

**THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
NATIONAL EXAMINATION COUNCIL
GRADE A TEACHERS' CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION**

622

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time: 3 Hour.

Year: 2020

Instructions

1. This paper has Section A, B and C with a total of Sixteen (16) questions.
2. Answer all questions from Section A and two (2) questions from Section B and C each.
3. Section A carries forty (40) marks and Section B and C carries thirty (30) marks each.
4. Mobile phones are not allowed inside the examination room.
5. Write your Examination Number on every page of your answer booklet.

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SECTION A (40 Marks)

Answer all questions from this section.

1. Rewrite the sentences given by correcting the underlined clauses to form proper conditional sentences.
 - (a) If he work hard he would pass the examination.
 - (b) If we hard a calculator we would have work this out quickly.
 - (c) If I knowed the answer I would tell you.
 - (d) If I can take the car we could pay for parking.
2. Provide the meaning of the following concepts:
 - (a) A scheme of work
 - (b) Teaching aids
 - (c) A lesson plan
 - (d) Lesson notes.
3. Change the given sentences into simple present tense to express habitual events.
4. Briefly explain four sub-skills of listening.
5. List down four differences between a play and a novel.
6. Differentiate the following terms as used in preparation for teaching: (a) Textbooks and Reference books (b) Evaluation and Remarks.
7. Change the given sentences into their negative form to express past events.
8. Briefly describe the uses of the contrasting words “but” and “although” and give one example sentence for each.
9. Briefly explain the following concepts:
 - (a) Communication games
 - (b) Information gap
 - (c) Listening for a gist
 - (d) Listening for details.
10. Differentiate the following terms as they appear in the Primary School English Language Syllabus:
 - (a) A topic
 - (b) An objective
 - (c) Assessment
 - (d) Teaching strategies.

SECTION B (30 Marks)

Answer two questions from this section.

11. Analyse six sources of conflicts as presented by the writers in the plays *The Black Hermit* by Ngugi wa Thiong'o and *Three Suitors One Husband* by Oyono Mbia.
12. Write a formal letter to the former College Principal of Mwembechai Teachers' College, P. O. Box 101, Tanga requesting for your leaving certificates. Use the name J.J Abdallah of Kiwira Primary School, P. O. Box 4455 Tukuyu.
13. Write a composition to express your daily routine at Karume Primary School using the provided time-table of daily activities.

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer two questions from this section.

14. Suggest five techniques you can use to teach Standard Five pupils who confuse the sounds /l/ and /r/.
15. Examine five principles used in the teaching and learning of English Language in Tanzanian schools.
16. Enumerate five importance of English Language in Tanzania.