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PAPER 1 A

Choose one of the following topics and write a composition of 500 to 700 words.

1. Write an original story beginning: "She regretted having talked to the stranger."
2. Describe what happened at a candidates' meeting when one of the contestants stood up to persuade the people to vote for him or her.
3. In your opinion what should be done to help AIDS patients live positively?
4. Explain clearly how you feel about the rule for wearing uniform in school.
5. What are some of the most appropriate ways in which government can address poverty in Uganda?
6. You are faced with the urgent need to decide between two choices. Give clear details of your dilemma and what you would do eventually.
7. "Government should ban all dressing that exposes people's thighs and their underwear." Write in support or rejection of this view.

PAPER 1B

Answer Question 1 and one other question. Each of your compositions should be 250 to 300 words.

1. Write a letter to your council asking for a change in leadership in your area or for provision of some service or facility that you area lacks. You may use some or all the following points:
 - Broken bridges
 - Poor roads in the area
 - Long distance to the nearest town
 - No buses
 - Area needs to open up to trade with the outside
 - There has been no progress in the area
 - New leadership can bring some hope
 - Poorly built schools without scholastic materials and trained teachers.
 - Poor performance at examinations at PLE, 'O' and 'A' Levels.
2. Describe three things that you find annoying about your neighbours.

3. Someone who has never been to your home wants to visit you. Give him or her clear directions to help them get there easily.
4. Describe a crop grown in your area say how it is grown.
5. Give reasons why students should or should not be punished at school.
6. Explain the dangers of pre – marital sex.
7. “Violence in sports should be abolished.” Give reasons to support or reject this view.