HILL SIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL - NAALYA
P. 7 EXAMINAION PAPER 1 2023
<u>English</u>
Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. **This paper is made up of section A and B.**

2. **Section A, Sub section I, has 30 questions carrying 30 marks and Sub section II has 20 questions carrying 20 marks.**
   Section B has 5 questions, each carrying 10 marks.

3. **Answer ALL questions. All answers to both section A and B must be written in the spaces provided.**

4 **All answers must be written in blue ink.**

5. **Any handwriting that cannot easily be read will lead to loss of marks.**

6. **Unnecessary alteration of work may lead to loss of marks.**

7. **Show all the necessary side work in pencil.**

PARENT'S COMMENT	**SIGNATURE**

SECTION A: 50 MARKS
Sub – section I
Questions 1 to 50 carry one mark each.

For each of the questions 1 to 10, use the correct form of the words in brackets to complete the sentences.

1. That lorry was _____ loaded. It could not cross the weak bridge. (heavy)
2. If Nakate comes today, I will _____ her about our debate. (inform)
3. Most _____ bargain before buying items. (customer)
4. I am sorry, I did not receive _____ letter in time. (you)
5. All people like Diana because she is very _____ (beauty)
6. What an _____ novel I have read! (interest)
7. Even the driver was _____ injured in the motor accident. (bad)
8. I was an _____ during the debate between Primary Six and Primary Seven. (oppose)
9. Mother refused to escort us, so we had to go by _____. (self)
10. A driver should always be intelligent at making _____. (decide)

In questions 11 to 15, fill in the gaps with a word or group of words to complete the sentence.

11. The suspect was accused _____ theft and the judge.
12. The motion was neither clear _____ interesting.
13. _____ an interesting activity writing is!
14. If all pupils pay attention, they will _____ very well.
15. Steam ships are as _____ as a snail.

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

16. Cyclist, cycle, accident, drive

    _____

17. Argue, add, accept, abroad

    _____

For numbers 18 and 19, use each word given in a sentence to show the difference in meaning.

18. Lose _____
19. Loose _____

In questions 20 and 21, give the plural form of the underlined word or group of words.

20. Before the debate, we listened to the chairperson's <u>speech</u>.

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21. The vehicle overturned because the <u>tyre</u> burst.

    _____

For numbers 22 to 24, give a single word for the underlined group of words.

22. The <u>people walking on a pavement</u> were nearly knocked by a speeding car.

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23. Most opposers did not understand the <u>topic of the debate</u>.

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24. The thieves stole my father's car from the <u>place where it had been taken for repair</u>.
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   For questions 25 and 26, re-arrange words to make a meaningful sentence.
25. wall the against leaning is he.
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26. is pencil this short very.
   _____

   For number 27 to 29, re-write the sentence giving the opposite form of the underlined word.
27. The motorists turned <u>carelessly</u> at the junction.
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28. One of the <u>proposers</u> did not turn up for the debate.
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29. Your <u>success</u> in examinations will depend on the type of revision.
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   Complete correctly.
30. My sister and I are happy people, _____ ?

Sub – Section II

   In numbers 31 to 50, re-write the sentences as instructed in brackets.
31. The driver stopped the car. The lights turned red. (Re-write as one sentence using: .....as soon as ....)
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32. Pupils should not use abusive language in the debate. (Re-write the sentence using .....must..............)
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33. My mother will not pay school fees if she does not get money. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Unless ....)
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34. There is some water in the tank. (Re-write the sentences using: ....any.............)
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35. Joan said, "I will write to my uncle tomorrow". (Re-write the sentence beginning: Joan said that ....)
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36. The motion was boring but we got many points. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Despite ....)
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37. Michael is a tall boy. He is fat and handsome. (Join as one sentence using 'and' / who')
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38. Muwanga will propose the motion. Nicole will oppose the motion. (Join as one sentence using ....whereas........)

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39. Kato is very intelligent boy. (Re-write the sentence beginning: What ....)

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40. Mathematics is a very easy subject. English is a very easy subject. (Join as one sentence using .... both.................)

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41. Mr. Musoke liked teaching French more than Kiswahili. (Re-write the sentence using: ......prefer..............)

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42. That is the old man. His wife died in a motor accident. (Join the sentences using ......whose......)

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43. Our driver is a very kind man. He will always wait for us. (Join the sentences using: .....such a ......that ....)

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44. Uganda is a poor country. Kenya is also a poor country. (Join the sentences using: .....as well as ....)

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45. Basula did not understand the teacher. Even Mulungi did not understand the teacher. (Re-write the sentence using ....neither ....)

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46. If you pass the examinations, I will take you abroad. (Re-write the sentence using ......would..............)

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47. Drivers should not speed, should they? (Re-write the sentence and end .... shouldn't they?)

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48. We wrote the teacher's work and then handed in the books for marking. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Having ....)

