

THE JEROX BEGINNING OF TERM I EXAMINATION 2024

Primary Six English Language

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SECTION A
Sub-section I

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

1. There wasn't _____ food left in the pan.
2. I speak Luganda because I am _____ Ugandan.
3. You must fill in a _____ form in order to get money from your account.
4. As _____ as the judge arrived, court sessions began.
5. _____ you report the case to the police, no investigation will be made.

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

6. The _____ way to cross the road is at the Zebra crossing. (safe)
7. The soldiers knew the _____ of the enemy. (locate)
8. The cashiers were _____ with the clients. (patience)
9. Three _____ were arrested for breaking in Kafene's shop. (thief)
10. Ritah is liked by many pupils at school due to her _____. (humble)
11. Samuel could not open the _____ door. (metal)
12. Okello _____ filled the deposit slip. (he)
13. The driver _____ the car when he saw a child crossing the road. (brake)
14. Baganda speaks _____ than Naganda. (polite)
15. Those _____ ladies have been here since 2019. (Rwanda)

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

16. brakes tyre jack windscreen

17. debate order doubt opposer

For questions 18 and 19, rewrite the given sentences giving the plural forms of the underlined words.

18. A lorry was packed behind our classroom.

19. The officer-in-charge has come early.

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

20. hurt _____

21. heart _____

In questions 22-24, give the full forms of the given abbreviated words.

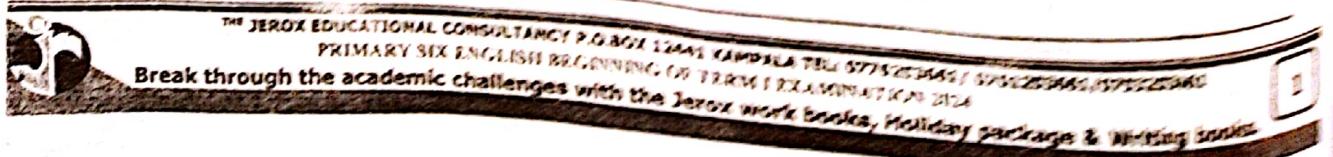
22. won't _____

23. DMC _____

24. etc. _____

For questions 25 and 26, rewrite the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

25. Despite the strong storm, the water in the lake was rough.



26. Shops in Kampala are normally closed on Sunday.

In questions 27 and 28, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

27. The teacher went on explaining his ideas about banking.

28. Ketra is a lady who receives money in the bank.

For questions 29 and 30, arrange the words to form a meaningful sentence.

29. Egyptian An from comes Egypt.

30. grandparents after Who looks your?

Sub-section II

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

31. The police arrived. The three men stopped fighting.
(Rewrite beginning: As soon as)

32. Bidio spoke clearly. The audience did not understand what he said.
(Rewrite and begin: Though)

33. The columnist has died. He writes about sports.
(Rewrite the sentence using: who)

34. She serves food after washing her hands.
(Rewrite and begin: Before)

35. Everyone was silent when the magistrate entered the court room.
(Rewrite sentences beginning: There was)

36. Lwondo is a very good driver. (Rewrite and begin: What)

37. Cyclists are not supposed to ride on the pavement.
(Rewrite and use: should not)

38. She swept the classroom yesterday. (Rewrite and use: was swept)

39. Their car broke down. They walked to town. so
(Rewrite the sentences using:)
40. Italians are not as strong as Ghanaians. (Rewrite using: than)
41. Bosco will withdraw some money when he goes to the bank.
(Rewrite and use: might)
42. Throwing food is very bad. (Begin: It is)
43. All the internet cafes' have not opened today.
(Rewrite and begin: None;)
44. They don't trust him. He is a cheat.
(Join the sentences using: because)
45. He was a lazy boy. He could not sweep the compound.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: that)
46. Sera does not like fighting. Liam does not like fighting.
(Begin: Both and)
47. The army always help people in danger.
(Rewrite the sentence using: often)
48. I dislike people who are quarrelsome,? (Complete sensibly)
49. Bongole reached Amulatar in the morning.
(Rewrite using: arrived)
50. Joram prefers travelling by bus to travelling by taxi.
(Rewrite the sentence using: like)



SECTION B

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

My name is Luwum Jimmy. Travelling is my major interest. Whenever I get a chance to travel, I feel very happy. I love to see new different places and people. I love to travel by bus. When you sit in a bus, you really enjoy the scenery.

