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3. Answer **all** the questions. **All** answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
4. **All** answers must be written using a **blue** or **black** ball point pen or ink. Any work written in pencil other than graphs and diagrams will **not** be marked.
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6. Do not fill anything in the table indicated: **"FOR EXAMINER'S USE ONLY"** and boxes inside the question paper.

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QN. NO.	**MARKS**	**EXR'S NO.**
1 - 10		
11 - 20		
21 - 30		
31 - 40		
41 - 50		
51		
52		
53		
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TOTAL		

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SECTION A: 50 MARKS

Questions **1** to **50** carry one mark each

Sub-section I

In each of the questions **1** *to* **5**, **fill** *in each of the blank space* with **a suitable word**.

1. We all don't know …… an owl looks like.

2. You ought to load enough …… in order to make a phone call.

3. The food …… which my grandma is accustomed is very expensive nowadays.

4. Most people are neither rude …… proud.

5. A doctor is a useful person and so …… tailors.

In each of the questions **6** *to* **15**, *use the correct form of the word given in the brackets to complete the sentences.*

6. …… to people is a sign of indiscipline. (lie)

7. The crown prince was so …… that he killed the fierce lion. (courage)

8. This mechanic repairs his customers' cars …… than Tamale. (skill)

9. Our head teacher has …… the prefects to ensure order in the school. (power)

10. I have just …… in sending an email. (succeed)

11. The bridegroom has …… his shirt on a hook. (hang)

12. Of the two schools, Seeta Junior School is the …… among Ugandans. (popular)

13. My elder sister is a …… at Ebenezer Hotel. (receive)

14. The old man has told his son to stop …… his nails. (bite)

15. My pen friend is not a Ugandan, but she is a …… (Niger)

In questions **16** *to* **18***, rewrite the sentences giving the* **plural** *form of the* **underlined** *word.*

16. The <u>radio</u> will be taken to the mechanic for repair.

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17. I prefer to see a <u>woman doctor</u>.

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18. Have you washed the <u>baby's towel?</u>

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In question **19** *to* **20***, arrange the given words in* **alphabetical order***.*

19. Supervisor, invigilator, exams, malpractice

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20. Tractor, transport, trailer, trail

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For questions **21** *to* **22***, rewrite the sentence giving the* **opposite** *form of the* **underlined** *word.*

21. My <u>niece</u> will attend the occasion.

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22. A mechanic uses a spanner to <u>tighten</u> nuts.

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In questions **23** *and* **24***, use each of the given words to construct sentences that show that you know the* **difference in their meaning***.*

23. break ……

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24. brake ……

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In questions **25** *and* **26***, write the given abbreviation and short form in* **full**.

25. cc ……

26. Hon ……

For questions **27** *and* **28***, rewrite the given sentences giving* **a single** *word for the* **underlined** *group of words.*

27. The invigilator has <u>made up his mind</u> to forgive the undisciplined candidate.

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28. The late Kifeesi's <u>body was laid to rest</u> yesterday.

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For questions **29** *and* **30***, rearrange the given words to make* a **correct sentence***.*

29. we should parents obey our.

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30. candidates What hard-working has Seeta Junior school!

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Sub-section II

In questions **31** *to* **50***, rewrite the given sentences as instructed in the brackets*.

31. Nansukusa is interested in music. Nansukusa is interested in debating more. (*Join the sentences using*: ..... more ..... than .....)

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32. There is very little money in the safe today. (*Rewrite the sentences using*: ..... hardly .....)

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33. Namuddu said, "I will write an informal letter to my pen pal "in Britain".(*Rewrite the sentences beginning*: Namuddu said that .....)

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34. I intend to become a doctor. (*Rewrite beginning*: My .....)

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35. The boys are kneading the dough. The girls are also kneading the dough. (*Join the sentences using*:..... and so .....)

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36. The debate was very hot. Only confident speakers could manage it. (*Join the sentences using*: ..... such ..... that .....)

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37. The ambulance reached the accident scene on time. (*Rewrite the sentence using*: ..... arrived .....)

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38. My Uncle repaired his car in the morning. The mechanic brought the spanner in the afternoon. (*Join beginning*: By the time ……)

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39. I have never seen a tractor that weeds crops. (*Rewrite the sentence ending*: …… tractor.)

