

# KAMPALA PRIMARY SCHOOLS' SKYLINE ASSESSMENT

END OF 2<sup>ND</sup> (SECOND) TERM 2023

PRIMARY FOUR (P.4)

ENGLISH

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOK LET UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.

Read the following instructions carefully.

1. The paper is made of section A and B.
2. Section A has 50 short questions ( 50 marks ).
3. Section B has 5 questions ( 50 marks ).
4. Attempt **ALL** questions. All answers to both Section A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written in blue or black ball-point pen or ink. Only diagrams and graphs work may be done in pencil.
6. Unnecessary alteration of work will lead to loss of marks.
7. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.

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| SECTION      | EXRS. MARKS | T/L MARKS | OFFICE |
|--------------|-------------|-----------|--------|
| <b>A</b>     |             |           |        |
| <b>B</b>     |             |           |        |
| <b>TOTAL</b> |             |           |        |

## SECTION A

For questions 1 – 5, Use a correct word or group of words to complete the sentences.

1. Juma bought two ..... of bread yesterday.
2. I ..... helping my mother with house work.
3. Mary is fond ..... abusing her friends.
4. You will share that orange ..... Joyce and Nakku.
5. Lend your pencil ..... Molly.

For questions 6 – 15, use the correct form of the given words in the brackets to complete the sentences.

6. We should behave ..... to all our leaders. (polite)
7. He bought the shirt ..... (cheap)
8. She brushes her teeth ..... a day. (two)
9. Five ..... stepped on the stage at once. (actress)
10. .... people is a very bad habit. (abuse)
11. Kapere is the ..... boy in our school. (shabby)
12. Our teacher's table is ..... (rectangle)
13. Aketchu enjoys ..... with a rope. (skip)
14. Her uncle is ..... than her aunt. (fat)
15. Namukasa left the room ..... (slow)

For questions 16 and 17, Arrange the words in alphabetical order.

16. football, rugby, hockey, cricket \_\_\_\_\_
17. eat, end, exercise, egg \_\_\_\_\_

In questions 18 – 20, Re-write the sentences giving the OPPOSITE of the underlined word or group of words.

18. Muteesa is a very careful boy.  
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19. Your wife is smart.  
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20. Is it good to disobey elders?  
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**For questions 21 and 22, Write the abbreviations in full.**

21.isn't \_\_\_\_\_

22.o'clock \_\_\_\_\_

**In questions 23 and 24, Re-arrange the words to form meaningful sentences.**

23.forget teacher Do not greet to the .

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24.and chicken I am rice eating .

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**For questions 25 and 26, Write the PLURAL of the given words.**

25.gatekeeper \_\_\_\_\_

26.donkey \_\_\_\_\_

**In questions 27 and 28, Re-write the sentences giving one word for the group of the underlined words.**

27.The man whose wife died has come again.

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28.Some people can live over seven days without food.

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**For questions 29 and 30, Make a good sentence using each of the given words.**

29.ewe: .....

30.you: .....

#### SUB-SECTION II

**In questions 31 – 50, Re-write the sentences as instructed in the brackets without changing their meaning.**

31.The teacher caned the girl. We felt sorry for her.  
(Begin: When .....)

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32.Janet was singing. Mary was beating the drum.  
(Join the sentences using: ..... while .....)

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33.We met a man. He was blind. (Join using: ..... who .....)

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34. They will not finish the work. (Rewrite using the short form of the underlined word.)

35. These are the men. They stole our cow. (Use: ..... who .....)

36. That is the driver. His lorry caught fire.  
(Join using: ..... whose .....)

37. I am short. I can't touch the ceiling. (Join using: ..... too ..... to .....)

38. Kakyo borrowed a rubber from Joel. (Begin: Joel .....)

39. She is a good girl, ..... (Add a question tag)

40. Jacinta likes eggs more than bananas.  
(Rewrite using: ..... prefers .....)

41. She mopped the house yesterday. (Rewrite and end: ..... now.)

42. There isn't any sugar in the bowl. (Rewrite the sentence using: ..... some .....)

43. In our school, we eat rice. We don't eat posho.  
(Rewrite as one sentence using: ..... but .....)

44. He worked hard. He failed the test. (Begin: Although .....)

45. How do you do? (Give the correct reply.)

46. Juma is strong. Juma can carry a sack of beans.  
(Join using: ..... so ..... that .....)

47. Jackie is tall. Martha is also tall. (Join using: ..... as .... as .....)

48. She goes to church every Sunday. (Use: ..... not .....)

49. When the visitors arrived, Sandra served food.  
(Begin: As soon as .....)

50. One man's meat, ..... (Complete the saying)



## SECTION B

51. Read the passage below and answer the following questions in FULL sentences



Calvin was sent to Miss Birungi's home. He was to take back the hoe. Calvin's mother had borrowed it last Saturday to weed her flower garden.

