

**THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
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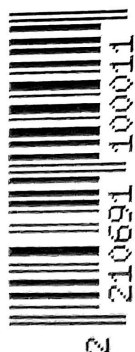
691 ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Time: 3 Hours

Year: 2022

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections A and B with a total of **fourteen (14)** questions.
2. Answer **all** questions.
3. Section A carries **forty (40)** marks and section B carries **sixty (60)** marks.
4. Read **all** the instructions in your answer booklet(s).
5. All communication devices and any unauthorised materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
6. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet(s).



SECTION A (40 Marks)

Answer **all** questions in this section.

1. What are the advantages of teaching writing skills to pre-school children? Briefly elaborate four advantages.
2. The exposure of children to different environments stimulates speaking. Briefly analyse four types of environments that can stimulate speaking to children.
3. How can you differentiate language learning from language acquisition? Give four points.
4. Briefly describe four strategies that a teacher can use to identify a child's English language speaking ability.
5. What are the advantages of using stories in teaching reading? Briefly describe four.
6. Briefly describe four ways that a teacher could use to help a child with listening problems.
7. Write the following transcribed words into normal English spelling.
(a) /fi:t/ (b) /lɜ:n/
(c) /kæt/ (d) /bʌtən/
8. Which ways a teacher could use to assess each child's ability to listen? Outline four of them.
9. What are the advantages of correcting reading errors? Briefly explain four advantages.
10. For the teaching and learning to be more effective and efficient, a teacher has to use the teaching aids in the classroom. Identify four teaching aids that can be used to teach children the names of objects, animals and people.

SECTION B (60 Marks)

Answer **all** questions in this section.

11. In five points, elaborate the language abilities that can occur during incidental reading to a child.
12. Effective listening makes learners to be active participants in the lesson. In five points, describe the indicators which show that a child is listening.
13. Preparation of teaching aids needs a consideration of certain aspects. Examine five aspects a teacher should consider when preparing teaching aids for pre-school children.
14. Evaluation in education can be done for different purposes. In four points, explain the types of evaluation used in the educational settings.