



VICTORY STEP EDUCATION SERVICES
BEGINNING OF TERM TWO EXAM
PRIMARY SIX
2023
ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully :

1. Do not forget to write your **school** or **district** on the 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 will not be marked.
5. Unnecessary changes in your work and handwriting that cannot be read easily may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in the table indicated
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FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY		
QN. NO.	MARKS	EXR'S NO.
1 -10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

SECTION A (50 MARKS)

In questions 1 to 10, use the correct form of the word given in the bracket to complete the sentence.

1. Our dog gave birth to eight _____ last year. (puppy)
2. Having _____ for their buffet at the hotel, they drove home. (pay)
3. The traffic officer shouted _____ at the driver. (angry)
4. There was an _____ between the proposers and opposers. (argue)
5. This is the _____ time grandmother visiting Daddy's farm. (twelve)
6. Patrick carried the tray _____ and broke the eggs. (care)
7. Who is the _____ of the two conductors. (tall)
8. All the boys have locked _____ inside the classroom. (self)
9. The _____ of the LC I chairperson shocked the residents. (die)
10. That girl always _____ after the first lesson. (reach)

In questions 11 to 15, fill in the blank spaces with a suitable word to complete the sentences correctly.

11. All the parents are always proud _____ their children.
12. Marion, _____ sister is a cartoonist, is my best friend at school.
13. Since you have a painful tooth, go to the _____ for treatment.
14. The _____ has accepted to repair my brother's car.
15. My niece has gone to _____ unisex salon to plait her hair.

In questions 16 and 17, write the short forms of the given full forms.

16. please turn over _____ 17. Road _____

In questions 18 to 20, re-write the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

18. Mr. Akampa bought a tool used for tightening the screws.
- _____

19. We shall go to Dubai in the ninth month of the year.
- _____

20. Our grandfather sat with comfort in an arm chair.
- _____

In questions 21 and 22, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

21. Having thanked my mother, I went to bed.

22. She is waiting for the phone to be connected.

In questions 23 and 24, rearrange the given words in alphabetical order.

23. eggplant cabbage tomato onion

24. prime price prize pride

In questions 25 and 26, use each of the given words to form a correct sentence to show that you know the difference in meaning.

25. fare _____

26. fair _____

In questions 27 and 28, re-arrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

27. dishonest You man are very a.

28. phone Who has stolen my?

In questions 29 and 30, write the plural form of the given words.

29. pigsty _____ 30. stadium _____

Sub-section II

In questions 31 to 50, re-write the sentences as instructed in the brackets.

31. The girl likes playing football more than reading books.

(Rewrite the sentences using...prefers.....)

32. Amooti crossed the road as soon as it was clear. (Re-write the sentence beginning:

Immediately.....)

33. Rose does not like burns. Brian does not like buns. (Join the two sentences as one beginning: Neither.....)
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34. Here comes Wilson. He was my sister's friend. (Join as one sentence using.....who.....)
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35. You must be very careful if you want to avoid road accidents.
(Rewrite the sentence using....in order...)
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36. The word 'zebra' comes before the word 'zero' in the dictionary.
(Rewrite the sentence using...after...)
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37. The man is crying. His car caught fire. (Join as one sentence using....whose.....)
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38. Government has imported COVID 19 vaccines but some people have refused to be vaccinated. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: Although.....)
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39. Ogwang bought a black torch. The torch was nice and it was made of plastic. (Join the sentence without using: 'and' 'which')
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40. The mechanic is an arrogant man. The car owner is an arrogant man.
(Join the sentence as one using....and so..)
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41. To whom does the garage belong? (Rewrite the sentence using.....owner....)
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42. “How old are you, Peter?” asked Moris. (Rewrite and begin: Moris asked.....)
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43. Kayemba ate had food. Kayembe is now sick. (Join as one sentences using...because.....)
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44. It is not necessary for the match to start now. (Rewrite the sentence using....needn’t....)
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45. The fishermonger caught a very big Nile perch. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: What....)
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46. My grandfather is very old. She cannot walk upright. (Join the sentences using...too...to...)
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47. Omala is a very kind boy. Everybody admires him. (Join the sentence as one using....such a
.....that.....) _____
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48. Kitata has swept the compound. (Re-write the sentence beginning: The compound.....)
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49. As the patient takes a lot of medicine, he will get very well. (Re-write the sentence
beginning: The....the.....)
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50. All that glitters..... (Rewrite and complete the proverb)
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SECTION B (50 MARKS)

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

Last term, the Primary Six class had a debate. It took place in the school main hall starting at 2:0pm. On that Friday, all the pupils gathered in the main hall ready for the debate. The chairperson, Hon Nkudulu took his seat, the secretary, Hon Kalanda also sat and the timekeeper. Next was the main speakers and as soon as they were ready, the debate began. The motion was “MAN IS THE WORST ENEMY OF HIMSELF.” The chairperson welcomed members and thanked them for keeping time and turning up in big numbers. After he had said all that, the national anthem was sung and next, he invited proposers to give their views.