Once I travelled by bus to Kanungu to visit my relatives. We used the Ssembabule route via Maddu because the Katonga Bridge in Lwera was under repair. I stood in the queue waiting for my turn to pay the fare. After getting the ticket, I entered the bus. I took the front seat near the driver. The only luggage I had was the travelling bag which I kept under my seat. The time for departure from Kampala was 7:00 a.m. I was very excited. The road was tarmac all the way except a short distance of murram from Kabale to Kanungu. There were even many trading centres and big towns along the way.

Questions

- a) Who is talking in the story?
- b) Where was Jimmy going?
- c) Why does he enjoy travelling?
- d) What is Jimmy's interest?
- e) Where did Jimmy keep his travelling bag?
- f) According to the second paragraph, when did the bus set off for Kanungu?
- g) Which route did the bus use while travelling to Kanungu?
- h) Where is Katonga Bridge found?
- i) Suggest a suitable title to the passage.
- j) Give another word with the same meaning as "happy" as used in the passage.

52. Read the police notice and answer the questions about it in full sentences.

PEACE AND SECURITY WORK-SHOP

All security personnel in Rwenzori region are hereby invited for a two day workshop.

Areas of concern : Kamwenge , Kyenjojo , Kabarole , Bunyangabu , Kasese ,
Bundibugyo and Kyegegwa Districts.

THEME : Guarding against ADF rebels.

VENUE : Toro Country Gardens, - Fort Portal.

DATE : 16th and 17th March 2024.

TIME : 8:00 a.m to 3:00 pm daily.

ENTRY FEE: Free

Number of participants: Each police station should send only 5 officers, the GISO and the OC CID.

Break tea and lunch will be provided by the Ministry of internal affairs.

Announced by: Maj. Gen. Kakeeto Dissan.



Questions

- a) What is the notice about?

- b) What is the theme of the workshop?

- c) How many days will the workshop take?

- d) How many attendees should each police station send?

- e) When will the workshop take place?

- f) Where is the workshop going to take place?

- g) At what time will the workshop end each day?

- h) Mention any **two** areas of concern.
(i) _____
(ii) _____
- i) Where is Toro Country Gardens found?

- j) Write **OC** in full.

53. The table below shows different types of vehicles with mechanical problems in a popular garage in Kamdini in the month of December 2023. Study it carefully and answer the question that follows in full sentences.

Vehicle type	Mechanical problem
Toyota wish	Weak Engine
Toyota Nissan	Flat tyre
Range Rover sport	Loose brakes
Jaguar Bus	Leaking fuel tank
BMW	Loose wipers
Mercedes Benz	Broken windscreen
Toyota Fielder	Broken headlamps
Toyota Mazda	Bent bonnet
Toyota Wish	Flat tyre

Questions

- a) What does the table show?

- b) How many Toyota vehicles were repaired in this garage?

- c) In which month was the information recorded?

- d) Which vehicle had a leaking fuel tank?

e) Where is the above garage located?

f) Why was Toyota fielder taken to the garage?

g) How many types of vehicles are shown on the table?

h) Which vehicles had the same mechanical problem?

i) Why was Mercedes Benz taken to the garage?

j) Why do you think vehicle owners took their vehicles to this garage?

54. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them carefully to form a composition.

a) The main challenge is its current state.

b) First, it links the village to the district headquarters.

c) However, our road has challenges nowadays.

d) Taka road is the major road in our village.

e) Secondly, Taka road is used by farmers in the area.

f) This road helps residents in many ways.

