

GREATTHINKERS EXAMINATION BOARD

PRE-PLE ENGLISH EXAMINATIONS – P.7 (BRAIN TEAR ITEM 1) 2023

TIME: 2HRS 15 MIN

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Read the following instructions carefully

1. This paper consists of 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 answers to both sections **A** and **B** **MUST** be written in the spaces provided.
5. **All** answers must be written in **blue ball point pen** or **ink**. Any work done in **pencil** except diagrams will not be marked.
6. Any **unpunctuated** work e.g. without full stops, commas, question marks etc will **NOT** be marked.
7. **Untidy work** (unnecessary crossing/ rubbing out work) will lead to loss of marks.
8. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks

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Question No.	Marks	Initials.
1-10		
11-20		
21-30		
31-50		
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SECTION A (SUB-SECTION I)

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

1. Whatinteresting concert it was !
2. Howmoney did you pay for that bed?
3. the boy nor the girl will mop the house.
4. Tamkat, the.....has not baked any cakes today.
5. The doctor is.....kind that all pupils like him.

For question 6 to 15, use the correct form of the words in the brackets to complete the sentences.

6. is very interesting. (swim)
7. God's people should always speak the (true)
8. My friend likesjackets. (wool)
9. The cashier gave me aafter receiving the money.
(receive)
10. We found two.....under the bed of my father . (mouse)
11.someone is not good. (hate)
12. Those girls over there are (Rwanda)
13. The waiters and thewere told to pay for the lost
cutlery. (wait)
14. Jane will visitaunt after writing the examination. (she)
15. My grandmother hada beautiful basket. (weave)

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

16. crawl, crate, crane, crazy, crash

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17. see, saw , soak , sink

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For questions 18 to 20, re-write the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

18. The external supervisor arrived late.

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19. Jane's uncle bought a new bicycle.

20. All obedient boys were dismissed from the school.

In each of the questions 21 to 23, write the plural form of the given words.

21. menu

22. barracks

23. chimney

In questions 24 to 25, re-write the sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

24. The person who controls the debate has told us to suggest the motion for the next debate.

25. Our teacher taught us how to use spoons, knives and forks while eating.

For questions 26 and 28, write the full forms of the given abbreviations.

26. he'll

27. C/o

28. Rev.

In questions 29 to 30, re-arrange the given words to write a suitable sentence.

29. been why has goat your bleating?

30. junction met Martha we at the.

SUB – SECTION II

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

31. This bag is expensive. That bag is twice expensive. (Use:.....than.....)

32. There goes the man. He married my aunt. (Re-write as one sentence using: ..who..)
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33. I would attend all the lessons if I paid school fees.
(Re-write the sentence using:shall.....)
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34. As soon as we entered the house, it started raining.
(Re-write the sentences beginning: No sooner)
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35. Paul is a tall boy. Peter is also a tall boy. (Join using:as well as.....)
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36. A novel is small. A dictionary is bigger. (Re-write as one sentence using: ...not as...)
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37. Nankya arrived at the airport early. (Re-write using:reached.....)
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38. It was a wonderful holiday. (Begin: What.....!)
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39. My sister is very young. She cannot ride a bicycle.(Re-write using:enough.....)
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40. If Stella does not work hard, she will not be promoted to P.7.
(Join using:unless.....)
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41. Martha prefers lemons to grapes.(Re-write using:more than)
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42. Our head teacher is very sick. She cannot address the candidates.
(Join using:too.....to.....)
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43. There was no priest at the parish. (Use:any)
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44. Ripe mangoes are being washed by Anna.(Re-write beginning: Anna...)
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45. "Who took my pen yesterday, Moses?" asked Joan.
(Re-write beginning Joan asked.....)
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46. She is opening the gate now. (End with a suitable question tag)
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47. Brazilians are people from Brazil.(Re-write using:come from....)
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48. My father ate ground nuts. My father drank soda. (Join
using.....either.....or.....)
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49. Jonah was looking for a broom. He wanted to sweep the compound.
(Join the sentence using:so as.....)
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50. Both sarah and Sandra went to Morocco. (Use:.....and so.....)
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SECTION B

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

At Friendly Price Shopping centre, there works a tailor called Ssengendo Rahim. He is such a skilled tailor that he designs and sews men's and ladies' clothes in all fashions.

