



DIVINE EDUCATION CENTRE
PRE-PRIMARY LEAVING EXAMINATION
2022

ENGLISH (ITEM 2 of 4)

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

Random No.						Personal No.		

Candidate's name:

Candidate's Signature:

District No:

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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. Do not write your **school** or **district name** anywhere on this paper.
2. This paper has two sections **A** and **B**. Section **A** has **40 questions** and **section B** has **15 questions**. This paper has **12 pages** printed altogether.
3. Answer **all** questions. All the working for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
4. **All** working must be done using a **blue** or **black** ball point pen or ink. Any work done in pencil will **NOT** be marked except drawings and diagram.
5. Unnecessary **changes** in your work and handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do not fill anything in the table indicated **“For examiners’ use only”** and the boxes inside the question paper.

FOR EXAMINERS’ USE ONLY		
Qn. No.	MARKS	EXR’S No.
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

SECTION A (50MARKS)


Sub-section I

Question **1** to **50** carry one mark each

Fill in the blank space with a suitable word

- 1- Every motorist must have a valid _____ permit.
- 2- The garbage was disposed _____ properly
- 3- Aaron did not support the motion and _____ did Agnes.
- 4- Her _____ rang for long before she picked the caller.
- 5- Dandala _____ Lingala language fluently.

Use the correct form of the word in brackets to complete the sentence

- 6- It is a _____ to smoke in public. (**criminal**)
- 7- Candidates must write their answers _____ (**accurate**)
- 8- The _____ building along the street belongs to the headmaster. (**nine**)
- 9- Religious people lead a _____ life. (**peace**)
- 10- A friend of _____ has gone out. (**we**) 
- 11- My _____ is to buy a new laptop. (**intend**)
- 12- The stepmother was _____ of mistreating the stepson. (**accuse**)
- 13- To be a _____ is bad. (**lie**)
- 14- The choir _____ a new song. (**sing**)
- 15- She will study _____ (**carpenter**)

Use each of the words in a sentence to show that you know their difference in meaning.

- 16- fan _____
- 17- fun _____

Rewrite the sentence giving the opposite of the underlined word.

- 18- We still have some **responsible** Ugandans.

- 19- Money **lenders** are common nowadays.

20- Do all little girls **reject** gifts from sugar daddies?

Give the singular forms of the given words



21- ceremonies_____

22- bridesmaids_____

Rewrite the sentences giving a single word for the underlined group of words

23- All my **pupils with whom I study in the same class** are older than you are.

24- The staff meeting was **put off** because one member had lost a relative.

Write in short form

25- television_____

26- headquarters_____

Re-arrange the words in alphabetical order.

27- stove, soil, sand, stones_____

28- speed, spear, spend, spade_____

Rearrange the words correctly to make a meaningful sentence

29- pretty Rwandan tall girl two met He.

30- been have you butcher's the to ever?



SUBSECTION II

Rewrite the sentences as instructed in brackets

31- Nancy is smart at all times. (Use:-----ever-----)

32- Ssemata is very rich. Ssemata does not own a car. (Rewrite as one sentence using: ----although----)

33- Annet sings well. Harriet also sings well. **(Join the sentence using ---and so-----)**

34- The word "beat" comes after the word "about" in the dictionary. **(Rewrite the sentence using:-----before----)**

35- Moses is so careful that he can't forget to wear face mask.**(use: ---such ---that---)**

36- What an interesting game she showed us!**(Begin: She----)**

37- Awino did not eat. Apoli did not eat. **(Join the sentences beginning: Neither ---)**

38- She did not pay attention. **(End: -----attentive.)**

39- You should give your children clothes. You should pay their school fees.
(Begin: Not only---)

40- Tweyambe likes debating. Twebaze likes debating very much.
(Rewrite as one sentence using: ----more interested ---than --)



41- "I went to Kampala last month," said Simon. **(Use: ---said that ---)**

42- Walugembe sang well, didn't he? **(End:-----, did he?)**

43- The cartoon was very interesting. I saw it in the New Vision.

(Join the sentences using: ---which----)

44- The doctor got a leave. The leave was to last three months.

(Join the sentences ending: -----leave.)

45- Unless they pay attention, they will not understand the concept. **(Rewrite the sentences using: ----if----)**

46- Lucas was very lazy but he finished the test with others. **(Use:---much as --)**

47- As soon as the patient saw the nurse, he started crying. **(Begin: No sooner-)**

48- I have not seen my niece for ten years. **(End: ---ago)**

49- Our class comprises eighty pupils. **(Use: ----composed)**

50- It is not necessary for Patrice to come here. **(Use: ---need not ---)**



SECTION B

51- **Read the passage carefully and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.**

USING THE INTERNET

Peter Kareke is a pupil at Nyakinoni primary school. He had always wanted to be promoted to primary five because every Thursday the primary five, six and seven classes always have a computer lesson at their school.

Pupils normally go to the computer room for these lessons. There, they learn how to use a computer. Most pupils find this great as the computer helps them to explore more about what they have learnt.

