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GEOGRAPHY

Theory

Paper 1

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GEOGRAPHY PAPER 1

SENIOR THREE

(Theory)

2 Hours: 45 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

This paper consists of two sections A and B.

It has a maximum of 6 items.

Section A has two compulsory questions.

Section B has two parts, I and II answer one item in each part.

Answer four items in all.

Any additional item(s) shall not be scored.

SECTION A

Answer all questions from this part.

Item 1. Map skills

For this item the East Africa 1:50,000 (Uganda) Bulisa map extract

Bulisa is one of the area endowed with various tourist attractions like Murchison falls National Park. The local authorities have received funds and would like to boast the tourism in the area by renovating the existing social service and also to construct a new road in the area to ease movement of the tourists to their tourist destinations. The local authorities would like to establish the road from Kiraama at grid reference 270480. The environmentalists in the area have refused the local authorities' decision saying that it will destroy the existing natural environment and its beauty in the area. The local authorities are now worried of the environmentalists' decision and also the physical features in their paths where they are likely to construct the planned road, as this may limit the road construction processes. The government officials have organized a sensitization message in the area and you're invited to be part of it.

- (a) Using a relevant illustration,
 - i. Guide the local authorities the physical features their engineers are likely to face during the construction of new planned road in the area.
 - ii. Identify the social services in the area that will be renovated by local authorities.
- (b) i) State the bearing and direction of the Murchison falls National Park from Kasenyi.
 - ii). Why are the local environmentalists refusing the decision of the local government.
- (c) Write a sensitization message that you will deliver in that meeting to handle the above situation

PHOTOGRAPH SKILLS. (COMPULSORY ITEM)

Item 2

Seeta Nazigo is a village in Mukono district where the community members mainly depend on charcoal burning and firewood collection which have resulted into destruction of the existing forests and degrading of the environment as well, which has resulted into decline in rainfall formation and increase in temperatures. The local leaders on several occasions have called upon the local people to conserve the environment. Unfortunately, the local people have continued with their negative activities that destroy the environment.

The Village local government has organized a sensitization meeting to sensitize the local people on how to conserve the environment and your tasked to part of it.

Supporting material.



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- a). Use an illustration to show the major features in the photo.
- b). With evidence from the photo, explain the ways how people have degraded their area.
- c). Make a sensitization message that will be delivered in the meeting to the people living in the area or how to manage the above trend.

SECTION B.

PART II

Choose one question from this section.

Item 3

Kasiita and Joan have grown up at Kabowa in Kampala city ever since they were born. Last year in the month of December Kasiita and Joan were taken to pay visit to their grandparents in the western part of Uganda during their holidays. They were so surprised to see magnificent landforms with beautiful sceneries on their way and in their grandparent's homeland. During their holidays some people on the neighborhood narrated stories to Kasiita and Joan saying that the mountains and rift valley are so beneficial to them like providing fertile soils for crop growing but they have also created several challenges to them and they would like to migrate from the above area but have nowhere to go.

Supporting material.



Task:

- a). Explain the reasons why the people would like to migrate from the above area.
- b). Make a sensitization write up to help the people living in the above area.

Item 4

Kaliddubi is a town in a valley along Kampala Busabala Road blessed with streams and swamps like Kaliddubi swamp. Unfortunately, due to the increasing population in the area, people have started encroaching the swamps to obtain land for crop growing to earn a living and also sustain their livelihood. The local leaders have on several occasions advised people to conserve the existing swamps in their areas. Instead of responding positively to the leader's call they resorted to destroy the existing swamps. Recently the heavy prolonged down pour received in the area resulted into destructive floods which destroyed people's homeland, farmlands and properties. Some people living in the area would like to migrate from the above area but have nowhere to go. The local people and leaders have organized a sensitization meeting to handle the above situation.

Task.

- a). Explain the possible causes of the natural calamity in the above area.
- b). Make a write-up message that you will deliver in the meeting to help the people living in the area to handle the above situation.

PART III

Choose one question from the section.

Item 5.

Uganda population has been growing at a rapid rate. In 2015, Uganda's population was 37531446 and in 2010 it was 44457152, 47312719 in 2022, 48656601 and it also expected that Uganda's population will be 85431200 in 2025. According to Uganda Bureau of Statistics (UBOS), Rapid population growth comes with the opportunities and challenges on the environment and therefore the government needs to come up with possible solutions to control the Rapid population growth rate. A conference has been organized among the government officials to come up with the lasting solutions to manage the above trend and you're expected to be part of it.

Task

- Present the above information in the table.
- Draw a suitable statistical diagram to show the above information.
- Calculate the percentage change of Uganda's population between 2023– 2015
- Make a write up message that you will deliver in that meeting to manage the above trend.

Item 6.

The outbreak of the Covid 19 that affected the world economies didn't spare the East African region and its partner states. It slowed down the most economic activities especially the trading activities and investments. This resulted into decline of profits among the business men and loss of government revenue. The government officials have organized a conference where there planning to come up with solutions to manage and improve the trading activities effectively with in East African region.

A table showing East Africa's Exports in million Dollars.

Country	2020	2019
Kenya	21427	23483
Uganda	12398.33	12849.45
Tanzania	14582.60	14058.44

- Draw a suitable statistical diagram you will use to illustrate the above information.
- Describe the East Africa's trend of trading activities in each country.
- Guide the government officials on how to handle the above trend.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR 2025.

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