

LIRA TOWN COLLEGE

S.4 MID TERM TEST ENGLISH LANGUAGE

TIME: 1 HOUR

Instructions:

There are two alternative papers. Paper 1A and paper 1B.

You must NOT attempt both papers.

Write paper 1A or paper 1B at the head of your answer.

Paper 1A: You are advised to spend 10 minutes preparing, one hour writing and about 10 to 15 minutes checking your work

Paper 1B: For each of your answers, you are advised to spend 10 minutes preparing, and 10 minutes checking your work.

PAPER 1A

Choose ONE of the following topics and write a composition of 500 – 700 words.

1. Discuss the view that prostitution should be accepted officially as one of the human occupations in Uganda.
2. Many Ugandans in rural areas and suburbs think that suspected criminals should be lynched using petrol and burning tyres. What is your opinion about this practice?
3. Write a story on any ONE of the following titles:
 - (a) The Great chance that I missed
 - (b) Never too late to change
 - (c) In the hands of a sadist
 - (d) Caught red-handed
4. Newspapers and the mass media are always reporting mind-boggling incidents of bestiality and defilement in many parts of Uganda. What has brought this about?
5. “Women’s revealing dressing is immoral and should be banned”. Do you agree? Give reasons to support your opinion.
6. Who is to blame for the current wave of students’ riots in Uganda secondary schools today?
7. What do you consider to be the causes of corruption in your country today?

PAPER 1B

Attempt question 1 and any other question. Each of your compositions should be 250 – 300 words.

1. You are a proponent in a debate for which the topic is:
THE CAMPAIGN FOR WOMEN'S EMANCIPATION HAS LED TO
STRAINED FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS AND BROKEN FAMILIES IN
UGANDA TODAY.
Write the argument you would make.
2. How are your parents or guardians better than others you have seen?
3. What are the causes of disagreements between parents and their teenage children in Uganda today?
4. Describe the person who used to scare you when you were still young.
5. What is the importance of students speaking English?
6. You have witnessed a fatal road accident. Write a report for the police stating the details of what happened.

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