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ENGLISH

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES

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CANDIDATE'S NAME:

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Read the following instructions carefully.

1. This paper is made up of two sections:
A and B
2. Section **A** has Sub - sections I and II.
3. Sub section **I** has 30 questions (30 marks)
4. Sub section **II** has 20 questions (20 marks)
5. Section **B** has **5** questions (50 marks)
6. Answer ALL questions in both sections **A** and **B**
7. ALL answers **MUST** be written in Blue or Black Ball - point pen or ink
8. Un-necessary alteration of work may lead to loss of marks.
9. All diagrams **MUST** be drawn in pencils.
10. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
11. Do **not** fill any thing in the boxes shown
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QN. NO.	MARKS	SIGN
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

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SECTION A
Sub-Section I

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

1. Either Tom Paul has stolen the money.
2. The young man was accustomed stealing motorcycles.
3. Did the mend your shoes yesterday?
4. Maria was by a poisonous snake.
5. December is the month of the year.

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

6. Neither Akello nor Okello present yesterday. (to be)
7. Of the two brothers, Peter is the (old)
8. The police officer settled the argument between the two ladies. (peaceful)
9. The seamstress used her scissors to cut all the (table cloth)
10. After washing her clothes, the old woman them on a wire line. (hang)
11. One should care for property carefully. (one)
12. My elder sister arranged her room. (tidy)
13. The carpenter the tables using sand paper everyday. (smooth)
14. We learnt the correct of those words when we were using a dictionary. (pronounce)
15. A friend of will visit us next week. (we)

In questions 16 to 17, use each word in a sentence to show that you know the difference in their meaning.

16. envelop:
17. envelope:

In questions 18 to 19, re-arrange the given words in alphabetical order.

18. captivity, torture, distress, abuse
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19. editorial, edit, edition, editor
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In questions 20 – 22, write the full form of the given abbreviations.

20. he'd
21. P.L.E
22. Ag.

In questions 23 – 24, re-write the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

23. That river is so deep that I cannot cross it easily.
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24. The butcher is closed.
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In questions 25 and 26, write the plural form of the given words.

25. Our trolley got broken as we pushed.
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26. The lady's watch was very old.
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In questions 27 and 28, re-write the sentences giving one word for the underlined group of words.

27. Most places where animals are slaughtered for meat are dirty.
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28. The police rushed out as soon as they saw the criminal.
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In questions 29 to 30, re-arrange the given words to form a correct sentence.

29. our teachers have lunch eaten?
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30. interesting How story is the!
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SUB - SECTION II

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

31. Jacob is a farmer. His friend is also a farmer. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Both)
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32. An elephant is a very big animal. (Re-write the sentence beginning: What ..!)
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33. There isn't any tea left in the flask. (Re-write the sentence using: ..some..)
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34. Martin weighs 60 kilograms. Moses also weighs 60 kilograms. (Re-write as one sentence using: as ...as)
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35. The teacher started teaching at 7:00am. It is 10:00am and he is still teaching. (Re-write as one sentence using: since)
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36. Overgrazing causes soil erosion. Overstocking causes soil erosion. (Re-write as one sentence using: and so)
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37. The mouse is faulty. The keyboard is also faulty. (Re-write as one sentence using: as well as)
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38. All the invigilators are present. (Re-write the sentence beginning: None ...)
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39. Nakato's mother is a teacher. Nakato's mother is a nurse. (Re-write as one sentence using: besides)
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40. My grandmother liked cakes more than cookies. (Re-write as one sentence using: prefer)
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41. Who has woven this beautiful basket? (Re-write as one sentence beginning: By)
42. Halima likes writing letters more than reading novels. (Re-write the sentence using: would rather)
43. You will not upload that video if you don't load more data. (Re-write as one sentence beginning: Unless)
44. "I will not come to school tomorrow," said Joshua. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Joshua said that)
45. My father drove his car to the garage for repair. He walked to his place of work. (Re-write the sentence beginning: Having)
46. Amooti's children attend the best schools in the district. Amooti is a poor man. (Re-write as one sentence beginning: In spite)
47. Nantume grew tall and her skirt became short. (Re-write the sentence beginning: The the)
8. Kato is very young. He cannot go to school alone. (Re-write as one sentence using: enough)
9. It was not necessary for the herdsman to torture the animals. (Re-write as one sentence using: needn't)
0. My teacher has a dress. It is new. It is red. It is nice and it was made in China. (Re-write as one sentence without using 'that', 'which' or 'and')

SECTION B

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

Namakwekwe Primary School was the only school in Mbale District. Children from all over the district had to go to that school. Nambafu was one of these pupils.

