



HILLSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
**EXAMINATIONS**  
**2023**

**ENGLISH (SET FIVE)**

*Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes*

Index No.	Random No.					Personal No.		

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**Read the following instructions carefully**

1. The 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** answers must be written using a blue or black ball-point pen or fountain pen.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks.
5. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in boxes indicated: "**For Examiners' Use Only**" and those inside the paper.

FOR EXAMINERS' USE ONLY		
Qn. No.	MARKS	EXRS' 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 the questions 1 to 10, use the correct form of the word given in brackets to complete the sentence.*

1. When she.....happy, she smiles. (to be)
2. A friend of..... took part in the Maths contest.  
(Walusimbi)
3. Of the triplets, Kemishego is the ..... (ugly)
4. I was the ..... in my class last term. (one)
5. Pauline has.....her dress on the line to dry.  
(hang)
6. If Kasiwa....., he would not be in jail. (not steal)
7. Susan bought two.....of bread yesterday. (loaf)
8. The word 'ewe' has funny..... (pronounce)
9. Why are you.....dress today? (shabby)
10. One ought to respect.....all the time. (one)

*In question 11 to 15, fill in the blanks with a correct word or group of words to complete the sentence.*

11. The preacher told his .....to trust in God.
12. Ojik is not strong .....to support himself  
without a walking stick.
13. Maria mustn't be abusive to her friends, .....?
14. We have been writing this test ..... morning.
15. ....Tom nor his sister was at the meeting.

In each of the question 16 to 17, use the given words in a sentence to show that you understand their meaning.

16. herd

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17. Heard

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In each of the questions 18 to 20, rewrite the sentences giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

18. My young brother ate his food in quite a hurry.

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19. His wife's mother is an intelligent woman.

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20. Go to the shop where meat is bought and buy two kilograms of meat.

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In each of the question 21 to 22, re-arrange the words in dictionary form.

21. majority, minor, major ,minority

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22. float, fresh, flat, feast

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In each of the questions 23 to 25, write the short form of the given words.

23. And so on.....  
24. I have.....  
25. Shall not .....

*In each of the questions 26 to 27, re arrange the given words to make correct sentences.*

26. is Mumpi boy what short a!  
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27. people of get nowadays accidents a lot.  
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*In questions 28 to 30, write the plural form of the following words.*

28. Chimney.....  
29. news is.....  
30. equipment.....

### **Sub-section II**

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

31. There is hardly any food in the kitchen.  
(Re-write the sentence using: .....some.....)  
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32. Musote was bitten by a poisonous snake yesterday.  
(Re-write the sentence beginning: A poisonous.....)  
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33. Ochineg is tall. Oppionek is also tall. (Rewrite using:....as...as.....)  
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34. That teacher is very honest. Everybody likes him.  
(Join the sentences and use:.....such.....that.....)  
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35. She enjoyed rice more than posho when she was in school.  
(Re-write the sentence using:.....prefer.....)  
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36. Children ran for food as soon as the bell went.  
(Rewrite beginning: No sooner.....)  
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37. Our teacher is unwell. He has not taught us today.  
(Re-write the two sentences as one using...because.....)  
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38. This exam is tricky. Bampe cannot pass it.  
(Re-write the sentences as one and use.....too.....to...)  
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39. My mother said I am going to Nakasero market.

(Punctuate the sentence correctly)

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40. I came here last week. I wanted to copy down lost work.

(Join the sentences using.....so that.....)

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41. Julius is permitted to go out of school. David is also permitted to go out of school. (Re-write as one sentence and begin: Both.....)

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42. Barbra has left for London. Her mother works with us.

(Join the sentences using.....whose.....)

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43. "I have had my breakfast," my sister said to me.

(Re-write as one sentence and beginning: My sister told me.....)

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44. You will enter the main hall after paying the entrance fee.

(Rewrite beginning: Unless.....)

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45. There are ten litres of milk in this jerry can.  
(Rewrite the sentence using.....contains.....)  
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46. An apple is juicy. An orange is very Juicy.  
(Re-write the sentence using.....than.....)  
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47. He comes here every day.  
(Rewrite the sentence in the past simple tense)  
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48. The teacher is teaching us. He started teaching at 7:30a.m. He is still teaching us. (Re-write as one sentence using.....since....)  
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49. Okia lent me a dictionary. (Rewrite using.....borrow....)  
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50. He can speak English fluently, can't he?  
(Re-write the sentence and end....can he?)  
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## SECTION B: 50 MARKS

Questions 51 to 55 carry ten marks each

51. *The following sentences are not in order. Re-arrange them in their correct order to make a good story.*

- a) Bet everyone present said they did not know.
- b) He asked for her name but she said nothing.
- c) My young and inquisitive sister said it and hurriedly went out.
- d) Fortunately, Mother who had been on the search everywhere appeared and rescued her.
- e) She began crying, with her hands on her head.
- f) Yesterday someone opened our gate.
- g) He tried to find out if anyone knew the girl.
- h) The young girl walked along the road all by herself.
- i) The shopkeeper saw her and went to offer a helping hand.
- j) When she felt sad?