Last Thursday, their teacher, Mr. Atwine Anthony taught them how to write letters using the computer and the internet. The new type of letter is called e-mail. He explained to them that e-mail means electronic media.

The teacher mentioned the advantages of writing an e-mail using the internet. He told them that an e-mail is sent **instantly** and it does not require one to go to the post office to post it.

He told them that this is far better than writing on a paper. The teacher further showed them how to surf the net for information. He told them that to access the internet, one must have paid service fee. When the teacher finished, he allowed the pupils to use the computers. Peter and his friend Abubaker logged on to google and downloaded information about muscular and skeleton systems. When they had started, the computer **suddenly** stopped working. It jammed until they called teacher for assistance.

On checking the computer, the teacher discovered that the computer had been affected by a virus. He cleaned it and it started working again.

The teacher told them to restart the computer. Unfortunately some files had been **deleted**. "You have to save as you type." The teacher advised them. When the bell for lunch rang they signed out and ran home. It was real fun for Peter and his classmates.

Questions:

(a) What is the passage about?

(b) When did Mr. Atwine conduct the computer lesson?

(c) Where was the computer lesson conducted from?

(d) What is the name of the letter sent by the internet?

(e) Why did the computer stop working suddenly?

(f) Why did Peter and his friend log on to google?

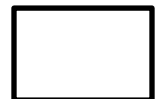
(g) What is the title of the passage?

(h) Give another word or group of words that mean the same as the underlined word in the passage.

(i) deleted _____

(ii) instantly _____

(iii) suddenly _____



- 52- **The time table below was found pinned on the notice board of Mutabi Primary School. Study the table below and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.**

MATABI PRIMARY SCHOOL
END OF TERM ONE PRIMARY SEVEN EXAMINATION
TIME TABLE

Day and date	Subject	Time	Invigilator	Supervisor
Tue 17/4/2020	ENG	9:00-11:15am	Apio Hannah	Kato Abu
	SCI	2:00-4:15pm	Tom Azera	Ruth Nahu
Wed 18/4/2020	MATHS	9:00-11:30am	Lukowo Peter	Tom Azera
	SST	2:00-4:15pm	Saidat N	Kato Abu
Made by: MBAMBU CHRISTINE DIRECTOR OF STUDIES				

Questions:

- (a) Where is the time table found?

- (b) On which day and date did Ruth supervise the exam?

- (c) How many different supervisors were in charge of the exam?

- (d) Who wrote this information?

- (e) Which teacher both supervised and invigilated the exam?

(B) **The notice below was displayed for all residents of Marabigabo Sub County. Read it carefully and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.**

UWA ALERT!

THE MANAGEMENT OF UGANDA WILDLIFE
AUTHORITY HEREBY INFORMS THOSE WHO HAVE SETTLED IN MITABIGABO
FOREST TO VACATE IT BY 20TH MARCH, 2021
YOU EITHER VACATE THE FOREST OR ELSE YOU FACE FORCEFUL EVICTION
CONSERVE THE FOREST FOR THE NEXT GENERATION

Questions

(a) Which forest should be vacated?

(b) What will happen to the people who will not vacate the forest by the set date?

(c) What is the deadline for vacating the forest?

(d) For whom should the forest be conserved?

(e) Give another word which means the same as "**vacate**"



53- **Read the poem and carefully answer in full sentences the questions that follow.**

THE FAMILY TREE

You are my close
relative
For you are a sister to
my **dad**
Your children are my
cousins
Your father is my
grandfather
True, your husband is
my uncle

Shallon, you are my
half-sister
We share only one
parent
It is dad that
connects us
But we can't marry
each other
For if we do, it will be
incest.

Rachel is my mother-in-law
She is my children's
grandmother
A mother to my beloved
spouse
She is a full family member
We are closely related
Emma

Questions

(a) Who is the writer's half –sister?

(b) How is the writer related to the one being talked about in stanza one?

(c) Which shallon's parent is not the writer's?

(d) According to the poem, what does the writer call Rachel?

(e) How many verses are in the poem?

(f) Why can't the writer marry Shallon?

(g) Give another word or group of words which means the same as the underlined word in the poem.

(i) dad_____

(ii) spouse_____

(iii) connects _____

(h) Who is the writer of the poem?



54- **The sentences below are in a wrong order. Rewrite them in the correct order to form a short composition about street children**

- (a) Bad peer groups encourage children to develop bad habits.
- (b) There are several reasons that force children to run to streets.
- (c) Therefore, it is important for parents to look after children well.
- (d) Apart from child labour, there is also bad peer pressure.
- (e) This will reduce the number of children who go to live on streets.
- (f) These drugs are dangerous to one's life.
- (g) Mistreatment normally involves child labour.
- (h) One of the bad habits is taking drugs like marijuana
- (i) Child labour means over working children.
- (j) The first reason is that children are being mistreated at home.

55- **You are at home. You have severe flu and dry cough. You wish to isolate yourself because you suspect that you may be infected with COVID 19. Write a letter to the Head teacher of your school informing him/ her of your absence from school. Explain to him / her why. Tell him / her that you will return to school after you have recovered.**
