

THE SIPRO MID - TERM II EXAMINATIONS 2024

PRIMARY SEVEN ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 2 Hours 15 Minutes

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READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY:

1. This paper has two sections: **A** and **B**.
2. Section A, Sub - section I has 30 questions (30 marks) Sub - section II has 20 questions (20 marks).
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 Marks).
4. Attempt all questions in both sections. All answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written in blue or black ball point pens or **ink**. Only diagrams and graph 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. Do not fill anything in the boxes indicated:

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SECTION A: 50 MARKS

Sub - Section I

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

1. One of our neighbours is _____ European.
2. Ariella has invited us to her _____ party as she is making eight years of age.
3. Of the two dresses, which one is the _____ beautiful?
4. The teacher commented that I had poorly _____ the picture.
5. She was punished _____ dodging lessons.

In each of the questions 6 to 15, complete the sentence with the correct form of the given word in brackets.

6. Isaac has _____ the two mangoes I bought. (eat)
7. Take your bag and _____ to the boot. (she)
8. The _____ house on the left belongs to Aisha. (two)
9. How many _____ groups are in your community? (religion)
10. Was the _____ wearing a helmet? (cycle)
11. The water flows _____ in the swamp. (free)
12. Ketra is _____ her hair. (dye)
13. Our _____ in the previous test was very good. (perform)
14. None of these _____ is new. (piano)
15. They will _____ you if you are found with drugs. (prison)

In each of the questions 16 and 17, rearrange the given words to make a meaningful sentence.

16. the on Opio village Sunday to will go.

17. at news 9:00 a.m. English the Did watch you?

In each of the questions 18 to 20, write the given short form in full.

18. doz. _____
19. I'm _____
20. Feb. _____



In each of the questions 21 and 22, rewrite the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

21. Norah prepared the first meal of the day before she left.

22. He knows Kigali because he is from Rwanda.

In each of the questions 23 and 24, write the plural form of the given word.

23. chef _____

24. injury _____

In each of the questions 25 and 26, rewrite the sentence giving the opposite form of the underlined word.

25. The conductor was able to carry the luggage.

26. Close all the windows.

In each of the questions 27 and 28, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

27. dough, knead, bread, bake

28. tour, travel, tourist, trip

In each of the questions 29 and 30, use the given word in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

29. peace _____

30. piece _____

Sub – Section II

In each of the questions 31 to 50, rewrite the sentence as instructed in brackets.

31. The tourist arrived at the airport at 9.00a.m.

(Rewrite the sentence usingreached.....)

32. Karnuse managed to winnow the millet.

(Rewrite the sentence usingsucceeded.....)

33. "Latif will weave a basket for the vacationer," said grandpa.
(Rewrite the sentence using:said that.....)

34. Give me more water. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: May.....?)

35. Take the measurements before you cut the cloth.
(Rewrite the sentence using:after.....)

36. The teller put the money in the machine. I gave the money to the teller.
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: As soon as.....)

37. Hamza does not have a car. Halima does not have a car.
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Neither.....)

38. In addition to mechanics, carpenters also use sandpaper.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Not only.....)

39. Trevor was walking to town when he received a call.
(Rewrite the sentence beginning: Walking.....)

40. Who started the argument?
(Rewrite the sentence ending:started?)

41. Nadi prefers cakes to buns.
(Rewrite the sentence using:interested.....)

42. The prefects will be sworn in on Tuesday.
(Rewrite the sentence using:going to.....)



43. We bought two shirts from the vendor.
(Rewrite the sentence using:sold.....)
44. Grace tightened the lid so that she would not pour the oil.
(Rewrite as two separate sentences.)
45. I feel scared each time I watch scary movies.
(Rewrite the sentence using:whenever.....)
46. Kazinga town is not as busy as Muzige village.
(Rewrite the sentence using:than.....)
47. This handwriting is not clear. We cannot easily read the words.
(Rewrite as one sentence using:enough.....)
48. Swengere did not arrive early. He was not vaccinated.
(Rewrite as one sentence beginning: Had)
49. That cat was rescued by the vet. It had fallen into the trench.
(Rewrite as one sentence using:which.....)
50. Bake two cakes, ? (Rewrite and supply a suitable question tag)



SECTION B: 50 MARKS

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

Mwebesa Patel woke up early on Monday. He was not feeling well. His phone had got lost. He had last used it the previous day when making a call to his son Wakaliga. Patel could now not remember where he had put it after the call. Patel used his wife's phone to call on his number but the phone was off. This made Patel worried. Everyone started looking for the phone. They checked everywhere but it was nowhere to be seen.

