

S101/1
GENERAL PAPER
Paper 1
Jul/Aug. 2024
2 hours 40 minutes



WAKISO-KAMPALA TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION (WAKATA)

WAKATA MOCK EXAMINATIONS 2024

Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education

GENERAL PAPER

Paper 1

2 hours 40 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

The total time of 2 hours 40 minutes includes ten minutes for you to study the questions before you begin answering.

*Answer **two** questions which must be chosen as follows: **One** question from section A and **one** question from section B.*

*Both questions should be answered in the same answer booklet provided.
No additional answer booklet should be used unless the initial one is used up.
The additional answer booklet if used should be fastened together.*

You are advised to divide your time equally between the two questions.

***All** questions carry equal marks*

*Any additional question(s) attempted will **not** be marked.*

SECTION A

Answer one question from this section

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

1. (a) Discuss the challenges faced by the Uganda Police Force in your community. (50 marks)
(b) Suggest measures that should be taken to address the challenges mentioned above (50 marks)
2. Explain the need for Primary Health Care in your Community. (50 marks)
3. Examine the ways in which the struggle for Gender equality can be achieved in Uganda. (50 marks)
4. Explain the value of Agro - forestry in your community. (50 marks)

SECTION B

Answer one question from this section

5. Study the information provided below and answer the questions that follow.

Inter Tech Institute located in Kosovo teaches advanced on-line courses in Computer. On admission, students are assessed in the following qualities of Computer which are arranged in ascending order of importance.

- Speed & Accuracy
- Browser navigation
- Operating Systems
- Computer programming
- Creativity & Innovation

The following students joined the Institute at the beginning of the year in January.

Bashir – had already patented an App which determines the quantity of Vitamin C in soft drinks, works slowly on his tasks, and uses Microsoft windows operating system.

Norah – She is a former Secretary with high speed and accuracy but a poor imagination. However, she can navigate a browser.

Deus – finds navigation difficult, has solved the family's company long standing problem in a new way, he is slow in his work because accuracy is more important than speed according to him.

Katrina – is speedy but not accurate in her work, uses the operating system of Microsoft Windows and has failed to come up with an App.

Francis – is very creative and innovative, and is good at navigation.

NOTE: The following conditions apply:

- All those students who are Creative and Innovative are good Computer programmers.
- All use operating of different kinds.

Questions:

- (a) Draw a table to find out the total weight of each student. (10 marks)
- (b) Which student has the;
(i) Best overall qualities (02 marks)
(ii) Least overall qualities (02 marks)
- (c) How much is spent on data by each student;
(i) per month? (02 marks)
(ii) the whole year? (02 marks)
- (d) Examine the challenges faced by students concerning online studies. (12 marks)
- (e) Suggest measures to overcome the challenges of online studies. (10 marks)

SPGE = 10 MARKS

6. Study the passage below and answer the questions that follow:

But I know where they learned this impassivity. They learned it at home, and from adolescents, guarding themselves against their parents. In all my reading I have discovered no age in which there was so great a gulf between parents and child. A seismic disturbance has taken place in the home. Within forty years America has **ceased to be a patriarchy**; it is moving towards a matriarchy but has not yet recognized and confirmed it. There is nothing wrong with a matriarchy; it does not **connote** any emasculation of men, it is merely a shift of balance. These young people grew in the fluctuating tides of **indeterminate** authority. A father was no longer held to be, ex officio, wise and unanswerable. The mother had not yet learned the rules of supporting and circumscribing her new authority. Father, mother and children have had daily to improvise their roles. This led to a constant emotion rocket in the air. The child either learned a silent self-containment or **fell into neurosis**.

The second charge is that they "aim low"-they want a good secure job. The article in time says that, as far as their domestic life is concerned, they look forward to a "**sub-urban idyll**"

What they want at all costs is not to find themselves in "false situation". Life is full of false situations, especially American life today. The most frequent and glaring of them is incompetence in high places. My generation is not impressed by any vested authority whatever. And their freedom to judge authority is accompanied by their willingness to be judged. Their caution **reposes** upon their unwillingness to exercise any authority or responsibility for which they don't feel themselves to be solidly prepared and adequate. They hate the false and they shrink from those conspicuous roles which all but inevitably require a certain amount of it.

I have said that the **Silent Generation** is fashioning the twentieth century man. It is not suffering and bearing forward a time of transition, it is figuring forth a new mentality.

In the first place, these young people will be the first truly international men and women. Compared to them my generation was **parochial**. Their experience and their reading-their newspapers as well as their textbooks have impressed upon them that the

things all men hold in common are more important and more productive than the things which separate them.

For instance, we went to war against and among foreigners and "enemies". That attitude was narrow; hence forward all wars are civil wars. This generation goes forward not to punish and destroy, but to liberate oppressed and misguided brothers. The army authorities go into anxious huddles over the **unabashed condour** with which young men can be heard exploring ways of avoiding military service.

Today these young people are interested in the nature of belief itself. Some of us in the previous generations hurled ourselves into social reform and social revolution; we did it with a personal passion that left little room for deliberation and long-time planning. This generation is silent because these changes cannot for argument but for **rumination**. These young people are setting new patterns for the relation of the individual to the society about him. Members of this generation **exhibit** a singular insistence on wishing to be appraised for themselves alone.

(slightly edited from an article by Thornton Wilder in Contemporary American Prose).

Questions:

- (a) Suggest a suitable title to the passage. (02 marks)
- (b) What charges does the writer bring against the silent generation? (04 marks)
- (c) According to the passage, what is meant by "A seismic disturbance has taken place in the home"? (04 marks)
- (d) In not more than 120 words, summarize what the writer considers to be the characteristics of the young generation as given in the passage. (10 marks)
- (e) Explain the meaning of the following words or phrases as used in the passage.
 - (i) Ceased to be a patriarchy (02 marks)
 - (ii) Connote (02 marks)
 - (iii) Indeterminate authority (02 marks)
 - (iv) fell into neurosis (02 marks)
 - (v) "sub-urban idyll" (02 marks)
 - (vi) reposes (02 marks)
 - (vii) parochial (02 marks)
 - (viii) unabashed condour (02 marks)
 - (ix) rumination (02 marks)
 - (x) exhibit (02 marks)