

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

KIBAHA DISTRICT COUNCIL



DISTRICT FORM FOUR MOCK EXAMINATION

CODE: 022

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

TIME: 3:00 HOURS

2025

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections **A, B** and **C** with a total of **eleven (11)** questions.
2. Answer **all** questions in section A and B and **two (2)** questions from section C.
3. Section A carries **sixteen (16)** marks, section B carries **fifty four (54)** marks and section C carries **thirty (30)** Marks.
4. All writings should be in blue or black pen except for diagram that must be drawn in pencil.
5. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are not allowed in the examination room.
6. Write your examination number on every page of your answer provided.

SECTION A (16 Marks)
Answer all questions in this section

1. For each of the items (i-x), choose the correct answer from among the given alternatives and write its letter beside the item number in the answer sheets provided.
- i. Five students were selected to express ongoing activity by using the verb “know”. Only one student was able to make a correct sentence. Being good at English, identify the correct sentence.
- A. I am knowing the person who speaks English.
 - B. I am know how to cook biryani.
 - C. I am going to know who steals my food.
 - D. I know the boy who took your pen
 - E. I knowing this person is a thief
- ii. My father bought me a dictionary but it had a lot of symbols and abbreviations. He asked me “What is The importance of using these symbols and abbreviations?”
- A. To make the dictionary attractive to customers.
 - B. To make it different from other books.
 - C. Make pupils love it.
 - D. To show the pronunciation and spellings of words.
 - E. To economize space and use as little space as possible in giving as much information as possible
- iii. The newspaper article stated that the number of school dropouts is likely to increase this year. This is a non-factual information. Why is it categorized as non-factual?
- A. Due to the use of the word increase.
 - B. Due to the use of article “the”.
 - C. Due to the use of the word likely.
 - D. Due to the use of “this year” instead of “next year”
 - E. E. Due to the use of the compound word “dropouts”
- iv. On his wedding day, my brother, Jongo looked very smart. He told me that I should address him as _____ instead of calling him brother.
- A. Bachelor B. Best man C. Gloom D. Bride E. Groom
- v. “Nuru prefers studying to playing football.” If you rewrite this sentence by using the verb like instead of prefer, how will it read?
- A. Nuru likes studying more than playing football
 - B. Nuru likes studying to playing football
 - C. Nuru likes studying than playing football
 - D. Nuru likes studying than to playing football
 - E. Nuru likes more studying than playing football
- vi. Kaunda secondary school is adjacent to Madenge referral Hospital. The word adjacent can be replaced by the following words without changing the meaning:
- A. Opposite
 - B. Near
 - C. Next
 - D. .Close
 - E. Handy

- vii. Chandimu was told by the English teacher to change the sentence, “I went to school yesterday” into future perfect continuous. Which of the following was his correct answer?
 A. I will go to school tomorrow B. I will have been going to school
 C. I will have gone to school D. I will be going to school
 E. I will have been gone to school
- (viii). A fatal accident occurred on Manyema road involving a lorry and a Bajaj. The Bajaj driver died on the spot. The underlined expression means the following except:
 A. At that moment
 B. At the scene of the event
 C. Without any delay
 D. .On the road
 E. Immediately
- (ix). “Were it to rain, we wouldn’t go to the shamba.” What situation does this sentence express?
 A. It rained, so we didn’t go to the shamba.
 B. It rained, so we went to the shamba.
 C. It didn’t rain, so we didn’t go to the shamba.
 D. It didn’t rain, so we went to the shamba.
 E. It rained, so we were about to go the shamba.
- (x). You have attended a village meeting about the effects of female circumcision. Upon seeing you, the villagers asked you to deliver a speech. You agreed to deliver the speech though you didn’t have any prior preparations. Therefore, your speech can be referred to as:
 A. Prompt speech
 B. Inaccurate speech
 C. Ideal speech
 D. Brainstorming speech
 E. Impromptu speech

2. Match the meaning of the terms used in a dictionary in List A with the corresponding terms in List B by writing the letter of the correct response beside the item number in the answer sheets provided.

| LIST A | LIST B |
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| i The dictionary shows the way in which a word is spoken in a particular language. | A. Antonyms |
| ii A word in bold at the top of a page that shows the first or the last word on that page. | B. Guideword |
| iii The dictionary shows different words which have the same meaning. | C. Headword |
| iv The dictionary shows a word category of an entry or headword. | D. Abbreviation |
| v A word or phrase in boldface which begins a separate entry in a dictionary. | E. Synonyms |
| vi The dictionary shows words which have opposite meaning. | F. Pronunciation |
| | G. Symbol |
| | H. Parts speech |

SECTION B (54 Marks)

Answer **all** questions in this section

3. Mlyahilu is a form one student who cannot speak English correctly. Having mastered English well, correct him accordingly.