Patel gave up on the idea of looking for the phone. He went back to bed because it was still too early for him to be awake. He normally wakes up at 9:00 a.m. As he was still sleeping, he heard some noise.

At first, Patel thought that it was a dream but, the noise become clearer and louder. A young boy was crying. Patel woke up and rushed to the compound.

He found a group of men. They were holding a boy called Jogo. Jogo was told to explain how he had stolen the phone. Jogo insisted that he had not stolen the phone. He only wanted to talk to his mother who had travelled to Kempale but had not returned. Jogo pleaded with the men to release him. He also asked for forgiveness from Patel. Patel forgave him. Patel warned him never to use anything without getting permission from the owner.

Questions

(a) What does Wakaliga call Patel?

(b) On which day do you think Patel's phone got lost?

(c) What did Patel do after failing to get the phone?

(d) At what time does Patel wake up every day?

(e) What woke Patel up?

(f) Where was the group of men?



(g) What had Jogo done?

(h) Where was Jogo's mother?

(i) Why do you think Patel is a good man?

(j) Suggest a suitable title to the passage.

2. The dialogue below was between a boy Ghome and Musendi a hotelier. Ghome had gone to JBP Hotel to book a place for his cousin Total Pergesh who is on a one-month vacation. Below is the dialogue they had. It shows what the hotelier said. Complete it with what you think were Ghome's responses.

Hotelier: Welcome to JBP Hotel.

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: How may I be of help to you?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: What is the name of your cousin?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: How long will he stay here?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: A self-contained room is 50,000/= per day and an ordinary room is 20,000/= per day. What is your choice?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: We shall give you a discount of 5% since you are taking a self-contained room. When will he arrive?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: At what time tomorrow?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: That is good. How will your cousin travel?

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: That is so kind of you to drive him around.

Ghome : _____

Hotelier: Thank you for the payments.

Ghome : _____

53. The information below was found on the noticeboard at the public library. Study it carefully and then answer, in full sentences, the questions that follow.

ATLANTA DISTRICT SPELLING COMPETITION

The education board invites all children below 13 years to take part in a three-day-spelling competition which will start on 4th July, 2024. Awarding of marks will base on;

- speed
- accuracy
- pronunciation

Registration of participants starts on 25th May, 2024 and ends on 29th June, 2024.

Participants should have a valid identity card.

Inform a friend.

MANAGEMENT

23rd May, 2024

Questions:

a) Where did the public read the information above?

b) What is the information about?

c) In which district is the competition?

d) What will be considered to award marks?

e) When will the competition start?

f) How long will the competition take?

g) What is the last day of registration?



h) What should a participant carry?

i) What should people do after reading this information?

j) Who wrote the information?

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

You call it holiday time
But I call it productive time
A time to do my project work
As well as doing chores at home.

You call it holiday time
But I attend remedial classes
I am able to meet with my teachers
And fully understand what was taught.

You call it holiday time
But it is my busiest time
Preparing for the next term
As well as creating time for relaxation.

Questions

(a) What productive activity does the writer do?

(b) How is the writer helpful at home?

(c) What kind of classes does the writer attend?

(d) Why does the writer attend those classes?

(e) When is the writer busiest?

(f) What makes the writer busy?

(g) How many stanzas does the poem have?



(h) Write another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined ones in the poem:

(i) preparing _____

(ii) next _____

(i) What is the poem about? _____

55. You borrowed a ruler from your friend Lena. Accidentally, the ruler got broken. Lena got angry and reported you to the class teacher. Write a letter of apology to the class teacher explaining to him what happened. Promise to buy a new ruler for your friend. Use your school address. Request him to accept your apology.

