

KISORO DISTRICT PRIVATE PRIMARY SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION (KIPRISA) PRIMARY LEAVING JOINT MOCK EXAMINATION 2023 ENGLISH

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes.

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Candidate's Name:

Candidate's Signature:

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District Name:

Read the following instructions carefully:

1. This paper is made up of two sections: A and B.
2. Section A has 50 questions (50 Marks)
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 Marks)
4. Answer **ALL** questions in both sections A and B.
5. All answers must be written in the space provided in blue or black ball point pens and ink. Only diagrams should be done in pencil.
6. Unnecessary crossing of answers will lead to loss of marks.
7. Any handwriting, which cannot be easily read, may lead to loss of marks.
8. Do **not** fill anything in the boxes indicated for Examiners' use only.

FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY		
QN. No.	MARKS	SIGN
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TOTAL		

Turn Over

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SECTION .A. (50 Marks)

Subsection I

Fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

1. Is it true that their tribal leader is _____ eunuch?
 2. A _____ of milk is not as costly as a kilogram of meat.
 3. When Kayesu's parents died in an accident, she started leaning _____ her uncle for school fees.
 4. After _____ the dough, the baker cut it into circular balls.
 5. Naughty children are not liked by anybody because they behave _____.
- Use the correct form of the word in brackets to complete the sentence.**
6. Your _____ this year depends on how hard-working you are.(succeed)
 7. She usually visits her _____ during the Christmas festive season.(relate)
 8. The birthday cake was _____ decorated with icing.(beauty)
 9. Being a _____ season, many people are suffering from flu and cough.(sun)
 10. The herdsman was arrested for _____ a calf.(injury) ☐
 11. Mighty FC has taken the trophy for the _____ time in a row.(four)
 12. He hurt _____ while he was nailing a chair. (self)
 13. My aunt has just _____ birth to a bouncing baby boy.(give)
 14. The newly-constructed kitchen at our school has two _____.(chimney)
 15. Of the two debaters, Ssewungu was the _____.(clever)

Give the plural form of the given word.

16. thesaurus _____
17. diary _____

Rewrite the sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

18. Her father's father passed on on Monday.

19. We shall face PLE papers with confidence.

20. The sun appears above the horizon in the East.

Write the full form of the given short form.

21. Dr. _____ ☐
22. Sec. _____

Rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

23. Her nephew scored aggregate four.

24. The motorcyclist has a new reflector jacket.

Use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know their difference in a meaning.

25. pray

26. prey

Rearrange the words in alphabetical order.

27. thirdborn, firstborn, secondborn, fourthborn

28. bell, cupboard, chair, ball

Rearrange the given words to form a meaningful sentence.

29. doctor A people who treats sick are.

30. old is Deziderio Mzee How?

Subsection II

Rewrite the sentence as instructed in brackets.



31. "I disagree with the previous speaker," said Almiron. (Use:.....do not.....)

32. The winners were celebrating. The losers were looking at them miserably. (Begin: While...)

33. It is very bad to speak vernacular at our school. (End:bad.)

34. If the candidate gives a strong manifesto, he will win the election. (Use:.....would win.....)

35. Ruhanga Nakora is a very caring teacher. All pupils in her class feel happy when she enters their classroom. (Join using:.....such.....that....)

36. The ignorant man impregnated his biological daughter so he was imprisoned. (Rewrite using:.....because.....)

37. Have you arrived at your destination safely? (Use:.....reach.....)

38. Ketty would rather sleep hungry than eat omena. (Use:.....prefers.....)

39. Kushemererwa was always happy. Mashemererwa was always very happy. (Join as one sentence using:than)

40. Teachers teach schoolchildren. (Begin: Schoolchildren.....)

41. Koi Koi is not a Kenyan national. (Use:.....come from.....)



42. "I do not know where the duster is," says Moses. (Begin: Moses says that.....)
43. Murisa rears rabbits. Murisa rears sheep. (Join as one sentence using:.....not only.....)
44. The incoming prefects are eager to swear in before taking office. (Use:.....looking forward.....)
45. The mother rarely feeds her baby on fried food. (Use:.....often.....)
46. The conductor charged us some money for the luggage, didn't he? (End....., did he?)
47. Our head teacher has a smartphone. It is new. It is expensive. It is blue. It is made in China. (Join as one sentence without using which, that or and)
48. That is the man. My sister is married to him. (Use:.....whom.....)
49. Buzia started schooling very recently. (Use:.....just.....)
50. The crozier belongs to the Bishop. (Begin: The Bishop is the.....)

SECTION .B. (50 MARKS)

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

The headlines of the news in English on 26th January, 2023 left me in a terrified state. As usual, my favourite newsreader on Hot FM, Ms Cathy Kabarebe, in a soothing voice, said "the PLE results, 2022 will be released tomorrow."

Oh my God! Shall I make it to the secondary school of my first choice? Will I get a bike which my father promised to buy for me in case I attain aggregate four? I hardly got a suitable response to these questions. I waited for the sun to set but the day seemed longer than usual.