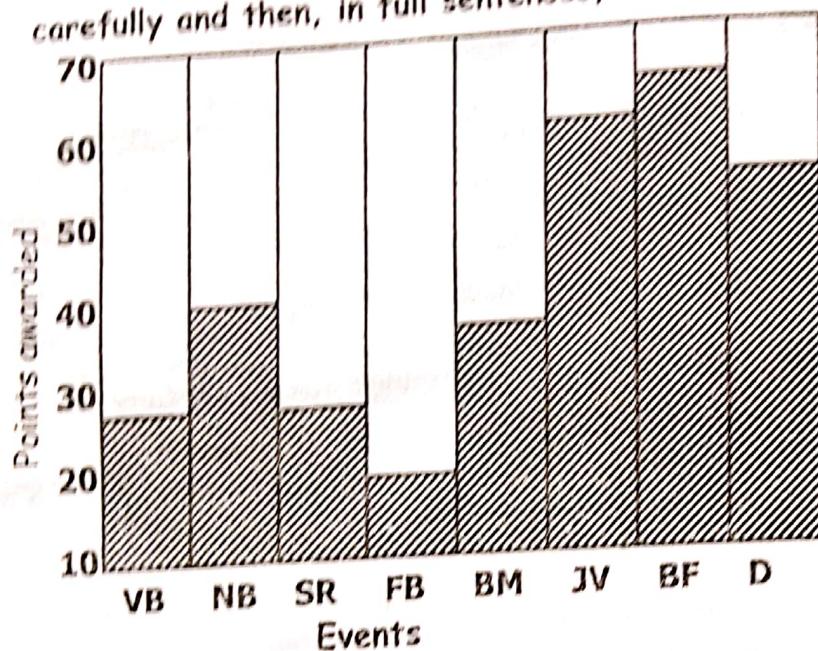
g) I therefore call upon those concerned to address this problem for the good of Ntongo village.

h) At the headquarters, the residents access different services.

i) Both crop and livestock farmers use it to transport their products to the buyers.

j) Potholes of all shapes and depths have hindered the smooth flow of traffic on this road.

55. The graph below shows how Botswana House of Lunkuse Foundation Primary School, performed in their annual sports day competition. The competition was held in John Akibua Stadium in Masaka city on Saturday, 9th November 2023, study it carefully and then, in full sentences, answer the questions that follow.



KEY: **VB** = Volleyball **SR** = Sack Race **BM** = Badminton **BF** = Bottle Filling
NB = Netball **FB** = Football **JV** = Javelin **D** = Discipline.

Questions

a) What does the graph above show?

b) How often does Lunkuse Foundation Primary School hold its sports day?

c) In which event did the house score 65 points?

d) Where was the above sports day held?

e) When was the sports day held?

f) In which sports events did the house get the same points?

g) In which sports event did the house score the worst?

h) Which sports event do you think was played only by the girls?

i) Where is John Akibua stadium found?

j) How did the house perform in sack race?



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SECTION A
Sub-section I

For questions 1 - 5, fill in the gaps with the most suitable word.

1. Sandra is brighter _____ Annet.
2. The teacher has told us _____ interesting story.
3. Besi likes mangoes _____ than oranges.
4. Children depend _____ their parents.
5. Mariza was afraid _____ a dog.

For questions 6 - 15, use the correct form of the word in brackets.

6. Our hen has _____ an egg. (lay)
7. Amnon is the _____ of the boys in his class. (smart)
8. The carpenter made a _____ table. (rectangle)
9. The pupils did the test _____ . (silent)
10. Keron bought three _____ from Kibutika market. (mango)
11. That bag belongs to me. It is _____. (my)
12. Ketty _____ a hoe to the garden every day. (carry)
13. We shall _____ the exams next month. (write)
14. A television is _____ than a radio. (expensive)
15. There are two _____ in the kennel. (puppy)

In questions 16 and 17, use the given words to construct sentences to show that you know their different meanings.

16. meet

17. meat

Arrange the words in alphabetical order.

18. rough heavy expensive loose

19. loaf lock logs lorry

20. race event part fast

For questions 21 - 22, give the plural of the given words.

21. leaf:

22. flamingo:

In questions 23 - 25, re-write giving one word for the underlined group of words.

23. I met the man who trains football players.

24. The place where the books are kept is closed.

25. We visited the place where wild animals are kept.

For questions 26 - 30, re-write the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

26. That is a short rhyme.

27. This wall is very smooth.

28. Jacky is fatter than Norah.

For questions 29 - 30, write the short forms in full.

29. kg _____

30. shan't _____

Sub-section II

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

31. You must repair your vehicle. (Re-write using: should)

32. Mary is a mechanic. Medie is a mechanic. (Begin: Either)

33. This work is very hard. I can't manage it. (Use: too to)

34. Tom will not go to school. Tim will not go to school.
(Begin: Neither nor)



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35. Alex did not complete the exams. He was sick.

