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PRIMARY SEVEN

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

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Read and follow these instructions carefully:

1. The paper has **two** sections: A and B.
2. Section A has 50 questions (50marks)
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 marks)
4. Answer **ALL** questions. All answers to both Sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written using a blue or black ball point pen or ink.
6. Diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
7. Unnecessary crossing of work may lead to loss of marks.
8. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
9. Do not fill anything in the boxes indicated; For Examiner's use only.

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SECTION A (50 MARKS)

Sub section I

For each of the questions 1-6, use the correct form of the word given in brackets to complete the sentences.

1. All the pupils are _____ their end of term one examinations. (write)
2. The guests ate their food _____ hurry)
3. Who made the _____? (announce)
4. Having washed his clothes, Becky _____ them on the line.
(hang)
5. Betty has woven a _____ basket. (beauty)
6. December is the _____ month of the year. (twelve)
7. His _____ was very lengthy. (explain)
8. Our teacher told us that growth is a _____ process in human life. (continue)
9. Of the two girls, Anita is the _____. (heavy)
10. Maria came to school late, _____ she? (do)

For questions 11- 15, fill in the blanks with the most suitable word or group of words to complete each of the given sentences.

11. _____ people don't plant trees in the North eastern Uganda, it will become a desert.
12. My aunt is _____ a Rwandan nor an Ethiopian.
13. Rearing _____ ewe is not very easy.
14. I am _____ Forward to seeing you next week.
15. My grandmother used to go to school _____ foot.

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

16. flower , floor , flour , florist

17. post , strange , chimney , illiterate

In questions 18-19, arrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

18. arrested was the reckless driver by the police.

19. beautiful a flower what a is rose!

In questions 20-22, re-write the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

20. Teacher Walumbe is always very smart.

21. The gander swam with the swans.

22. This new evidence will prove their innocence.

In questions 23-24, write the full form of each of the given words.

23. Tel_____

24. RSVP_____

In questions 25-26, give the plural form of the underlined words.

25. A passerby was knocked down by a speeding car.

26. Pinto forgot to clean the stable.

For questions 27-28, rewrite giving single word for the underlined words.

27. Mummy sent me to the place where milk is sold to buy a litre of milk.

28. The men who sew our dresses want to talk to you.

For questions 29-30, use the given words in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meanings.

29. Hymn_____

30. Him_____

For questions 29-30, give a similar word for the underlined words.

31. The mob dispersed at the sight of the police.

30. the patient told us that he was fine.

In questions 31-50, rewrite the sentences as instructed in brackets.

31. You should respect yourself if you want respect from others. (Re-write the sentence beginning: One.....)

32. The lion was very fierce. The poachers could not kill it. (Rewrite as one sentence usingtoo.....to.....)

33. The letter was written by the class monitress. (Re-write beginning: The class monitress.....)

34. The article was very interesting. It attracted several readers. (Re-write as one sentence using.....so.....that.....)

35. Joseph sells matooke everyday, doesn't he?(Re-write ending.....does he?)

36. We expect to visit Bwindi National Gamepark this December. (Re-write the sentence using:.....look forward)

37. The school will hold its annual general meeting in October. (Re-write the sentence beginning: By November.....)

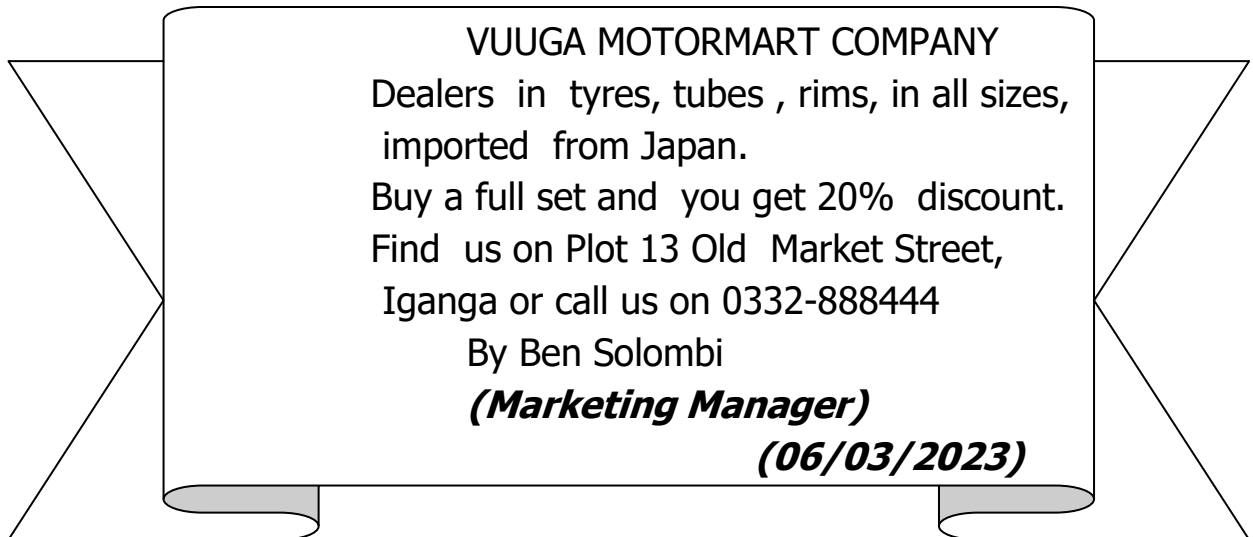
38. Both a dictionary and a directory are useful. (Re-write the sentence using.....as well as.....)

