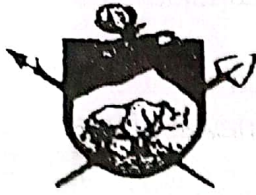


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ENGLISH LANGUAGE



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Read the following instructions carefully

1. This paper has two sections A and B.
2. Answer all questions. All answers to both sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
3. All answers must be done using a blue or black ball-point pen or fountain pen.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks.
5. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in the boxes shown: "For Examiners' Use only."

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QN NO.	MARKS	EXAMINER'S NO.
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SECTION A

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

1. The _____ will maintain discipline among the candidates in the examination room.
2. Pedestrians are warned _____ crossing the road at a bend.
3. They went to the _____ in order to watch the newest films.
4. Kamoga keeps the rabbits in three _____
5. _____ the boy nor the girl knows my name.

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

6. Balu is _____ than Emosh. (funny)
7. I became very _____ about my conduct at the assembly (apology)
8. The pupils voted for Sarah due to her _____ (stubborn)
9. We _____ visit our grandparents last weekend since they had been sick. (must)
10. The police couldn't rescue Koyeng when he _____ himself. (hang)
11. If Little Paul had seen his mother, he _____ happy. (feel)
12. Increased rate of _____ has led to development in most countries. (industries)
13. Suzana fetched all the water by _____ (she)
14. Some _____ speak rudely to guest (reception)
15. Aunt told us to carry the flasks _____ (care)

In each of the questions 16 and 17, use the given words in a sentence to show that you know their difference in meaning.

16. whether _____
17. weather _____

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

18. The shapes the girls drew were accurate.
19. We reached school and found the gate open.
20. YY Bus departed from Lira very early.

In questions 21 and 22, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

21. shameful, shames, shamed, shame

22. give, receive, leave, bring

In questions 23 and 24, write the short forms of these words.

23. Uganda Wildlife Education Centre

24. I owe you

In questions 25 and 26, write the plural of the given words.

25. leaf

26. staff

In questions 27 and 28, rewrite the sentences giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

27. Flamaza's wife of his uncle visited him at school.

28. The doves were making loud sound in the cage.

In questions 29 and 30, re-arrange the words to make correct sentences.

29. he last man Isn't the old met we Saturday?

30. punish The Paula teacher will.

SUB-SECTION II

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

31. Karagwe is very courageous and so is Temteo. (Rewrite using... both..)

32. Amolo got out of the bus. I was waiting for all pedestrians to cross the road. (Begin: While)

33. Lamunu is more beautiful than Amaro. (Use:as.....as.....)

34. The carpenter made tables in addition to wardrobes. (Rewrite using besides.....)

35. The team won't win the match if they don't play well. (Use: unless.....)

36. The baker will knead dough today. (Begin: Dough.....)
37. Newspapers are very important. (Being: How.....!)
38. Our friends went to the zoo. They were supposed to see wild animals
(Join using: so as)
39. I have many answer sheets. I shall answer all the questions.
(Join using enough.....to.....)
40. The DJ likes playing music but not dancing. (Rewrite using... rather.. than..)
41. Every seamstress has customers. (Begin: All.....)
42. The host prepared a meal for his guests. The meal was delicious.
It was African meal. It was much. (Join without using which, and or that)
43. We borrowed a toolbox from the mechanic. The mechanic is coming
for it. (Join using.....whom.....)
44. My father hellen said works at the bank. (Rewrite and punctuate the
sentence correctly)
45. Salvadore is Greek. (Use;..... comes from)
46. The fishmonger has very few fish in his basket. (Use....barely any.....)
47. Mugisha is a very clever boy. He scored low markes in the test.
(Begin: Even though.....)

48. Shem doesn't like both men. (End: neither man.)
49. That old woman is too weak to walk upstairs. (Useso..... that..)
50. The pilot had four passengers?
(Rewrite and supply a suitable question tag)

SECTION B

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

Communication is the sending and receiving of messages. Modes of communication have greatly changed with time as technology takes the lead in the world. This has created differences between ways people of ancient days communicated and in the present time.

