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STANDARD FOUR NATIONAL ASSESSMENT

02

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time: 1:30 Hours

Thursday, 22nd November 2018.

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections A, B, C, D and E with a total of **five (5)** questions.
2. Answer **all** questions.

SECTION A: DICTATION (10 Marks)

1. Listen carefully to the sentences read in (i) to (v) and then write them in the blanks provided.

- (i) _____
- (ii) _____
- (iii) _____
- (iv) _____
- (v) _____

SECTION B: VOCABULARY (10 Marks)

2. Choose the most correct answer in (i) to (v) and then write its letter in the box provided.
 - i) If a watch reads 2:00, therefore it is _____.
 - A. two o'clock
 - C. half past two
 - B. eight o'clock
 - D. half past eight[]
 - ii) I want to buy a pair of shoes, but I don't know its _____.
 - A. sell
 - B. money
 - C. price
 - D. shillings[]
 - iii) Musa repairs and makes cars, so he is _____.
 - A. a manager
 - C. a technician
 - B. a mechanic
 - D. an engineer[]
 - iv) She grows maize, beans, cassava and coconut in her farm. She is a _____.
 - A. potter
 - B. worker
 - C. gardener
 - D. Farmer[]
 - v) A list of food in a hotel is called a _____.
 - A. diary
 - B. menu
 - C. timetable
 - D. register[]

SECTION C: GRAMMAR (10 Marks)

3. Fill in the blanks in (i) to (ii) with the correct word provided in the box to make the sentence meaningful.

a few, cooked, is, much, cook, was, many, some

- i) He ate too _____ meat last night.
- ii) Juma invited _____ friends for lunch.
- iii) My mother put _____ milk in the glass.
- iv) Our teacher _____ here two hours ago.
- v) Mrs. Tamaambele _____ a lot of food yesterday.

SECTION D: COMPOSITION (10 Marks)

4. Complete the following passage by filling in the blanks with correct word provided in the box.

attract, anopheles, eat, diseases, evenings, mosquito, drinks

Malaria is one of the dangerous _____ in Africa. It can cause death. It is transmitted by a female mosquito called _____. This mosquito bites at night. The signs of malaria include fever and chills. In order to prevent malaria, we have to wear long sleeved shirts and light coloured clothes in the _____. This is because black colours _____ mosquitoes. Therefore, white coloured clothes are better than black coloured ones. We also have to sleep under _____ nets.

SECTION D: COMPREHENSION (10 Marks)

5. Read the following passage carefully and then write the answers in items (i) to (v) in the space provided

My name is Ally. I am ten years old. I am in Standard Four. My brothers are Juma and Abdallah. They teach at Mwongozo Secondary School. My sisters are Aisha and Amina. Aisha is eleven years old. She is in Standard Seven. We study together at Mbuyuni Primary School. Amina is nine years older than Aisha. She has a shop. She sells rice, sugar, maize flour, beans and bread. She is very hard working. Many people like to buy things from her shop because she uses polite language. We all live in Babati Town.

Questions:

- i) How many children are there in Ally's family?
- ii) Who is the youngest in Ally's family?
- iii) How old is Amina?
- iv) Why do many people like to buy things at Amina's shop?
- v) Where does Juma live?