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40. All Ugandans above the age of 18 expect to cast their votes early next year. (*Rewrite using*: …… looking forward ……)

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41. The patient did not swallow the tablets. He does not feel better than yesterday. (*Join the sentence beginning*: Had ……)

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42. Mrs. Tamale is a politician. Mrs. Tamale is also a medical worker. (*Rewrite the sentences beginning*: Not only ……)

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43. Zacchaeus climbed a sycamore tree. He wanted to see Jesus Christ. (*Join the sentences using*: …… in order to ……)

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44. When the children saw the thief, they screamed immediately. (*Rewrite the sentence beginning*: No sooner ……)

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45. Most vacationers prefer going on tour to staying home.(*Rewrite the sentence using*: …… rather ……)

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46. Muwonge had not driven for long when he found the highway patrol officers, had he? (*Rewrite the sentence ending*: …… hadn't he?)

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47. Yes, a carpenter uses a plane to smooth wood. (*Supply a question to which the above statement is the response*.)

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48. The candidate is very cowardly. You want to vote for him in 2026 presidential elections. (*Join the sentence using*: …… whom ……)

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49. It was not necessary for the police to arrest the innocent residents yesterday. (*Rewrite the sentence using*:…… needn't ……..)

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50. That boy came to school late. The teacher warned him seriously. (*Join the sentences beginning*: Having ……..)

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SECTION B: 50 MARKS

Questions **51** to **55** carry ten marks each

51. *Read the passage below and,* **in full sentences***, answer the questions that follow.*

Laropi Garage is a large workshop on the outskirts of Moyo Town in Moyo District, Northern Uganda. Started over fifteen years ago, it has grown into one of the busiest vehicle repair centres in the area. Every day, dozens of taxis, boda bodas, private cars and trucks come for servicing. The garage is popular among drivers and vehicle owners from across West Nile because of its quick service.

Despite this popularity, Laropi Garage is also notorious for a high rate of theft. It employs many young men, most of whom are unemployed school leavers who could not continue with education. Due to lack of jobs, some of these youths have joined bad groups. Taxi owners who park their vehicles at the garage overnight often report missing batteries, radios, spare tires and side mirrors in the morning. This has caused many people to lose trust in the garage.

One worker, Oryema Juma, aged 24, was the leader of a group called the "Spanner Boys" that specialised in stealing car parts and selling them in Moyo Town. One night he stole a battery, a radio and two side mirrors from a church van. The van belonged to Pastor Anguyo, who had parked it overnight after coming for prayers in Moyo. The stolen items were valued at 2 million shillings. After this incident, many church leaders became afraid to park at the garage.

Fortunately, Oryema left behind his black cap and a pair of greasy gloves at the scene. Police from Laropi Police Station used the items to identify and arrest him. He made a statement and was taken to Moyo Magistrate's Court where he was charged with theft. He spent four months on remand before being found guilty. The magistrate sentenced him to eight years in Gulu Prison, where he is now serving his sentence. News of his arrest brought relief and joy.

(a) Where is Laropi Garage located?

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(b) Why is Laropi Garage popular among drivers and vehicle owners in West Nile?

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(c) Who are the majority of workers employed at Laropi Garage?

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(d) What do taxi owners often report missing from their vehicles in the morning?

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(e) How much were the items stolen from Pastor Anguyo's van worth?

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(f) What did Oryema forget at the scene that helped the police to arrest him?

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(g) In which court was Oryema Juma charged with theft?

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(h) For how many years was Oryema Juma sentenced to prison, and where is he serving the sentence?

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(i) Give another word to mean the same as "unemployed" as used in the passage.

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(j) Suggest a suitable title for the passage.

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52. *Read the poem below and,* **in full sentences**, *answer the questions that follow.*

A happy time
Music and dance are,
With drums beating loudly,
And guitars playing sweetly,
Filling the whole hall with joy.

A happy time
Music and dance are,
With pupils dancing happily together,
Moving to the rhythm of the music,
Showing their amazing talents proudly.

A happy time
Music and dance are,
With the choir singing very loudly,
And voices reaching up high,
Bringing happiness to everyone.

A happy time
Music and dance are,
With spectators clapping and cheering loudly,
And big crowds gathered on the stage,
Enjoying the beautiful performance.

Achidri Gerald

(a) What is the poem about?

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(b) What instruments are mentioned in the poem?

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(c) How many stanzas does the poem have?

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(d) Who claps during the performance?

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(e) Where do the pupils perform?