Centuaries ago, our ancestors used local tools to help in communication. Among them were drums and flutes made from horns. Besides these, they also had songs that informed people of things like calls, warning and so forth.

After invention of technology, radios were made. You would find only one radio in an area covering three villages. Those who owned radios were respected since every piece of information in the country was got by elders as they gathered together where the radios were. Time came past, radios became many and mobile phones came in. The earliest mobile phones were heavy and had long aerials that helped capture signals.

Today, communication, isn't a challenge. There is almost every means of communication like phones, radios, computers, postal services and others. Messages can be sent and received in seconds since the Internet connects all networks all over the world.

That fact that God has given human beings wisdom and knowledge to be co-creators, there is high level of development of infrastructures. However, we need to use these not to abuse the will of God but to praise Him and give Him glory.

Questions

a) What is the passage about?

b) What has changed the modes of communication?

c) Write any two means of communication in the traditional societies.

i)

ii)

d) Why was respect given to radio owners?

e) Which means of communication came after radios, according to the passage?

f) Describe the earliest mobile phones.

g) Is communication still a challenge today?

h) Which wireless network connects other networks all over the world?

i) Who has given human beings knowledge that has led to development?

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- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)
- e)
- f)
- g)
- h)
- i)
- j)

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

The creator made a design
In the sky, are his creations
The blue sky and the lights
The sun, the major source
And its reflectors the moon and the stars.

On land, are more creations
The flora and fauna of all types
Both domestic and wild
Edible and inedible they are
As plenty as they were in Eden.

In the sea are the aquatic life
The fish, hippos and crocodiles
We eat fish but not crocodiles
Ah! we are afraid of them
Whenever we go fishing.

Kein Jasson (P.4)

Questions

- a) What is the poem about?
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- b) Who wrote the poem?
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- c) Which two sources of light are referred to as the reflectors of the sun?
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- d) What did the creator put on land, according to the second stanza?
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- e) Name any two places where the creator made his design
- i)

- ii)

- f) How many stanzas has the poem?
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- g) In which class is the poet?
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- h) Who do you think is the creator, according to the poem?
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- i) Give the poem a suitable title.
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54. Brother Musaazi went to Downtown Shoppers Mall-Ayago to buy some items for his family. Below is his shopping list. Study it and answer questions about it in full sentences.

Item	Amount	Price (shillings)
Sugar	2kgs	4,500 per kilogramme
Rice	2kgs	5000@
Baking flour	1 packet	8000
Cooking oil	1 litre	7000
soap	4 bars	6000@

KEY @-Each

Questions

- Whose shopping list is shown above?

- How many items did he buy?

- Where did he buy the items from?

- How much money did he pay for two bars of soap?

- What was the cost of a packet of baking flour?

- Which item cost four thousand five hundred shillings?

- How much money was paid for sugar and cooking oil?

- How much did Brother Musaazi pay altogether?

- Name the cheapest item in the list.

- Where can we find Downtown Shoppers Mall?

55. Bruno Badeyo went to Post Bank branch in Pader on 3rd July, 2023. He wanted to pay his son Opodoi Edson's fees. He in P7 at The Rail Junior School this year. Bruno paid two notes of fifty thousand shillings and ten notes of twenty thousand shillings. He didn't forget to pay the bank charge totalling to shs 301,500.

Write the above information on the pay-in-slip below.

POST BANK - UGANDA BRANCH _____ PAY-IN-SLIP THE RAIL PRIMARY SCHOOL - KOTIDO A/C 08001010170	
Pupil's Name: _____	
Class: _____	Date: _____
Notes	Amount (UGX)
50,000	
20,000	
10, 000	
5,000	
2,000	
1,000	
Coins	
1,000	
500	
200	
100	
Bank charge	1,500
Total amount	
Amount in words: _____	
Paid by: _____ Signature: _____	