



HORMISDALLEN SCHOOLS EXAMINATIONS BOARD

ENGLISH ASSESSMENT SET ONE– 2021

PRIMARY SIX

Name: _____

Branch: _____ Stream: _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. *Attempt all questions.*
2. *Any drawing must be done in pencil.*
3. *You must use a very good handwriting.*

2 HOURS 15 MINUTES

Examiner's Use Only	
SECTION A	
SECTION B	
TOTAL	

SECTION A

Fill in the blank space with the most suitable word to complete the sentence.

1. Most countries have congratulated Museveni _____ winning a sixth term.
2. The dog lay in its _____ and fed its puppies.
3. We have gone to the dairy but we have not bought any _____.
4. Is that the man _____ car was involved in an accident?
5. Most people in villages do not know _____ an elephant looks like.

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

6. The police have made an _____ into the death of the businessman. (*inquire*)
7. Kamuntu is the _____ of the three brothers. (*old*)
8. Most parts of northern Uganda have been sparsely _____. (*population*)
9. _____ planks of wood is a rather tiresome activity. (*smooth*)
10. The young boy cried _____ for some food. (*hunger*)
11. A friend of _____ is having a graduation ceremony this weekend. (*them*)
12. Does this restaurant prepare _____ dishes? (*Italy*)
13. Daddy has bought a _____ bed for the baby from the workshop. (*square*)
14. All the second-hand computers were sold _____ at the auction. (*cheap*)

Use each of the given words in a sentence to show a difference in their meaning.

15. heart _____

16. hurt _____

Rearrange the given words in alphabetical order.

17. motorist, cyclist, driver, pilot

18. cheque, cheat, check, cheap

Re-write the sentence giving one word for the underlined group of words.

19. The department of police that deals with the **vehicles on the road at a particular time** is said to be corrupt.

20. My younger brother is experienced in **the process of cooking using dry heat in an oven.**

21. A woman has given birth to **four children born at the same time to the same mother** at Mulago Hospital.

Write the full forms of the given short forms.

22. I'd _____

23. SMS _____

Re-write the sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words.

24. The garage is **in front of** the filling station.

25. Sandy is much **thinner** than her sister, Brandy.

26. The people treated the strangers **mercifully** even before the police arrived.

Re-write the sentence giving the plural forms of the underlined words.

27. The teacher has forgotten his **key** at his home.

28. We have bought a **mouse-trap** to kill the rats at home.

Re-arrange the given words to form a correct and meaningful sentence.

29. very baboon animal A ugly is a.

30. debate chaired last Who Friday the?

Rewrite the sentence as instructed in the brackets.

31. Gerald speaks English fluently. Gertrude speaks English fluently.
(Join beginning: Both.....)

32. I am not a football fan, am I? **(Rewrite and end:.....aren't I ?)**

33. That pen belongs to our teacher of English.
(Rewrite using:.....owner.....)

34. Siraji and Partel are equally rich. **(Rewrite using:.....asas.....)**

35. Simpson likes keeping animals very much. Simpson likes tailoring.
(Join as one sentence using:.....more than.....)

36. That is the police officer. We travelled with him to Mbale City.
(Join using:.....whom.....)

37. Mother washes her clothes before going to the market.
(Rewrite and use:.....after.....)

38. The proposers debated so hard. They did not win the debate.
(Join using:.....even though.....)

39. The bell rang for lunch. I was writing my work.
(Join using:.....while)

40. A dictionary is a very expensive book. It cannot be owned by everyone. **(Join using:.....suchthat.....)**

41. Zakayo is not a famous politician. He is not a renown farmer.

(Join using.....neither.....)

42. Do you like travelling by bus more than travelling by train?

(Rewrite using:.....prefer.....)

43. "I am reporting back to school next week," Musa said.

(Rewrite beginning: Musa said that.....)

44. Ashiraf has borrowed a bicycle from Shafik.

(Re-write beginning: Shafik.....)

45. It is not in order for you to drive while talking on phone.

(Rewrite using:.....must not.....)

46. What is the use of a hammer? **(Rewrite using:.....used.....?)**

47. The man went to the police station. He wanted to make a statement.

(Join using:.....because.....)

48. It would be much better for me to join farming than to study carpentry. **(Rewrite using:.....ratherthan.....)**

49. Roland is very rich. He can buy a Mercedes benz.

(Join using:....enough.....)