Calvin quickly walked to Miss Birungi's home. He knocked at the door but nobody answered. Calvin decided to go back home with the hoe. As he was leaving, he saw Miss Birungi's car. He then stood and waited for her. When Miss Birungi arrived, she apologised to Calvin for keeping him waiting.

Calvin thanked her for the hoe and left her home. When he reached home, mother welcomed him back and gave him some bananas.

### Questions:

1. Where was Calvin sent?

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2. When did Miss Birungi give Calvin's mother the hoe?

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3. Who weeded the flower garden?

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4. How did Calvin reach Miss Birungi's home?

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5. Why did Calvin wait for Miss Birungi?

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6. What did Calvin tell Miss Birungi before he left?

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7. What did Calvin eat when he reached home?

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8. Give another word or group of words to mean the same as these words in the passage.

(i) leaving .....

(ii) apologised .....

9. Suggest a title to the passage.

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52. The following sentences below are in the wrong order, re-arrange them to make a meaningful story about "KABANDA BUYS MILK FROM THE SHOP".

- a) At the shop, he was given six litres of milk and some change.
- b) Balinda was very happy with Kabanda.
- c) Balinda wanted some milk from the shop.
- d) He put the milk in the basket.
- e) She thanked for being careful and fast.
- f) He then took it to Belinda.
- g) Kabanda crossed the road carefully and went to the shop.
- h) So, she called Kabanda to send him to buy the milk.
- i) She also gave him a basket.
- j) She gave him ten thousand shillings to go and buy it.

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53. Read the poem below and answer the questions about it in full sentences

### THE THEIF

She is a thief  
Stealing whatever she finds  
In the kitchen, bedroom and school  
Making everyone sad.

She is a thief,  
Holding things in her bag.  
Eating from corners  
Mapengo, you are hated by everybody.

Samantha

#### Questions:

1. What does that thief steal?



2. Where does she steal?

3. According to the poem, who becomes sad?

4. Where does she put the things she steals?

5. What does she do in the corners?

6. According to the poem, who is the thief?

7. Who hates Mapengo?

8. Who wrote the poem?

9. What is the poem about?

10. How many stanzas are in the poem?

54. Some pupils of Primary Four borrowed some books from the library.

Their teacher asked them why they borrowed those books.

The information below shows the books and why they borrowed them.

Study it carefully and then answer in full sentences, the questions that follow.

| NAME          | BOOK BORROWED          | WHY THEY BORROWED IT   |
|---------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Ssanyu Allen  | P.3 - Science          | To read about vectors  |
| Abwoli Ketra  | The Hungry Caterpillar | To read stories        |
| Uzoka Maureen | Nickelodeon            | To read stories        |
| Babirye Jesca | P.4 - Mathematics      | To learn about sets    |
| Mwine Tom     | The Lazy Girls         | To read stories        |
| Oyo Jethro    | Sinag                  | To learn about spiders |

Questions:

(a) Who borrowed the books?

(b) Which book did Ssanyu Allen borrow?

(c) Why did Abwoli borrow a book?

(d) What did Jesca learn after reading the book?

(e) Who read Nickelodeon?

(f) How many pupils borrowed books?

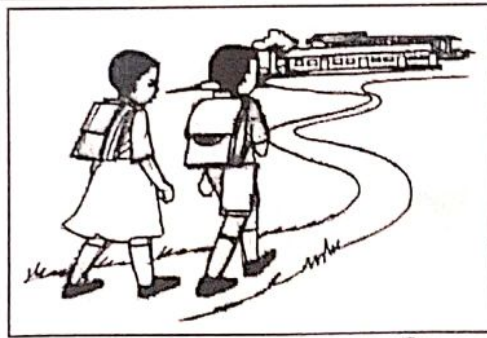
(g) Who wants to learn about spiders?

(h) Which book did Jethro borrow?

(i) How many pupils borrowed story books?

(j) In which class is Uzoka Maureen?

55. Complete the guided composition below correctly by filling in the missing words with those given in the box below.



My name is Clare Asimwe. I go \_\_\_\_\_ Namataba Primary School.  
We \_\_\_\_\_ from 8:00a.m to 4:00p.m. Our teachers teach us  
about \_\_\_\_\_ things. They also give us some work to  
\_\_\_\_\_ in our books.

After the lessons, we do other activities outside the \_\_\_\_\_.  
Some boys play football and others ride bicycles. The girls practice how to  
\_\_\_\_\_. My friend Esther and I like \_\_\_\_\_. So we  
always join the school \_\_\_\_\_. Everyone is busy during  
that \_\_\_\_\_. I really like \_\_\_\_\_ school.

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| dance | attend | time  | to        | many    |
| my    | do     | choir | classroom | singing |