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USE OF ICT DEVICES
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# TVET CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION COUNCIL (TVET CDACC)

#### WRITTEN ASSESSMENT

**Time: 2 Hours** 

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. This paper has TWO sections A and B. Attempt questions in each section as per instructions given in the section.
- 2. You are provided with a separate answer booklet.
- 3. Marks for each question are indicated in the brackets.
- 4. Do not write on the question paper

This paper consists of 4 printed pages

Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing

#### **SECTION A: 10 MARKS**

## Answer ALL questions in this section.

## Each question carries ONE Mark.

- 1. Various applications and documents are represented on the Windows desktop by
  - A. Graphs
  - B. Labels
  - C. Icons
  - D. Symbols
- 2. Which of the following is not an opportunity for ICT
  - A. Programmer
  - B. System administrator
  - C. ICT technician
  - D. Geologist
- 3. Bluetooth is an example of
  - A. Personal area network
  - B. local area network
  - C. Virtual private network
  - D. Storage device
- 4. Which of the following is not a computer register?
  - A. Accumulator
  - B. Instruction registers
  - C. Address Registers
  - D. Cache memory
- 5. A set of computer programs used on a computer to perform different tasks is called
  - A. computer instructions
  - B. processor
  - C. software
  - D. hardware

- 6. The flash drive is popularly known as
  - A. Microprocessor
  - B. RAM
  - C. ROM
  - D. Pen Drive
- 7. Which of the following is not part of C.P.U
  - A. Control Unit
  - B. Main memory
  - C. Backing storage
  - D. Arithmetic and logic unit
- 9. What refers to addressing the environmental impact of computer use in an environmentally responsible manner?
  - A. Ethical computing
  - B. Green computing
  - C. Fair use
  - D. Cybersquatting
- 10. In a computer keyboard, the Alt, Ctrl, Shift, Del and Insert keys are known as
  - A. Standard keys
  - B. Function keys
  - C. Navigation keys
  - D. Special purpose keys

## **SECTION B: 40 MARKS**

# Answer all questions in this section

11. a) Define the following terms in relation to computer			(6 Marks)
	i.	Data	
	ii.	Processing	
	iii.	Information	
t	b) Outline the technology used in each computer generation.		(4 Marks)
C	c) Mention FIVE emerging trends in ICT.		(5 Marks)
12. a) State any FOUR types of application software.			(4 Marks)
b) Highlight the differences between specialized and general-purpose comp			puters.
			(2 Marks)
C	e) Desc	cribe the procedure for turning off a computer.	(3 Marks)
13. a	a) Exp	lain the meaning of the word "operating system." as used in ICT.	(2 Marks)
t	o) Nam	ne any FOUR types of operating systems you know.	(4 Marks)
c	e) Desc	cribe any FIVE operating system functions.	(10 Marks)

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