



# THE PRIME EXAMINATIONS 2022

## PRIMARY FOUR END OF YEAR

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE (Abridged Curriculum)

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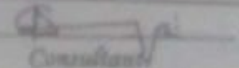
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#### READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. Do not write your school or district name anywhere on this paper.
2. This paper has **two** sections: **A** and **B** Section **A** has 50 questions and section **B** has 5 questions.
3. Answer **all** questions. **All** answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
4. **All** answers must be written using a blue or black ball point pen or ink. Any work written in pencil other than graphs and diagrams will **not** be marked.
5. Unnecessary **changes** in your work and handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to **loss of marks**.
6. Do **not** fill anything in the table indicated "For Examiners' use only", and those boxes inside the question paper.

FOR EXAMINERS' USE ONLY		
QUESTION NUMBER	MARKS ATTAINED	INITIAL
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

  
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**Sub-section I (35 Marks)**

For questions 6 to 10, fill in the blank spaces with a suitable word.

6. Musoke prefers dancing \_\_\_\_\_ singing.
7. Opio is \_\_\_\_\_ honest person.
8. Mugisha is taller \_\_\_\_\_ Kyomugasho.
9. How \_\_\_\_\_ pencils do you have?
10. Joel is good \_\_\_\_\_ playing football.

In questions 16 to 20, choose the correct word from the brackets and complete the sentence.

16. How \_\_\_\_\_ is a bottle of soda? (many, much)  
17. There isn't \_\_\_\_\_ sugar in the bowl. (any, some)  
18. My mother bought three kilograms of maize \_\_\_\_\_. (flour, flower)  
19. Our teacher was \_\_\_\_\_ because we were shouting in class.  
(angry, hungry)  
20. Kunsu promised to \_\_\_\_\_ biscuits for his voters. (buy, by)

For questions 21 to 23, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

21. Antony won the elections last year.

22. Are we early today?

23. A bar of soap is expensive.

For questions 24 to 26, write the given short forms in full.

24. kg \_\_\_\_\_ 25. shan't \_\_\_\_\_  
26. Dr. \_\_\_\_\_

In questions 27 to 29, give the plural form of the given words.



For questions 30 to 32, give one word for the underlined group of words.

The place where people go for treatment is open.

The young one of a dog is sick.

Lumala is a person who makes furniture.

For questions 33 to 35, rearrange the words given to make correct sentences.  
going Where are you?

should parents our We not disobey.

bought yesterday Brenda sugar.

### Sub-section II (15 Marks)

In questions 36 to 50, rewrite the sentences as instructed in the brackets.

Apio is kind. Apio is bright. (Rewrite using : .....both.....and.....)

I prefer playing football to playing netball.

(Rewrite using: .....enjoy.....more than.....)

Fire is important. Water is important.

(Rewrite using: .....as.....as.....)

That is the girl. She bought a red dress.

(Rewrite using: .....who.....)

There is some sugar in the tea.

(Rewrite using: .....any.....)

All prefects are smart. (Rewrite beginning: Every.....)

The trader reached the market late.

(Rewrite using: .....arrive.....)

Mukasa is unhappy. His book is missing.

(Rewrite as one using: .....because.....)

Nsubuga is humble. Lubega is very humble.

(Rewrite as one sentence using: .....than.....)

45. Ankunda prayed before entering the bus.  
(Rewrite using: ..... after.....)
46. Agnès gave a lot of gifts to her voters. She did not win the elections.  
(Rewrite beginning: Although.....)
47. This is a box.  
(Rewrite beginning: These are.....)
48. This bag belongs to Moses.  
(Rewrite ending: ..... bag.)
49. Sam is kind. Musa is kind.  
(Rewrite using: ..... and .....)
50. Daniel was digging. He saw a snake.  
(Rewrite using: ..... while.....)

#### Section B (50 Marks)

- 51A. Read the passage and answer the question about it in full sentences.

##### BEHAVIOUR IN KASAMBYA TOWN

The people in Kasambya town behave differently. Some are well behaved while others are not. There are quarrels and fights every day. Idle people break into other people's houses almost every day. People go without greeting others. What a town!

