



DIVINE EDUCATION CENTRE
MID TERM 1 EXAMINATION-2024
ENGLISH –P.5

Time allowed: 2hours 15 minutes

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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** .This paper has **12 pages** printed altogether.
3. Answer **all** questions. All the working for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
4. **All** working must be done using a **blue** or **black** ball point pen or ink. Any work done in pencil will **NOT** be marked except drawings and diagram.
5. Unnecessary **changes** in your work and handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in the table indicated
“For examiners’ use only” and the boxes inside the question paper.

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Qn. No.	MARKS	EXR’S No.
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TOTAL		

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SECTION A: 50 MARKS

For questions 1-7, fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

- 1- The sun rises _____ the east and sets in the west.
- 2- The _____ has repaired my father's bicycle.
- 3- Most of the babies are afraid _____ dogs.
- 4- _____ the teacher or the askari will help to cross the children.
- 5- When will the _____ call the boys to train football.
- 6- Their luggage _____ been put in the boot.
- 7- The newspaper which he was reading had _____ interesting article.

For questions 8 – 15, use the correct form of the given word in the bracket to complete the sentences.

- 8- None of the _____ items has been found. **(steal)**
- 9- As the guests were entering, we were _____ our hands. **(clap)**
- 10- I cannot wear that dress because it is not _____ **(my)**
- 11- They _____ escaped death at the game park. **(narrow)**
- 12- Of the three bags, Melisa's was the _____ **(nice)**
- 13- The head teacher has bought nice _____ for primary five classroom. **(bench)**
- 14- You must make a _____ you will not regret. **(decide)**
- 15- Their father is a famous _____ **(farm)**

For questions 16 -17, use the given words in sentences to show that you know their meaning.

16- seat

17- sit

For questions 18-19, rearrange the words in alphabetical order

18- columnist, cartoon, correspondent, computer.

19- brakes, side-mirror, boot, handlebars

For questions 20 -22, rewrite the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

20- Why are you opening the door?

21- The car engine is in good condition.

22- Who has taken my geometry set?

For questions 23-24, rearrange the words to form a correct sentence.

23- repairs My uncle vehicles Kato's garage in

24- kittens How are playful!

For questions 25-26, rewrite the sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

25- The tool used to draw nails into and out of wood is lost.

26- The funny drawings in a newspaper were amusing.

For questions 27-28, write the plural form of the given words.

27- news_____

28- boot_____

For questions 29 – 30, write the short forms of the following words.

29- Friday_____

30- Driver_____

For questions 31-50, rewrite the sentences as instructed in the brackets.

31- The girl was very excited. She could not speak properly. (Rewrite as one sentence using: ---too---to---)

32- The mechanic was repairing a motorcycle. Mawale was washing a car. (Join the sentences beginning: While --)

33- Mugaga went to the airport early. He wanted to board the first plane. (Rewrite as one sentence using: ----in order---)

34- The driver bought some lubricating oil. (Rewrite the sentence using: --did not ---)

35- The pupils are very clever. They can score good marks. (Join the sentences using: ---so—that---)

36- Peter has a broken leg. He comes to school. (Join the sentence using: ---but---)

37- Maria comes to school. She does not want to study. (Rewrite as one sentence beginning : Although--)

38- Maurice is a very humble boy. (Rewrite the sentence beginning:
What ---!)

39- He prefers engineering to tailoring. (Rewrite the sentence using: --likes--)

40- These books belong to us. (Rewrite the sentence ending:-----ours.)

41- Henry is a journalist. Mawejje is a journalist. (Rewrite as one sentence
beginning: Either----or---)

42- There goes the mechanic. His toolbox was confiscated. (Join the sentence
using: ---whose---)

43- You shout in class. The teacher will punish you. (Rewrite the sentence
beginning: If ---)

44- Naume is beautiful. Madrine is very beautiful. (Rewrite the sentence using:
---more beautiful ---)

45- Walusimbi is very rich, he can buy a car. (Rewrite the sentence using: ---
enough---)

46- The puzzle appeared in Bukedde newspaper. It was confusing. (Rewrite as
one sentence using: ---which---)

47- She did not reach the church. She lost the direction. (Rewrite as one sentence using:---because--)

48- Great minds----- (Rewrite and complete the proverb.)