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(f) How does music and dance make pupils feel?

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(g) What do the pupils do during the music and dance?

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(h) Give another word with the same meaning as each of the underlined words in the poem.

(i) Spectators .....

(ii) crowds .....

53. The sentences below are not in **correct order**. **Rewrite them correctly** to make a good story about "**Safety on the Road**".

(a) After proper checking, they then sit to get ready to drive.
(b) First, they must check the condition of the car they are going to drive.
(c) While on the road they follow the traffic rules and all the road signs.
(d) To ensure road safety, these careful drivers must do the following before they start the car.
(e) A licensed driver should be careful to ensure safety on the road.
(f) Once they have sat in the car, they fasten the seat belt.
(g) Then they start the car and move on to their respective destinations.
(h) They can get to know the condition of the car by checking the different parts.
(i) They also respect other road users to ensure safety on the road.
(j) The seat belt holds the driver in case of any accident.

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54. Study the document below, and **in full sentences**, answer the questions that follow.

MOUNTAIN BANK
BANK PAYING-IN SLIP

SCHOOL NAME: ST. MARY'S JUNIOR SCHOOL
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 400002345678
PUPIL'S NAME: OKELLO JOHN
CLASS: P5
DATE: 28/07/2026

NOTE/COINS	AMOUNT
50,000=	100,000/=
20,000=	40,000/=
10,000=	10,000/=
5,000=	-
2,000=	-
1,000=	-
500=	-
200=	-
100=	-
50=	-
BANK CHARGE	2,500/=
TOTAL	152,500/=

Total amount paid in words: One hundred fifty-two thousand five hundred shillings only.
Paid in by: Akello Sarah
Received by: Mugisha Peter Sign: A. Sarah

(a) What is the name of the bank used in the document?

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(b) For which school were the school fees paid?

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(c) Who is the pupil whose fees were paid?

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(d) In which class is the pupil?

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(e) On which date was the money paid?

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(f) How much money was paid using 50,000 shilling notes?

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(g) How much was paid as bank charges?

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(h) What was the total amount of money paid?

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(i) Who took the money to the bank?

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(j) Who received the money at the bank?

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55. Imagine that you are the Health Prefect of Bright Star Nursery and Primary School, P.O Box 134 Kasese. *The rainy season is about to start and you have noticed that the school compound is dirty and has a lot of stagnant water. Write a letter to your Head teacher asking him/her to buy some cleaning materials and tools.* Tell him/her why you need them and how you are going to use them. Promise to use and keep them properly. Use your school address.

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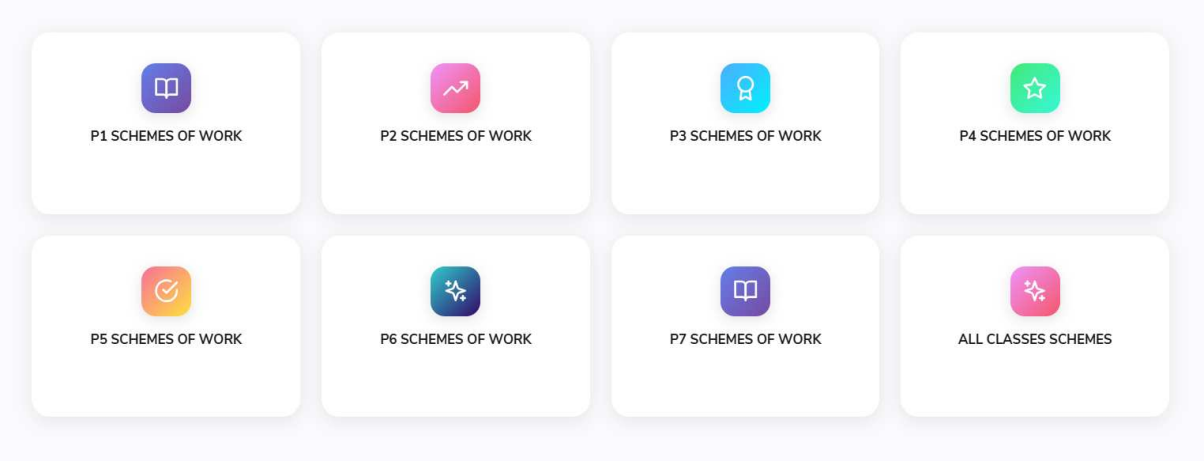
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