Hon Mbwiti took the floor first. He explained the motion and took his side argument. Among the views he raised was that man has made a lot of chemicals and machines in the inventions which in turn have claimed his life. He added that man has cut trees to a large extent hence causing drought and famine for himself. With all the above, he concluded that man is the worst enemy of himself.

After the propose, was an opposer Hon Ludo. She started by saying that the proposers had failed to interpret the motion. Man is not an enemy of himself. These proposers have failed to know that the motion is wrong. Actually, man tried to improve himself though an opportunity. He has improved technology and worked so hard to change his environment. For example some places would not be accessible if man did not connect them using roads. Furthermore, man has set up internet and telephones to make life better. How can one say that he is the worst enemy of himself?

It was a hot debate full of cheering and drumming, the chairman had challenges to control the house. Finally, the opposers won the debate according to the results from the secretary.

Questions

a) What is the passage about?

b) On which day did the debate take place?

c) Where did the debate take place?

d) Who chaired this debate according to the passage?

e) Why do you think the chairperson thanked the members?

f) What was the result of cutting down trees as stated in the story?

g) Give another word or group of words with the same meaning as;

i) connect _____

ii) views _____

h) Suggest a suitable title to this story.

i) Who won the debate according to the results?

52. Study the advertisement below and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

DEBATE DEBATE DEBATE

PARTICIPANTS: P.6N VS P.6S

When: Friday 22nd April 2023

Time: 2:00p.m – 4:00p.m

Venue: Main hall

Motion: SCIENCE HAS MADE THE WORLD A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE IN

Proposers: P.6S

Opposers: P.6N

Timekeeper: Hon Edward Kamanzi

Secretary: Hon Sandra Namakula

Chairperson: Hon Wilberforce Atwine

NB: All main speakers will speak for not more than five minutes.
All members of staff, pupils of P.5 and P.7 are invited.

Questions

a) What is the advertisement about? _____

b) Which classes are taking part in the activity above?

c) How long will this activity take?

d) When will this activity be held?

e) Which class is going to defend the motion?

f) What role will Hon. Namakula Sandra play?

g) Why do you think only P.5 and P.7 classes have been invited?

h) Give a word or group of words with the same meaning as motion.

i) Write the following in full.

Hon _____ NB _____

53. ***Read the dialogue below carefully and complete it by filling in what you think are the missing responses.***

Policeman: Good morning, young boy.

School boy: _____

Policeman: How may I help you?

School boy: _____

Policeman: You would like to be helped to cross the road! Where are you going?

School boy: _____

Policeman: Which school are you going to?

School boy: _____

Policeman: Where is Bright Star Junior School located?

School boy: _____

Policeman: Obojja Road is very far from here. In which class are you?

School boy: _____

Policeman: By Primary Six! I expect you to know how to cross the road safely. Hasn't the teacher taught about road safety?

School boy: _____

Policeman: That's very good. Are you going to walk up to school?

School boy: _____

Policeman: From where are you going to catch the school bus?

School boy: _____

Policeman: Total petrol station is so close. It is now safe for you to cross the road.

School boy: _____

54. **Complete the composition using words in the box at the bottom.**

Communication is the _____ and receiving of messages. There are several _____ of communication. A _____ is used to talk to people far away or near using _____ bought from the _____ provider. We use _____ to connect to people all over the _____.

Most of the _____ means such as _____ have been outdated apart from the _____ which is still being used for traditional functions and in churches which do not have a jazz or brass band.

drum smoke signal sending airtime
traditional world mobile phone means service

54. *The sentences below are not in the correct order. Re-arrange them in the correct order to form a short composition about “Sources of Information.”*

- a) Which one of these sources of information is the commonest.
- b) These are various sources of information in Uganda.
- c) These sources include radios, televisions, computers, newspapers etc
- d) This is not a very difficult question to answer.
- e) Also, radios only need batteries to work.
- f) Unfortunately, this is not the case with televisions and computers.
- g) In my opinion, the radio is the commonest.
- h) These cannot work without electricity, which is not available in most parts of Uganda.
- i) It is the commonest because it is the cheapest.
- f) Batteries are also very cheap and are available everywhere.

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