



HILLSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL
BEGINNING OF TERM TWO EXAMINATIONS

2024

ENGLISH (THREE)

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully

1. The paper has **two** sections: **A** and **B**.
2. Answer **all** questions. All answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
3. **All** answers must be written using a blue or black ball-point pen or fountain pen.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks.
5. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in boxes indicated: **"For Examiners' Use Only"** and those inside the paper.

FOR EXAMINERS' USE ONLY		
Qn. No.	MARKS	EXRS' NO
1-10		
11-20		
21-30		
31-40		
41-50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
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TOTAL		

SECTION A: 50 MARKS
(Questions 1 to 50 carry one mark each)

Sub-section I

In each of the questions 1 to 5, fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

1. Their bitch has produced two.....
2. The article.....appeared in the Daily Monitor today was interesting.
3. Tom told the pupils to write the letter.....ink.
4. The.....is used for tasting.
5. Opio is.....Ugandan National.

In each of the questions 6 to 15, use the correct form of the word given in the brackets to complete the sentences.

6. Did Maria forgot to write her.....address?(post)
7. The pilgrims are.....in the shade now. (to lie)
8. August is themonth of the year.(eight)
9. By the time chief guest arrived, the school choir had.....the anthems. (sing)
10. Tomiya has bought two.....vehicles. (Japan)
11. The cobbler repaired my shoesat the parade. (skill)
12. Our school carpenter has made nice.....for your cupboard.(shelf)
13. Mukasa is the.....of the three boys.(clever)

14. A neighbor of ours dresses.....(smart)
15. If the candidates had.....permission, they
would not have been punished.(seek)

In questions 16 and 17, use each of the given words to form a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meanings.

16. see

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17. sea

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For questions 18 to 20, rewrite the sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

18. Sarah always meets her siblings at the place where two roads meet and cross each other.

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19. Our school is close to the carpentry workshop.

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20. Most birds move through air.

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In each of the questions 21 and 22, Write the full forms of the given short form.

21. He'll.....

22. ATM.....

In each of the questions 23 to 25, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

23. Our school compound is always clean in the morning.

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24. Koti filled a deposit form from the counter.

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25. I don't like honest people.

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In each of the questions 26 and 27, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

26. holidays, vacation, begin, camp

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27. relatives, rural, remedial, rehearse

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In each of the questions 28 to 30, give the plural form of the given words.

28. head of department.....
29. Israeli.....
30. mouse.....

Sub-Section II

In each of the questions 31 to 51, rewrite the sentences as instructed in the brackets.

31. Pupils should obey class rules and regulations.

(Rewrite the sentence using:necessary.....)

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32. The moment the cyclist reached the junction, he turned left.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: As soon as.....)

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33. Ruharo is a long way from Kamukuzi.

(Rewrite the sentence using:.....far.....)

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34. You have a very beautiful house.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: What.....)

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35. Butume is honest but intelligent as well.

(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Not only.....)

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36. The holiday makers are eagerly waiting to visit the campsite.

(Rewrite the sentence using:.....look forward.....)

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37. Mulungi went to the oasis. She wanted to fetch some water.

(Rewrite and join as one sentence using:.....so that.....)

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38. Much as goats are animals. They need protection.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Despite.....)

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39. Roland travels to town many times.

(Rewrite the sentence using:often.....)

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40. The Orphans cried bitterly. It was in the middle of the burial ceremony.

(Rewrite beginning: Join the sentences using:.....during.....)

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41. We met ladies yesterday. They were beautiful. They were from Rwanda. They were five. (Rewrite as one sentences without using any conjunction)

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42. Their great uncle is very old. He cannot walk without a stick.
(Join as one sentence using:too.....to.....)

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43. Apio is very tall. Opoi is tall.

(Join as one sentence using:.....as.....as.....)

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44. I shall write to the headmaster if I get the address.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: If I got.....)

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45. Ali said the baker kneaded the dough thoroughly.

(Punctuate this sentence correctly)

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46. This bag is mine.

(Re-write the sentence using:.....belongs.....)

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47. Nandutu is the girl. I borrowed this dictionary from her.

(Join the sentences using:.....from whom.....)

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48. The word "supper" comes after the word "dinner" in the dictionary.

(Re-write beginning: The word "dinner".....)

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49. Somebody ate my apple.

(Re-write the sentence beginning: My apple.....)

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50. I was here yesterday, "said the hotelier.

(Re-write the sentence using:said that.....)

