

**SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT**  
**GRADE 7**  
**COMPUTER SCIENCE**  
**July 2023**  
**Duration: 2 Weeks**



**THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL**

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**(PROJECT)**

**Learner's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Assessment No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions to Learners**

- (a) *Learners are expected to use a desktop computer system in carrying out the project as instructed in this paper.*
- (b) *Learners are expected to work in groups not exceeding seven in carrying out the project.*
- (c) *Learners are expected to actively participate in all the project tasks.*
- (d) *Learners are expected to consult the supervising teacher where necessary.*
- (e) *Learners are expected to complete the project within the stipulated time.*
- (f) *The project will be assessed out of 30 marks.*
- (g) *All responses must be in English.*

**FOR TEACHER'S USE ONLY**

Maximum score	Learner's score
30	

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### **TASK: CONNECTING PHYSICAL PARTS OF A COMPUTER**

Grade seven Computer Science learners have been tasked to visit a school's computer user environment (room), interact with the physical parts of a computer that have been provided on the work areas and perform the following tasks in groups:

1.     (a)     Categorise each of the physical parts of a computer into input and output devices.  
  
         (b)     Label each of the physical parts of a computer using appropriate name tags.
2.     (a)     Connect the physical parts of the computer, power on the computer and start it up.  
  
         (b)     Record a video clip showing the process of connecting physical part of a computer in 2 (a) above.  
  
         (c)     Name the video recorded as '**my connection**'.
3.     Use the computer to:
  - (a)     (i)     Type the names of the physical parts of a computer as categorised in question 1 (a) above in a word processing application. Save the typed document as '**physical parts of a computer**'.
  - (ii)    Type **four** safety precautions or practices you observed while connecting the physical parts of a computer in the same document. Save your work.
  - (b)     Draw a block diagram showing the functional relationship between the categories of physical parts of a computer. Save the document as '**functional relationship**'.
  - (c)     Create a folder and copy the file '**my connection**', '**physical parts of a computer**' and '**functional relationship**' in it. The folder name should be your Assessment Number.
  - (d)     Shut down the computer.

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