

SMARTWIZ

GRADE 4 EMS EXAM

MARKS: 50

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TIME: 1 hour

SCHOOL _____

CLASS (e.g. 4A) _____

SURNAME _____

NAME _____

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Instructions for Students:

- > Read all instructions carefully before beginning the exam.
- > Write your name and student ID clearly on the answer sheet/booklet.
- > Answer all questions unless otherwise stated.
- > Show all your work/calculations where applicable.
- > Write clearly and legibly.
- > Use blue or black ink only. * Do not use correction fluid/tape.
- > No electronic devices (calculators, phones, etc.) are allowed unless explicitly permitted.
- > Raise your hand if you have any questions.
- > Do not talk to other students during the exam.
- > Any form of cheating will result in disqualification.

QUESTION 1: Needs and Wants (10 marks)

Look at the items below and write “Need” or “Want” next to each one.

1. Water

2. Cellphone

3. Food

4. Toy

5. Shelter (home)

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

QUESTION 2: Goods and Services (10 marks)

Write G if it is a Good and S if it is a Service.

1. Haircut

2. School desk



3. Firefighter

4. Bread

5. Doctor

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

QUESTION 3: Sources of Income (10 marks)

Answer the following questions in full sentences.



1. What is income?

2. Name two ways a person can earn income.

3. What do we call the money a worker earns every month?

4. Who earns money by selling goods in a shop?

5. Who earns income by helping sick people?

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

QUESTION 4: Saving and Spending (10 marks)

Fill in the blanks using the correct word from the box.

[save, spend, bank, budget, needs]

1. I _____ money when I keep it for later.

2. We _____ money when we buy something.

3. A _____ helps us keep our money safe.

4. We must plan our money by making a _____.

5. It is wise to spend money on our _____ first.

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

QUESTION 5: Bartering (10 marks)

1. What is bartering?

2. Why was bartering used long ago?

3. Give one example of bartering.

4. Name one problem with bartering.

5. What do we use today instead of bartering?

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

TOTAL: 50 MARKS

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QUESTION 1: Needs and Wants (10 marks)

1. Water – **Need**
2. Cellphone – **Want**
3. Food – **Need**
4. Toy – **Want**
5. Shelter – **Need**

✓ **2 marks each = 10 marks**

QUESTION 2: Goods and Services (10 marks)

1. Haircut – **S** (Service)
2. School desk – **G** (Good)
3. Firefighter – **S** (Service)
4. Bread – **G** (Good)
5. Doctor – **S** (Service)

✓ **2 marks each = 10 marks**

QUESTION 3: Sources of Income (10 marks)

1. Income is **money people earn by working or selling something.**
2. Two ways:
 - By working a job
 - By selling products
3. A salary or wage
4. Shopkeeper / Store owner
5. Doctor or Nurse

✓ **2 marks each = 10 marks**

(Accept similar correct answers and wording from learners.)

QUESTION 4: Saving and Spending (10 marks)

1. **save**
2. **spend**
3. **bank**
4. **budget**
5. **needs**

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

QUESTION 5: Bartering (10 marks)

1. Bartering is **exchanging goods or services without using money**.
2. It was used long ago **before money was made or used**.
3. Example: **Swapping maize for milk** or **trading shoes for vegetables**.
4. One problem: **It was hard to find someone who wanted what you had**.
5. Today, we use **money**.

✓ 2 marks each = 10 marks

(Accept reasonable, similar answers phrased in learners' own words.)

✓ **TOTAL: 50 MARKS**

