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## P.7 ENGLISH EXAMINATION TRIAL SET I TERM II 2024

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

Random No.					Personal No.		

Candidate's Name: .....

Candidate's Signature: .....

School 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.
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.

Teacher's comment to the learner

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Head of English Department

SECTION A. (50 Marks)

Subsection I

Fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

1. Our school bursar is \_\_\_\_\_ honest woman.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ I look at the menu, please?
3. Joanita is trying to look \_\_\_\_\_ some words in the dictionary.
4. Letter "x" appears \_\_\_\_\_ in the word "xerox".
5. If Babra \_\_\_\_\_ woven a basket, he would have sold it.

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

6. My aunt has \_\_\_\_\_ to Wandegaya for a funeral. (go)
7. Muyambi is not as \_\_\_\_\_ as his brother. (trouble)
8. She wrote a composition with a very brief \_\_\_\_\_. (conclude)
9. Of the two sisters, Joselyn is the \_\_\_\_\_. (shy)
10. Most of my \_\_\_\_\_ friends are very tall. (Israel)
11. The stupid dog knocked \_\_\_\_\_ on the wall when it was running. (self)
12. The \_\_\_\_\_ will help you in case of any problem. (invigilate)
13. They \_\_\_\_\_ visit their relatives who live upcountry. (occasion)
14. Sarah was busy \_\_\_\_\_ the bedroom when the phone rang. (tidy)
15. My brother's \_\_\_\_\_ born is at Nkozi University. (three)

Give the singular form of the given words.

16. papyri \_\_\_\_\_
17. ladies \_\_\_\_\_

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

18. Faraah built a very big building near the place where two roads meet.  
\_\_\_\_\_

19. Kadugara entered the library without making noise.  
\_\_\_\_\_

20. There is a young one of a dog at the gate.  
\_\_\_\_\_

Write the full form of the given short form.

21. Prof. \_\_\_\_\_
22. won't \_\_\_\_\_

Rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

23. It rained lightly in April last year.  
\_\_\_\_\_

24. The teacher's arrival excited the pupils.  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

25. hit  
\_\_\_\_\_

26. heat  
\_\_\_\_\_

Rearrange the words in alphabetical order.

27. Ugandan, Tanzanian, Kenyan, Rwandan  
\_\_\_\_\_

28. crime, cell, court, course

Rearrange the words in the correct order to form a sentence.

29. helmet should wear cyclists always a.

30. locked whom the By was door?

### Subsection II

Rewrite the sentence as instructed in brackets.

31. Edson is very rich. Patience is very rich. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ as \_\_\_\_\_ as \_\_\_\_\_)

32. There was very little water in the bucket. (Use: \_\_\_\_\_ any \_\_\_\_\_)

33. The luggage is too heavy for the conductor to carry alone.  
(Write as two separate sentences)

34. The exam was very hard but most of the candidates got aggregate four.  
(Begin: Despite \_\_\_\_\_)

35. There are flowers in both tins. (Use: \_\_\_\_\_ either \_\_\_\_\_)

36. The driver was arrested. He knocked two schoolchildren. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ who \_\_\_\_\_)

37. The word "bitch" comes before "fair" in the alphabetical order. (Use: \_\_\_\_\_ after \_\_\_\_\_)

38. That book is mine. It bears my name. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_)

39. Wamala is very courageous. He can kill a lion. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ so \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_)

40. Baguma did not travel by bus. He reached home late. (Begin: Had \_\_\_\_\_)

41. The driver did not greet the policeman. The conductor did not greet the policeman.  
(Begin: Neither \_\_\_\_\_ nor \_\_\_\_\_)

42. Joseph is a very strict teacher. (Begin: What \_\_\_\_\_!)

43. Semanda is smonthing the chairs now. (Begin: The chairs \_\_\_\_\_)

44. As soon as the phone rang, my mother picked it. (Begin: No sooner \_\_\_\_\_)
45. The new teacher has reported today said the pupils.  
(Punctuate the sentence correctly)
46. A team of ten men will represent this country at the Olympic games.  
(Begin: A ten \_\_\_\_\_)
47. The carpenter has varnished the chairs. The carpenter has varnished the tables. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ besides \_\_\_\_\_)
48. Rehema ironed her uniform. She wanted to look smart. (Join using: \_\_\_\_\_ so that \_\_\_\_\_)
49. Is your mother the owner of that restaurant? (Begin: Does \_\_\_\_\_?)
50. It is a long way from the church to the school. (Begin: It is not \_\_\_\_\_)

#### SECTION B. (50 MARKS)

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

#### EXAMINATIONS

Pupils in most schools do many exams. These exams usually increase when it comes to Primary Seven. They serve as a measure to show the learners' academic achievement in different subjects. Some pupils, however, fail these exams. There are several reasons for this.

