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ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Composition

Paper 1

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

*This paper has **two** Sections; **A** and **B**.*

*Answer **two** questions in **all**.*

*Answer question 1 in Section **A** and **one** other question in Section **B**.*

Section A: You are advised to spend about **10** minutes preparing, **30** minutes writing and about 5 minutes checking and correcting your work.

Section B: You are advised to select only **one** question from this section and spend **10** minutes preparing, **1** hour writing and **5** minutes checking and correcting your work.

*Any additional question(s) answered will **not** be marked.*

*Compositions **should** be **original** and relevant to the given topics*

SECTION A

*This Section is **compulsory**. Write a composition of 150 - 200 words. (20 marks)*

1. Imagine you are the head prefect of Nkondan High School. The other prefects have demanded for your resignation from the post. They complained to the Headteacher that you;
 - are rude to the students,
 - are un-co-operative with the teachers,
 - are not good at public speaking,
 - pass on wrong information about them to the school administration.

Write a letter to your headteacher to defend your position; explaining why you should not resign from the post of head prefect.

SECTION B

*Choose **one** of the following topics and write a composition of 500 - 600 words.*

(20 marks)

2. What advice would you give to a new student who has recently joined your school?
3. Write a story ending: "... **when I opened my eyes, my mother was the first person I saw.**"
4. "**Formal Education is the Key to Success.**" Do you agree with this statement? Give reasons for your answer.
5. Write a story to show that **a friend in need is a friend indeed.**
6. Describe the qualities of a teacher you like or admire.
7. "**Games and Sports should be made compulsory in schools.**" Do you agree? Give reasons to support your view.

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