Later in the evening after supper, my parents and I prayed and went to sleep. I had no sooner fallen asleep than I dreamt that I had got aggregate five. I woke up, went to my parents' bedroom and told them about the dream. They all responded "Amen, our son!" Early the following morning, I woke up, washed my face and went to the living room. I switched on the television and waited for the official release of our results.

At about 11:00a.m., the Executive Director of UNEB, Mr. Dan Odongo started giving the details of candidates' performance nationwide. To my surprise, he said that cheats' results had been withheld. I was never affected because my school never takes part in examination malpractice.

At exactly midday, the minister of education and sports who is also the first lady Her Excellency Janet Kataaha Museveni released the results officially. In a moment, my father typed a phone message; PLE left space, put my index number (010401/003) and sent it to 6600. He was charged 500= for the same message. Within the blink of an eye, it was a new message inbox. After reading it, my father threw the phone down, ran and hugged my mother. He told her, "What our dear son dreamt about has a hundred per cent come true."

I joined them hurriedly. We danced, and danced until we felt very tired. It was through being hard-working and determined minus being lazy that I, Opolot Mark, became a successful candidate at Success Overflows Primary School.

Questions

(a) In what state was the writer after listening to the news headlines?

(b) Who is the writers' favourite newsreader?

(c) According to the passage, when were the PLE results, 2022 released?

(d) What did the writer's father promise to do in case his son got aggregate four?

(e) According to the UNEB Executive Director, who did not get their results?

(f) What was the writer's index number?

(g) How much money did the phone message cost the writer?

(h) At which school did the writer sit his PLE?

(i) Give a word or group of words with the same meaning as the underlined word as used in the passage;

(i) response _____

(ii) hurriedly _____

52. (A) Study the information below carefully and answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.



HIGH FIVE PRIMARY SCHOOL

PERMISSION CHIT

PUPILS NAME: ALOYO BAYO

CLASS: P.6

REASON: DENTAL CHECK-UP

DATE: 22.03.2023 EXPECTED RETURN DATE: TODAY (AFTERNOON)

(MORNING)

TAKEN BY: JOMMO MONG (PARENT)

PERMITTED BY: A.G

AGABA GODIUS (DEPUTY HEAD TEACHER)

Questions

(a) What do we call the above information?

(b) When was this pupil permitted?

(c) In which class is Aloyo Bayo?

(d) Which important person do you think examined the pupil?

(e) Who permitted this pupil?

(B) Below is Oswald's personal revision timetable for Saturday and Sunday in preparation for mock, 2023. Study it with care and answer in full sentences the question that follow.

Day	7:00a.m.- 8:00a.m.	8:00a.m.- 9:00a.m.	9:00a.m.- 10:00a.m.	10:00a.m.- 2:00p.m.	2:00p.m.- 3:00p.m.	3:00p.m.- 6:00p.m.	3:00p.m.- 6:00p.m.
Sat.	English	Mathematics	Science	B R E A k	Social studies	English	Personal administration
Sun.	Religious Education	Social studies	Prayers		Science	Mathe- matics	

Questions

(a) What is the above table about?

(b) For what is the owner of the timetable preparing?

(c) How many subjects does Oswald revise on Saturday?

(d) For how long does Oswald revise each subject?

(e) Which subject does Oswald revise once within two days?

53. Read the poem below carefully and answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

Your wisdom is unmatched
Expressed clearly in your book
A book all learners yearn for
To increase their vocabulary.

You included all words
Alphabetically in their respective word classes
Pronunciation made easier
No word you spell wrongly!

You explain in detail
The meaning of each word
Your name is unique
Salute the lexicographer.

Dickson

(a) Which book do you think the writer is talking about?

(b) Why do all learners yearn for this book?

(c) How are words in this book included?

(d) What has this book made easier?

(e) What does the writer of this book explain in detail?

(f) According to the last stanza, who wrote the book being talked about?

(g) How many stanzas does the poem have?

(h) Suggest a word or group of words with the same meaning as the underlined word as used in the poem;

(i) learners

(ii) spell wrongly

(i) Suggest a suitable title for the poem

14. The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rearrange them to form a composition about my aunt's graduation.

(a) What a red letter day this was!

(b) They included friends, classmates and relatives.

(c) On the day of graduation, she organised a very big bash.

(d) Apart from dancing, they also cheered my aunt as she walked on the red carpet

(e) My aunt graduated last month.

(f) The cake was shaped like the Bible.

(g) All the above people were happy to have been invited to the occasion.

(h) To the bash, very many people were invited.

(i) The carpet walk was followed by slicing the cake.

(j) They showed their happiness by dancing.

55. The pictures A-F tell a story. Study them carefully and in one sentence, describe what is happening in each picture. The following words may help you.
(logs, cut, boy, tree, rabbit, construct, hutch, feed, cabbage leaves, thatch, carry)



(a) Picture A: _____

(b) Picture B: _____

(c) Picture C: _____

(d) Picture D: _____

(e) Picture E: _____

(f) Picture F: _____

(g) What did the boy use to climb in Picture E?

(h) Why do you think rabbits should be sheltered?

(i) What is the boy carrying in Picture C?

(j) Suggest a suitable title for the picture composition.

END