50. We found a Rwandese man at the gate. He was tall and slender. He was also young and brown.

(Join as one sentence without using: "which" or "and")

51. **Read the passage below and answer the questions about it in full sentences.**

There works a seamstress called Nayebare at Rubindi Trading Centre. She is such a skilled seamstress that she designs and sews ladies' and men's clothes in all fashions. Sometimes she sews wedding and graduation gowns with attractive designs. All her garments are purchased at affordable prices despite the fact that they are trendy.

Her elder daughter, Kansiiime is a fashion designer. She knits school sweaters and weaves tablecloths as well as carpets. She has a big stall in Ibanda Town. Kansiiime also curves beautiful sculptures. Her sculptures are mostly bought by foreigners from USA, England, China and France because they are decorated with attractive designs.

Nayebare and her daughter earn a lot of money daily from both local and foreign customers. This has enabled them to expand their business and train their siblings as well. In addition, Nayebare and Kansiiime usually exhibit their products at Kakyeka Stadium for the Western Uganda Manufacturers Association Fair in Mbarara City. This has not only helped them to advertise their products but also to widen their market.

Question.

a) What does Nayebare do according to the passage?

b) Where does Nayebare work from?

c) How many daughters does Nayebare have?

d) According to the passage, who curves sculptures?

e) How many foreign countries give Kansiiime customers?

f) Why do the customers like the sculptures?

g) Where does Kansiiime exhibit her products?

h) Where does Nayebare's daughter work from?

i) Give a word or group of words with the same meaning as the underlined;

a) purchased _____

b) customers _____

52. **The notice below was pinned on the noticeboard of Elite Furniture Workshop Ltd. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow.**

Elite Furniture Workshop Ltd
Mailo Mbili, Jinja City

*We are delighted to inform our esteemed customers that we make long lasting office furniture, school furniture and home furniture at affordable prices. We are located along Jinja-Iganga Road at Mailo Mbili. For further information, please call 0758779115.
Be aware of conmen to avoid losses.*

“A customer is our Boss”
Isabirye Gerald
Sales manager
17/12/2019

Questions.

a) Where was the notice found?

b) To whom was the notice addressed?

c) When was the notice written?

d) Who wrote the notice?

e) What are the customers advised to do to avoid losses?

f) Where is the workshop located?

g) Write one kind of furniture the workshop makes.

h) What can one do to get further information about the business?

i) Write the plural form of the word; **furniture**.

j) Write **Ltd** in full.

53. **The sentences below are in a wrong order. Re-arrange them to form a correct composition.**

a) Finally, Mr Mugabi paid the bill and left the restaurant.

b) The waitress quickly showed him the menu.

c) He went to Classic Restaurant.

d) Having looked at the menu, he made an order.

e) The food was so delicious that he even requested for more.

f) He therefore decided to go to a restaurant.

g) "Yes, can I look at the menu?" replied Mr Mugabi.

h) When he reached there, the waitress warmly welcomed him and offered him a seat.

i) One day, Mr Mugabi felt hungry at lunch time.

j) Then she asked, "May I help you, sir?"

54. The advertisement below appeared in the New Vision of Saturday, 14th September 2019. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow.

THE DOVES
Present
"The Pride of Karamoja"
A PLAY YOU CANNOT MISS
Venue: Bliss Theatre
Date: Sunday 15th Sept 2019
Time: 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

ENTRY FEE
Adults: 20,000/=
Couple: 15,000/=
Children: 10000

Questions

a) In which newspaper was the play advertised?

b) Write the name of the play.

c) When was the play advertised?

d) Who will stage the play?

e) Where will the play be staged?

f) When will the play take place?

g) How much will a primary pupil pay to watch the play?

h) How long will the play last?

i) How much will Juma and his wife pay to watch the play?

j) Who has been invited to watch the play?

55. Complete the story about Asali Restaurant using the words given in the box below.

serve,	small,	waitresses,	restaurant,	chefs,
improve,	pays,	smoothly,	delicious,	meals

At Asali Restaurant, many diners wait for _____ in the morning, in the afternoon and in the evening. This happens because their meals are so _____. They are prepared good and professional _____ at this restaurant. The _____ has other workers apart from the chefs. The workers include, waiters, _____, receptionists and a cashier.

The waiters and waitresses _____ the customers with food, the receptionists receive them and the cashier sits at the counter to ensure that every customer _____ the bills for the meals and gives out receipts to them. This division of labour has enabled them to run the restaurant _____. This has also left other _____ restaurants crying without customers. They should also work hard to _____ their services if they are to get customers.

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