

THE SIPRO BEGINNING OF TERM I EXAMINATIONS 2023

SUBJECT : ENGLISH
CLASS : PRIMARY SIX
DURATION : 2 hours 15 minutes

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School: _____
District: _____

READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY:

1. This paper has two sections: A and B.
2. Section A, sub - section I has 30 questions (30 marks) Sub - section II has 20 questions (20 marks).
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 Marks).
4. Attempt all questions in both sections. All answers to both sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written in blue or black ball point pens or ink. Only diagrams and graph work must be done in pencil.
6. Unnecessary alteration of work will lead to loss of marks.
7. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
8. Do not fill anything in the boxes indicated:
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SECTION A: 50 MARKS

Sub - Section I

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

1. The school bus broke _____ as the pupils were travelling to the zoo.
2. Both the head teacher _____ the deputy wear suits on Monday.
3. " _____ didn't you come to school yesterday?" asked the friend.
4. The _____ drew very interesting cartoons in the magazine.
5. My nephew is _____ actor in the Ebonies Family.

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

6. We shall fetch water _____ before having lunch. (three)
 7. I received a _____ from my pen pal in South Africa. (pack)
 8. The black bag is _____ than the white one. (heavy)
 9. The newspaper you were reading yesterday is _____. (me)
 10. Mum told me to _____ the blunt knife using a file. (sharp)
 11. The oranges on my father's farm are very _____. (juice)
 12. We _____ hands with the president when he visited our school last year. (shake)
 13. The article that appeared in the Estop newspaper was _____. (good)
 14. Most _____ in our district have safe and clean water. (community)
 15. The _____ pupil in the race was also given a prize. (eight)
- In each of the questions 16 and 17, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.
16. signpost, key, map, badge

 17. turn, tell, talk, till

In each of the questions 18 and 19, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite form of the underlined word.

18. Most people who go touring carry light luggage.

19. The suspect was proved guilty in the court-of-law.

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

20. meet

21. meat



In each of the questions 22 to 24, write the singular form of the given word.

22. leaves _____
23. actresses _____
24. sheep _____



In each of the questions 25 and 26, arrange the given words to make a correct sentence.

25. good has health Our services village.
26. phone What bought has strong a he!

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

27. Each pupil in our class owns a book in which daily events are recorded.
28. The hungry guests walked to the serving point in a hurry.

In each of the questions 29 and 30, write the given short form in full.

29. can't _____
30. email: _____

Sub-Section II

In each of the questions 31 to 50, rewrite the sentence as instructed in brackets.

31. Who owns this bed?

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Who is _____?)

32. If we go to Congo, we shall enjoy Lingala music.

(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ would _____)

33. How much does a school bag cost?

(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ price _____)

34. Most adults speak French.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: French _____)

35. A peacock is beautiful. A crested crane is also beautiful. (Rewrite as one sentence using: _____ as _____ as _____)

36. You should not ride a bicycle with loose brakes.

(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ mustn't _____)

37. I shall post my letter tomorrow,.....

(Rewrite the sentence and supply a suitable question tag)



38. A pair of pliers is used to cut wires.
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ for _____)
39. That mechanic is a very honest man. All people trust him.
(Join the sentences using: _____ so _____ that_____)
40. It is not necessary for Abaasa to buy a smart phone.
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ needn't _____)
41. The school is located after the church.
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ before _____)
42. If my aunt goes to the bank, she will withdraw some money.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Unless-----)
43. I like jogging in the morning. I don't like watching soaps.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: _____ prefer _____)
44. He has little airtime. He cannot make a call. (Rewrite as one sentence using:
----- enough -----)
45. The mechanic got a piece of sandpaper. He wanted to smooth the bonet.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: ----- in order -----)
46. I want to use your bicycle today.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: May-----?)
47. The young girl bought some stamps. She also bought a few envelopes.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: -----either-----or-----)
48. Sneezing openly is bad.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: It is-----)
49. Adnah comes from Burundi.
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- is a -----)
50. Aguti wrote a letter to her friend.
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- has -----)



SECTION B: 50 MARKS

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

Nyamongo Village was known for its insecurity for many years. Children could be defiled and kidnapped during day time. Besides that, theft was the order of the day. People's cows, goats and sheep were stolen. Theft was usually done by young boys.

Because of such happenings, some people left the village. The news spread all over the country. The minister of peace and security got concerned. She sent a new RDC to Ngera District where this village is found. After a week, the RDC called for a meeting. In the meeting, a lot of suggestions were made. Among them was to send the army in the village.

The next day, fifty soldiers were brought to the village. The RDC briefed them on what to do. A lot of roadblocks and patrols were started. In two weeks, the whole of Nyamongo Village had returned to peace. The people thanked the RDC, Mr. Acaca Sipriano for bringing peace to the village. They even bought him a car as a sign of appreciation.

Questions:

a) Which village had a problem of insecurity?

b) When were the children defiled and kidnapped?

c) Which group of people stole goats, cows and sheep?

d) When did the RDC organise a meeting?

e) Who sent the RDC to Ngera District?

f) How many soldiers brought peace to Nyamongo Village?

g) How did the army bring peace to the village?

h) Mention the name of the RDC who stopped insecurity in the village.

i) How did the people show love to the RDC?

j) What is the passage about?



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52. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them to form a good composition.

- a) Secondly, we should remove stagnant water around our homes.
- b) Malaria has killed a lot of people.
- c) These diseases are mainly spread by vectors.
- d) If we follow all the above, we shall say bye to malaria.
- e) There are a lot of answers to this question.
- f) Mosquitoes are the leading cause of malaria.
- g) Different diseases have affected people in our community.
- h) How can we avoid malaria then?
- i) Some of these vectors are mosquitoes.
- j) First, we should sleep under a treated mosquito net.

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

Elections!

You are the key to democracy
Through you, people decide
on who their leader should be
By casting a vote or lining behind a candidate.

Elections!

You are the way to power
Through you, people become leaders
Presidents, prefects or MPs
After getting the biggest number of votes.

Elections!

You are such a busy time
As candidates move up and down
Campaigning and displaying posters
So as to get your victory.

Abigail Zilah



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Questions

- a) Where is the key to democracy?
- b) According to the poem, how do people choose their leader?
- c) Which leaders are talked about in the poem?
- d) When do people in the poem become leaders?
- e) How many stanzas are in the poem?
- f) What makes the candidates busy?
- g) By whom was the poem written?
- h) Give another word or group of words to mean
i) lining _____
ii) victory _____
- i) Suggest a suitable title to the poem.

54. Study the notice which was put on a pole near a market and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

Friendly Match! Friendly Match!

Budu F.C Vs Singo F.C

Where: Acinga Boma Ground

When: 20th March, 2023

Fee: Adults: 7,000/=

Children: 4,000/=

Time: 2:00pm - 4:00pm

Management

14th March, 2023

Questions

- a) What is the notice about?
- b) Where was the notice found?
- c) Which teams are going to play?
- d) Where will the match take place?



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- e) How much will Mr. Bongo and his son pay to watch the match?

f) At what time will the match begin?

g) Who wrote the notice?

h) When will the match take place?

i) How long will the match take?

j) When was the notice written?

55. Imagine you are Poda Nicole. Write a letter to your aunt thanking her for paying your school fees. In your letter, request her to buy you some textbooks for Mathematics and English. Promise her that you will study hard and that you will buy her a car when you complete your studies. Use this address, Gomba Castle School, P.O Box 644, Lira.