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SECTION A

Sub Section 1

In each of questions 1 to 10, fill in the blank space with a suitable word or group of words

1. I wanted to see how high up he could.....the mountain.
2.the table you will find the two books I was reading.
3. My sister thinks the crested crane is thebeautiful bird she has ever seen.
4. You should.....after that good treatment by the doctor.
5.man must be the owner of the car.
6. We receivedof money in the past two weeks.
7. Mr. Kafuko, thehasn't any meat to sell today.
8. Going home early andearly are good for the young boy.
9. The pupils were notto come to school without uniform.
10. The beggar wanted to eat the smallest.....the cassava tubers.

In each of questions 11 to 15, use the correct form of the word given in brackets to complete the sentence.

11. The hungry manneeds some food to eat. (bad)
12. If it hadn't rained heavily, hebefore time.(leave)
13.is the new topic the teacher introduced during the science lesson.(digest)
14. Was heto go up the hill? (ability)
15. Many of the animals were seen.....the road. (cross)

Each of the sentences in questions 16-18 is incorrect. Re-write each sentence correctly.

16. Our school team was won by Aduku primary school team.

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17. Please borrow me your pen.

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18. I am tired with you.

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In each of questions 19-20, re-write the sentence giving the opposite of the word underlined.

19. His niece was given a place in Gulu High School

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20. Mary sometimes snores in her sleep.

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In questions 21 to 25, rewrite each sentence giving the singular form of the underlined words

21. Their goats broke my cassava plants.

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22. Let him kill the lice I see on your hair.

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23. You should save water for those ostriches.

In questions 24 to 25, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know its meaning

24. bare.....

25. bear.....

In questions 26 to 30, rewrite each sentence giving a single word for the underlined group of words.

26. The doctor who treats people with bad teeth advised the children not to eat sweets.

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27. Tell those people who prepared food to wash the plates as well.

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28. The instrument for measuring temperature was broken.

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29. A place where games and races are held is near our school.

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30. That special vehicle used for carrying sick people belongs to Kalongo hospital.

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In questions 31 to 50, rewrite each sentence as instructed in the brackets.

31. I entered the house at mid-night. I didn't find my friend in the house. (Re-write as one sentence beginning with although.....)

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32. Kapere is neat. The teachers are pleased with Kapere. (Re-write as one sentence beginning: Kapere.....)

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33. The important visitor is already seated. The headmaster had invited the parents to meet the visitor. (Re-write as one sentence using:whom.....)

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34. "I will cut down all these old coffee trees and plant new ones" announced the farmer. (Re-write beginning: The farmer.....)

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35. The policeman told the lorry driver that he had knocked down the pedestrians. (Re-write and end:didn't you?" said the policeman)

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36. The prisoner has been given a mugful of porridge. (Re-write using:have been)

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37. You are always advised to think for yourself in everything you do. (Re-write and begin with: One is)

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38. Mary asked peter where he had put her handbag. (Re-write and end with?.....?" Mary asked.)

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39. The bus reaches the forest in the morning. Baboons come to the road to receive food from passengers. (Re-write as one sentence without using: and)

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40. It wasn't necessary for Mukasa to return to the chief. (Re-write using: didn't have.....).

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41. The refugee is brown. I saw the refugee in the market. The refugee is tall. (Re-write as one sentence without changing the meaning)

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42. There are tiny mice inside the headmaster's cupboard. (Re-write beginning: the headmaster's cupboard.....)

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43. That is the dog which bit the watchman. (Re-write using:bitten by.....)

44. Opondo's friend arrived when all the food had been eaten. (Re-write and begin: A friend)

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45. No, Lolem wouldn't have passed in grade 1. (write a question to which the above statement is the reply)

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46. All children were allowed to eat any quantity of food they wanted. (Re-write using:as much.....)

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47. The doctor asked the patient to lie down. The doctor asked the patient to let her examine his stomach. (Re-write as one sentence using: eitheror.....)

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48. Amina was free to wash her clothes. She was also free to visit her friend Sarah. (Re-write as one sentence using: either.....or.....)

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49. “Stop shouting,” ordered the class teacher. (Re-write beginning with: The class teacher ...)

