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P.7 MOCK
SECTION A (50 Marks)
SUB-SECTION I (30 Marks)

In the questions 1 to 5, fill in the blank space with a suitable word.

1. _____ should take care of oneself.
2. That is the man _____ son did the best in the District Mock Examinations.
3. There won't be any remedial class this holiday, _____?
4. If I had listened to them , I _____ have caused the accident.
5. Divide this paw paw _____ you four.

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

6. Our guests were given a warm _____ at the party . (receive)
7. The motorcyclist rode _____ and caused a fatal accident. (danger).
8. Adelaide has been _____ her hair since morning.(dye)
9. Wotah failed to give the correct _____ of the word "ewe". (pronounce)
10. Lawrence _____ to his father for damaging the bicycle. (apology)
11. Marion _____ very excited to go for holidaying at the end of term one. (to be)
12. Kapalaga is the _____ of the triplets. (old)
13. The injured passenger _____ on the road helplessly. (lie)
14. The p.7 pupils of St. Lawrence Junior school attended the _____ of speaker Jacob Oulanya. (bury)
15. We can not eat this rice because it is not _____. (we)

In questions 16 to 17, arrange the given words in alphabetical orders

16. agreement , agree , agreed , agreeing

17. part, verse , towel, padlock

In questions 18 to 19, Write the full forms of the given abbreviations.

18. 9th

19. do.

In questions 20 and 21, rearrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

20. going to Aloo the is bakery.

21. many bars of you did buy How soap?

In questions 22 and 23, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

22. As soon as the bell rang , all pupils ran out to play.

23. The suspected thief was found lying in the place where thieves hide and do their illegal activities.

In questions 24 and 25, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

24. get:

25. gate:

In questions 26 - 27, re-write the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

26. The winner of the football competition received a trophy.

27. The water in the sea was rough despite the strong storm .

In questions 28 to 30, give the plural forms of the given words.

28. news: _____

29. talk-show _____

30. a woman pilot _____

Sub - section II (20marks)

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

31. All road users have to obey the high way code.
(Re-write the sentences using:.....must.....)

32. Agaro murdered her husband. She was arrested.
(Re-write sentences using :.....so)

33. I am not God. I can not kill all sinners.
(Re-write the sentence beginning: If.....would.....)
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34. "I will not come to school tomorrow," said Renah.
(Begin: Renah said.....)
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35. There is no girl shabbier than Alano in p.6 class.
(Re-write the and begin: Alano....)
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36. Margaret is more interested in dancing than in singing .
(Re-write the sentence sing :.....would rather.....)
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37. The meal was very delicious. All pupils enjoyed it.
(Re-write using...such...that...)
-
38. A hammer is used for hitting nails into wood.
(Re-write the sentence ending :..... used for?)
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39. Kato did not ride a bike . Kato did not read his books.
(Re-write the sentence using:.....and neither.....)
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40. Nanduja was punished . She came late at school.
(Join as one sentence beginning: Because.....)
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41. It is not necessary for baby sitters to be cruel to young children.
(Re-write using the sentence using:.....needn't.....)
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42. You should read your books hard in order to improve your performance. (Re-write the sentence beginning:One)
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43. It is not far from Kampala to Masaka.

(Re-write the sentence using:.....alongway.....)

44. The Headmaster was working (in his office, very hard all day yesterday)

(Re-write the sentence putting the adverbs in brackets in the correct order)

45. All the goats have short tails, _____?

(Supply a suitable question tag)

46. The carpenter made four stools that have three legs each .

(Re-write the sentence ending:.....three legged stools.)

47. Hens give us meat . Hens give us eggs.

(Re-write the sentence using.....not only.....)

48. Lugendo is repairing his car. He started in the afternoon.

(Join the sentence using.....since.....)

49. Not more than two thieves were arrested .

(Re-write the sentence beginning: Barely.....)

50. Their goat disappeared in the bush.

(Re-write the sentences beginning: A goat...)

SECTION B: (50Marks)

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

AN APPLE A DAY KEEPS THE DOCTOR AWAY

Mother Earth is well known for the different natural resources and minerals. Above the ground are animals, birds , forests, grassland (savannah), lakes and rivers. The space is covered with Oxygen which supports human and animal life it is also covered with Carbon dioxide which supports plant life.

There are areas with cool temperature but there are also very dry areas which are not suitable for human and animals' life. They are called Semi-arid areas. There fore, because of rich fertile soils some parts of mother Earth are not habitable.

