

KYAMBOGO UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF TEACHER EDUCATION AND EXTENSION
DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION PRIMARY (DEP) - ONE OFF
YEAR ONE EXAMINATIONS 2023

LANGUAGE EDUCATION
DLE (P) 12: INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE, ORAL
LITERATURE AND THE SHORT STORY

DATE: 15/12/2023

TIME: 9: 00 AM- 12: 00 NOON

INSTRUCTIONS: Attempt any *four (4)* questions. Choose at least *one (1)* question from each section.

SECTION A: INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE

- ✓ 1. (a) Using examples, explain the relationship between literature and language. **(10 marks)**
(b) Why is it necessary for a teacher to read extensively? **(15 marks)**
2. (a) "Literature is all creative works of man expressed in words.....whether sung spoken or written down" Explain the statement, giving examples. **(15 marks)**
(b) Explain the following forms of prose.
(i) Descriptive prose. **(05 marks)**
(ii) Narrative prose **(05 marks)**

SECTION B: ORAL LITERATURE

- ✓ 3. Give and explain the benefits of oral literature in society. **(25 marks)**
4. (a) of what use are the following to society;
(i) Proverbs **(05 marks)**
(ii) Tongue twisters **(05marks)**

- (b) What considerations would you bear in mind when telling stories to pupils in the lower primary classes? Illustrate. **(15 marks)**

SECTION C: THE SHORT STORY

5. Select one short story from the four you have studied on the course and discuss the themes presented. **(25 marks)**

6. With illustrations, explain the following aspects of the short story.

- i. Title
- ii. Setting
- iii. Themes
- iv. Characters
- v. Message

(5 marks @)

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