- (a) Me and Juma are going to the beach this evening.
- (b) Excuse me teacher, may you borrow me your book?
- (c) I suggest he sees the subject teacher.
- (d) Do you have a black pen? Yes, I have it.
- (e) I am very fond for coffee.
- (f) Yesterday I saw a big mice.

4. You have just had a new teacher at your school. Use the given words below to describe him/her; one sentence each.

Bald, big round, middle-aged, slim, tall, polite

- (a) Height
- (b) Hair
- (c) Age
- (d) Shape
- (e) Personality
- (f) Eyes

5. (a) Read the invitation card below then answer the questions that follow:

INVITATION CARD

Mr. Majaliwa is delighted to invite

Miss/mr/mrs/Dr/Prof/sheikh

Jumanne Siambiliki

to a dinner party that will be held at Kings hall
Mlandizi on Saturday, Starting from 07:00 pm to 11:00pm.
Your presence is highly appreciated.

RSVP

Majaliwa: 0766 767 767

Question: Imagine that you are Jumanne Siambiliki and decline the invitation.

5(b) Mwajabu was filling in an admission form and she wrote the information below. For each of her information, identify the item in the form.

Example: 16 years old – **Age**

- (i) Tanzanian –
- (ii) 18th January, 2005 –
- (iii) 170cm –
- (iv) 50kg –

6. Suppose you are booking a hotel room:

- (a) Write three different ways you would ask about the price?
- (b) How would you choose a room?
- (c) Say when to check in and check out
- (d) How would you end the conversation?

7. You have just learnt how various conjunctions are used in sentences. Use the knowledge you have got to rewrite the sentences below adhering to the instructions given under each item.

- (a) She is intelligent, but she won't pass the exam (Begin: **However....**)
- (b) All my friends have abandoned me because now I am broke (Use: **Now that....**)
- (c) As soon as I arrived at the airport, the airplane took off (Begin: **Scarcely....**)
- (d) In spite of being rich, Jembe lives a stressful life (Use: **nevertheless**)
- (e) They won the match although they had a very weak team (Use: **despite...**)
- (f) Moosha will pass the exam if he studies hard (Use: **unless...**)

8. Everyone has his/her childhood experiences that he/she would like to share with others.

Suppose you are an upcoming author and write a memoir in not less than 250 words. Underline the following literary devices in your work.

- (i) Simile
- (ii) Metaphor
- (iii) Hyperbole
- (iv) Onomatopoeia

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Answer **two questions** from this this section. Question **11** is compulsory.

LIST OF READINGS

NOVELS AND SHORT STORIES:

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|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A Wreath for Fr. Mayer | - S. N.Nduguru (1977), MkukinaNyota |
| Unanswered Cries | - Osman Conteh, Macmillan |
| Passed like a shadow | - B.M. Mapalala (2006) DUP |
| Spared | - S.N. Ndunguru (2004) MkukinaNyota |
| Weep not Child | - NgugiWaThiongo (1987) Heinemann |
| The Interview | - P. Ngugi(2002), Macmillan |

PLAYS

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|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Three Suitors: One Husband | - O. Mbia (1994) Eyre Methuen |
| The Lion and the Jewel | - W. Soyinka (1963), OUP |
| This Time Tomorrow | - NgugiwaThiong'o (1972) Heinemann |
| The Black Hermit | - NgugiwaThiong'o (1968), Heinemann |

POETRY

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| Songs of Lawino and Ocol | - O. P' Bitek(1979), EAPH |
| Growing up with Poetry | - D. Rubadiri (ed) (1989) Heinemann |
| Summons | - R. Mabala (1960), TPH |

9. Authors use language artistically to embellish their work and bring about various effects. In the light of this statement, examine how authors of two novels you have read under this section have successfully used language to fulfill the above intentions. Give three (3) points from each reading.

10. Examine in details how the issue of conflicts is portrayed in two plays you have read under this section and show how those conflicts need to be overcome in order to bring changes in the society.

11. Poets write to warn the society amongst other roles. Validate this statement with reference to two poems you have read under this section. Give three (3) points from each poem

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