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50. The teachers think that Esther’s class work shows signs of improving. (Re-write using: promising)

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SECTION B

51. Study the simplified school register below and answer in full sentences the questions that follow.

MONTH OF AUGUST 1992 CLASS P.6 RED

NO	NAME	SEX	AGE	FEES	WEEK ENDING					Total Attendance	
					M	T	W	TH	F	Morning	Afternoon
1	AJULO MARGRET	F	13	4500	^	^	^	10		4	3
2	ALICE BON	F	12	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
3	ANICO MARY	F	12	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
4	OLUPOT PETER	M	13	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
5	ASEKO CHRISTINE	F	12	4500	^	^	^	^	I D A Y O L I D A Y C H I L D R E N P U B L I C S C H O O L	4	4
6	AGAU MICHAEL	M	14	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
7	OHORIO CYPRIAN	M	15	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
8	ARAYO VAJILINA	F	13	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
9	EBUNYU MICHAEL	M	13	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
10	ATUJO MICHAEL	M	13	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
11	NAIGAGA JANET	M	12	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
12	BYARUHANGA TOM	M	14	4500	00	00	00	00		0	0
13	BYAGAGAI ALEX	M	14	4500	00	^	^	^		3	3
14	ISABIRYE FRANCIS	M	15	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
15	FRANCIS	M	13	4500					P U B L I C S C H O O L		
16	ARUO CHARLES	M	13	4500	00	^	^	^		3	3
17	AMODOI JOSEPH	M	11	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
18	ELALEIT CHRISTOPHER	M	12	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
19	OKOTH BEN	M	13	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4
20	NABUKWASI IRENE	F	14	4500	^	^	^	^		4	4

KEY

^ Present morning and afternoon

00 Absent morning and afternoon

10 Present morning and absent in afternoon

15 Withdrawn

- a) How many children are registered in this class?.....
- b) How many of pupils in p6 red are girls?
- c) Who is the youngest pupil in class?
- d) How many pupils have not paid school fess?
- e) How much is each pupil supposed to pay as fess?
- f) Which pupil was absent from class for a whole week?
- g) Which pupil was present in the morning but absent in the afternoon of the same day?.....
- h) In not more than three sentences, explain the importance of class register in a school.....

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52. Read the following conversation and answer in full sentences the question that follow

(A visitor enters the house. He meets a boy who invites him to sit down).

Visitor: Good morning, Youngman.

Luka: Good morning, Sir.

Visitor: What's your name?

Luka: I'm Luka Mampengo.

Visitor: Mampengo! Are you the child who recently won a shilling in the National Lottery? I think he was a pupil from Upper Hill Primary School.

Luka: No, sir, it wasn't me. That was Mampengo Peter. I'm in the Lower Hill Primary School.

Visitor: I see, I'm your uncle. Tom Aliat, from Morocco. I know you don't know me. I would like to see Papa. Is he at home?

Luka: No, Uncle. He's gone to their club for a meeting.

Uncle Tom: Which club?

Luka: I don't know, Uncle. He always talks of their club. I don't know the name of the club.

Uncle Tom: Can you call Mummy then?

Luka: She too is away.

Uncle Tom: Luka, tell Papa and Mummy that I had come. I will come again in the evening. Also, tell them that I will be going to Australia in two week's time. I have some very important things I would like to discuss with them. Are you quite clear about what I have told you?

Luka: Yes, Uncle

Uncle Tom: Bye. Luka.

Luka: Bye, Uncle. Please bring me a pair of shoes from Australia.

Uncle Tom: Yes. I will remember

(a) What is the visitor's name?

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(b) Who won a million shillings in the National lottery?

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(c) Why do you think Mampengo doesn't know the name of the club?

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(d) Why do you think Uncle Tom-is a good man?

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(e) At what time of day did Uncle Tom visit Luka's home?

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(f) Imagine that you are Luka, accurately report Uncle Tom's message to your parents.

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53. The sentences below are in the wrong order. Write them out below in their correct order to make a composition about examinations.

- 1) The other is the fear of failing.
- 2) Examination should instead be a pleasure to you.
- 3) If you study well, you don't need to fear examination.
- 4) This is usually so because of many reasons.
- 5) Some people don't enjoy doing examinations.
- 6) So, examinations time should be a time for joy.
- 7) One of them is the amount of time you take to prepare for them.
- 8) This means progress in your life.
- 9) It is opportunity for you to show that you have been studying well.
- 10) Also, it is a chance for you to pass to the next stage in school education.

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(a) How many people are in the family?

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(b) Who is the youngest child?

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(c) Who was instructed to wash the cups and plates?

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(d) How was Mrs. Kela going to get the new uniform for her children?

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(e) What does the family use as fuel for cooking?

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(f) Why did Hilda say that Tom was a useless boy?

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(g) What evidence in the passage suggests that Tom should not have been blamed?

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(h) How can you tell that Mrs. Kela cares for her children?

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55. Write a short composition (100-150 words) about what you would do if you were elected (appointed) Head Prefect of the school.

