

SECTION A: 50 MARKS

For questions 1 – 5, fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

1. Our teacher is related _____ the director.
2. The woman _____ gave birth to triplets has come to our school.
3. My brother is neither a carpenter _____ a tailor.
4. Tom will not catch the first bus _____ he wakes up early.
5. A dog barks while a cow _____ .

In questions 6 – 15, use the correct form of the word given in brackets.

6. _____ is profitable business nowadays. (bake)
7. My father is _____ on his bed because he is very tired. (lie)
8. Henrick drives his car so _____ that he can hardly cause an accident. (care)
9. We used to listen to grandmother's _____ stories while in the village. (interest)
10. Kasolo's sheep gave birth to two _____ last week. (lamb)
11. If I get some money, I will buy a _____ jacket. (wool)
12. December is the _____ month of the year. (twelve)
13. She is fond of using _____ words during debates. (abuse)
14. His _____ to perform well pleased his parents. (able)
15. An elephant is _____ than a cow. (fat)

In questions 16 and 17, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

16. carpentry, carpenter, car, carry.

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17. banking, baking, security, modeling.

For questions 18 and 19, write the abbreviations in full.

18. a/c _____
19. Col. _____

For questions 20 and 21, use each word in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

20. dairy _____
21. diary _____

For questions 22 and 23, give the plural form of the underlined word.

22. My mother- in- law is a very rude woman.

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23. There was hardly any sugar in the cake.

For questions 24 – 26, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite form of the underlined word.

24. Hanisha's handwriting is becoming better now.

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ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

Name:

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Class: Stream:

District Name: Date:

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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. This paper is comprised of two sections **A** and **B**. Section **A** has **50** questions (**50 marks**). Section **B** has **5** questions (**50 marks**).
2. Answer **ALL** questions in both sections **A** and **B**.
3. All answers must be written in the spaces provided in **Blue** or **Black** ball point pen or ink. Only diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
4. Unnecessary changes of work and handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
5. Do **not** write anything in the boxes indicated: **“FOR EXAMINERS’ USE ONLY”**.

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SECTIONS	MARKS
A (Qns 1 - 50)	
B (Qns 51 - 55)	
TOTAL	

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25. I study in the same school with my nephew.

26. All the hardworking pupils have been rewarded.

For questions 27 and 28, rewrite the sentence giving a single word for the underlined words.

27. All the desks in our class are made of wood.

28. Is Mariam among the pupils watching football at the stadium?

For questions 29 and 30, arrange the given words to make meaningful sentences.

29. cousin my is Josephine.

30. carpentry more tailoring than likes Musa.

SUB – SECTION II

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

31. Parents should teach their children good manners. (Rewrite the sentence using: must)

32. The proposers gave convincing points but they didn't win the debate. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: Although)

33. I opened the website. I wanted to access my email box. (Join the sentences using: in order)

34. Faridah is related to my mother. (Rewrite the sentence and end: relative.)

35. My niece is too young to get married. (Rewrite the sentence using: enough)

36. Ebola is a very dangerous disease. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: What!)

37. Keeping law and order is the duty of the police. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: It is the)

38. A brother of mine enjoys watching cartoons,?(Rewrite the sentence and supply a suitable question tag.)

39. Mable will learn French if she goes to France. (Rewrite the sentence using: would)
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40. The twins were playing tennis. Their mother was preparing lunch. (Join the sentences beginning: While)
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41. A wasp is a dangerous insect. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: Wasps)
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42. The chef is not here. The waiter is not here. (Join the sentences beginning: Neither nor)
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43. Old Paula's daughter looks healthy since she feeds very well. (Rewrite the sentence using: because)
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44. "I am teaching about occupation now," said the teacher. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: The teacher said that)
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45. My grandmother is very old. She cannot walk to town. (Join the sentences using: so that)
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46. Sarah likes debating more than singing. (Rewrite the sentence using: would rather than)
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47. As soon as Abdul entered the bus, the bus moved out of the park. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: Immediately)
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48. Acheng is my relative. Odong is my relative. (Join the sentences beginning: Both)
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49. Agatha stole my sister's bag. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: My sister's bag)
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50. A hungry man (Rewrite and complete the proverb correctly)
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SECTION B: 50 MARKS

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

Mukisa is a respected man in Buwate village. Whenever there is a telephone promotion in Kira Town Council, he is always the first person to arrive. His slogan in the village is "Get Connected." Many people have nicknamed him. "Get Connected." While at home, he uses a

landline which his son Magara helped him to install in the house. Whenever he goes to Kira Town Council, he carries a mobile phone.

