



# OUTREACH SCHOOLS EXAMINATION BOARD

## MID TERM I EXAMINATION 2024

### PRIMARY THREE

### ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

Name: .....

School: .....

Class: .....

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use only**

**A**

**B**

**TOTAL**

### SECTION A

**In each of the questions, fill in the missing letters to complete**

1. E ..... st

4. h ..... ll

2. s .... hool

5. Divis .... on

3. No .... th

6. la ..... e

**Fill in the blank spaces with a suitable word.**

7. There is ..... egg in the basket.

8. We are all sitting ..... stools.

9. .... is the fifth month of the year.

10. That child is suffering ..... measles.

11. Naume is the lady ..... teaches us English.

12. We come to school ..... the van.

**Use the correct form of the words given in the brackets to complete the sentences.**

13. I ..... my work well yesterday. (do)

14. Sam ..... his hair everyday. (comb)

15. The children are ..... their books now. (read)

**Underline the odd man out.**

- 16. Lake, river, house, valley
- 17. North, east, west, mountain
- 18. Five, nine, face, ten

**Choose a word in the bracket to fill the gaps.**

- 19. I have .....eyes. (too, two)
- 20. Those are ..... dresses. (knew, new)
- 21. We eat ..... at school every Wednesday. (meat, meet)

**Make a small word.**

- 22. cover .....
- 23. football .....

**Arrange in ABC order.**

- 24. cat, ant, dog, box  
.....  
big, boy, bell, bag  
.....

**Write the abbreviations in full.**

- Sch. ....
- 26. Dr. ....

**Write the plural form of the following words.**

- 27. book .....
- 28. bus .....
- 29. leaf .....
- 30. fish .....
- 31. foot .....

**Give the opposite of the underlined words.**

- 32. I am good at English.  
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- 33. My mother has a girl child.  
.....
- 34. His shirt is very wet.  
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**Re-write the sentences giving one word to mean the underlined words.**

35. My uncle is a person who treats people in the hospital.

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36. James works in a place where money is kept.

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37. Anita has a pair of children born the same time.

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**Use the words below in a sentence to show that you understand the meaning.**

38. cut .....

39. cat .....

**Re-arrange the words below to make sensible sentences.**

40. sister Allen my is.

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41. your what is name?

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42. gives a us cow milk.

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**Re-write as instructed in the brackets.**

43. Alex did not come to school. He was sick. (Use .....because.....)

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44. Naume is a teacher. Nelson is a teacher. (Begin: Both .....)

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45. He ate posho. I ate beans. (Use .....and .....)

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46. I live in Entebbe. (Write a question for the answer given.)

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47. John took poison. He did not die. (Use .....but.....)

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48. This is the woman. She gave me a cake. (Use .....who.....)

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49. As green as ..... (complete the simile)

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## SECTION B

50. **Form correct sentences from the table. (2mrks each )**

The sun	boil water	smart girl
A carpenter	is a	in the west
We	rises	for drinking
Mary	makes	in the east
The sun	sets	furniture

- 1) .....
- 2) .....
- 3) .....
- 4) .....
- 5) .....

51. **Read the story and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.**

### MR. KATO'S FAMILY

Mr. Kato has a family of two children and his wife Sera. The two children are Namusoke and Musoke. Namusoke is the first born. She is ten years old and Musoke is six years old. Namusoke is in primary three and Musoke is in primary one. They like their school.

#### **Questions**

1. How many children does Mr. Kato have?  
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2. Who is the first born?  
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3. In which class is Musoke?  
.....
4. Who is Mr. Kato's wife?  
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5. How many members are in Mr. Kato's family?  
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6. Where do Mr. Kato's children study from?  
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7. Mention the names of Mr. Kato's children.  
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8. Write a small word from years.

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9. What is the title of the story?

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52. **Arrange the sentences to make a good story. (2 marks each)**

1. And lastly they are sources of water
2. Swamps are water logged places
3. They also provide us with papyrus reeds
4. They are also called wetlands
5. They have good soils for growing yams, sugarcane and rice.

**Good story**

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**Complete the table below. (2 marks @)**

Verb	New tense (present continuous tense)	Past/yesterday tense
go	.....	went
.....	doing	did
jump	jumping	.....
come	coming	.....
dance	dancing	.....
read	.....	read
mop	.....	.....
sit	sitting	.....
eat	.....	ate
.....	sleeping	slept

53. Choose a right word from the box to complete the passage below.

fetches, serves,	mops, eat,	wash, early,	brush, package,	morning, utensils.
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James and John wake up so ..... in the .....  
They greet their parents and ..... their faces. They .....  
their teeth. Then they start off with the day's work. James .....  
water from the tap and also ..... the house. After work, their  
mother ..... breakfast and they do their holiday  
..... In the evening, they wash.....  
and then .....supper before going to bed.

**Good Luck**