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**ENGLISH**

**Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes**

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**Read the following instructions carefully;**

1. This paper has two sections **A** and **B**
2. Answer all questions. All answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
3. All answer must be written using a blue or black ball point – pen or ink.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks.
5. Any hand writing that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill things in the boxes shown: “**for examiners’ Use only**”.

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Qn. No.	Marks	EXR's NO.
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## SECTION A (SUB SECTION I)

**In each of the 1 – 5 fill in the blank spaces with a suitable word**

1. The young man was convicted \_\_\_\_\_ murder.
2. Everybody in Gayaza village likes Mr. Kalukusu because he is \_\_\_\_\_ honest man.
3. Had I had enough money, I \_\_\_\_\_ gone to Dubai.
4. The soil will be eroded \_\_\_\_\_ when we plant trees in the compound.
5. Having paid her tax \_\_\_\_\_ to the conductor, the young woman alighted the bus.

**For questions 6 – 15, complete the sentences with the correct form of the word or words in the bracket.**

6. The two girls \_\_\_\_\_ permission before they left school. (**seek**)
7. Alice`s mother is a civil \_\_\_\_\_. (**engine**)
8. The association members have paid in their monthly \_\_\_\_\_ fee. (**subscribe**)
9. Immediately the patient entered the ambulance it \_\_\_\_\_ off to the hospital. (**speed**)
10. \_\_\_\_\_ waste is a hazard to the environment. (**industry**)
11. The head teacher walked \_\_\_\_\_ and attended to the visitor. (**hurry**)
12. While we were at the party, girls \_\_\_\_\_ soda to water. (**prefer**)
13. The \_\_\_\_\_ of all birds are weaver birds. (**noise**)
14. Hellen washed the table clothes and \_\_\_\_\_ them on the string. (**hang**)
15. This house was \_\_\_\_\_ built by the youth. (**volunteer**)

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

**16.** Mouth, Mouse, Moustache, Mountain.

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**17.** March, January, April, February.

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**In questions 18 – 20, rewrite these sentences giving the opposite of the underlined group of word.**

**18.** My father built a temporary house.

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**19.** The entrance for the petrol station was closed forever.

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**20.** The maid was rewarded for what she did.

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**For questions 21 and 22, rewrite the sentences giving one word for the underlined group of words.**

**21.** I bought this mobile phone at a very low price.

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**22.** The pupils sitting an examination will be briefed by all teachers.

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**For questions 23 to 24, use each of the words in sentences to show that you know the difference in their meanings.**

**23.** Cheat

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**24.** Chit

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**For questions 25 and 26, re write the sentences to form a meaningful sentence.**

**25.** Pandemic is covid19 a.

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26. Are these men what handsome.

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**For questions 27 and 28, write the abbreviations in full.**

27. VIA:

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28. CCTV:

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**For questions 29 and 30, rewrite the sentences giving the plural form of the underlined words.**

29. My mother bought a mouse trap.

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30. The trader's smart phone could have been snatched by a street boy.

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## **SUB SECTION II**

**For each of the questions 31 – 50, re write as instructed in the brackets.**

31. The pupils took tea, they went to play. (Rewrite as one sentence beginning: No sooner.....)

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32. The carpenter has made a table, it is nice, it is round, it is dining table. (Rewrite as one sentence without using "**which**", "**and**" or "**that**")

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33. Mummy came back from work at 2:00pm. We had lunch at 1:00pm. (Rewrite as one sentence beginning by the time .....)

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34. You should mind your dressing in public. (Rewrite the sentence beginning with One .....)

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- 35.** It was not necessary for our parents to worry about us.  
(Rewrite using .....needn`t.....)
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- 36.** A tiger is a very dangerous animal. (Rewrite the sentence beginning  
What .....)
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- 37.** Mbarara is a long way from Kasese. (Rewrite the sentence using  
.....not .....)
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- 38.** The manager and the staff had a meeting for four hours.  
(Rewrite the sentence ending .....meeting.)
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- 39.** You should sit on the front bench. You do not hear well.  
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning since .....)
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- 40.** Our teacher does not know the boy. The boy took his phone.  
(join the two sentences using .....who.....)
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- 41.** If you use much water, your bill will be high.  
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: The .....the .....)
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- 42.** My hand bag was stolen as I was leaving the market.  
(Rewrite the sentence using .....robbed .....)
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- 43.** Alice did not go to school yesterday, did she?  
(Rewrite the sentence ending .....didn` t she?)
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- 44.** The puppy drank the baby`s milk in the jug.  
(Rewrite the sentence ending .....by the puppy.)
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- 45.** If Felix doesn`t respect teachers, he will be suspended from school.  
(Rewrite the sentence using .....or else .....)
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- 46.** Mr. Buwaya is a very wise man. Everybody in the village respects him.  
(Join the sentence using .....such .....that .....)
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- 47.** Nankya comes to school late, Nankya`s friends come to school late.  
(Rewrite as one sentence using .....and so .....)
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- 48.** Mandela international stadium was built in 2000.  
(Write a question for the above statement)
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- 49.** The assembly went on well. The head mistress was absent.  
(Join the two sentences beginning Despite .....)
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- 50.** Our teacher likes reading magazines. He likes reading newspapers more.(Join the two sentences using .....would rather.....)
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## SECTION B