One day as Mr. Mukisa was washing, his phone dropped into a basin of water. He screamed loudly thinking his phone had got spoilt but only the sim card had got spoilt. He decided to wait for the usual promotion because that is when he would buy the new sim card at a cheaper price. Fortunately, the promotion was there just after two days when his sim card got spoilt.

He bought the sim card at one thousand shillings only. He was very happy because he was going to get connected again. Five meters away from where the promotion was, he bought AIRTEL airtime worth two thousand shillings. He loaded it and called his relatives to inform them that he had got a new sim card. The only challenge he had was that he had lost most his friends' contacts so he had to call only those ones he had written on a piece of paper which was in his pocket.

Today, Mr. Mukisa will never say anything bad about the AIRTEL network because it is in many parts of the country.

Questions:

a) Where does Mr. Mukisa live according to the passage?

b) What type of phone does he use while at home?

c) Who installed a landline phone for Mr. Mukisa?

d) What was Mr. Mukisa doing when his mobile phone dropped into water?

e) How much money did Mr. Mukisa spend on the new sim card?

f) Which network does Mr. Mukisa use?

g) Why did Mr. Mukisa call his family?

h) How much was the airtime he bought?

i) Why did Mr. Mukisa scream loudly?

j) Suggest a suitable title to the passage.

52. The information below was found on the noticeboard of Mitala Junior School. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

DEBATE	DEBATE	DEBATE
MOTION:		PLE SHOULD BE ABOLISHED
PROPOSERS:		Primary Six Girls
OPPOSERS:		Primary Six Boys
DATE:		Friday, 20 th June 2023
TIME:		10:00 am – 12:00 pm
CHAIRPERSON:		Hon. Asiimwe Hope
SECRETARY:		Hon. Kintu Samuel
TIME KEEPER:		Hon. Abenawe Martha
CHIEF WHIP:		Ochan Anne
DON'T MISS		
Amooti Joseph, Debate master		
Mitala Junior School		

Questions:

- a) What is the above information about?

- b) What is the motion of the debate?

- c) When will the debate take place?

- d) Where was the above information found?

- e) At what time will the debate start?

- f) Who will be the chairperson of this debate?

- g) What is the role of the secretary during a debate?

- h) Who wrote the information above?

- i) Which side will the Primary Six girls support?

- j) Write Hon. in full.

53. Read the poem below and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

My Child

My child, who understands you?
When I give you juice, you ask for food.
When I give you food, you ask for fruits!
What do you want?

My child, who understands you?
When I call you to dig, you play "hide and seek."
When I tell you to seek knowledge, you seek sleep.
What do you like now?

My child, who understands you?
When I tell you to cook, your eyes are filled with tears.
When I tell you to watch cartoons, your eyes shine with happiness.
What do you want?

My child, who understands you?
When I give you a ball to play, you call the neighbors.
When I tell you to sleep, you sleep and snore.
What do you like now?

Questions:

a) What is the title of the poem?

b) What does the child ask for when given food?

c) What does the child do when they tell him to dig?

d) When do his eyes shine with happiness?

e) Write one thing this child likes.

f) How many stanzas does this poem have?

g) Is this child good or bad?

h) What does this child seek instead of knowledge?

i) When does this child call the neighbors?

j) What happens when this child is told to watch cartoons?

54. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them to form a good composition about "Primary Six Gets New Desks".

- a) Next, he cut it into pieces and joined them with nails and a hammer.
- b) Finally, the headmaster and the pupils were thankful to the carpenter.
- c) "How many desks do you need, Mr. Headmaster?" the carpenter asked.
- d) First, the carpenter used a plane to make the wood smooth.
- e) The headmaster quickly called a carpenter from a nearby workshop.
- f) At the beginning of the year, pupils joined new classes.
- g) Then he polished the desks and tables with varnish.
- h) Unfortunately, the pupils of Primary Six did not have enough desks and tables.
- i) He said to him, "My pupils don't have enough desks".
- j) "Fifteen desks and four tables, please," replied the headmaster.

Good story:

55. Choose the correct word from the box to complete the composition below.

Last year, Nansubuga went for _____ with her relative who lives on the _____ of Mountain Elgon. Before she went there, Nansubuga did a lot of _____ for her uncles, aunts, _____ and grandparents. She bought them new clothes, sugar, loaves of _____ and other items.

Then she boarded a _____ to the foot of Mountain Elgon. She enjoyed travelling _____ taxi because boda bodas can hardly climb the mountain.

When she arrived at her grandmother's home, Nansubuga's grandmother was so happy that she slaughtered a _____ for her.

A _____ after Christmas, she returned to Jinja, where she works as a _____.

cock,	taxi,	slopes,	by,	shopping
cousins,	Christmas,	secretary,	week,	bread