



SURE KEY EXAMINATIONS BOARD
PRIMARY SEVEN PLE PLEPREPARATION SET TWO
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ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. Do not forget to write your **school** or **district name** on this paper.
2. This paper has two sections: **A** and **B**.
Section **A** has **50** questions and Section **B** has **5** questions. The paper has **16 printed pages** altogether.
3. Answer **all** questions. **All** the working for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
4. **All** working must be done using a **blue** or **black** ball point pen or ink. Any work done in pencil will **not** be marked.
5. Unnecessary **changes** in your work and handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in the table indicated: **"For Examiners' Use only"** and boxes inside the question paper.

FOR EXAMINERS' USE ONLY		
Qn.No.	MARKS	EXR'S NO.
1-10		
11-20		
21-30		
31- 40		
41-50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

SECTION A: 50 MARKS

Sub -Section I

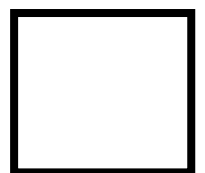
Questions **1** to **50** carry one mark each

In each of the questions **1** to **5**, fill in the blank space with a **suitable word**.

1.what means did you travel to Juba, Ali?
2. He hurt.....with pliers when he was repairing the loud speaker.
3. You will miss your lunch.....you complete this work.
4. September is the.....month of the year.
5. Thefrom which we usually buy stationery was burnt.

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

6. The technician used two.....on our house in order to receive better signals.(antenna)
7. I.....to Mangu's letter tomorrow. (reply)
8. NBS TV has recruited a.....presenter. (Holland)
9. Our school came into.....thirty years ago. (exist)
10. Opio writes.....than Akul. (badly)
11. The stubborn boy was warned against.....young children. (bully)
12. The passengers suffered a lot of.....in the bus accident. (injure)
13. This is the.....story book in the library. (fun)
14. Our teacher said our class isthe best class he has ever taught. (true)



15. By the time the police came, the careless driver had.....through the crowd. (weave)

For each of the questions **16** and **17**, use the given words **in a sentence** to show that you know the **difference in their meaning**.

16. weather

17. whether

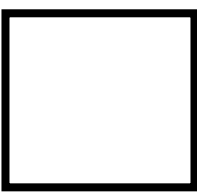
In the numbers **18** and **19**, arrange the given words **in alphabetical order**.

18. ninth , third , first , twelfth
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19. secretarial, secret, secretary , secretive
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In each of the questions **20** to **22**, rewrite the sentence giving the **opposite** of the **underlined word**.

20. The girl guides were told to tie their belts tightly.
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21. The stallions were healthy.
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22. We have ended the term successfully.
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For questions **23** and **24**, rewrite each sentence giving **one word** for the **underlined group of words**.

23. It is not a good habit to eat food in a noisy way.
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24. Kamugisha is lacking strength because he has been sick since last month.

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For each of the questions **25** and **26**, rewrite the sentence giving the **singular form** of the **underlined words**.

25. Some school children entered the MPs office without permission.

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26. Conrad understood all the topics in the syllabi.

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In each of the questions **27** and **28**, write the following **short forms** in **full**.

27. RSVP

28. USB

For questions **29** and **30**, arrange the given words to make a **correct sentence**.

29. “will you Peter When? ” sit your PLE,

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30. extremely This examination is easy.

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Sub-Section II

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

31. No one rode your bicycle yesterday.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Your bicycle.....)

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32. Our school nurse is a very caring person. She ensures that we don't miss our treatment. (Rewrite the sentence using:such.....that.....)

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33. The cobbler mended the shoes. He mended them on Wednesday. He mended them from his home
(Rewrite as **one** sentence without using: "and", "which")

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34. Mr. Wamala will make us score distinctions in English. We like him a lot during his English lessons
(Rewrite the sentence using:whom.....)

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35. I caught an insect with four wings.
(Rewrite the sentence ending:winged insect.)

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36. I took a long time dancing to pop music.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Did I.....?)

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37. "Who is the owner of this extension cable?" the technician asked.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The technician wanted to know.....)