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

- 51.** It is very important to care for our environment so as to save for the future generation. The environment includes; plants, animals, insects and non-living things such as water bodies, soil, animals and rocks.

There are many ways we can care for the environment. This can be through afforestation and re- afforestation to protect flora and fauna, poaching should be stopped to protect animals, disposing all wastes in the right place to control pollution and terracing land in hilly areas to control soil erosion.

It is dangerous if people do not protect the environment. This will result into extinction of some animal species. This is evident when we talk about the dinosaurs which existed many years ago but because they were not cared for, they had to disappear completely and you can hardly find their remains.

Misuse of the environment can also lead to disasters such as landslides, floods, desertification and famine etc. The above disasters have claimed many lives of people in many countries of the world. Therefore, we all need to speak the same language in order to save our environment.

## Questions

(a) Suggest a suitable title for the passage above.

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(b) Why should people protect the environment?

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(c) Write any one component of the environment mentioned in the passage.

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(d) According to the passage, why should people practice afforestation and re afforestation?

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(e) What should be done to control soil erosion in hilly areas?

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(f) What will happen if animals are not protected?

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(g) What will misuse of the environment lead to?

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(h) What do we call need to do in order to save the environment?

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(i). give a word or group of words to mean the same as the words underlined in the passage

i) Extinction

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ii) Disaster

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**52.** Read the notice below and answer the questions that follow.

<b>FOOTBALL</b>	<b>FOOTBALL</b>	<b>FOOTBALL</b>
Uganda cranes Vs Kenya Harambe Stars		
<b>Venue:</b> Mandella National Stadium		
<b>Date:</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> /August 2023		
<b>Kickoff:</b> 4:00pm		
<b>Fee:</b>		
<b>Adults:</b>	15,000/=	
<b>Children:</b>	5,000/=	
<b>Come</b> one come all		
Don` t miss		
<b>FUFA president</b>		
<b>20<sup>th</sup> August, 2023</b>		

### Questions

(a) What is the notice about?

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) Which team is hosting the match?

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(c) Where will the match be held?

\_\_\_\_\_

(d) Which teams are playing?

\_\_\_\_\_

(e) At what time will the match start?

\_\_\_\_\_

(f) When was the above notice written?

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**53. The sentences below are not in correct order, rewrite them in the correct order to form a short composition about "THE MUSIC INDUSTRY"**

- a.** This is regardless of whether they are talented or not.
- b.** People with such music just want to make quick money.
- c.** The music industry is one of the most booming businesses today.
- d.** Such music is educative, informative and builds good morals.
- e.** Because of this, many people have opted to joining it.
- f.** It`s important to note that music without talent is short lived.
- g.** Artist like the late Papa Wemba produced this kind of music.
- h.** All other artists therefore should emulate him.
- i.** However, music with talent will always thrive.
- j.** That`s why lots of his music albums have sold all over the world.

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- 54.** Below is a conversation between a P.7 pupil “Ali” and Mr. Masaba Baker. Study it carefully and fill in the words you think were said by Ali.

**Masaba:** Good afternoon, young man.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** What is your name?

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** Yes, I am a banker. I work with this branch.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** Yes, I can know the banking procedure very well.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** If you want to bank money, you will enter and stand in a line.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** Yes, you need to have a bank pay in slip.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** You have to fill in the bank pay in slip.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** When filling in, arrange the money according to denominations.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** No, it is better to begin with the big notes and then the small ones.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** Oh, yes. Write your name here.

**Ali:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Masaba:** You are right, now hand in everything to the cashier.

**Ali:** Thank you Sir.

**Masaba:** You are welcome, good luck.

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