

# GREATTHINKERS EXAMINATION BOARD

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ENGLISH – P.7



TIME: 2HRS 15 MINS

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**Read the following instructions carefully**

1. This paper consists 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. All answers to both sections **A** and **B** **MUST** be written in the spaces provided.
5. **All** answers must be written in **blue ball point pen** or **ink**. Any work done in **pencil** except diagrams will not be marked.
6. Any **unpunctuated** work e.g. without full stops, commas, question marks etc will **NOT** be marked.
7. **Untidy work** (unnecessary crossing/ rubbing out work) will lead to loss of marks.
8. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks

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Question No.	Marks	Initials.
1-10		
11-20		
21-30		
31-50		
51		
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**SECTION A**  
**Sub-section I**

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

1. It cost me a lot of money to \_\_\_\_\_ my car when it broke down.
2. Some roads in Uganda are narrow while others are \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Peter is \_\_\_\_\_ a honest man that everybody likes him.
4. The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ son died was given a leave of two weeks.
5. When my eyes could not see well, I went to the \_\_\_\_\_ to buy spectacles.

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

6. The \_\_\_\_\_ has been arrested by police. (crime)
7. The chef made the \_\_\_\_\_ with the help of his assistant. (prepare)
8. That lady is an auntie of \_\_\_\_\_. (we)
9. Having washed his clothes, Becky \_\_\_\_\_ them on the line. (hang)
10. All the invigilators and the \_\_\_\_\_ arrived at the centre early. (supervise)
11. Mr. Odeke is \_\_\_\_\_ than Mr. Odong. (strict)
12. She feels \_\_\_\_\_ whenever she runs. (thirst)
13. People who live in \_\_\_\_\_ areas are agriculturalists. (mountains)
14. The twins shut the window by \_\_\_\_\_. (them)
15. Only two \_\_\_\_\_ for senior one students had remained in King's college Buddo. (vacancy)

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

16. revise, resolve, explode, expand

17. blunt , blush, beach, block

**In questions 18 and 19, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.**

18. peace

19. piece

**In questions 20 and 21, re-write the sentences giving the opposite form of the underlined word.**

20. My father bore only two sons.

21. Tom gave a very accurate answer.

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**In questions 22 and 23, write the sentences giving the plural form of the given words.**

22. Monkey's tail \_\_\_\_\_

23. an acre of land \_\_\_\_\_

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**In questions 24 and 25, re-arrange the given words to form a correct sentence.**

24. that sick was she said she.

25. community school How to useful the is?

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**In questions 26 and 27, write the abbreviations in full.**

26. Assoc. \_\_\_\_\_

27. he'll \_\_\_\_\_

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**In questions 28 to 30, re-write the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.**

28. After two weeks of illness, the boy is getting well again.

29. The mourners sympathized with the woman whose husband died.

30. My mother sent me to the place where milk is sold.

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### **Sub-section II**

**In questions 31 to 50, re-write the sentence as instructed in the brackets.**

31. Fred is very fast. He cannot lose the race. (Re-write using: ...too to....)

32. Every teacher was smart yesterday. (Re-write beginning: All.....)

33. Both Nakato and Babirye are twin children. (Re-write using: .....and so.....)

34. The pit latrine has been dug by those men. (End: ..... the pit latrine)

35. The people in our village were surprised when the president departed.  
(Re-write the sentence beginning: The departure.....)

36. She has some money to spend, doesn't she? (Re-write ending: ....does she?)

37. Henry will travel to Nairobi next week. (Re-write using: .....giving to .....)

38. I have a short dress. It is pink. It is pretty. (Re-write as one sentence without using: "and", "which" or "that")
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39. As the boys were sweeping the class, the girls were washing utensils. (Re-write sentence using:.....while.....)
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40. Hon. Ken Lukyamuzi did not manage to win the elections. (Re-write the sentence using: ... succeed ...)
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41. All the boys were shabbily dressed. (Re-write beginning: None .....)
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42. Even though he is knowledgeable, he can't teach children. (Begin: Despite his.....)
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43. The teacher said that the pupils would break up for holidays the following week. (Re-write the sentence beginning: The teacher said, .....)
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44. That is the hill. The soldiers used to stay there. (Join using: where...)
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45. Is this the boy? He stole your money. (Join as one sentence using: .....who.....)
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46. If I play soccer, I will become fit. (Re-write using: .....would become.....)
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47. Jane is humble. Bella is humble too. (Join using: .....as humble.....)
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48. Does this car belong to you? (Re-write the sentence ending.....yours)
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49. The teacher will be happy with us if we don't hand in our books for marking. (Re-write as sentence beginning : unless .....)
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50. The phone was very expensive. My uncle could not buy it. (Use: ...so...that....)
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### **SECTION B**

51. **Read the passage below and then answer the questions that following full sentences.**

#### **THE TWELVE WISEMEN OF ADOKO NUBI.**

Adoko Nubi is a small village in Pakwach Sub County in Nebbi District. This village is found along River Nile just 300M from Pakwach town. This village is next to Puvungu where the two sons of Olum –Gipiri and Labongo separated.

