

THE MILESTONE EXAMINATIONS 2024

P.6 BEGINNING OF TERM II ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time allowed: 2 hour 15 minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully;

- 1. This paper has two sections: A and B
- 2. Section A has 50 questions (50 marks)
- 3. Section **B** has **5** questions **(50 marks)**
- 4. Answer all questions. All the working for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
- 5. All working must be done using a blue or blackball point pen or ink. Any work done in pencil will **NOT** be marked.
- 6. Unnecessary changes in your work and handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
- 7. Do not fill anything in the table indicated **"For Examiners' use only"** and the boxes inside the question paper.

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Qn.	Marks	EXR's No.	
No.			
1-10			
11-20			
21-30			
31-40			
41-43			
44-46			
47-49			
50-52			
53-55			
TOTAL			

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SECTION A

Questions **1** to **50** carry one mark each.

For each question 1 to 10, use the correct form of the given words in the brackets to complete the sentences.

- **1.** Primary six pupils are.....their exercise now. (write)
- **2.** Bernard was awarded as the best......of the motion. (propose)
- **3.** Primary five pupils are.....than those of primary six in debating. (good).
- **4.** December is the.....month of the year. (twelve)
- **5.** All the.....was put in the boot of the car. (luggage)
- **6.** The head teacher of Top Care Primary School talked so.....that all pupils heard him (loud).
- **7.** The rude traffic......did not permit the taxi to cross the check point. (office).
- **8.** The driver told all the passengers to fasten their.....belts. (sit).
- **9.** Annette took.....letter to the post office to be posted. (she).
- **10.** By.....was the poem written? (who)

For each question 11 to 15, fill in the blank space with the suitable word or group of words.

- **11.** He was arrested.....he was over speeding.
- **12.**will you leave for work?
- **13.** Either the headteacher.....the parent will attend the meeting.
- **14.** A cub is to a lion while a.....is to an elephant.
- **15.** Most children prefer playing games......praying.

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

- **16.** Limited ______
- **17.** Road _____

For each of the questions 18-19, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

- **18.** weak.
- **19.** week.

<u>In each of the questions 20 to 22, re-write the sentences giving one words</u> <u>for the underlined group of words.</u>

- **20.** The <u>person who walks on foot</u> crossed the road very fast.
- **21.** The <u>behind part of the vehicle</u> wasn't large enough to keep the luggage.

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22. Mr. Opolot has stayed in Cairo for a <u>period of fourteen days</u> now.
For questions 23 and 24, write the plural of the given word.
23. handle bar
24. mouse
<u>In questions 25 and 26, re-write the sentences giving the opposite forms of</u>
the underlined words.
25. By mid-day, the <u>host</u> had not arrived at the venue.
26. The headteacher instructed all learners to keep all the <u>old</u> books well.
For questions 27 and 28, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.
27. Cook, camp, apples, basket.
28. Boat, mother, mark, dog.
In questions 29 and 30, re-arrange the given words to form a meaningful
sentence.
29. arrested The driver the reckless traffic officer.
20 participate vou athletics in Did?
30. participate you athletics in Did?
SUB-SECTION II
In each of the questions 31-50, re-write the sentences as instructed in
brackets.
31. The cyclist is short. The motorist is shorter. (Rewrite as one sentence usingthan)
32. Abdu saw his helmet. He put it on. (Join the two sentences as one beginning: as soon as)
33. If you reduce speed at the junction, you will reduce accidents. (Rewrite the sentences using:)
34. We are not supposed to see the postmaster. (Re-write the sentence using:needn't)
35. This is a very good story book. (Begin: What)

simple tense)
37. That is the woman. Her son passed on last year. (Join the two sentences as one using:whose)
38. Marion will send a letter. Sarah will buy a stamp. (Join the two sentences as one using:eitheror)
39. Joseph has got much money to buy land. (Rewrite the sentence using:enough)
40. Mukasa is the owner of the blue car. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: The blue car)
41. All flying birds have wings. (Re-write beginning: Every)
42. Our grandfather is very old. He cannot cross the road alone. (Join the two sentences as one using:tooto)
43. Akol will not study in holidays. Ngume will not study in holidays. (Re-write the sentences beginning: Neither)
44. There isn't any water in the tank. (Re-write the sentence using:some)
45. The child said, "I will go to town tomorrow." (re-write the sentence in indirect speech)
46. Those sties are well-ventilated. (Rewrite the given sentence in singular form)
47. We shall travel to town when we receive our payments. (Begin: If)
48. The bridesmaid is very kind. She can help the bride during the wedding. (Use:such)
49. did you enjoy the party last tuesday. (punctuate the sentence correctly)
50. Beebwa stays in Nigeria (write a suitable question for the above statement.)

