

THE OASIS MOCK EXAMINATIONS 2023
SET ONE
PRIMARY SEVEN
ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time allowed 2 hours 15 minutes

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Candidate's Name: _____

**READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS
CAREFULLY.**

1. The paper is made up of two sections: A and B.
2. Section A has Subsection I with 30 questions (30 marks).
3. Subsection II with 20 questions (20marks).
Section B has 5 questions (50 marks).
4. Answer ALL questions in both sections A and B.
5. All answers must be written in the spaces provided in BLUE or BLACK ink.
6. Only diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
7. Unnecessary crossing will lead to loss of marks.
8. Poor handwriting, which cannot be easily read, may lead to loss of marks.

| FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY | | |
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| Qn No. | MARKS | EXAMINER'S NO. |
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SECTION A (50 marks)
SUB-SECTION I (30 marks)

In each of the questions 1-5, fill in the blank space with the most suitable word or of words.

1. The visitors brought for us fruits like mangoes, guavas _____ pineapples .

2. _____ I had enough time, I would have revised for this examination.

3. Sunshine is to _____ weather whereas rain is to rainy weather.

4. Apio would _____ watch cartoons than films.

5. Mukalazi took his ripped pair of trousers to the _____ to sew it.

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

6. We have been _____ since morning. (party)

7. Our teacher of English is a man of great _____. (wise)

8. All the candidates jumped _____ when they passed in Division 1. (excite)

9. Ochen is the _____ of the quintuplets. (shy)

10. I _____ will tighten the screws. (me)

11. By the time Amooti came back home, we had _____ supper. (have)

12. Joshua is liked by all the teachers because he behaves _____. (good)

13. Ssekabira _____ on the mattress, didn't he? (lie)

14. She celebrated her _____ birthday last week. (twelve)

15. It is _____ good to brush our teeth every after a meal. (usual)

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

16. contribute, comma, control, coma

17. Buyende, Adjumani, Buliisa, Apachi

In questions 18 and 19, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

18. The candidates all the time revise their books.

19. Apart from growing bananas, Musoke also keeps cattle.

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

20. peak _____

21. pick _____

In questions 22 to 23, write the full form of the given abbreviation.

22. a.m. _____

23. mt. _____

In the numbers 24 and 25, re-arrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

24. is gigantic man such Amos a.

25. any in kept house have you your food?

For questions 26 and 28, re-write the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

26. I did not receive the bank deposit slip.

27. Samson walks faster than Peter.

28. Who lost the netball game?

In questions 29 and 30, rewrite the sentence giving the plural form of the underlined word.

29. The chief cannot be cruel to me.

30. The turkey did not lay any eggs today.

SUB-SECTION II (20 marks)

In each of the questions 31 to 50, re-write the sentence as instructed in the brackets.

31. Kibuule is weak enough not to carry a heavy desk. (Rewrite the sentence using: too to))

32. She is a very rich woman. She can buy the whole village. (Re-write as one sentence using: so that))

33. We all look forward to breaking up for holidays. (Re-write the sentence using: shall))

34. Tendo was not making a holiday plan. His classmates were not making a holiday plan. (Re-write as one sentence using: and neither))

35. Journalists prefer writing articles. They prefer reporting news more. (Re-write one sentence using: like))

36. Both Ariho and Nyakato are chasing a hen each. (Re-write as two separate sentences.)

37. If a pupil stays far from the school, he gets very tired. (Re-write the sentence beginning: The _____ the _____)

38. Those are the pupils' text books. (Re-write the sentence ending: pupils.)

39. We started taking the examination at 2:00p.m. It is now 4:15pm. (Re-write the sentence using: for))

40. The vacationers reached the parking yard late. (Re-write the sentence using: arrive))

41. Tailoring is a profitable job. Tailoring is a professional job. (Re-write as one sentence beginning: Not only _____)

42. The shopkeeper did not sell any pencils today. (Re-write the sentence using: _____ sold _____)

43. Jack was very weak. He couldn't carry the desk. (Re-write the sentence using: _____ enough _____)

44. Hardly had the suspect been announced guilty when his relatives were filled with gloom. (Re-write the sentence using: _____ immediately _____)

45. You can pay the fees and then you enter the school. (Re-write the sentence using: _____ unless _____)

46. Agaba weighs fifty kilograms. Asaba weighs fifty-one kilograms. (Re-write as one sentence using: _____ as _____ as _____)

47. Roko was able to widen kazinga channel road. (Re-write the sentence using: _____ managed _____)

48. The glutton has hung the curtain. Mulungi was talking to his niece. (Re-write as one sentence using: _____ whose _____)

49. To steal from our friends is not good. (Re-write the sentences beginning: It is ...)

50. Shoemakers' wives, _____ (Complete the proverb)
(Re-write and complete the proverb)

SECTION B: 50MARKS

Questions 51 to 55, carry ten marks each

51. *Below is a notice that appeared in The Daily Monitor of 27th April, 2023. Study it carefully and then answer in full sentences the questions that follow.*

URA informs the general public that effective 2nd May, 2023, all companies, business people and those who want to pay taxes to the government should have a tax identification number (TIN).