People in Pakwach town are popular for selling fish to the passengers who board buses going to Paidha, Nyaravur, Nebbi town and Arua town.

One day, these twelve wise men decided to go swimming in the river. After a long time of swimming, one of them decided that they count themselves to make sure that none of them had drowned. However, this man found out that they were only eleven. One of them wanted to confirm by recounting. He also found out that they were eleven.

The two men forgot to count themselves. This raised fear, one of them drowned. These wise men were saved by a farmer who was passing by. After realizing their mistakes, he found out that they were twelve. The two wise men realized that, they forgot to count themselves therefore, not very wise!

**Questions:**

- (a) What is the passage about?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (b) How far is Adoko Nubi from Pakwach town?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (c) Who was the father of Gipiri and Labongo?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (d) What happened between Gipiri and Labongo?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (e) Where did the twelve wise men go swimming?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (f) In which District is Pakwach found?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (g) Why did the twelve wise men decide to count themselves before they went back home?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (h) Do you think these wise men were wise?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (i) Give another word or group of words that has the same meaning as the underlined words in the passage.  
(i) Passengers \_\_\_\_\_ (ii) confirm \_\_\_\_\_
52. **The sentences below are in wrong order. Re-arrange them to make a meaningful story.**
- (a) Three days later, they germinated into long shoots.  
(b) On his way, he stumbled an old basket which had very ugly bean seeds.  
(c) So, he quickly covered the seeds with the soil and ran back home.  
(d) With a hoe and a panga, he left for his garden far away.

- (e) Musa woke up early one morning.  
 (f) When he got to the garden, it started raining heavily.  
 (g) From the healthy harvest, his wife made a nice planty bean soup.  
 (h) It was still cold and dark.  
 (i) He decided to carry these seeds to his garden.  
 (j) Three months later, they were ready to harvest.

53. **The table below shows the performance trends of Kampala Schools in PLE from 2022 to 2023. Study it carefully and then answer the questions that follow in full sentences.**

BRANCHES	2022				2023			
	No. of candi dates	Div one	% of Div 1	Agg 4's	No. of candi dates	Div one	% of Div 1	Agg 4's
Nakasero Primary School	78	77	98.7%	05	78	66	84%	00
Winston Primary School	65	64	98.5%	01	79	77	98.4 %	01
St Jude Namugongo primary School	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buganda Road Primary School	175	160	91.4%	05	193	176	91.2 %	60
Kampala Parents' school	56	55	98.2%	03	64	64	100%	01
Gombe Junior Primary School	122	120	98.4%	10	124	122	98.3 %	08
Victorious Primary School	45	42	93.3%	00	48	48	100%	01
Bat Valley Primary School	36	35	97.2%	01	48	42	87.5 %	00
<b>Total</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>95.8 %</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>93.8 %</b>	<b>11</b>

### **Questions:**

- a) What does the above table show?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (b) How many schools sat for PLE in 2022 and 2023?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (c) What percentage of division one did Bat Valley Primary school get in 2022?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (d) In which year did the school get twenty five aggregate four?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (e) How many candidates did Gombe Junior Primary School have in 2023?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (f) Which school performed best in 2023?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (g) Write P.L.E in full.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (h) In which year did schools have a higher number of candidates?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (i) Which school scored one aggregate four in each year?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- (j) How many candidates did not get division one in St Jude Namugongo in 2023?  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Below is a conversation between Peter and Martin. What Martin said is given below. Write in the blank spaces what you think are Peter's correct questions.**

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: Our graduation party will take place next Sunday.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: The Guest of Honour is going to be Mr. Baryamuleba.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: The master of ceremonies will be Mr. Lukwago.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: There are about six items on the programme.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: I don't think it will be too long.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: Of course, the education officer has been invited.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: The whole family members are the organizers.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: Yes, I hope the function will end well.

Peter: \_\_\_\_\_

Martin: We are going to Nairobi after the party.

55. You are a pupil of Treasure Junior School, P.O.Box 293, Tororo. Write a letter to your Penpal Joan Katongole requesting her to come and attend your birthday party that will take place on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024. In your letter, tell her that your parents have **arranged** a big party for that day. More than twenty people have been invited to this party. You should also tell her that the function will commence at 10 o'clock in the morning and end at 6 o'clock in the evening.