

THE SIPRO P.7 SPECIAL SET 2023

ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes

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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:

"FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY"

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Qn. No.	MARKS	INITIALS
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
Total		

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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. _____ exercise which we did was very easy.
2. Fina last used the internet three months _____.
3. When the coffin was lowered into the _____, all the mourners wailed.

4. Kemigisha, as well as her sister, _____ smart.
5. The manager _____ whom I sent a letter has just been here.

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

6. Several _____ in our village are made of bricks. (build)
7. Kamilia told the tailor to _____ the skirt. (length)
8. After you had _____ my dress, I paid you. (sew)
9. Joseph hates _____ food because his teeth ache. (sugar)
10. That girl usually _____ out some numbers of Mathematics. (try)



11. Those boys did the work _____. (they)
12. My _____ friends are coming today. (Zambia)
13. Carol celebrated her _____ birthday in America. (eleven)
14. The _____ of the four brothers got a prize. (happy)
15. We _____ watch movies at school. (occasional).

In each of the questions 16 to 18, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite form of the underlined word.

16. The passengers were told to fasten the safety belts.

17. Most of our friends did not perform well in the exams.

18. Aisha is a sister of his.

In each of the questions 19 and 20, use the given words in your own sentence to show that you understand their meaning.

19. need _____
20. knead _____



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

21. sell, trade, buy, purchase

22. square, shape, soft, smooth

In each of the questions 23 and 24, write the short form of the given word.

23. certificate _____

24. need not _____

In each of the questions 25 and 26, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

25. One of my brothers is a meat seller.

26. Most parts of Mubende are having a lot of hills.

In each of the questions 27 and 28, write the plural form of the given word.

27. valley _____

28. sister - in - law / _____

In each of the questions 29 and 30, rearrange the words to form a correct sentence.

29. child fire A not should with play.

30. easy to mat weave a How is it!



Sub-Section II

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

31. Ofwono cut a wire. He was repairing his car.
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: As -----)

32. It is not necessary for the teacher to draw this map again.
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- needn't -----)

33. Bena can weave mats. She can also knit sweaters.
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Besides -----)

34. In order to pass our exams, we had to read very hard.
(Rewrite the sentence using: ----- because -----)

35. Is it likely to rain during the holidays?
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Will -----)

36. The dog hid in the kennel. The dog hid behind the door.
(Rewrite the sentences as one using: ----- either ----- or -----)

37. We organised the debate room and called the chairperson to take his seat. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: After -----)

38. Smart phones make communication easy.
(Rewrite the sentence ending: ----- communication.)

39. Faizo has baked a big cake from the school bakery.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: A big cake -----)



40. That small girl will be our prefect next year, _____?
(Rewrite the sentence and add a suitable question tag.)

41. Muhame bought three books from Patricia.
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ sold _____)

42. Are all those farmers Ugandans?
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____ come _____)

43. Keita was a very active debater. He raised many points.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: _____ such _____ that _____)

44. The old man is making a pot. He started making it two days ago.
(Rewrite the sentences as one using: _____ for _____)

45. "Bob will mend this shoe today," said Keith.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Keith said that _____)

46. The forest officer didn't address the pupils. The pupils destroyed many trees. (Rewrite the sentences as one using: _____ would have _____)

47. How carelessly the mechanic put the nuts!
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The mechanic _____)

48. Odora brought a rain coat. It is a new rain coat. It is cheap.
(Rewrite as one sentence without using: "and", "which" or "that")
(Rewrite as one sentence using: _____)

49. The school choir is eager to present that song.
The school choir is looking forward _____
(Rewrite the sentence using: _____)



50. When I get good marks in a test, I feel very happy.

(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The -----, the -----)



SECTION B: 50 MARKS

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

Last week, there was a heavy storm in Rungwe Village. On that Thursday, the sun was very bright in the morning. As it approached noon, the wind started blowing. Soon, the clouds grew darker. The people who had washed their clothes had to remove them from the wires. Others who had taken their animals to graze also returned them to their sheds.

The rain began in small drops and later started raining heavily. The wind was so strong that most houses lost the roofs. Most of the big trees in the area were uprooted. Others lost their branches and leaves. The stones had destroyed most of the crops in the gardens. It took two hours before it stopped raining.

The people were left with nothing to eat. Some did not have any shelter. On Friday, the District Environment Officer visited the area. The people received food and other items from her.

In her speech, the officer was not happy with the people of that area. They had cut down all the forests, burnt the bushes and used bad methods of growing crops. She said that that was the reason why the storm affected their village. She asked the village chairperson to talk to the people about how to protect their environment. A meeting was held the next day. All the people promised the chairman that they would be very obedient and protect the environment.

Questions:

a) What was the weather in the morning?

b) Where were the animals taken?



c) For how long did it rain?

d) What did the visitor give to the people in that area?

e) Why was the visitor not happy?

f) What did the village chairperson tell his people afterwards?

g) On which day was the meeting held?

h) Write another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined ones in the passage:

i) grew: _____

ii) shelter: _____

j) What is the passage about?



52. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them correctly to make a composition about school neighbours.

(a) Schools also have people living next to them.

(b) They also don't wish the school anything good.

(c) Others are just the opposite.

(d) The security is in form of askaris and defence committees.

(e) These are called school neighbours.

(f) They are bad neighbours.

(g) Some school neighbours are very good.

(h) They steal school and pupils' property.

(i) These ones can offer security to a school.

(j) A neighbour is a person living next to another.





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



Our rights! Our rights!

Please observe our rights

Stop forcing us into work

Give us all the care we need

In order to become responsible citizens.

Our rights! Our rights!

Don't think of starving us

We need to have enough food

For our bodies to grow stronger

And all the sickness kept away.