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SECTION A

Sub Section 1

1. climb
2. Check on
3. most
4. get well
5. That
6. a lot
7. butcher
8. sleeping
9. allowed
10. piece of
11. badly
12. would have left
13. Digestion
14. able
15. crossing
16. Aduku primary school team won our school.
17. Please lend me your pen.
18. I am tired of you.
19. His nephew was given a place in Gulu High School.
20. Mary rarely snores in her sleep.
21. Their goat broke my cassava plant.
22. Let him kill the louse I see on your hair.
23. You should save water for that ostrich.
24. He walked bare footed.
25. I cannot bear your theft.
26. The dentist advised the children not to eat sweets.
27. Tell those cooks to wash the plates as well.
28. The thermometer was broken.
29. The playground is near our school.
30. The ambulance belongs to Kalongo hospital

Sub-Section II

- 31.Although I entered the house at mid-night, I didn't find my friend.
- 32.Kapere's neatness pleases the teachers.
- 33.The important visitor whom the headmaster had invited parents to meet is already seated.
- 34.The farmer announced that he would cut all the old coffee trees and plant new ones.
- 35."You knocked down the pedestrian didn't you?" said the policeman.
- 36.The prisoners have been given a mugful of porridge.
- 37.One is always advised to think for himself in everything he does
- 38."Peter, where have I put my handbag?" Mary asked.
39. When the bus reaches the forest in the morning, baboons come to the road to receive food from passengers.
- 40.Mukasa didn't have to return to the chief.
- 42.I saw a tall brown refugee in the market.
- 43.The headmaster's cupboard has tiny mice inside.
- 44.The watchman was bitten by that dog.
- 45.A friend of Opondo arrived when all the food had been eaten.
- 46."Do you think Lolem would have passed in Grade 1?"
- 47.All children were allowed to eat as much as they wanted.
- 48.The doctor asked the patient to lie down and let her examine his stomach.
- 49.Either Amina was free to wash her clothes or visit her friend Sarah.
- 50.The class teacher ordered that pupils should stop shouting.
- 51.The teachers think that Esther's class work is promising.

SECTION B

- 51.a) Twenty pupils are registered in this class.
- b)Seven of the pupils in P.6 Red are girls.
- c)Amodoi Joseph is the youngest pupil in the class with 11 years old.
- d)One pupil (Ohorio Cyprian) has not paid fees. (Francis withdrew from school so we don't count him)
- e) Each pupil is supposed to pay 4500 as fees.

- f) Byaruhanga Tom was absent from class for a whole week.
- g) Ajulo Margret was present in the morning but absent in the afternoon on the same day (Thursday).
- h) (i) A class register shows the total number of students in the class.
- (ii) It shows the particulars of pupils in the class for example sex (male or female), age, fees payment
- (iii) A class register also shows the daily attendance of pupils in class (class roll calls).

52. a. The visitor's name is Tom Aliat.

- b. Mampengo Peter won a million shillings in the National Lottery. "
- c. I think Mampengo doesn't know the name of the club because the father doesn't mention it.
(He always talks of their club).
- d. I think uncle Tom is a good man because he accepted to bring for Luka a pair of shoes from Australia.
- e. Uncle Tom visited Luka's home in the morning.
- f. Daddy and Mummy, uncle Tom came around but you were away. He will come again in the evening to discuss with you some very important things. He will be going to Australia in two weeks' time.

53 1. Some people don't enjoy doing examinations.

- 2. This is usually so because of many reasons.
- 3. One of them is the amount of time you take to prepare for them.
- 4. The other is fear of failing.
- 5. If you study well, you don't need to fear examinations.
- 6. Examinations should instead be a pleasure to you.
- 7. It is an opportunity for you to show that you have been studying well.
- 8. Also, it is a chance for you to pass to the next stage in school education.
- 9. This means progress in your life.
- 10. So, examinations time should be a time for joy.

- 54 a. Four people are in the family.
- b. The youngest child is Tom.
- c. The two girls (Hilda and Sue) were instructed to wash the cups and plates.
- d. Mrs. Kela was going to get the new uniform for her children by getting money from her brother who was a driver in the post office.
- e. The family uses firewood as fuel for cooking.
- f. Hilda said that Tom was a useless boy because he didn't wash the plates and mugs. In addition he didn't check on the fire where the potatoes were put.
- g. Tom should not have been blamed because Mrs. Kela instructed the two girls (Hilda and Sue) to do all the work.
- h. I can tell that Mrs. Kela cares for her children by the following.

Mrs. Kela went to town very early in the morning so that she can get money to buy new uniforms for her three children.

Even though Mrs. Kela is a widow, she educates her children which shows that she wants them to be literate and prosperous.

She provides her children with heavy breakfast of porridge and fresh cassava.

55. What I would do if elected the Head Prefect of my school

I have always wanted to be a leader in society. If I were elected a head prefect of the school, I would make sure every student abides by the school rules and regulations to achieve the school's goals and mission.

Every morning, I would ensure that prefects carry out a roll call to find out which students are missing (late). I will make sure that missing students and those who are late are given school timetables to help them manage their time.

During school assemblies, students would be briefed on the rules broken and also point out some achievements of the school. I would propose to the administration to start a system of awarding best performing students in each class.

I would also listen to pupils' complaints about the school and forward them to the school administration. This would ensure that pupils are satisfied with the school system management.