Sometimes, he sews wedding and graduation gowns with attractive designs. All his garments are **purchased** at affordable prices despite their nice looking. His eldest daughter Sharitah is a designer. She knits school sweaters and weaves nice table clothes as well as carpets. She has a big stall in the African Heritage village in Kampala city.

Sharitah also curves beautiful sculptures. Her sculptures are mostly bought by foreigners from USA , Sweden , China and France because they are decorated with attractive designs.

Rahim and his daughter earn a lot of money **daily** from their local and foreign customers. This has enabled them to expand their business and train their siblings as well. In addition, Rahim and Sharitah usually exhibit their products at the Uganda Manufacturers Association ground at Lugogo. This has not only helped them advertise their products but also widen their market.

Questions

(a) What is the passage about?

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(b) Where does Rahim work?

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(c) What is the name of Rahim's daughter?

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- (d) According to the passage, what items are made by Sharitah?
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- (e) Mention one country from where Sharitah's foreign customers come from?
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- (f) Why do the foreigners like Sharitah's sculptures?
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- Why do you think Rahim and Sharitah usually go to Lugogo?
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- (g) Give another word or group of words with the same meaning as:
 (a) **purchase**
 (b) **daily**
- (h) Suggest a suitable title to the above passage.
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52. **Read the poem below and answer the questions that follow.**

Last week I visited a restaurant,
Deep in my home village,
It looked more of a kitchen,
With hot soup steaming there,
Garbage in one corner,
And flies everywhere.

Then a rat jumped from a pot,
And the waitress came around,
With a can in one hand,
A sharp long knife in the other,
She looked more of a farmer,
Than the person she thought she was!

I lost appetite there and then,
I tried to think of my way out,
I asked her to get me a banana,
And when she went for one,
I moved out never to return,
To this lousy place called a restaurant.

Questions.

(a) How many stanzas has the poem?

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(b) When did the poet go to the restaurant?

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(c) Where is the restaurant found?

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(d) According to the poem, which animal jumped out of a pot?

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(e) Give the opposite of "**sharp long**" as used in the poem.

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(f) What did the poet asked for?

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(g) Which two things in stanza one shows that this place was really dirty?

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(h) Give another word or group of words to mean:

- (a) Garbage.....
- (b) Steaming.....

(i) Give the poem a suitable title.

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53. **Re-arrange the sentence to form a suitable story.**

- (a) I now know how to use the dictionary.
- (b) At school, my teacher said my parents were good.
- (c) To look up new words and their meanings.
- (d) Last term, I didn't have a dictionary.
- (e) Because they had bought me a dictionary.
- (f) My teacher was not happy with me.
- (g) They promised to get me one.
- (h) The next day, my dad gave me a new dictionary.
- (i) When I went back home that day.
- (j) I told my parents about it.

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54. **Lule took his children to Sunshine Restaurant for lunch. The information below shows the items that they ordered for in the restaurant. Study it carefully and in full sentences answer the questions that follow.**

Name	Items ordered						
	matooke	Rice	Sweet potatoes	Beef	Chicken	Water	Juice
Marion	✓	✓	✓	✓	X	X	✓
Derrick	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	X
Bridget	✓	X	X	X	✓	✓	X
Esther	✓	✓	✓	X	✓	X	✓

Key

✓ Ordered

X- did not order

Questions

- (a) What does the table show?

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- (b) Whose children were they?

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- (c) How many children ordered for chicken?

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- (d) Which child ordered for least food items?

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(e) How many children did not order for beef?
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(f) To which restaurant did they go?
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(g) How many children does Mr. Lule have?
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(h) Which item did all the children order for?
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(i) Who is the only boy among Mr. Lule children?
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(j) How many children ordered for sweet potatoes?
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55. **Use the words in the box below to complete the given letter correctly.**
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Dear

How are you nowadays? This way at our

We are having a very soon. Our

.....Mrs. Olum is going to invite you to attend the

..... Many of our parents will be around to see what we
do at school. I take part in drama in our school drama club and I am in one of
the plays acting the part of Health inspector.I

.....you will come to. I don't

..... if you came with a friend, we shall be happy to see
all of you.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Yours

Mogan Baker

Mind, friend, hope, Dorice , school, 30th August, parents' Day, occasion, head teacher, St Anne Primary School
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