



MPIGI DISTRICT ACADEMIC BOARD MOCK EXAMINATION 2024

SUBJECT : ENGLISH LANGUAGE

CLASS : PRIMARY SEVEN

DURATION : 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES

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READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. The paper is made up of two sections: A & 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 & B
5. All answers must be written in the spaces provided in **BLUE** or **BLACK** ink.
Only diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
6. **Unnecessary crossing** of work will lead to **loss of marks**.
7. **Poor handwriting**, which cannot be easily read may lead to **loss of marks**.
8. Do not fill anything in the boxes shown

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SECTION: A (50 MARKS)

Sub-Section: I

For questions 1 - 5, fill the blank spaces with a suitable word.

1. Mukasa has killed _____ snake which killed our goat.
2. There is hardly _____ money in the baker's pocket.
3. We shall visit the _____ to treat our sick eyes.
4. School will break _____ for term two holidays in August.
5. Our puppy is hiding in its _____.

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

6. While the teacher was teaching, the stubborn boy was _____ a letter to his pen pal. (write)
7. The road _____ programme in Mpigi district has now begun. (maintain)
8. It was _____ who volunteered to clean the village well. (they)
9. _____ to others is very bad. (lie)
10. The _____ president will pay a state-visit to Uganda next week. (Rwanda)
11. All the passengers have boarded the taxi _____. (hurry)
12. This soda is _____ than the orange juice. (taste)
13. Will all the _____ arrive early at the field tomorrow. (complete)
14. The baker has skilfully _____ the dough. (knead)
15. Our head teacher was advised to _____ the playground. (large)

In questions 16 and 17, write the full form of the give short forms,

16. Hon _____
17. She'd _____

In questions 18- 20, rewrite the sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

18. When we visited the restaurant, we asked for the list of the food that was available there.
19. The teacher asked us to go to him without delay.

20. Apart from a needle, the tailor had a thimble.
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In questions 21 and 22, rewrite the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

21. Those garments are expensive.

22. Our Math teacher said that the exterior angles of a triangle add up to 180°.

For questions 23 and 24, give the plural form of the given words.

23. radio _____
24. a lady's bag _____

In questions 25 - 26, arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

25. saw plane bench nails

26. sawdust sandpaper spanner saw

For questions 27 and 28, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

27. flower

28. flour

For questions 29 and 30, arrange the given words to make a meaningful sentence.

29. teacher our likes children disaplined.

30. hard-working lady is chairperson What village a our!



For questions 31 - 50, write the given sentences as instructed in the brackets.

31. My sister prefers long dresses to short ones. (Rewrite the sentence using:.....likes.....)

32. My uncle told Sula to wash the utensils. (rewrite the sentences: Sula....)

33. The tailor is likely to patch my torn shirt at 2:00pm. The tailor is likely to patch my torn shirt at 3:00pm. (Join the sentences using:.....
.....either.....or.....)

34. Cyclists are advised to wear helmets. This may help to protect their heads. (Join the sentences beginning : In order to.....)

35. The man stole the money. The police arrested him. (Join the sentences beginning: Having.....)

36. The visitors will arrive at noon. The occasion will begin at 9:00am. (Join the sentences beginning: By the time.....)

37. Her brother stole the money. He was punished. (Join the sentences using:.....stealing.....)

38. That cartoonist is a journalist. The editor is also a cartoonist. (Join the sentences using:.....as well as.....)

39. The game warden needn't have tortured the animals. (Rewrite the sentence Using:.....necessary.....)

40. The conductor has disappeared. I paid the fare to him. (Join the sentences using:.....whom.....)
41. There is a lot of food for the guests, isn't there? (rewrite the sentence ending:....., is there?)
42. How pleased our parents will be when we perform well! (rewrite the sentence beginning: Our parents.....)
43. "Why have you come to school late, Juma?" the head teacher asked. (Rewrite the sentence beginning: The head teacher wanted to know.....)
44. The pilgrims travelled on foot but they did not get tired. (Rewrite the sentence using:.....although.....)
45. Okello bought a new blanket. It's brown. It's made of wool. (rewrite the sentence without using 'and', 'which' or 'that')
46. Debating is a very important activity. Every pupil should participate in debating. (Join the sentences using:.....such.....that.....)
47. Shall we do PLE in November? (Rewrite the sentence using:.....likely.....)
48. The diners washed their hands then they ate their food. (rewrite the sentence beginning: After.....)

- 49 The candidates did not read hard. The candidates did not perform well. (Join the sentences beginning: If.....)
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50. The mechanic expects to receive money when he repairs my car. (Rewrite the sentence using:.....looking forward.....)
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SECTION: B (50 MARKS)

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

Bangozi is one of the rural villages in Mpigi District. This village is famous for its rich agricultural produce. The farmers in this village grow crops such as tomatoes, onions, matooke, cassava, ginger among others. Because of this economic activity, the population of the village grew rapidly. This population growth led to high rate of criminality in this area. Cases of theft, defilement, murder domestic violence were commonly reported to the village police post.

The District Police Commander (DPC) called for a village meeting to discuss the matter of insecurity in the area. The residents resolved to keep all the bars in the village closed till evening. All the idlers in the trading centre were also advised to get involved in the different economic activities in the village.

On domestic violence, the DPC advised all the married couples in Bangozi village to be tolerant and patient with each other. He said, short of this is the cause of all sorts of domestic violence in their area.