However, there are good people too. They are friendly and good to stay with. Murife's family has good people. Murife's father, Mr. Mande is a good man. He teaches his children to behave well by telling them to put God first in everything they do. Mr. Mande's neighbours always thank him for raising good children regardless of the spoilt society.



##### Questions.

(a) What is the passage about?

(b) Who is Murife's father?



(c) Which town is being talked about in the passage?

(d) Which kind of people break into other people's houses?

(e) Write the title of the passage.

51B. Complete the table below correctly.

Positive	Comparative	superlative
short	shorter	(i) _____
polite	(ii) _____	politest
funny	funnier	(iii) _____
big	(iv) _____	biggest
(v) _____	worse	worst

52A. Read the poem below carefully and answer questions about it.

### OUR PREFECTS.

Our prefects!

Thank you for your good work,  
It's you who help to keep discipline in school,  
You guide us whenever we go wrong,  
You are really the best people at school.



Our prefects!

We shall always obey you,  
Whether you are tall or short,  
We trust you so much,  
And we pray for you everyday.

By Tom



Our prefects!

You are always there to stop all fights,  
Fights between the weak and the strong,  
Sometimes you end up being hurt,  
But you keep on standing strong.

### Questions.

(a) How many stanza are in the poem?

(b) Who are being talked about in the poem?

(c) Who wrote the above poem?

(d) Do you think its good to obey prefects?

(e) When do prefects guide us according to the poem?

52B. Match people to their places of work.

<u>A</u>		<u>B</u>
doctor		barber's
teacher		farm
baker		school
barber		bakery
farmer		hospital
(i) doctor	_____	
(ii) teacher	_____	
(iii) baker	_____	
(iv) barber	_____	
(v) farmer	_____	

53A. Study Patricia's shopping list below and answer the questions about it.

ITEM	QUANTITY	AMOUNT (shs)
soap	2 bars	4,000 each
sugar	2kgs	6000
toothpaste	1 packet	2,000
shoes	1 pair	10,000
Vaseline	1 tin	40,00

### Questions.

(a) Whose shopping list is shown above?

(b) How many items are shown on the above list?

(c) How much did Patricia pay for 2 bars of soap?

(d) How many kilograms of sugar did she buy?

