

**THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF SAME
KINDOROKO GIRLS' SECONDARY SCHOOL
FORM ONE SEPTEMBER MID-TERM EXAMINATIONS**

022

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time: 2:30 Hours

Year: 2024

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections A, B and C with a total of **ten (10)** questions.
2. Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.
3. Section A and C carry **fifteen (15)** marks each and section B carries **seventy (70)** marks.
4. All writing must be in **blue** or **black** ink.
5. Cellular phones, calculators and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
6. Write your **Name in Full** on the top right hand corner of every page.

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QUESTION NUMBER	SCORE	EXAMINER'S INITIALS
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SECTION A (15 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 besides the item number in the answer table provided.

- (i) The word antonym is referred to:
 A Words with the same spelling B Words with the same meaning
 C Words with the opposite meaning D Words with the same pronunciation
- (ii) Simple present tense has various uses in a sentence. Which of the sentences below is used to show the future?
 A The teacher comes from the holiday today
 B The teacher comes from the holiday annually
 C The teacher speaks French language
 D The teacher leaves for holiday from school
- (iii) One among the following sentences express the uncompleted action in the past. This is:
 A John had cooked ugali B It was raining heavily
 C She ate mangoes D She had taken them
- (iv) “Yesterday I saw a of bees,” Kelvin told Arufani.
 A swarm B school
 C group D crowd
- (v) Identify the type of a tense which is expressed in the following sentence. “*Does Patrick exercise every day?*”
 A Present Perfect B Present Perfect Continuous
 C Present Continuous D Simple Present
- (vi) The plural form of the sentence “*My parent brought an ox yesterday*” is:
 A Our parents bought oxen yesterday B My parents bought oxes yesterday
 C Our parent bought oxen yesterday D My parents bought an ox yesterday
- (vii) Which of the following sentences is grammatically correct?
 A Did you went to school yesterday? B Does he goes to school every day?
 C Will he goes to school tomorrow? D Is he going to school now?
- (viii) My son to school every day.
 A gos B go
 C goes D going
- (ix) This is their house. It is
 A Their B Hers
 C Ours D Him

(x) Choose the sentence with the right word order:

- A What your favourite colour is? B Are what your favourite colour?
C What is your favourite colour? D Your favourite colour is?

ANSWERS

S/N	(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)	(ix)	(x)
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2. Match each item in **List A** with the correct response in **List B** by writing its letter below the number of the corresponding item in the answer table provided.

LIST A	LIST B
(i) A flying insect with coloured wings	A Zebra
(ii) A flying insect that bites	B Buffalo
(iii) An insect with long back legs that can jump very high	C Butterfly
(iv) An animal like a horse with black and white lines	D Elephant
(v) An animal with thick gray skin, large ears and two curved outer teeth	E Grass hopper
	F Mosquito
	G Cockroach

ANSWERS

S/N	(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)
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SECTION B (70 Marks)

Answer **all** questions in this section

3. (a) The form one students have been told to buy dictionaries for their academic uses. Imagine you are good in using dictionary, tell your friend about five (5) uses of a dictionary.

- (i)
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- (ii)
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- (iii)
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- (iv)
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- (v)
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(b) Imagine you have looked up the meaning of the words in the English dictionary. Give the meaning of the following words.

- (i) Book
- (ii) School
- (iii) Staff room
- (iv) Dining hall
- (v) Examination

4. Complete the story below by writing verbs in the correct form.

Yesterday Mrs. Joshua went to the river to fetch water. At the river she (i) (*fill*) her bucket with water. She then (ii) (*carry*) the bucket on her head. She entered the house and (iii) (*leave*) the bucket of water outside. Mr. Joshua (iv) (*come*) from the farm. He (v) (*is*) very thirsty. He (vi) (*drink*) the water from the bucket. Later in the evening, he (vii) (*has*) stomach pain. He (viii) (*tell*) his wife that he drank the water from the bucket. His wife told him that the water in the bucket (ix) (*is*) not safe. His wife (x) (*take*) him to a village dispensary.

5. (a) Use an, a, the to complete the following sentences below:

- (i) girls did not come yesterday
- (ii) Please give me umbrella
- (iii) We fought in Kagera war
- (iv) John gave me lot of money
- (v) Rebellion escaped through Tanzania Mozambique border

(b) Change the following statements into simple present tense:

- (i) Did I go to school yesterday?
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- (ii) They are coming late.
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- (iii) Did she speak English?
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- (iv) He went home
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- (v) You ate all the home.
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6. (a) Arrange the following words to be meaningful sentences.
- (i) Last was ruler night the stolen
 - (ii) Child you this beating why beautiful are
 - (iii) Raining where heavily every is now it
 - (iv) Juma every time and brother me she
 - (v) Cold prefer always water drinking I
- (b) For each of the following instructions construct one grammatical sentence to illustrate their uses.
- (i) Simple present tense in negative form
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 - (ii) Present continuous tense in negative interrogative form
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 - (iii) Present continuous tense in affirmative form
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 - (iv) Future perfect in negative form
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 - (v) Simple past in question form
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7. (a) Read the following passage about Mr. Maganga's family then answer the questions that follow
- Maganga and Hamisa are husband and wife. They have two children, namely Ali and Suzy. Suzy is married to Peter and they have one daughter, Joyce. Ali is married to Sophia and they have three sons Idi, Musa and Ibrahim.
- (i) How many grandchildren does Maganga have?
 - (ii) Idi, Musa and Ibrahim call Suzy
 - (iii) Peter calls Hamisa
 - (iv) Ali calls Peter
 - (v) is Ali's niece.
- (b) Fill in the correct information from the passage above, the first has been done as an example:
- (i) I am Hamisa's husband. Who am I?
You are Maganga.
 - (ii) I am Ali's brother – in – law. Who am I?
You are
 - (iii) I am Ali's niece. Who am I?
You are
 - (iv) I am Suzy's brother. Who am I?
You are
 - (v) I am Sophia's husband. Who am I?
You are

8. Write a letter to your friend telling him/her that you expect to pay him/her a visit during your vacation. Observe the following order: -
- (i) Write your personal address
 - (ii) Write the date
 - (iii) Greet the addressee
 - (iv) State the purpose of the letter
 - (v) End the letter and write your name

9. (a) Complete the following sentences using possessive pronouns (*ours, yours, mine, theirs, his, hers*).
- (i) That is Amina's house. It is
 - (ii) These are their mangoes. They are
 - (iii) These are our books. They are
 - (iv) This is his shamba. It is
 - (v) Those are my cows. They are
- (b) Complete the alternative from the words in the brackets to complete each of the following sentences.
- (i) I be wrong but I don't think so (*may, will*)
 - (ii) My friend drive a bus (*would, can*)
 - (iii) Jackson said he come, but he was not quite sure. (*will, would*)
 - (iv) You obey the laws (*would, must*)
 - (v) Kassim have talked to her (*would, may*)

SECTION C (15 Marks)

Answer the question **ten (10)** below

LIST OF READINGS

Hawa the Bus Driver	– R.S. Mabala (1988), Ben & Company, Dar es Salaam
Mabala the Farmer	– R.S. Mabala (1988), Ben & Company, Dar es Salaam
Kalulu the Hare	– F. Worthington (1937), Longman, England
The Magic Garden	– K.R. Cripwell (1977), William Collins Sons and Company Ltd., Great Britain

10. "Many authors of literary works discuss a lot of issues (themes) which are also happening in our societies" With reference to two class readers, support the above statement by providing three (3) issues (themes) portrayed from each class reader.

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