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38. The moment Samantha said a prayer, we began the morning lesson. (Rewrite the sentence using: "after")

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39. Anna withdrew some money from the bank, didn't she?
(Rewrite the sentence ending:did she?)
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40. The mechanic will wind my watches. He will also repair my television set.
(Rewrite as **one** sentence using:.....not only.....but also.....)
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41. It is ten years since I last ate crocodile meat.
(Rewrite as **one** sentence ending:ago.)
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42. I may use a taxi. I may use a bus.
(Rewrite the sentence using:either.....or.....)
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43. Ochomu wound a golden watch. It was old and circular. It was also small.
(Rewrite the sentence without using: "and", "which" or " that")
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44. Mukulu is knowledgeable but he failed the entry test.
(Rewrite the sentence using:.....in spite of.....)
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45. The thief slew his victim with a sword. Then he ran away.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Having.....)
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46. If you do not spend more money, you will save more of it.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The, the more.....)
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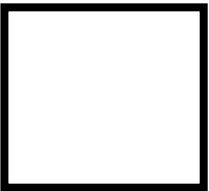


47. Our grandmother is not young enough to bear another child.
(Rewrite the sentence using:too.....to.....)
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48. No player is as popular as Haaland in the school team.
(Rewrite the sentence using:most popular.....)
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49. The table has been broken by Naomi. We always sit at it and have dinner.
(Rewrite as **one** sentence using:which.....)
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50. Anyiti would rather go to the beach than watch movies.
(Rewrite the sentence using:as much as.....)
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SECTION B: 50 MARKS

Questions **51** to **55** carry ten marks each

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

THE HARDWORKING BODABODA RIDER

Murife is a bodaboda rider along Malaba-Mbale Highway. He wakes up always before cockcrow. He then prepares himself and takes tea before leaving for his work.

Murife is **famous** for his honesty, carefulness and kindness while doing his duty. These have earned him a lot of clients who prefer travelling by his motorcycle.

Last week, there was a wedding ceremony around his stage. He had to ride the clients to and from the wedding ceremony. He got so tired that by 6:00p.m., he could not understand himself. Even though he was tired, most people still needed his service. Therefore, he had to ride them to different destinations and he was too tired to observe the traffic rules. He nearly knocked a pedestrian who was crossing from the zebra-crossing. Murife even forgot to signal when he was branching off from the main road.

At last, he had to go home. When he reached home, he thought it was wise to bathe first. He went to the Bathroom. A few minutes later, the family members and neighbours saw him running like someone who had seen a ghost.

They followed him while shouting, Murife! Don't run! Murife! Don't run! When he stopped and they **asked** him why he was running, He said, "I tried pouring water on myself but it was not reaching my head," Everyone burst into laughter while pointing at the helmet he had forgotten to remove from his head. Murife felt so ashamed and swore never to overwork himself.

- (a) What is the passage about?

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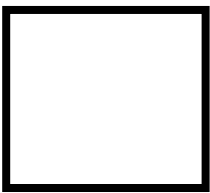
- (b) Who is being talked about in the passage?

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- (c) When does Murife wake up?

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- (d) Why do you think Murife has a lot of clients?
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- (e) What did he think of when he reached home?
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- (f) According to the passage, did Murife observe the traffic rules that day?
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- (g) Why did water fail to reach his head?
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- (h) Give **one word** or **a group of words** with the same meaning as **the underlined words** in the passage
- (i) **famous**
- (ii) **asked**
- (j) What is the title of the passage?
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52. Read the poem below carefully and, **in full sentences**, answer the questions that follow.

Cups, Plates! Cups, Plates!
The unpleasant scene in our surrounding
Attracting my attention
As soon as I step in the classroom
To instruct the young.

Like lilies in the bush
Their classroom is littered
With filthy looking crockeries
Jammed with germs
Causing different ailments.

Desks are full of cups, instead of books
Cups and ugly looking shoes
Now share the naked classroom floors
That look like a garbage pit
My children, listen to my teaching.

A swarm of brown winged visitors crawl in
With dysentery, typhoid and cholera
In company of the long-mouthed mouse
With plague-carrying fleas for you, dear children
Either change or you will die.