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SECTION B: 50 MARKS

(Questions 51 to 55 carry 10 marks each)

51. Read the passage below and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.

Next Friday will be a day Jubilation for coming to the end of this strenuous term. All the pupils at Kitemu Junior School will break up for first term holidays. As a primary Seven candidate, I plan to travel upcountry and spend holiday with my grandparents.

We've just learnt different ways how we can spend our holidays productively. These include, engaging home chores like washing utensils, taking care of domestic animals, attending congregational prayers, visiting relatives and friends besides revising our books.

My only twenty classmates have also told me their holiday plans during this short holiday and they look forward to using this holiday time well. For my case, I shall help my lovely grandparents with home chores and make a timetable to revise my books as I prepare for Mock exams next term.

Questions

- a) From which school does the writer study?

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b) When will the pupils in this school break up for holidays?

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c) How does the writer plan to spend his holidays?

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d) Who can children visit during holidays?

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e) Mention one activity the writer will engage in during the holiday.

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f) How many pupils are in the writer's class?

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g) When will Mock exams be written?

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h) Give a word to mean the same as the following words as used in the passage.

i) chores.....

ii) revise.....

j) Suggest a suitable title to the passage.

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52. Read the poem below carefully and answer the questions that follow.

THE POOR ORPHAN

The orphan in my neighbourhood
Waking up early at dawn
To do every bit of house chores
And goes to sleep late at night
Down on her sacks in the kitchen.

The orphan in my neighbourhood
All she wants is a dress and slippers
From her cousin's old clothes
Which they cut to make clothes for dolls
Only to be shut with by insults.

The orphan in my neighbourhood,
I wish I was old enough,
And help her to escape
The cruelty of her aunties and cousins
And end all the misery she faces.

By concerned child

Questions

- a) What is the poem about?

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- b) At what time does the orphan wake up?

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c) Where does this orphan stay?

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d) Why does the orphan wake up early?

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e) Which type of clothes does the writer put on?

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f) According to the second stanza, what does the writer want?

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g) Why do you think the writer wishes to be old?

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h) Do the orphan's relatives treat her fairly?

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i) How many stanzas are in the poem?

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j) Suggest another suitable title to the poem.

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53. The notification below was sent to all parents of Kamudini Junior School through SMS. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Good morning, dear parent

You are kindly informed that all pupils are going for Easter Holidays. You are requested to come and pick your child from school tomorrow commencing at 4:30p.m. Only parents and guardians allowed to pick their children for security reasons.

We wish you a nice Easter Holiday

Makabayi Milton

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a) Who received the above notification?

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b) At what time of the day was the message sent?

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c) When did the parents go to the mentioned school to pick their children?

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d) How did these parents receive this information?

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e) From which school was this notification?

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f) Who wrote this information?

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g) Why are the parents advised to pick their children themselves?

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h) At what time will parents start picking their children?

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i) Give one word to mean the same as **commencing** as used in the information.

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j) Write p.m in full.....

54. Below is a dialogue between a P.7 pupil Opio and Mr. Ogwal, bank teller . study it carefully and fill in the words you think were said by Opio

Mr.Ogwal: Good afternoon, young man.

Opio.....

Mr. Ogwal: What is your name?

Opio:.....

MrOgwal: Oh Opio Jeremy ! How can I help you?

Opio:.....

Mr. Ogwal : Yes, I know the banking procedure well.

Opio:.....

Mr.Ogwal: If you want to bank money, you will enter and join the queue.

Opio:.....

Mr. Ogwal: Yes, you need to have bank pay-in-slip.

Opio:.....

Mr.Ogwal: When filling in, arrange the money according to the denomination?

Opio:.....

Mr.Ogwal: No, it is better to begin with the big notes and then small ones.

Opio:.....

Mr.ogwal: You are welcome, Opio.

Opio:.....

Mr.Ogwal: Have a blessed day.

Opio:.....

55. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rewrite them in a correct order to form a composition about a prominent farmer.

- a) Besides cattle rearing, he grows coffee.
- b) John is a prominent farmer.
- c) All the milk is taken to a dairy.
- d) He gets one hundred litres of milk from dairy cattle.
- e) He is famous for his good farming practices.
- f) He has coffee on three acres of land.
- g) At the end of every month, he is paid a lot of money by the owner of the dairy.
- h) He harvests hundreds of tons of coffee annually.
- i) What a wealthy farmer John is!
- j) He rears dairy cattle.

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