation of its natural resources.(4mks)

(a)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(b)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(c)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………..(d)……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

25. Classifyeach of the following goods as either producer or consumer goods. (4mks)

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| --- | --- |
| Good | classification |
| (a) factory |  |
| (b) Private car |  |
| (c) Iron ore |  |
| (d) Tools |  |