- (a)

What is the poem about?

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- (b)

What attracts the speaker’s attention in the classroom?

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- (c)

Where do we find the filthy looking crockeries?

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(d) How does the speaker describe the classroom floors?

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(e) What fills the desks?

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(f) With what does the speaker compare the classroom floor?

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(g) Who do you think is the poet?

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(h) Name the brown winged visitors.

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(i) Give another **word** or **group of words** to mean the same as the **underlined word** in the poem.

(i) **unpleasant:**

(ii) **instruct:**



53. The information below is an extract from a Primary Four class register of Kititi Primary School-Luuka. Study it carefully and answer, **in full sentences**, the questions that follow.

			3 rd – 7 th June										10 th – 14 th June									
			Mon		Tue		Wed		Thur		Fri		Mon		Tue		Wed		Thur		Fri	
No.	Candidates' Name	Sex	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A	M	A
1.	Alasa Patricia	F	M A R T Y R S D A Y				0										0	0				
2.	Atyang Christine	F																				
3.	Chandirah David	M																				
4.	Geno Daniel Oketcho	M																				
5.	Jameni Peace	F																	0	0		
6.	Jawor Allan Josiah	M																				
7.	Kundu Muhammad	M			0	0			0	0	0	0			0	0	0					
8.	Lumbasio Chris	M																				
9.	Mugabe Petero	M																				
10.	Nalumicha Peninah	F			0	0	0		0	0					0				0	0	0	0
11.	Olumbe Desterio	M																				
12.	Pamba Derrick	M																				
13.	Wafwayo Ebenezer	M																				
14.	Walubi Sam	M																				
15.	Yahaya Muzamiru	M					0	0														

KEY

- Present
- 0

– Absent

- (a) In which school was the above register used?

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- (b) How many male children are in the class?

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- (c) Name the month shown on the register.

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- (d) Which girl was the most regular in attendance?
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- (e) How many days did Kundu Muhammad attend?
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- (f) Which pupils missed one day according to the register?
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- (g) On which day were all the pupils present?
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.....
- (h) Why do you think Kundu Muhammad and Nahumicho Peninah will not perform well?
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- (i) What happened on Monday 3rd June?
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- (j) How many pupils were present in the morning of Wednesday 5th?
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54. The picture below shows pupils who are at the assembly grounds with visitors who have come to inspect the school's sanitation. Study it carefully and then, **in full sentences**, answer the questions that follow.



- (a) What is the woman at the front doing?

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- (b) How many visitors are addressing the pupils?

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- (c) Why do you think those visitors have come to the school?
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- (d) Who do you think is the man standing between two ladies behind?
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- (e) Where do you think the school children are standing?
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- (f) How many adults are in the picture?
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- (g) What is the man wearing a hat carrying?
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- (h) How many flags are in the school?
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- (i) What is the woman in the shade doing?
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- (j) What is the main work of the man wearing a hat?
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55. Alice visited her aunt one day. She was preparing to leave for the United States of America. What Aunt Liz said has been given. Fill in the blank spaces, with what you think were Alice’s correct responses.

Aunt Liz: You’re welcome to my house, daughter.

Alice :

Aunt Liz: Good afternoon to you too, my daughter. How are you?

Alice :

Aunt Liz: Good to hear that you are fine. You have been away for long. Where have you been?

Alice :

Aunt Liz: But you have always visited your grandparents during holidays. Why did you visit them early this time?

Alice :

Aunt Liz: You went to bid them farewell! Where are you going?

Alice : 

Aunt Liz : Wow! You are flying to the United States! What are you going to do there, daughter?

Alice :

Aunt Liz : How lucky you are! You mean the district has sponsored you for a one year’s training. Training in what?

Alice :

Aunt Liz : In athletics! I had never known that you are interested in athletics. Do you want to specialize in athletics?

Alice :

Aunt Liz : Kiprotich has inspired you! So you intend to win medals for your country.

Alice :

Aunt Liz : That is good if you want to develop your talent in short races. I wish you a safe stay in the states and good luck. Take good care of your life my daughter.

Alice :

