

# OUTREACH SCHOOLS EXAMINATIONS BOARD

## BEGINNING OF TERM II EXAMINATION 2023



### PRIMARY THREE

### LITERACY 1A

*Time allowed: 2hours: 15mins*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### SECTION A (40 marks)

1. Name the sense organ used for seeing.

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2. Give one way a P.3 boy can keep his body clean.

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3. Why do we boil water for drinking?

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4. Name any one place where germs are found.

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5. Name any one animal that lives in water.

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6. Why do we keep dogs at home?

\_\_\_\_\_

7. Give any one example of non – living and natural component of the environment.

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8. Give any one characteristic of living things.

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9. Suggest one way of providing shade in the school compound.

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10. Give one example of an opaque object.

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11. Mention one example of a man made change in the environment.

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12. Name any one element of weather.

\_\_\_\_\_

13. In the space below, draw the habitat of a bird.



14. How is a nurse useful at school?

\_\_\_\_\_

15. Suggest one thing you must do after visiting a latrine.

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16. How are spiracles useful to a wasp?

\_\_\_\_\_

17. Which component of soil is formed when dead plants rot?

\_\_\_\_\_

18. Why is polio a very dangerous disease?

\_\_\_\_\_

19. State the use of the garden tool drawn below.



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20. State one danger of too much wind.

\_\_\_\_\_

21. Write any one agent of soil erosion

\_\_\_\_\_

22. Mention any one sense organ.

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23. What is air?

\_\_\_\_\_

24. Write one type of weather.

\_\_\_\_\_

25. Apart from brushing teeth, mention any other activity we do to keep our body clean.

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26. Name any one thing found in a first aid box.

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27. What name is given to the instrument that measures the amount of rainfall?

\_\_\_\_\_

28. Mention one danger of too much sunshine.

\_\_\_\_\_

29. How useful are grasshoppers to people?

\_\_\_\_\_

30. What does a farmer use for digging?

\_\_\_\_\_

31. Which domestic animal provides milk to us?

\_\_\_\_\_

32. Name any one harmful insect.

\_\_\_\_\_

33. What is the use of scales on a fish?

\_\_\_\_\_

34. Give any one use of the sun to the farmer.

\_\_\_\_\_

35. Give one type of clouds.

\_\_\_\_\_

36. What name is given to a vehicle which takes sick people to a hospital?

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37. Give one example of a disease.

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38. Which part of the body is used when caring for others?

\_\_\_\_\_

39. What is wind?

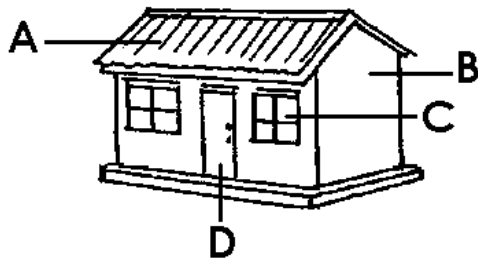
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40. What is the use of spiracles on an insect?

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**SECTION B (60marks)**

41. The diagram below is of a house. Use it to answer the given questions.



a) Name the part of the house marked A.

\_\_\_\_\_

b) Mention one material used to make part:

i) A: \_\_\_\_\_ ii) D: \_\_\_\_\_

c) Identify one important thing that is missing on the above house.

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42. a) Name two items you need to clean your teeth.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) State one importance of bathing to P.3 pupils.

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c) Why do we iron our school uniforms?

\_\_\_\_\_

43. **Circle any four childhood immunisable diseases.**

tetanus                      cholera                      polio                      AIDS  
sleeping sickness                      tuberculosis                      measles.

44. a) Write down any two properties of air.

i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Name the part of air needed;

i) to put out fire: \_\_\_\_\_

ii) by plants to make food: \_\_\_\_\_

45. a) Outline any two components of soil.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) In the space provided draw the particles of the type of soil shown.

Clay soil	Sandy soil

46. a) Mention two items found in a first aid box.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) State two reasons for giving first aid.

i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

47. a) Name any two natural sources of water.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Give two uses of water at school.

i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

Name two other common diseases.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Name the vectors of these diseases.

i) Malaria: \_\_\_\_\_

ii) Trachoma: \_\_\_\_\_

48. a) What covers the body of the following animals?

i) Birds \_\_\_\_\_

ii) Fish: \_\_\_\_\_

b) State how the animals below protect themselves.

i) Chameleon: \_\_\_\_\_

ii) Dog: \_\_\_\_\_

49. a) What is environment?

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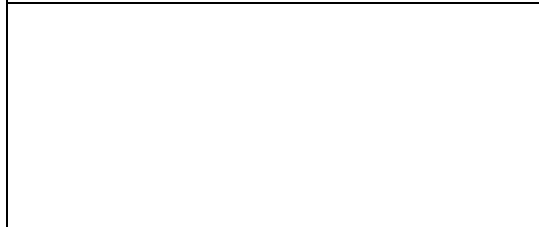
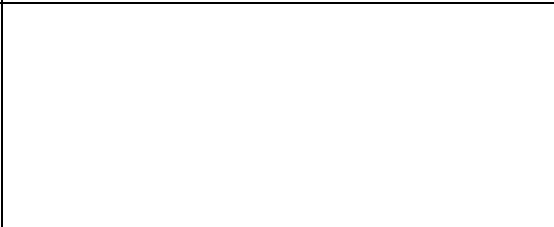
b) Mention any two natural things in the environment.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

c) Give one way people destroy the environment.

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50. a) Draw the following items used on rainy days.

Umbrella	Rain coat
	

b) Mention one activity done on a rainy day.

\_\_\_\_\_

c) Mention one activity done in a windy weather.

\_\_\_\_\_

51. a) Name two items made from animals' skin.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Give one product made from milk.

\_\_\_\_\_

c) Why should farmers feed their cows well?

\_\_\_\_\_

52. a) Give two examples of harmful insects.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

b) Write down two examples of useful insects.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

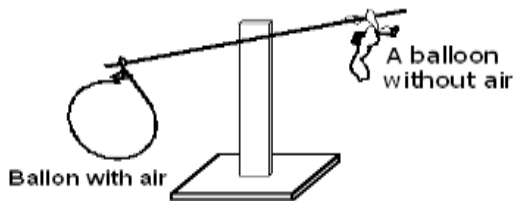
53. a) What is air?

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b) Write down two components of air.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

c) Identify the property of air shown below.



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54. a) What are living things?

\_\_\_\_\_

b) Name the two groups of living things.

i) \_\_\_\_\_ ii) \_\_\_\_\_

c) Name one living thing that moves by flying.

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55. a) What are domestic animals?

\_\_\_\_\_

b) Mention any one domestic animal you know.

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c) Give any two ways we can care for domestic animals.

i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

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