This will enable URA have a follow up on those who don't want to pay taxes.
Remember taxes help the country to construct roads, pay civil servants and to develop the country.

Commissioner General, URA
26th April, 2023

Questions.

(a) What do we call the above information?

(b) In which newspaper did the above information appear?

(c) When was the above notice published?

(d) To whom was the above information addressed?

(e) Why does URA want tax payers to have a tax identification number?

(f) What do taxes help the country according to the notice?

(g) Who wrote the above information?

(h) When was the notice written?

(i) Write the following abbreviations in full form.

(i) URA _____

(ii) w.e.f _____

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

In the year 2021, during the covid 19 lockdown, my mother sent me to the shop. She gave me twenty thousand shillings. I picked my Daddy's bicycle and rode up to Kweshamura trading centre. When I got off the bicycle, I walked straight to Mr. Murunga's shop. Since he was selling food items, he was allowed to open his shop during the lockdown. Before I entered, I washed my hands with soap and clean water in the wash basin which was placed just beside the entrance.

As I entered, he shouted, "Eh----eh----eh---, observe social distancing!" I quickly did so because I had heard about the same on the television at home . I then greeted him and gave him the list of items I needed. They included two kilograms of beans, one kilogram of pound groundnuts, a sachet of wheat flour for which I paid sh. 5500. He also gave me a sealed packet of sugar. Without checking it, I packed all the items in my bag. The shopkeeper then sanitized my hands. I jumped on my bicycle again and happily rode back home.

When I reached home, I showed my mother the items I had bought. I gave her change of three thousand shillings. She thanked me for being a good child.

The following day, mother opened the packet of sugar.

To her surprise, there was dry white sand. This annoyed me the most.

Questions.

(a) When was the speaker sent to the shop?

(b) To which trading centre did the speaker go?

(c) From whose shop did the speaker buy the items?

(d) Why was the speaker able to follow the shopkeeper's instruction?

(e) How much money did she pay for all the items?

(f) Why do you think the shopkeeper was a bad man?

(g) What was the wheat flour used for?

(h) Give two items which were bought.

(i) _____ (ii) _____

(j) How did the speaker move to and from the shop?

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

Studying without holidays tires!

It makes pupils dull and fed up

Teaching without remedial classes

Makes weak pupils curse studies.

Holidays without a plan

Makes pupils mess up their fun!

Many join bad groups of thugs.

Forcing them to become drug addicts.

Holidays without travelling

Are not exciting at all

No new places visited, no new friends!

When the term ends, no news to tell friends.

Holidays that are planned

Make pupils happy

They tour interesting and exciting places

They go for concerts, camps and bashes as well

Questions.

(a) What is the poem about?

(b) What makes pupils dull?

(c) How can pupils mess up their fun?

(d) What is the effect of joining bad groups according to the poem?

(e) Why do you think travelling is important to pupils?

(f) What happens when there are no new places visited?

(g) How many stanzas are in the poem?

(h) Give another word or group of words with the same meaning as the underlined word in the poem.

Interesting:

(i) What makes pupils happy?

(j) Suggest a suitable title for the poem

54. Kato Tom opened up a fixed deposit account with Equity Bank, Kigezi Branch On 27/03/2023, he went to the bank to deposit five hundred fifty nine thousand nine hundred shillings on his account. Help him to complete this form.

CASH DEPOSIT SLIP

BRANCH DATE

ACCOUNT NUMBER **0102381900765**

Account Name:.....

Amount in words.....

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| Signature of the person Paying in | Name of person paying in |
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EQUITY BANK

| NOTES | AMOUNT |
|--------|---------------|
| 50,000 | |
| 20,000 | |
| 10,000 | |
| 5,000 | |
| 2,000 | |
| 1,000 | |
| COINS | |
| 500 | |
| 200 | |
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| 50 | |
| Total | |
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**PLEASE ARRANGE YOUR CASH AS PER
DENOMINATIONS LISTED BEFORE
APPROACHING THE CASHIER AS UNSORTED
MONEY WILL BE REJECTED.**

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55. Your results for the primary leaving examinations (PLE) were quite good. You were given a place in Rerema mixed secondary school, P.O Box 15 Rerema. You have reported for first term, but without the result slip from your former school. The result slip is needed in your new school. Using your school address, write a letter to the head teacher of your former school. Tell him/her that you have started your studies in the new school and ask him or her to send you your PLE result slip.