

ENGLISH

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**END OF TERM III EXAMINATION 2023-2024
QUESTION PAPER**

GRADE: SENIOR ONE

COMBINATIONS: O'LEVEL

DURATION: 3 HOURS

MARKS: ... / 100

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INSTRUCTIONS

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SECTION A: Comprehension and Vocabulary **(30 marks)**

SECTION B: Language use **(40 marks)**

SECTION C: Summary writing **(10 marks)**

SECTION D: Composition **(20 marks)**

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Saving is also important. Saving means putting money aside so you can use it later. It's good to save money for things you want like a new toy or a trip, or for things you will need in the future, like college or a car. One way to save money is to put some of your allowance or birthday money into a piggy bank, a bank account or investment account.

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PART I: READING COMPREHENSION

(15 MARKS)

1) Choose the best answer among the given alternative.

(12 marks)

a) What is personal finance about? i.

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- ii. Cooking our food
 - iii. Cleaning our house
 - iv. Managing our money
- b) A budget is a plan about how you will:
- i. Spend your money
 - ii. Save your money
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- i. Stocks, bonds, real estate
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2) Do you think that managing your money wisely is important? Explain by giving two important reasons.

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PART II: VOCABULARY

(15 MARKS)

3) Give the synonym of these words:

(5 marks)

- a) Begin=
- b) Connect= c)
- Rich=
- d) Sad= e)
- Good=

4) Complete the following sentences using the words given in bold: **trendy, untidy, smart, stylish, old-fashioned** (5 marks)

- a) You ought to wear a _____ suit for your job interview.
- b) Italians are very _____. Both men and women dress very well. c) She's very _____. She always wears the latest fashion.
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5) Write the words which are pronounced in the same way as the given ones. (5 marks)

- a) write→
- b) weak→
- c) sun→ d)
- there→ e)
- knew→

SECTION B: LANGUAGE USE (40 MARKS)

6) Use the most appropriate quantifier from the brackets to complete the following sentences. (5 marks)

- a)students paid for the trip so it was cancelled. (**few/a few**)
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- d) The woman did not give oil she hadn't enough. (**some, any**) e) Annet does not drink..... beer. (**many, much**)

7) Choose the correct answer to complete the sentences. (6 marks)

- a) I play three musical instruments: guitar, piano and drums. i. may ii.

- a) He must read the instructions very carefully. b) The doctor has given Muhire some medicine. c) Instructions on medicine are very important.
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12) Put the words in the correct column according to the pronunciation of their vowel sound.

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butcher, food, good, fruit, cook, soup

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- a) I want to work as an interpreter in the future, I am studying Russian at university.
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SECTION C: SUMMARY WRITING

(10 MARKS)

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There are many types of carbohydrates. The main carbohydrates found in our food are in the form of starch and sugar. Carbohydrates mainly provide energy to our body. Fats also give us energy.

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SECTION D: COMPOSITION

(20 MARKS)

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Answer: Managing our money is important because of the following reasons:

-It helps to spend our money wisely in relation to what we gain (income)

-It helps us to be able to invest our money in income generating activities based on what we have saved.

-... (Consider different reasons as they are given by the students)

PART II: VOCABULARY (15 MARKS)

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Answers:

- a) Stylish**
- b) Smart**
- c) Trendy**
- d) Old-fashioned**

e) Untidy

- 5) Write the words which are pronounced in the same way as the given ones. **(5 marks)**
- a) write → **right**
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Answers:

- a) **ii. can**
- b) **i. unless**
- c) **iii. can**
- d) **ii. need**
- e) **ii. may**

f) iii. must

8) Read the following paragraph and correct the mistakes identified. (6 marks)

Answers:

Europeans **colonised** Rwanda in the 19th century. Europeans **wanted** raw materials for their industries. They also **wanted** markets for things their industries **produced**. In 1916 Rwanda **became** a Belgium protectorate. Rwanda **fought** independent in 1962.

9) Go through the following sentences and identify which part of speech is the underlined word. (5 marks)

Answers:

a) Anitha: proper noun

b) Will leave: verb

c) Tomorrow: adverb of time

d) My: possessive adjective

e) Under: preposition

10) Rewrite the following sentences as instructed without changing the meaning. (5 marks)

Answers:

a) He neither greeted the visitors nor smiled at them.

b) Although he comes late, she follows what the teacher teaches.

c) The robbers not only stole his money but they also killed him.

d) I never smoke in order to stay healthy.

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between 160-189 words and 211-230 words/ **1mark**

below 160 words and above 230 words/ **0.5 mark**

- neatness - **1 mark**

Content:

- Introduction-**2 marks**
- Body: 3 ideas- **6 marks**
- Conclusion-**2 marks**
- Grammar and language use - **2marks (2 errors-0.5mark)**
- Coherence- **2 marks**

c) Write a letter to your friend encouraging him to avoid drug abuse.

Points to consider and marks allocation for marking a letter

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- Neatness: **1 mark**
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