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52. Read the passage below with care and answer in full sentence the questions that follow in full sentence.

It was a Wednesday night when a four-year-old girl, Little Sandra went missing. There was such a great panic and alarm in the house that her elder sister, Martha started crying non-stop. The housekeeper rushed wildly while shouting out into the garden, hunting behind every bush. Little Sandra's mother sank in her chair weeping, quite sure that her little one had fallen into the well and drowned. When Little Sandra's dad pointed out that the well was very dry, the mother was then sure that she would be lying under the bottom of a broken tank.

As for Martha, she thought that her sister had been kidnapped and that the kidnappers would ask for a large sum of money (ransom) before freeing her. When Little Sandra's father said that, children of the rich parents would be kidnapped in that manner, Martha called him a heartless old man. Meanwhile, the two servants at home were running to and fro stairs searching every room including the cupboard.

Finally, and luckily, it was Martha who discovered Little Sandra seated in the store behind its locked door. Covered in honey and very happy. Upon seeing little Sandra, Martha was shocked and overjoyed. She then wiped her tears, gave her sister a warm hug and walked her to the main house to the amazement of the parents and everyone.

### **Questions**

a) What is the passage about?

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b) How many people are mentioned in the story?

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c) When did the said person go missing?

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d) How old was Little Sandra?

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e) Who thought Little Sandra had been kidnapped?

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f) Who, according to the story, sank in the chair weeping?

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g) What would the kidnappers ask for so as to release Little Sandra?

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h) Give another word or group of words that mean(s) the same as the one below.

i) freeing .....

ii) finally .....

j) Suggest a suitable title for the passage.

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53. Study the notice below carefully and in full sentences answer the questions that follow.

**GREAT DEBATE! GREAT DEBATE**

Motion: SHOULD GOVERNMENT RELAX COVID 19 SOP'S IN  
SCHOOLS?

Proposer: Nakasero Primary School (KCCA)

Opposer: Municipal Primary School (Mbarara City)

Date: Friday, August 26, 2022

Time: 10. 00a.m – 12:00 noon.

Venue: Nakasero Primary School Main Hall.

Chairperson: Hon. Connie (Nansamba Nakasero P/S)

Secretary: Hon. Dan Mwambutsya (Municipal P/s)

**Proposers**

1. Hon. Rosette Auma

2. Hon. John Bate

**Opposers.**

1. Kamashari Ann

2. Jerry Nshuti

- a) What is the notice about?

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- b) According to the notice, which school will argue in support of the motion?

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c) When will the debate take place?

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d) From where are the opposers?

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e) Who will preside over the debate?

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f) Where will the debate be held?

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g) Why do you think debating is important?

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h) How long will the debate last?

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i) At what time will the debate end according to the notice?

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j) How many speakers does the debate have?

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54. *Read the poem carefully and in full sentences answer the questions about it.*

**Drugs and Poverty**

Drugs! Drugs!  
All of us endangered by you  
Fathers embarrassing you  
As they kill time useful time  
Death my wish to you

Drugs! Drugs!  
Our livelihoods you destroy  
Salt no sugar no school fees no  
All our money you east  
Death, you deserve.

Drugs! Drugs!  
Drugs addicts- our fathers  
Merciless they are  
Beatings our mothers enjoy at night  
The cause being you  
Your death I pray for

Drugs! Drugs!  
Strong I wish I were  
Landing you down with a blow  
But lucky you are  
For I am weak and small.  
Tomorrow I am big, strong, your end!  
(Anonymous)



a) What is the poem about?

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b) How many stanzas has the poem?

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c) In your view, who is endangered by drugs?

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d) Who wastes useful time according to the poem?

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e) In which stanza are mothers suffering?

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f) Why can't the writer kill the enemy?

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g) Who is the poet?

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h) What is the writer's wish in all the stanzas?

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i) Write two necessary things the writer is lacking.

- i. ....
- ii. ....

55. Use the words given below to complete the guided dialogue between a teacher and his 10 year old pupil, Alex.

Teacher: Good morning, Alex

Alex: Good morning.....

Teacher: Why were you absent yesterday?

Alex: Sir, I was absent yesterday..... I was unwell

Teacher: What was the problem exactly?

Alex: I had a bad..... throughout the day and when  
the night set I started..... up

Teacher: Did you see a..... for examination?

Alex: No, I ....., sir, but my mother visited the doctor and he  
..... some medicine which I am taking.

Teacher: Well, you might have just eaten or drunk.....  
bad

Alex: I thank God am getting.....

Teacher: you are welcome back to school, Alex.

Alex: ..... you very much, sir.

Doctor	something	throwing	thank	prescribe
better	for	stomach	sir	didn't

**END**