She left home every morning to walk to school. She walked along the dusty path to school. Few of her classmates used that path, so she was always alone.

One day, an education officer came to Namakwekwe Primary School. He talked to the pupils about his visit. He told them to write compositions. He instructed them to write about topics of their choice.

These compositions were to be presented to the minister on The World Children's Day. This event was to be held at the District headquarters on 2nd September, 2022.

Nambafu was excited to write a composition. She chose to write about her journey to school. She chose her title as THE WALK TO KNOWLEDGE. Most of Nambafu's classmates participated in the composition writing too. Luckily, Nambafu's composition was chosen as the best.

She received many gifts from the minister and other guests. The minister also gave her a bursary in Nkoma Secondary School.

Questions:

- a) How many schools were in Mbale District?

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- b) How did Nambafu go to school?

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- c) Why was Nambafu always alone?

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- d) Who told the pupils to write compositions?

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- e) When was the World's Children Day celebrated?

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- f) What was the title of Nambafu's composition?

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- g) Who won that composition?
- h) To which school did Nambafu go after the competition?
- i) Write another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined in the passage.
- i) instructed
- ii) event

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

Children's rights are but,
Fundamental freedoms,
Children are entitled to,
Wherever they are all the time.

Children's rights include,
A right to education,
A right to medical care,
A right to food,
A right to accommodation,
To mention but a few.

Children's rights ought to be respected.
But whose child,
Should not respect fellow children and elders.
Including parents and teachers.

Pitied are not,
The parents who glove-handle,
Not adults but their children in
The name of protecting their rights.
Producing lazy citizens.

Not minding the children's responsibilities
The duties the children perform
Whether at home, at school or wherever
Denying children a chance,
To learn values and morals,
Like respect for others, important life skills.
Apart from norms the society accepts.

Questions:

- a) What is the poem about?

- b) How many stanzas are in this poem?
- c) When do children enjoy their rights according to the poem above?
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- d) What are children's responsibilities?
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- e) Which stanza talks about children's rights?
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- f) Why do you think some parents glove-handle their children?
.....
- g) Give another word or group of words to mean the same as the underlined words in the poem.
i) responsibilities
ii) Apart from
- h) Who is the poet?
- i) Suggest a suitable title for the above poem?
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53. Read the information below and answer the questions in full sentences.

GALAXY FM

The manager of Galaxy FM regrets to inform its esteemed listeners that there will be a temporary interruption in its channel signal on Sunday. between 9:00am to 12:00pm

This is because the station will be undergoing a digital migration and mechanical set up to give you better services.

Therefore, don't disturb your knobs to adjust its tune in case of signal failure
Sorry for any **inconveniences** caused.

Station manager

11 July, 2023

Questions:

- a) What is the notice about?
- b) How long will the signal not be clear?
- c) Why will the station undergo mechanical set up?
- d) At what time will the interruptions begin?
- e) Write **F.M.** in full.
- f) On which day will the set up take place?
- g) Who wrote the notice above?
- h) Give one word or group of words with the same meaning as;
inconveniences
- i) Write the plural form of Tune.
- j) For what radio is the notice?

54. **The sentences below are in wrong order. Re-arrange them to form a meaningful story.**

- a) Mukisa was delighted to see many cars.
- b) First he showed her how to cross the road safely.
- c) They walked on the right side of the road.
- d) They then left for town.
- e) By looking in the right, then left and then right again.
- f) Secondly, he told her to walk along the side path.
- g) Before setting off, he told her about being careful in the road.
- h) She could only cross when there were no vehicles nearby.
- i) This made them able to see oncoming vehicles.
- j) It was on Saturday morning when Mukisa and her father planned to go to town.

55. Use the words in the box to complete the report below.

congratulations, primary level, realizes, guidance, Appreciate,
watched, confidence, Dear, expected, education

..... parents of Primary Seven, you are most welcome
to Grapa Primary School.

..... upon reaching the last stage of the
..... Allow me talk about your role in the
..... of your child.

As a parent, you are the number one teacher. You are
to carry out and counseling to your child.
Constant guidance and counseling will give the child the right direction.
..... your child on the positive things he does.
This will give himto work harder. Talk to him
in a good way to whatever bad behavior you notice.

When he that he is being and
that everyone cares about him, he will change.

***** GOOD LUCK *****