Our rights! Our rights!

Guard us against those bad people

The sugar daddies and mummies

Tell the police about them

Then the source of abuse will be over.

Baryo Munsi

Questions:

- a) What should be observed?

- b) When will the children become responsible citizens?

- c) According to the poem, what are children forced into?

- d) What can the children do to be strong?

- e) Who are the bad people in the poem?

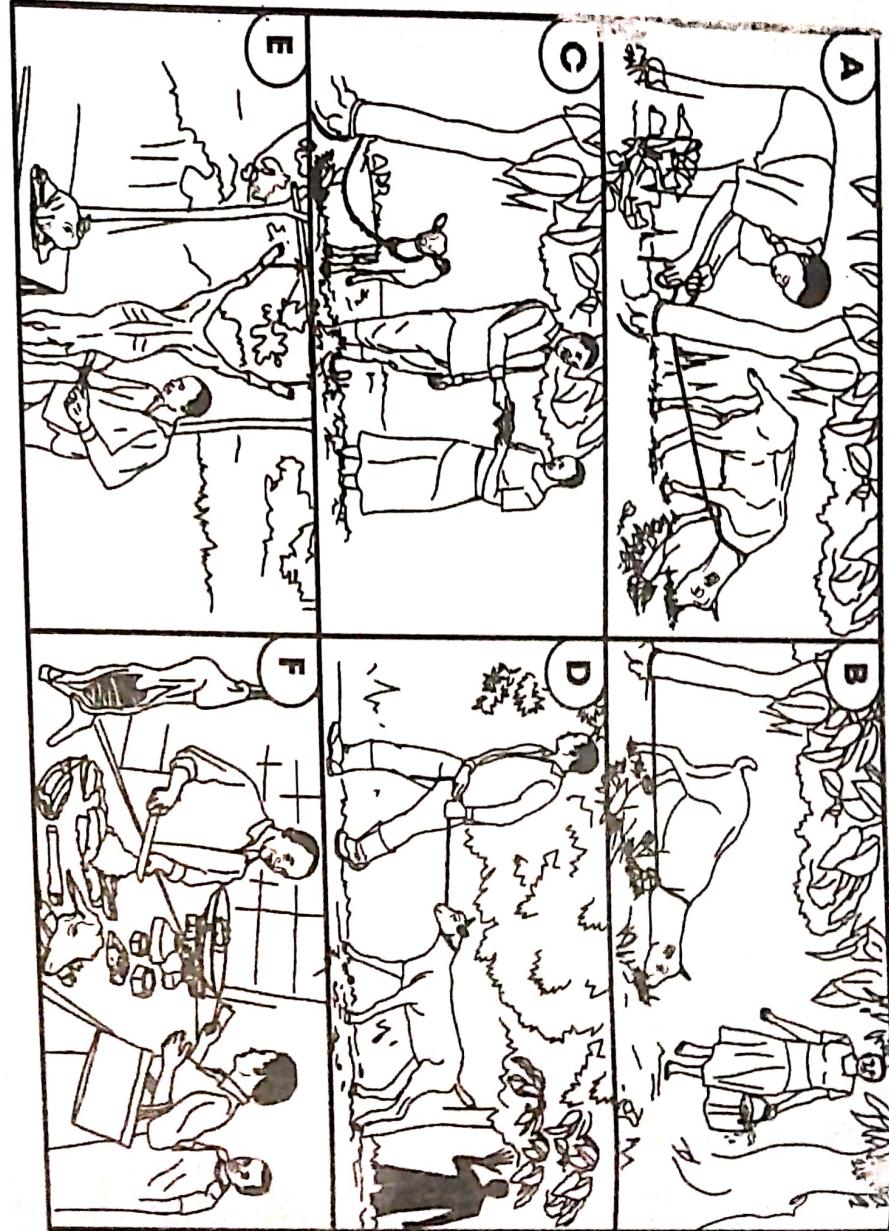
- f) Who should know about the bad people?

- g) Write another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined
in the poem:
(i) sickness _____
(ii) guard _____
- h) Who wrote the poem?

- i) Suggest a suitable title to the poem.

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54. The pictures A - F tell a story. Study them and write one sentence describing what is happening there.



Picture A: _____

Picture B: _____

Picture C: _____

Picture D: _____

Picture E: _____

Picture F: _____

g) Why did the woman do the activity in picture A?

h) Why is the woman happy in picture C?

i) What is the man in picture F called?

j) Suggest a suitable title to the composition.



55. Mr. Kakembo is soon marrying Ofeni. Below is their budget for the function. Study it carefully and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

No.	Item	Cost	Remarks
1	GROOM		
a	shoes	Sh. 20,000	Money available
b	suit	Sh. 70,000	Very expensive
c	shirt	Sh. 15,000	not paid
d	salon	Sh. 10,000	Went to bride's salon
2	BRIDE:		
a	gown	Sh. 100,000	Goreti offered one
b	salon		Bride has one
c	shoes		Mani offered them
3	TRANSPORT:		
a	Bride and Groom	Sh. 30,000	Paid a half
b	Bridesmaids	Sh. 25,000	Not paid
c	Pageboy		
4	CHURCH		
a	choir	Sh. 35,000	Not paid
b	Rings	Sh. 25,000	Paid a half
5	Music	Sh. 50,000	Money available
6	Reception	Free	Mazer Hotel

Questions:

a) What does the information show?

b) Who is the groom?

c) What cost twenty thousand shillings?

d) Why won't the groom pay at the salon?

e) Who gave the bride free items?

f) How much was remaining on the cost of the couple's transport?

g) What will Ofeni call Mr. Kakembo after this function?

h) What is the cheapest item on the budget?

i) Where will the reception be held?

j) How much will be paid for the music system?