49- Bad children are disliked by people. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: People---)

50- John is doing homework,.-----? (Rewrite the sentence and add a suitable question tag)

SECTION B: 50 MARKS

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

Mr. Mwanje is a teacher at Bukuku Umea. He teaches primary five. Last week, he taught us about tools used in vehicle repair. Among the tools we learnt were; spanner, tester, pliers, hammer, carjack and others. He said all the small tools are kept in a toolbox. After telling us the use of the tools, he took us to Kayondo's garage in Namayumba trading centre.

At the garage we were welcomed. We found four mechanics repairing two vehicles. One of the vehicles they were repairing was a taxi. Mr. Mwanje introduced himself and us. The owner of the garage, Mr. Kayondo took us around the garage. He showed us all the tools and their use in the garage. We saw how cars can be lifted up using the carjack. All the mechanics we met there were wearing overalls and all had oil in their hands and on the overalls. From there Mr. Kayondo took us back to school.

Questions:

(a) To which school does Mr. Mwanje teach?

(b) In which class does Mr. Mwanje teach?

(c) What did Mr. Mwanje teach the pupils last week?

(d) In whose garage did Mr. Mwanje take the pupils?

(e) Where is the garage found?

(f) How many mechanics did they find in the garage?

(g) Who took the pupils around the garage?

(h) What were the mechanics at the garage wearing?

(i) What did the mechanics have in their hands?

(j) What tool was used to lift up the taxi?

52- **Below are activities Mugerwa carries out every day when he goes back home after school. Study them carefully and in full sentences answer the questions that follow.**

	5:00-5:30	5:30 – 6:30	6:30 – 8:00
Mon	Fetches water	Takes milk to the dairy	Does homework for maths and science
Wed	Washes milk cans	Fetches water and washes utensils	Revises books
Thur	Helps the milkman to put milk in the cans.	Takes milk to the dairy	Does homework for English and social studies
Sat	Fetches water	Washes all his uniforms	Watches television

Questions

(a) When does Mugerwa carry out the above activities?

(b) What does Mugerwa do on Monday from 6:30 – 8:00?

(c) Whom does Mugerwa help to put milk in the cans?

(d) How many times does Mugerrwa fetch water?

(e) When does Mugerwa wash the milk cans?

(f) At what time does he wash his uniforms?

(g) Mention one activity Mugerwa does on Wednesday from 5:30 – 6:30?

(h) When does Mugerwa revise books?

(i) Which homework does Mugerwa do on Thursday?

(j) What lesson do you learn from Mugerwa's time table?

53- **The conversation below took place between Anna and her uncle. What uncle said is given then fill in what you think were Anna's responses.**

Anna: _____

Uncle: Good morning Anna, as you are in a hurry, where are you going?

Anna: _____

Uncle: To your brother's school. What happened to him?

Anna: _____

Uncle: you want to inform him about your birthday party. When is it?

Anna: _____

Uncle: Eeh! Saturday next week. Where are you going to celebrate it from?

Anna: _____

Uncle: At Acacia mall. I should also prepare myself. Who will bring the cake?

Anna: _____

Uncle: Aunt Grace will buy it. So, she is not going to buy for you a gift?

Anna: _____

Uncle: You don't know. Then you don't want gifts.

Anna: _____

Uncle: You want them. Then tell all the people to come with gifts.

Anna: _____

Uncle: Okay you go and tell your brother too.

54- **Fill in the blank spaces with the correct word from the box to form a good composition.**

receptionist, wanted, printed, journalist, editors, visited, gentleman, directed, media, main
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Last week, we _____ the media house at UBC with my mother. She _____ me to learn the people who work there and what they do there. When we reached the _____ gate, we were checked very well. We were _____ to the reception. At the reception, my mother told the _____ what had brought us there. The receptionist called a certain _____ -who moved with us to all the rooms at the _____ house. We were able to see where news are edited and _____ before they are read in studios and sold out.

I admired the different _____ and journalists who were smartly dressed with good spoken English. From what I saw there , I promised my mother to become a _____ in future.

55- **The sentences below are in wrong order, rearrange them to form a correct order.**

- 1- Lastly, I was happy that we learnt about the different types of soil and their uses.
- 2- Our teacher taught us about types of soil and their uses.
- 3- This type of soil is a mixture of clay, sand and dead decayed plants and animals.
- 4- Thirdly, he talked about loam soil which is black in colour.
- 5- People use this type of soil to make charcoal stoves , pots and bricks.
- 6- Secondly, he mentioned the clay soil which is grey in colour.
- 7- People use the broken rocks to build houses.
- 8- First, sand soil is the type of soil which is made of broken rocks.
- 9- He said that there are three types of soil.
- 10- Loam soil is the best soil for planting growing.

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