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49. David said don't break that cup. (Re-write and punctuate the sentence correctly)

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50. What is the price of an apple?(Re-write the sentence beginning: How much ....?)

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

My sisters and I are pupils at one of the big city schools. Mother drops my sisters and I at school and later picks us every day.

One evening, i was going back home from school with my mother and my two sisters when we saw an accident near Hotel Africana. A speeding taxi which was heading for Jinja had knocked down a motorcyclist who was joining the main road at the roundabout.
The motorcyclist had his legs broken and passengers in the taxi sustained serious injuries. The motorcycle was damaged beyond repair and the taxi windscreen was completely smashed. My mother parked the car and within a short time, there was a big crowd. The driver of the taxi had taken off and the conductor ran to Jinja Road Police Station to report the matter.

In less than 10 minutes, traffic police officers had arrived and an ambulance was called. The casualties were taken to the hospital for treatment. The people around tried very much to assist by removing the wreckage from the middle of the road. Later, a breakdown towed the taxi to Kampala Road Police Station.

I really feared because I had never witnessed such an accident. People should try to be very careful when using the road because this accident could have been avoided if the motorcyclist had been more careful.

1. What is the passage about?

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2. Where was the writer going when he saw an accident?

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3. Where was the taxi going?

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4. Who was driving the car in which the writer was travelling?

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5. Who reported the accident according to the passage?

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6. To which police station was the matter reported?

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7. How long did the police take to reach the scene?

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8. What do you think caused this accident?

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9. Who collects taxi fare?

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10. Suggest a suitable title to this passage.

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52. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Re-arrange them to make a meaningful story about debating.
    a) They become very happy and make some noise.
    b) When the winners are declared,
    c) The secretary reads out the number of points for each side.
    d) The side with the more points is then declared winners by the secretary.
    e) But the better side will always win.
    f) These arguments need very good oppose and proposers.
    g) It is interesting because it is full of fun during hot arguments.
    h) This is one of the most interesting activities in school.
    i) The school usually organises debating.
    j) Hill side School is a great place to be.

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53. Study the price list below and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.
    (A survey by the New Vision Reporters)

NTENJERU MARKET – MUKONO DISTRICT			
ITEM	LUMU'S STALL	OTILE'S STALL	KALEVU'S STALL
1kg of onions	1,500/=	1,000/=	1,500/=
A basket of tomatoes	8,000/=	6,000/=	8,000/=
Egg plants (a heap)	500/=	400/=	600/=
Sweet potatoes (a tin)	1,5000/=	10,000/=	10,000/=
A bunch of sweet bananas	3,500/=	3,000/=	3,500/=
Millet flour (per kilo)	2,500/=	2,000/=	2,500/=

    a) In which district in Ntenjeru market?

    _____

    b) How many stalls do you see in the table?

    _____

    c) According to the table, which is the cheapest item?

    _____

d) How much is a kilo of onions at Kalevu's stall?

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e) How many items are shown in the table?

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f) Which is the most expensive stall?

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g) How much is a heap of egg plants at Lumu's stall?

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h) What does Otile sell most cheaply?

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i) If Joel wanted to buy sweet potatoes at Kalevu's stall, how much money would two tins cost him?

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j) Who gathered this information?

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54. Study the notice below and answer in full sentences the questions that follow. The notice appeared in the Monitor Newspaper.

NOTICE!   NOTICE!

POWER BLACK OUT

The general public is hereby informed that there will be a power black-out in most parts of the country. The most affected areas will be Kampala, Mukono and Arua. There will be no power in the above areas on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 8:00am to 10:00am.

The rest of the parts of the country will have power on and off any time. This will take 3 months due to the major repairs at the old dam in Jinja District.

UMEME MANAGEMENT

9th Feb. 2019

a) What is the notice about?

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b) On which date was the notice written?

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c) According to the notice, who is being informed?

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d) Which are the most affected districts according to the notice?

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e) Mention one day when people in Arua will have power.

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f) How long will the repairs last?

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g) In which district is the dam found?

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h) Who put up the notice?

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i) In which month will the repairs be completed?

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j) Why will power be on and off in most parts of the country?

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55.   Read the letter below written last year and fill the gaps with the most appropriate answers to make it meaningful.

Kamuli infant School,

P.O. Box 150,

Kamuli

Tuesday 2nd April, _____

Dear Ajok,

I am very _____ to get my pen and _____ to you this _____. It's some good time since I _____ heard from you. How are you nowadays? I hope everything is alright on your side.

I would like to _____ you that _____ school is organising a _____ that will take place next term. There will be a lot of things exhibited especially in social studies and science. I will let you know the details when we meet in the first week of our holidays.

As I look forward to _____ you when the term ends, may the Lord bless you.

_____ friend,

Samuel Kaggwa.

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