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

691 ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Time: 3 Hours. Year: 2013

Instructions

- 1. This paper consists of sections A, B and C.
- 2. Answer all questions in sections A and two (2) questions from each sections B and C.
- 3. Mobile phones and unauthorized materials are **not allowed** in the examination room.
- 4. Write your Examination Number on every page of your answer booklet(s).



SECTION A (40 Marks)

Answer all questions.

- 1. Explain four reasons why a child might perform well in English listening but poorly in speaking.
- 2. Identify four ways a teacher's reliance on rote learning can limit English language development.
- 3. Suggest four situations where children might use English incorrectly despite understanding the rules.
- 4. Describe four challenges of teaching English vocabulary through storytelling.
- 5. Give four reasons why children may avoid participating in English reading aloud activities.
- 6. Explain four benefits of using drama activities to teach English to young learners.
- 7. Suggest four ways to encourage children to use English in informal conversations.
- 8. Identify four potential effects of teaching English without considering cultural context.
- 9. Describe four reasons why children may struggle to write coherent English paragraphs.
- 10. Suggest four factors that affect a child's motivation to learn English in a classroom setting.

SECTION B (30 Marks)

Answer any two questions from this section

- 11. Discuss five strategies for teaching English to children in rural areas with limited resources.
- 12. Evaluate five benefits and five drawbacks of using flashcards to teach English vocabulary.
- 13. Analyse five techniques for improving children's English pronunciation without direct correction.

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer any two questions from this section

- 14. Propose five reasons why teaching English through music might be more effective than reading activities.
- 15. Examine five creative ways to teach English grammar through interactive games.
- 16. Suggest five benefits of teaching English through collaborative storytelling.