

GREENHILL ACADEMY SCHOOLS

PRE- PLE JOINT SET FIVE 2021

ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully.

1. This paper is made up of two Sections: A and B
2. Section A, Sub section 1 has 30 questions (30 marks) and Sub section II has 20 questions. (20 marks)
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 marks)
4. Attempt ALL questions. All answers to both Section A and B MUST be written in the spaces provided.
5. ALL answers must be written in blue or black ballpoint or ink. Only diagrams and graphs work must be done in pencil.
6. Unnecessary alteration of work will lead to loss of marks.
7. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read May lead to loss of marks
8. NO calculators are allowed in the examination room.

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SUB-SECTION I

Fill in a suitable word to complete each sentence below.

1. We last visited the zoo three years _____.
2. The sick girls were taken to the _____ for treatment.
3. We go to school _____ foot sometimes.
4. The elephant is looking after its little _____.
5. December is the _____ month of the year.

Use the correct form of the word in brackets to complete each sentence below.

6. All the crops were _____ in the dry season. (harvest)
7. Amuriat has three _____ on his farm. (sheep)
8. She did not take any piece of _____ from her mother.
(advise)
9. Of the two, a zebra and a giraffe, a giraffe walks
_____.(quicky)
10. The boys are _____ firewood on their heads. (carry)
11. Mrs. Mwali _____ her cow every evening.(milk)
12. What a _____ room this is! (space)
13. As soon as it started raining, the swamps _____. (flood)
14. The piece of soap that got lost was _____.(my)
15. Most _____ in Uganda don't plant pumpkins in
their gardens.(community)

Arrange the following words to make meaningful sentences.

16. posted I letters have three today.

17. often watch How cartoons do you?

18. terrible brother my thief a what is!

Construct sentences using each of the words below to show that you know the difference in their meanings.

19. sight _____

20. site _____

For questions 23-24, rewrite the sentences giving one word for the underlined group of words.

21. We need to load **the money used to make calls** on your phone because you have to make a number of calls today.

22. The **officer who works as a judge in the lower courts of law** has not appeared today.

For questions 25 to 26, give the plural form of the words below.

23. directory _____

24. security officer _____

For questions 25 to 27, rewrite the sentences giving the opposites of the underlined word.

25. The speaker spoke so **softly** that the audience did not hear clearly.

26. My **niece** won a prize last summer.

27. She spoke **for** the motion

For questions 26 and 27, write the abbreviations in full.

28. tbsp _____

29. UWA _____

30. he's _____

In questions 31 to 50, rewrite as instructed in brackets.

31. My sister likes Mid-term examinations while my brother likes End of term examinations. (Rewrite the sentences usingwhereas....)

32. Ayena was late. He completed his examination on time. (Rewrite the sentence using...in spite of)

33. If Jeddah gets money, she will pay for the advert. (Begin: Jeddah would.....)

34. It was not necessary for you to buy an old radio. (Rewrite the sentence using.....needn't.....)

35. Were you going to the studio, Mary?" the manager asked. (Rewrite beginning: The manager wanted.....)

36. The old lady was taken to the police. Her goats destroyed the neighbour's crops. (Join the two sentences using:whose)

37. The waiter and the waitress did not see the robber enter the restaurant. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: Neither)

38. The toolbox was too heavy for the carpenter to carry alone. (Rewrite the sentence as two separate sentences.)

39. This book is Mary's. (Rewrite using.....owner.....)

40. I will meet the chairman. I want to talk to him about village by- laws. (Join as one sentence using.....so that.....)

41. All the pupils come to school very late. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: None.....)

42. Rebecca is my great friend. (Rewrite endingmine.)

43. Kanya got an accident. His friends gave him first aid there and then. (Join the two sentences using:immediately.....)

44. A cheetah runs very fast. A tiger runs very fast.
(Join the two sentences using ...as.....as.....)

45. Moses prefers dancing to sleeping. (Rewrite the sentences using.....does not.....)

46. Lessons will begin at 10.00 o'clock. Maato will arrive at 9.00 o'clock. (Join as one sentence beginning: By the time.....)