First of all, some pupils don't concentrate on what their teachers teach them. This makes them to forget whatever they are taught. Worse still, some pupils do not do work while others don't take their work for marking. Such children usually find exams very challenging.

Secondly, there are teachers that do not complete the syllabus in time. This reduces the amount of time children spend revising for exams. Even other pupils stubbornly refuse to do revision. They always hope they will revise the next day. By the time they get to begin, it is already late. Such children cannot fail to panic in exams.

Lastly, but not least, there are some pupils who read questions and instructions carelessly. These usually give answers that don't match with the questions asked. They end up scoring lower marks than they expect.

All in all, we should treasure examinations since they determine our future. We should avoid all forms of examination malpractice like collusion and impersonation.

### Questions

(a) What is the passage about?

(b) Which class does many exams according to the passage?

(c) How are exams important?

(d) Why do some pupils panic during exams?

(e) When do stubborn pupils expect to revise?

(f) Why do you think some pupils don't take their work for marking?

(g) Write any one form of examination malpractice.

(h) Write another word or words with similar meaning as the underlined words in the passage.

(i) instructions

(ii) malpractice

(i) What is the title of the passage?

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

### **UGANDA NATIONAL ROADS AUTHORITY (UNRA)**

This serves to inform the general public that Mpigi-Lukaya Road will be closed from 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 to 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 for planned maintenance.

Drivers and other road users are advised to use the alternative route through Kalungu.

We regret any inconveniences caused.

**MANAGEMENT.**

**10<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

### Questions

(a) Who is being informed according to the notice?

(b) Which road will be closed?

(c) For how long will the road be closed?

(d) Who wrote the notice?

(e) When was the notice written?

(B) The table below shows items sold at Tendo Furniture Workshop on a certain day. Study it carefully and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

NAME	bed	cupboard	chair	door
Nancy X	✓ X			✓
Juma	X	✓	X	X
Kevin	✓	✓	X	X
Rogers X		✓		✓
Fatima	X	X	X	X

**KEY**

✓ bought      X not bought

**Questions**

(a) How many people are shown on the table?

(b) What did Nancy buy?

(c) Who bought beds according to the table?

(d) Which item was not bought by any customer?

(e) Where were the above items bought?

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

Debate!      Debate!  
You are a very wonderful tool  
You assist children in school  
You equip them with enough skill  
To argue boldly in public.

Debate!      Debate!  
You are organized by the language prefect  
He gives us different roles to play  
We prepare and wait for the day  
To show the best we can offer.

Debate! Debate!  
You are officiated by the chairperson  
With different various officials to assist him  
Secretary, judge, timekeeper and others  
All must do their work tirelessly

Debate! Debate!  
All speakers try their best  
Raising all the points they can manage  
We cheer them excitedly as we listen  
The winners are declared at the end.  
Moze Paul

#### Questions

(a) What is the poem about?

(b) According to the passage, who organizes debates?

(c) How are debates important to school children?

(d) Who chairs a debate according to the poem?

(e) Why do you think speakers raise many points during the debate?

(f) How many stanzas does the above poem have?

(g) Who wrote the above poem?

(h) Write another word or words with similar meaning as the underlined words in the poem.

(i) roles

(ii) declared

(i) Suggest a suitable title to the poem.

54. The sentences below are not in the correct order. Rewrite them in the correct order to form a short story about buying and using a dictionary.

(a) Deborah was very weak at spellings in Primary Six.

(b) She took the money to a stationer's.

(c) The teacher advised her to buy a dictionary.

(d) She has now overcome the problem of spellings.

(e) She carried the new dictionary to school.

(f) She told her father about the teacher's advice.

- (g) She requested the stationer to give her a new Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary  
(h) Her father gave her fifty thousand shillings.  
(i) She failed to spell most of the words the teacher gave her.  
(j) The teacher taught her how to use it.

55. You were playing with a friend and you accidentally lost your mathematical set. Write a letter to your parent requesting for a new one. State how it got lost. Promise him/her that you will keep it carefully this time. Use your school address as Sure Junior School PO Box 54 Gulu.

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