(Join using: because

36. That is the man. My father lent him some money.

(Join using: whom

37. Apples are sweet fruits. (Begin: An

38. This is Ben's car. (Re-write using: belongs

39. Parents like disobedient children.

(Re-write the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.)

40. Mukisa is old. He can walk to school.

(Join using: enough to

41. Diana likes driving. He likes riding a bicycle more.

(Use: prefer..... to

42. Nalumu is a polite girl, ? (add a question tag)

43. by the teacher. Ayan did not answer.

(Join using: but

44. I will buy a watch when I go to town. (Re-write beginning: If.....

45. Titus is clever. He cannot fail this test.

(Re-write as one sentence using: so that

46. Akello is strong. Anek is not very strong. (Join using: as as

47. Luke painted the house. (Re-write ending: Luke.)

48. Mukasa did the home work yesterday. (Change the sentence into negative)

49. Jerome was writing the notes. Ryan was reading a Bible.
(Begin: While

50. Birds of the same feathers (Complete the proverb)

SECTION B

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

VOTE ME

Every year, different schools hold elections. During such time, candidates who stand for different posts carry out campaigns. They buy gifts for fellow pupils to support them. They buy gifts of all kinds; sweets, biscuits, popcorns doughnuts and many others. They all shout "vote me! Vote me!"

Supporters on the other hand shout on top of their voices, "Our man," "our man", "our man", without caring whether the person is a man, woman or a boy; every candidate becomes "our man", a girl also becomes "our man". Those standing for different posts like head girl, head boy, games prefect will all request for votes. At the end of the day, the winners are carried on shoulders as the losers look on.

Questions

(a) What is the title of the passage?

(b) What do different schools do every year?

(c) Why do candidates carry out campaigns?

(d) Mention **two** kinds of gifts bought by the candidates.

i)

ii)

(e) Who shout our man! our man! according to the passage?

(f) What kind of post can a girl stand for according to the passage?

(g) Which prefect is concerned with games at school?

(h) What makes some supporters happy?

(i) Give the opposite of winners.

52. Read the notice and in full sentences, answer the questions.

Football! Football! Football!

Kitende P/S Vs Entebbe Junior School

Venue: Kajjansi playground

Date: Saturday 25th February, 2024

Time: 2:00pm – 3:30pm

Fee: free to all spectators

Mr. Brian Ssozi

Games master Kitende P/S

17th January, 2024

Questions

(a) What is the notice about?

(b) Where will the match be held?

(c) Which school will participate in the match?

(d) At what time will the match begin?



(e) Who wrote the above notice?

(f) How much will the spectators pay?

(g) When will the match take place?

(h) Give another word to mean the same as venue.

(i) Write Vs in full.

(j) When was the notice written?

3. A Re-arrange the sentences to make a good story.

- a) She takes them to the cashier, pays and carried them home.
- b) She first makes a shopping list.
- c) When she reaches there, she picks the items.
- d) Every Friday, Mrs. Daka goes for shopping.
- e) After making it, she rushes to the supermarket.

3. B

- a) So, her parents love her very much.
- b) She obeys her parents
- c) She does it carefully
- d) Maria is a good girl.
- e) Whenever her parents ask her to do work.

54. A Complete the table correctly.

polite		politest
dirty	dirtier	
good		best
expensive	more expensive	
	thinner	thinnest

B Make five correct sentences from the table below.

I		play netball tomorrow.
Roy and Marvin	shall	greet our teachers.
The girls		wash my uniform.
We		do a test tomorrow.
You	will	celebrate my birthday next Friday.

- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____
- (d) _____
- (e) _____

55. Complete the story using the words given below.

happy	river	day	roared	hiding
scared	foolish	hear	thirsty	hungry

One _____ a lion was feeling _____. He decided to go near the _____ to wait for animals that would go looking for water when they felt _____. As it lay in the bush, suddenly it _____. The animals that were joining to drink water got _____ and ran off for their lives. But the lion never left that _____ place. It remained there till late in the evening when it got the _____ sheep who did not _____ the lion's roar because she was sleeping. It ate her. The lion felt _____ after the feast.

