

(2 marks)

Sad - The little lass was out of home
Happily waited for being suspended by her clutch.

f. Describe the mood of the story.

(2 marks)

Suspicion - The three lasses were suspended by being pulled out of their clutch.
was suspended until the lasses had caused her death.

(2 marks)

Detail - The young girl who died and
who was called by the chief to perform rituals
in order to identify the thief.

e. Explain any two themes portrayed in the story.

(2 marks)

The chief ordered people also threatened and
those girls at the suspended lasses to sharp
and they shopped.

d. Give the evidence to show that the chief is greatly respected.

(2 marks)

Widow - They threatened, feared and threat
a few slaves of the lasses who were suspended gradually

(2 marks)

Deseruant - He/she was able to give all
details of what was going on.

(ii) The crowd

c. Describe the character portrayed by each of the following:

(i) The narrator

(1 mark)

First Part of view

b. In what point of view is the story told?

(2 marks)

Rural area - Present of a life out beliefs in natureaff.

a. Describe the geographical setting of the story

Questions

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innocent and free. She fell sobbing on the ground until her friends came and helped her to her feet.

The gods had accepted the woman's answer. She had spoken the truth. She was thrown it on the ground. Amid a breathless silence the cock struggled to its feet, ran a few steps, collapsed and died on its back, its breast uppermost. The crowd roared, took the first cock and with a sharp knife cut its throat halfway across. Then he took the second cock and with a sharp knife cut its throat halfway across. The priest here. She threw herself on the knees and swore that she was not a witch. The gods would surely kill three cocks were brought and given to the priest's assistants. The first lady was brought before the altar and warned to speak the truth or the gods would surely kill her. She threw herself on the knees and swore that she was not a witch. The priest here. She threw herself on the knees and swore that she was not a witch. The gods would surely kill three cocks were brought and given to the priest's assistants. The first lady was

The crowd began to jeer them and threaten them. A few stones were thrown but the chief ordered the people to be calm.

Another group came from the chief's house and in the centre of it were three women. Their bodies were torn and they stumbled and wept. Obviously they had been roughly treated. Two were old and ugly and the other was about my mother's age, plump. They were the occupants of Tona's coffin house. They all denied that they had killed the girl.

The priest stationed himself by the altar that had been set up in the compound and poured a libation to the gods that the truth might be revealed.

Then came the fetish priest, tall, naked to the waist and his assistants. Some of these were children too. Little girls in white skirts and their bodies smeared with white clay and covered with strings of white cowrie shells.

The chief emerged. He was middle aged dressed in glowing "Kente" cloth gold crown on his head and sandals. He was accompanied by his horn blower and interpreter bearing his staff of office and elders of the town. A small boy of my own age carried the royal stool and another walked in front of the chief, acknowledging on his behalf greetings from the crowd. The chief and his party sat down.

If was after several days that the going-going was beaten in the late afternoon and the whole town was called to assemble outside the chief's house. The crowd was large and I climbed up a very high tree and seated in the swaying branches; I watched the whole scene.

THE WITCH

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

2. SHORT STORY

- (g) Describe the character of the addressee
(2 marks)
- Admirant - She never listened to the Poets of Culture.
- Honest-Humbugy - She adored Money (2 marks).
- Poets of Culture - Harrying the Man.

- (f) Describe any two themes portrayed in the poem.
(1 mark)
- (i) Affection - The addressee never heard the Poets of Culture
give her love and comfort.
- Problems after marriage - After marriage
problems after marriage.
- (ii) Justify your answer in (e (i))
(1 mark)

- (e) (i) Identify the mood of the poem
(1 mark)
- Sad/Gloomy

- (ii) A fish in shallow water you are
(1 mark)
- Helpless

- (d) What figures of speech are depicted in the following expression:
(2 marks)
- (i) Your husband is Judas

- (c) What does the persona mean by "hooked in the seine of fishermen"?
The addressee has found herself in a seine
whereby it is difficult to get out of.

(2 marks)

A brother or sister he is my sister!
An address is referred to as "my sister".

(b) Describe the persona in the Poem.

(1 mark)

Living dead

(a) Identify oxymoron in the poem.

Questions

Enjoy that slave house my sister
"You can go back to your parents
Whene'er you questoin, he repiles
Into a living dead you have been turned

Hooked in the seine of fishermen
A fish in shallow waters you are
A fisherman he is now
My in-law, your husband is Judas

Be vigilant like a soldier
Don't flood your cheeks with tears
Pregnant with million of dollar
Your pocket is always pregnant

You adored money than pieces of advice
A bag full of bank notes
For your pillow is a bag
Don't flood your cheeks with tears

MY SISTER

1. POETRY

Answer both questions

SECTION A (30 Marks)

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Total			
Question number	Tick if answered Do not write in these columns	In the book on each page	Minutes reading all the questions and planning your answers to the questions you choose.
1			4
2			3
3			2
4			1

1. This paper contains 12 printed pages. Please check on all pages.

2. Write your full name and class on all pages.

3. This paper has two sections. a. Section A contains two compulsory contextual questions. Therefore, you are required to answer both

b. Section B comprises essay questions. Answer one question on each book on pages 11 to 14.

4. You should spend the first 10 minutes reading all the questions and planning your answers to the questions you choose.
5. In the table provided on this page, tick against the question number you have answered.

Instructions

(70 marks)

PAPER III

Wednesday, 5th May
Subject Number: M052/III
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14:00-16:00pm

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