39. "Where are you going now, Ann?" the teacher asked. (Re-write the sentence using.....wanted to know.....)

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40. Ben is cleverer than Bernard. (Re-write beginning: Bernard.....)
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41. You needn't walk in the rain. (Re-write the sentence using:necessary.....)
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42. If Edbo works very hard, he will join a good school. (Join the sentence using.....would.....)
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43. Malewa likes rice more than bread. (Re-write using.....prefer.....)
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44. Melanie was sick. She sat the examination. (Join the sentence using....despite.....)
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45. Their friend gave him a gift. (Begin: A friend.....)
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46. Abel climbed the tree. He wanted to see the President. (Join the sentences using:.....in order.....)
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47. If the cows are not taken for grazing, they will not give us enough milk. (Begin the sentence with: Unless.....)
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48. Joy is a rich woman. Joyce is a rich woman. (Re-write as one sentence using.....and so.....)
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49. As soon as the bus left the park, it broke down. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: No sooner.....)
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50. Mr. Mandwa is a teacher. He is also a columnist. (Rewrite as one sentence using :..... not only.....)

51. Below is an advertisement. Study it carefully and answer questions about it



Questions

a) What items does the above company deal in?

b) Where do we find the above company?

c) Who wrote the advertisement?

d) When was the advertisement written?

e) What will one get if one buys a full set of the above items?

f) Where are the items which are sold imported from?

g) If you cannot reach the company in person, how else can you contact them?

h) What category of people, do you think will buy the mentioned spare parts?

i) In which district do we find this company?

j) On which street is Vuuga Motor Mart Company?

52. Re-arrange the following sentences to make a meaningful story about Mr. Jiro.

- a) Two of his sons decided to join him in carpentry.
- b) They are also treading in their father's path.
- c) Some are now independent and working.
- d) Up to University level.
- e) He has educated all his twelve children.
- f) Out of selling furniture.
- g) With his gifted hands and skills.
- h) In his workshop, he makes wonderful furniture.
- i) He has a big workshop in town.
- j) Mr. Jiro is a renown carpenter.

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

In Kirabo village, people rear animals. Animal rearing is their major economic activity. Many families have specialized in rearing cattle , goats and sheep.

Mr. Kyafu is one of the most outstanding cattle keepers in this village. He owns a very large herd of cattle. He rears more cows than bulls. This is because his major aim is to get milk which he supplies to Karibu dairy.

Mr. Kyafu has employed people who care for his cattle. He has a herdsman who looks after them. He also has a milk man. The milk man's duty is to milk the cows and take the milk to the dairy. In order to keep his cattle against diseases, Mr. Kyafu has also employed a veterinary doctor. He treats the cattle in their kraals and he occasionally takes them for dipping.

Kirabo village has also another prominent animal keeper. She is called Mrs. Luba. She rears sheep and goats. The sheep and goats are kept in the pens or folds where they dwell. They are grazed on a large piece of land at a free range. The shepherd looks after the sheep while the goatherd looks after the goats. The sheep are kept for mutton while the goats are kept for their delicious meat.

Kirabo village is well known all over the country because many traders throng there to buy the animals and their products.

Questions

a) What is the main economic activity carried out in Kirabo village?

b) Who is the outstanding cattle keeper in Kirabo village?

c) Why does Mr. Kyafu rear more cows than bulls?

d) To which dairy does Mr. Kyafu supply his milk?

e) Who is a herdsman?

f) What did Mr. Kyafu do to protect his cows from disease attacks?

g) Which animals does Mrs. Luba rear?

h) Why is Kirabo village well known all over the country?

i) The shepherd looks after sheep whereas alooks after goats.

j) Give another word to mean prominent as used in the passage.

54. Opio attended the birthday party of his aunt. He went with his friends. Below is a table showing the food and drinks each of them had.

Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

| Names | Food | Drinks |
|---------|---------------------|-------------|
| Claire | Rice and beef | Coca-cola |
| Sonia | Rice and chicken | Sprite |
| Wilber | Posho and beans | Mango juice |
| Nicole | Matooke and beef | Apple juice |
| Abdul | Rice and chicken | Fanta |
| Wesonga | G. nuts and matooke | Coca-cola |

Questions

a) For whom was the birthday party?

b) How is Opio related to Apio?

c) How many brands of soda were served to Opio's friend?

d) Who ate rice and chicken?

e) Which two friends had the same brand of soda?

f) Why do you think Abdul took Fanta?

g) Which drink was enjoyed by Sonia?

h) From which fruit is mango juice made?

i) How many friends accompanied Opio to his auntie's birthday party?

j) Arrange these names in alphabetical order.

Claire , Sonia , Wilber , Nicole , Nathan , Wesonga

55. Read the poem below carefully and answer the questions that follow in full.

CANA THE COUTURIER

With the writing pad

She sits

Sits still

Contemplating a new design.

With her creativity

She hatches a design

A design for all ages

An all occasional wear

*No wonder
She is simply the best
The best couturier in the region
Unmatched she is!*

*Yes, reason why
Why she has robbed
Robbed customers with their consent
Her products are irresistible.*

Pule Johnson

Questions

a) What is the poem about?

b) Write the title of the poem.

c) How many stanzas are in the poem?

d) Who is a couturier according to the poem?

e) Why does Cana sit still?

f) Why do you think Cana is referred to as the best couturier?

g) In which stanza does Cana come up with a design?

h) What do you understand by the phrase "she has robbed customers with their consent"?

i) Who wrote the poem?

j) For which group of people are Cana's designs?