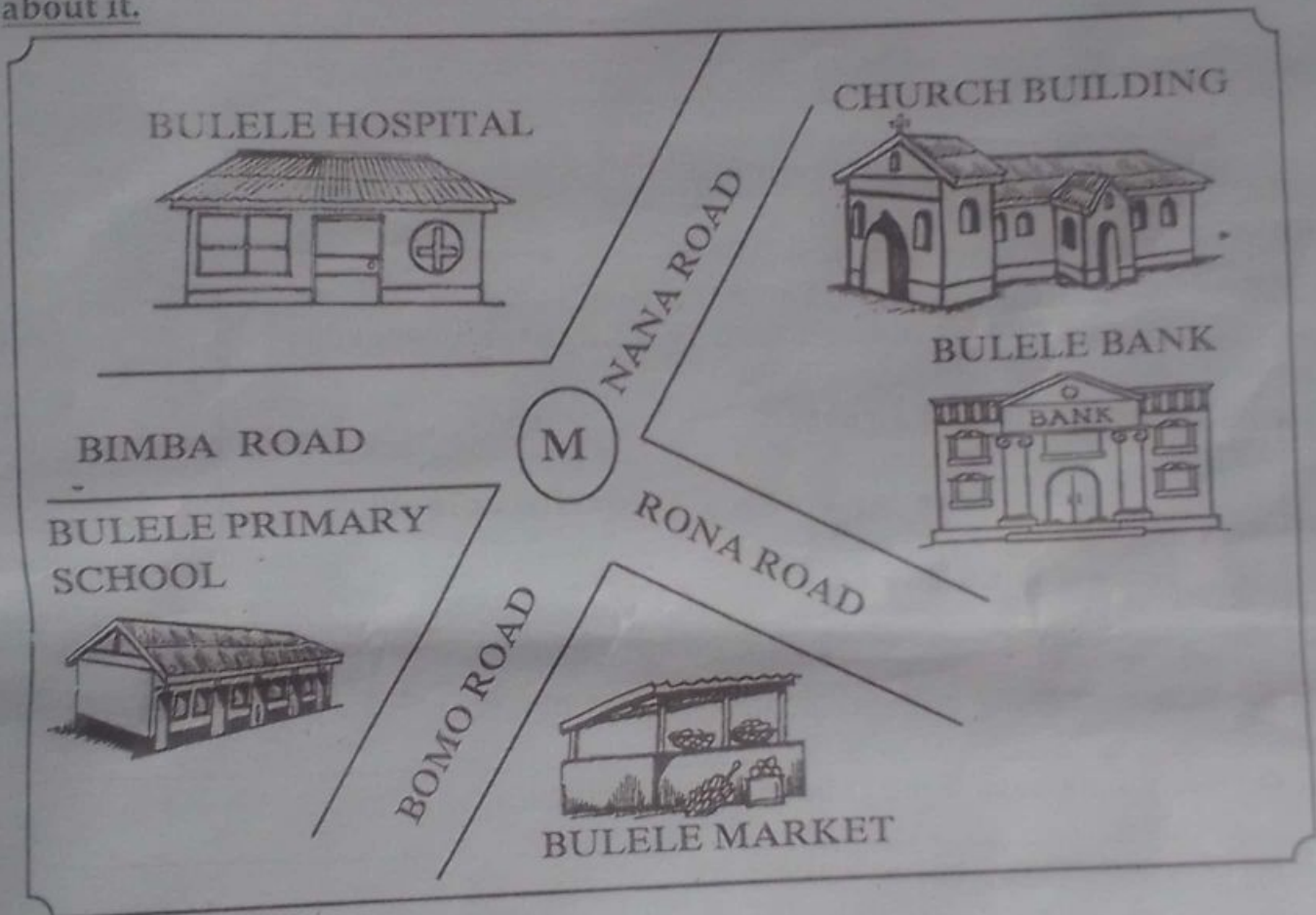
(e) Which item cost shs2,000?



3B. Complete the table below correctly.

Infinitive	Simple present	Simple past
go	(a) _____	went
cook	cooks	(b) _____
buy	(c) _____	bought
count	counts	(d) _____
(e) _____	tries	tried

4A. The map below shows Bulele Town. Study it carefully and answer the questions about it.



Questions.

(a) Which town does the map below show?

(b) Which building is behind BULELE BANK?

(c) How many roads are shown on the map?

(d) Name the feature marked M.

(e) Which important place is between Bomo Road and Rona Road?

54B. Rearrange the sentences below to make a correct story.

- (a) Lastly, she cooked food.
  - (b) After mopping the house, she swept the compound.
  - (c) She decided to do house chores.
  - (d) One day, Sarah was left at home alone.
  - (e) First, she mopped the house.
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

55A. Read the dialogue below carefully and answer the questions about it.

**Ben:** Good morning Jef.

**Jef:** **Good morning to you , Ben.**

**Ben:** I saw you in the market yesterday.

**Jef:** **I went to the market to buy a sweater yesterday.**

**Ben:** What colour did you buy?

**Jef:** **I bought a red sweater.**

**Ben:** That's a good colour, why did you choose it?

**Jef:** **I chose it because it is my favourite colour.**

**Ben:** Ok, have a good day.

**Jef:** **Have a good day too.**

Questions.

(a) Who are talking in the dialogue?

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) How many people are talking in the dialogue?

\_\_\_\_\_

(c) Why did Jef go to the market?

\_\_\_\_\_

(d) At what time of the day did the dialogue take place?

\_\_\_\_\_

(e) What is Jef's favourite colour?

\_\_\_\_\_

55B. Choose the right word from the box and fill in the blank spaces.

\_\_\_\_\_ Ntale was riding to Kisamula town, he found a goat crossing the road.  
He could not stop easily \_\_\_\_\_ he was riding at a high speed. He hit the goat  
and fell \_\_\_\_\_ the bicycle.  
All \_\_\_\_\_ knees were bruised. He started \_\_\_\_\_ for help.

because,

While,

off,

his,

crying