

51. Read the passage below and answer the questions about it in full sentences.

MY NEW DICTIONARY

It was a rainy afternoon when I decided to get a new dictionary. I looked at my old one. It was torn and yellowed. It had really served me well from primary two when my uncle gave it to me as a birthday gift. As I was preparing for a new topic in primary six, I felt this old one is not enough. I was about to study a topic "Using a Dictionary" and I needed a better dictionary.

I headed to Musa Stationery, a small shop between a bakery and a cafe. It had bookshelves stacked up to the ceiling. The smell of paper and ink filled the air as I made my way through shelves. There I found a perfect dictionary with a blue cover. I opened the pages, each definition was clear and easy to understand. It had guide words to help me find the word I wanted easily. There were illustrations and sample sentences that explain how words could change meaning depending on their context. I was happy that it did not only help me to understand meanings of new words but also explored synonyms and antonyms that would make my writing more exciting.

I paid eighty-five thousand shillings for it. When I got this dictionary. I felt ready for anything. It became my guide to unlocking the world of words. Knowing that I had the right tool to help me understand and use language better gave me confidence to handle the new topic in class.

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Questions.

(a) What is the title of the passage?

The title of the passage is MY NEW DICTIONARY.

(b) What time of day did the writer decide to get a new dictionary?

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