SECTION B

Questions 51 to 55 carry ten marks each

51. Read the passage below and answer in FULL SENTENCES the questions that follow.

Last time, Lufufu primary school held an election. Ms. Nesima Rosemary, the chairperson of the school electoral committee, organise the elections. She pinned the posts on the notice board, she asked the pupils to apply for the posts. Many pupils applied including a well-known boy, Boucer Bino also known as B.B. He was known in the school because of his pride. He applied for the post of head boy. As soon as the B.B handed in his application, he changed his <u>style</u> of walking.

Friday was the day of general campaigns and the chairperson called candidates to address the pupils. When B.B was called, his fellow pupils cheered him. "Our B.B" our boy BB" However, he was disturbed by something, he had no money to please his supporters.

On the day of the elections, the headmaster Mr. Matovu was there to monitor the process. He wanted to ensure that there was no rigging. After the voting exercise, votes were counted and Ms. Nerima Rosemary announced the results. Boucer Bino had <u>lost</u> the elections.

Ouestions

a)	What	was held	d at	Lufufu	primary	school?
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- c) Where was the list of the posts pinned?
- d) When did the pupils have general campaigns?
- e) Who is Mr. Matovu according to the above passage?
- f) Why do you think Boucer Bino lost the elections?
- g) Give a suitable title for this passage.
- h) Give one word or group of words with the same meaning as the underlined words in the passage.

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- ii. Lost.....
- i) Why was the head master monitoring the election process?

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52. <u>Study the advertisement below carefully and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.</u>

DEBATE! DEBATE! DEBATE!

MOTION: A mosquito is more dangerous than a housefly

VENUE: Wangu Primary School main Hall.

TIME: 2:00PM - 4:00PM

PROPOSERS: Wangu Primary School. OPPOSERS: Kibimba Primary School.

CHAIRPERSON: Hon. Ashaba Loy(Wangu Primary School). SECRETARY: Hon. Okello Peter (Kibimba Primary School). TIME KEEPER: Hon. Kente Jane (Wangu Primary School)

PROPOSERS OPPOSERS

Hon. Katura Frank Hon. Ampeire Alice Hon. Nandutu Jane Hon. Mwine Alex

Signed: Ongom Moses P.7 class teacher 1st July 2015

Questions

- a) What is the advertisement about?
- b) Where will the debate take place?
- c) When will the debate take place?
- d) What will Hon. Ashaba Loy do?
- e) When was the advertisement written?
- f) Which school will support the motion?
- g) What is the topic of the motion?
- h) How long will the debate take?
- i) Who wrote the advertisement?
- j) Give another word or group of words with the same meaning as "venue".

53. Re-arrange the sentences below to form a logical story.

a) Besides the above rights, children have the responsibilities as well. <u>Email: milestoneeducational1@gmail.com BES Uganda Tel: +256751488579(Wstp) / +256777943404</u> $9000_{\rm G}$

b) However, children tend to neglect them.
c) Such as helping parents and respecting elders.
d) They only tend to demand their rights.
e) All children in Uganda have rights.
f) It is for this reason that NGOs, religious leaders and elders.
g) These include; right to protection, shelter, education and freedom.
h) Advocate for their rights and to sensitize them about their responsibilities.
i) Thus, children need to be taught about their responsibilities.
j) For without responsibilities, their rights can be withdrawn.

54. Study the poem below carefully and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

The sun is shining
The sky is blue
The birds are flying
And the breeze is cool

Mother nature is trying her best
To give nothing but beauty
But what do we do?
Reduce her quality

Let's make her the best
By avoiding polluting the environment
And taking care of her green dress
For our kids and the rest.

Anon

Questions

a) What is the colour of the sky basing on the stanza one?

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b) How can the environment be preserved?			
c) How many stanzas are in the poem?			
d) Who wrote the above poem?			
e) Give a word or group of words to mean the same as <u>reduce</u> as being used in the poem.			
f) What does the mother nature give?			
g) According to the poem, what do birds do?			
h) Do you think polluting the environment is good or bad?			
i) Write Let's in full form			
j) Basing on the last stanza, what is the colour of the environment being talked about?			
55. <u>Use the words in the list below to complete the passage about VEHICLE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE</u> .			
When a vehicle for a short distance before it finally stops. The driver wonders why. There are a few things every should know.			
First, the tubes through which the fuel passes may be blocked;, the vehicle may not have enough fuel. Thirdly, the vehicle may run out engine			
Fourthly, most vehicles need water tothe engine. Water is stored in a radiator. In the car engine, the radiator is found next to a fan. In case the fan stops working, the water is likely to evaporate causing excessive heat in the engine.			
Cool, normally, secondly, lubricated, driver, oil, engine, running, quickly, dangerous.			