He reported that recently one of the residents by the name of Kentamu had accidentally killed his wife. Mr. Kentamu got too angry to listen to his wife because she had returned home late. This innocent lady had spent the whole day looking after her sick mother-in-law at the village medical centre.



Due to the fact that Mrs Kentamu's phone battery had run down, she couldn't inform her husband about the sudden sickness of his mother. At 10:30pm, the poor woman returned home and found her husband very angry. The annoyed husband asked her where she had been till late in the night. Mrs Kentamu had hardly answered when the annoyed husband thunderously slapped her on her left cheek. The lady collapsed. On realising the mistake he had made, Mr. Kentamu rushed his wife to the village medical centre.

Very nervous about his wife's life, he rushed the patient straight to the casualty ward. When he was still anxiously waiting for the news about the unconscious wife, he received the news of his sick mother who was getting treatment at that medical centre. Fortunately, he was informed that she had greatly improved. However, immediately another doctor appeared and he regretfully announced the death of Mrs. Kentamu.

Questions:

- a) What is the passage about?

- b) What is Bangozi village famous for?

- c) Why do you think agriculture led to high population growth in Bangozi village?

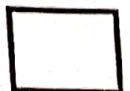
- d) According to the passage, where were criminal cases reported?

- e) Why did the DPC call for a meeting?

- f) According to the DPC, what is the cause of all sorts of domestic violence?

- g) Who committed murder according to the passage?

- h) Give another word or group of words that can mean the same as answered as used in the passage.



i) Where was Mrs. Kentamu taken for treatment?

j) What lesson do you learn from the passage?

52. **Read the Poem below and in full sentences answer the questions that follow.**

*My existence is to benefit you
I live to give you rain
To water your crops
Without me no food
All water sources will dry up
But why do you mistreat me?*

*My life is your life
The oxygen you breathe in I give
The carbon dioxide you breathe out, I take
To make the atmosphere healthy for you
But, why do you torture me?*

*My life I give you,
My leaves for herbal medicine
My fruit your food
Shelter to your wild animals
The hot temperatures, I cool
Why do you fight against me?*

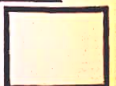
*Why destroy me?
When I die, you will perish
Farmers, industrialists,
save me from these human disasters
deforestation, population, corruption among other.*

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Questions:

a) Who is speaking in the poem?

b) How many stanzas are in the poem?



- c) Who do you think fights against the writer in the third stanza?
- d) According to the second stanza, what does the writer breathe in?
- e) Why do you think the writer says that his life is your life?
- f) How does the writer help wild animals in the third stanza?
- g) When does the writer cool the temperature?
- h) Apart from industrialists, who else should save the writer?
- i) Why would do you think the writer is disappointed?
- j) Suggest a suitable title to the poem?

53. The information below was found on the noticeboard of Kibwiika Memorial Primary School. *Study it and, in full sentences answer the questions that follow.*

TO ALL OUR DEAR PARENTS			
MUSIC DANCE AND DRAMA			
INTERHOUSE COMPETITIONS			
THE HOUSES:	BUFFALO		
	LION		
	ELEPHANT		
	ZEBRA		
DATE:	12 TH AUGUST 2024		
TIME:	10:00am - 4:00PM		
VENUE:	MAIN HALL		
FEE:	ADULTS	-	5000/-
	CHILDREN	-	FREE
N:B The first ten parents to arrive will get a free t-shirt each.			
BY:		Head teacher	
		(12 th July 2024)	

Questions:

- a) To whom was the above information written?

- b) When was the above notice written?

- c) Who wrote the notice above?

- d) How many houses will participate in the competitions?

- e) Where will the event take place?

- f) How much will two parents pay?

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g) Why do you think many parents will arrive early?

- h) At what time will the occasion begin ?

- i) Where can one find this notice?

- j) Why would you think many parents like this school ?

54. **The sentences below are in wrong order, Rewrite them in correct order to make a good story.**

- a) All the teachers at her school like her because of her discipline.
- b) Because of her popularity in the school, her teacher advised her to contest for the post of head prefect.
- c) Nakato is a pupil at Kammengo Primary School.
- d) Her discipline has made her to be popular and the best performer in her class.



- e) Nakato was nominated and the name was shortlisted among the candidates
- f) The campaigns were organised for all the candidates to solicit for votes.
- g) Following the teachers' advice, Nakato wrote a letter of application to the school's electoral commission.
- h) All the votes were counted and Nakato was declared the winner of the elections.
- i) After four - days heated campaigns, free and fair elections were conducted.
- j) The chairperson of the school's electoral commission received the letter.

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____
- e) _____
- f) _____
- g) _____
- h) _____
- i) _____
- j) _____



55. Assuming you're a pupil of Mpigi Public School P.O. Box 1521 Mpigi and you're the Games and Sports prefect of your School. Your school is organising a sports day to take place very soon. Write a letter to your head teacher asking him / her for some games and sports equipment to prepare for the sports day competitions. Mention the equipment you need and why you need them. Promise him / her to properly keep what he will provide. Use your school address.

This image shows a single sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are approximately 20 lines visible. The paper has a slightly aged or off-white appearance. There are some faint, irregular stains or discolorations, particularly towards the bottom left and center. The edges of the paper are slightly irregular.