There are wild and domestic animals in the fertile areas where grass and forests still cover the land. Along with this beautiful nature are plants on which human and animals life depends. Most importantly, as plants provide Oxygen for life support, they also provide food diet which is very important. Vitamins protect body health, starch gives us energy, minerals support bone growth. That means that animals and human beings can not live long without plants.

Unfortunately, the beauty of the earth has been destroyed. There has been a lot of environmental degradation by cutting down forests (deforestation), burning bushes practicing poor agricultural methods and keeping too many animals on farm land

Pollution of air, soil and water sources is another serious problem that has affected the air, soil and water sources by dumping waste materials, some of which are poisonous. It is important for everybody in the country to understand that in order to have a healthy life, we must protect our land.

In order for us to live well , we should eat a balanced diet with all "foods" necessary for the body. This is one of the reasons why we must conserve nature. Without doing so, it will mean we would be in poor health and would be visiting clinics most of the time. This can lead to death.

Questions.

a) What is the passage about?

b) What is mother Earth well know for?

c) Does carbon dioxide support human and animal life?

d) Why are some parts of mother Earth not good for people to live in?

e) How are plants important to human and animal life ?

f) According to the passage, why are minerals needed in the human body ?

g) Give another word or group of words to mean the same as these underlined in the passage

I) waste materials _____

ii) conserve _____

h) Identify any one activity that has been practiced to destroy the beauty of the earth.

i) What must one do in order to have a healthy life?

52A. Read the information and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.

All scouts and girl guides !

There will be an annual camping on 10th to 17th August 2024.

Venue : Majanji Camping Ground.

All participants (scouts and girl guides) should contribute fifty thousand shillings

Cater for meals and security

District Scouts Co-ordinator

Busia District

Questions

a) Who is being informed ?

b) How often is the camping held?

c) How long will the camping last?

d) When will the camping be held?

e) Who wrote this information?

52B. Read the information on the marriage certificate and answer the questions in full sentences.

Marriage Certificate.

I Rev. Fr. Jacob Ochwo certify that
Mr. Alfred Kuucha of Masinya and Mrs. Anna Mary Natula
of Masaba sub-county have been legally married in
Holy Matrimony Today the 10th of July, 2024.

In the church of; St. Matia Mulumba-Busia.

Signature of officiant: Jacob Ochwo.

Signature of married couple:

1. Alfred Kuucha.
2. Anna Mary Nalufa.

Signature of witnesses.

1. Mr. Wanyama Charles Mugabe.
2. Mr. Masiga Alex Ndasamule.

St. Joseph Protector of Families keep and Aid them,

Questions

a) Which Church gave this marriage certificate?

b) Who joined this couple in the holy Matrimony?

c) Who was the bride on that day?

d) Why are witnesses needed in holy matrimony?

e) Give one word to refer to husband and wife.

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

THE POLICE FORCE.

The police is always alert
strict and tight.

Day and night

To enforce law and order

in the field, in the world

To keep safe: life and property

The police is on road
policing the traffic

The marine on the lakes

The Air force in space

The police in banks , at parliament and
state house.

To keep safe: VIPs and property.

Arrest or be arrested
Tonight with hand cuffs
Telt lies, or be fined
State what you withnessed or wait until you are asked
For investigations will show
Guilty or innocent
The police is always at work

(Nasirumbi Ketra Davin
P.6 class, Bunyide P/S)

Questions

- a) What is the poem about?
- b) Which section of police works on the road?
- c) What does the police do according to stanzas one?
- d) How often is the police alert?
- e) How many stanzas make up the poem?
- f) Give the opposite of safe as used in the poem.
- g) Write in full;
VIP
- h) What shows that one is guilty or innocent?
- i) Name any one place where the police works.
- j) Who wrote the poem?

54. The sentences below are in the wrong order. Write them out in correct order to make a good story about Jentrine.

- a) Because she always had a thought in mind.
- b) When she finished her studies at the University.
- c) Many men in that bank wanted to marry her.
- d) Jentrine was a very beautiful girl from her youth.
- e) "It is the person who fears God who shall always be praised!" she concluded.
- f) Her beauty increased as she grew to the age of marriage.
- g) Never to judge a book by its cover.
- h) But out of them all, she picked none.
- i) She started working in one of the commercial Banks in Busia.
- j) Some were very handsome and others rich.

correct order

55. In the space below, write a composition of 100-150 words about the sports Day at your school. Mention when it took place, Who were invited, . The activities that were done . What interested you most and how the sports Day ended.