47. The parents will go to school to meet the head teacher. (Form a suitable question to the given statement)

48. You are part of the party arrangements. I am part of the party of the party arrangements. (Begin: Both.....)

49. Our Primary Leaving Examination is likely to be very simple. (Rewrite the sentence using.....might.....)

50. One by one.....(complete the proverb correctly)

Section B

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

A VISIT TO GOMBA

Last Saturday, after prayers on Active Television, we held a family meeting where we decided that we would travel to Gomba by bus. Our relatives lived in Gomba and we had last visited them some years ago. Our eldest brother, Nsereko Andrew, was then a Primary Five pupil but he is now in Senior Three.

It was on a sunny Wednesday afternoon when we bid farewell to our dad and left home for the bus station. We were all excited to travel to our mother's home district. Before boarding the bus, we sanitised our hands and masked our faces.

The journey to Gomba was very interesting indeed. We admired not only the forests along the road but also the papyri. My little brother, Bernard, asked Mother to buy some pieces of chicken for him but she refused. She told us that it was not healthy to eat anyhow, especially when there is COVID-19.

At exactly 1.00 pm, we reached Gomba Town like the bus driver had promised. We all thanked God who had enabled us to reach safely. Some of our cousins and relatives, who were waiting for us at the bus station, were glad to see us. They asked us to sanitise our hands immediately. After sanitising our hands, they led us to two cars that had parked a few metres away from the bus. The cars took us to our grandparents' home that was four kilometres away from Gomba Town.

Questions

1. On which television were the prayers?

2. How did the family travel to Gomba?

3. Who was the writer's eldest brother?

4. What did the children do before boarding the bus?

5. Apart from the forests, what else did the children admire?

6. Who is the writer's little brother?

7. At what time did the children reach Gomba Town?

8. Why do you think it was right for the children to sanitise their hands?

9. What didn't mother buy chicken for Bernard?

10. Where was the grandparents' home?

52. The advertisement below appeared in The Daily Monitor newspapers of Wednesday, 12th January 2021. Read it and answer the questions that follow in full sentences.

GOD CARES BAKERY

(We provide the best cakes)

God Cares Bakery would like to fill the vacant post of marketing officer. (4 applicants are needed)

Requirements: A bachelor's degree in marketing and sales.

Experience: At least five years of working experience in a recognized enterprise in a similar post. Driving is an added advantage.

Duties: Widening the company's market area in Uganda.

Duty station: Kiboga District

Communication: Fluent in English, Runyankole, Rutooro, Lhukonzo and Rukiga

Age: Between 27 - 35 years

Remuneration / Salary: Attractive and competitive. 20 million shillings monthly

A hand written application should be addressed and delivered to the company personnel officer not later than 7th February, 2021.

Kalevu Lawrence

Publishing Secretary

11th January 2021

Questions

1. Which company made the advertisement above?

2. In which newspaper can one find the advertisement above?

3. Which post was advertised?

4. What will be the duty of the successful applicant?

5. In which district will the successful applicant work?

6. How many languages should the applicants know?

7. What should be the minimum age of the applicant?

8. Which service does God Cares Bakery provide?

9. How many years of working experience should the applicant possess?

10. What do you think is likely to happen to the applicants, who will deliver their application letters on 8th December, 2017?

53. The pictures **A - F** tell a story. Write a sentence about each picture to describe what is happening. You may use the following words: cut, chasing, banana, arrest, police station, run, prison, pleading, plantation, handcuff, sticks, thief



- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____
- f. _____

g. Did the thief succeed in stealing the banana?

h. Where is the thief in picture in **F**?

i. What happened to the thief in picture **D**?

j. Suggest a suitable title to the picture.

55. **Rearrange the following sentences to make a meaningful composition.**

1. Every second term, our school holds Music Dance and Drama inter-house competitions
2. When everyone had got the right costume, the MC started inviting house after house to the stage.
3. On that Friday, most learners arrived early at school.
4. The house patrons welcomed them and gave out costumes to everyone.
5. Every participant tried their costume on to be sure that they were fitting.
6. Every house that went on stage did their best and left the audience gaped.
7. For those whom the costumes didn't fit, asked for others.
8. They directly went to their house rooms where their house patrons were.
9. At the end of the day, the adjudicators announced the champions.
10. For the second term this year, we had the competition on Friday.

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