



NERDS EXAMINATIONS BOARD

P7 BEGINNING OF TERM ONE EXAM 2025

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

Random No.							Personal No.		

Candidate's Name:

Candidate's Signature:

Read the following instructions carefully:

1. The paper has two sections: A and B.
2. Section A has 50 questions (50 marks)
3. Section B has 5 questions (50 marks)
4. Answer all questions. All answers to both Sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
5. All answers must be written using a blue or black ball point pen or ink.
6. Unnecessary changes in your work may lead to loss of marks.
7. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
8. Do not fill anything in the table indicated: "For Examiner's use only" and boxes inside the question paper.

FOR EXAMINERS' USE ONLY		
Qn. No	MARKS	EXR'S. No.
01 – 10		
11–20		
21–30		
31 – 40		
41 – 50		
51		
52		
53		
54		
55		
TOTAL		

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SECTION A:

50 MARKS SUB -SECTION I

Questions 1 to 50 carry one mark each

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

1. The..... extracted my tooth yesterday.
2. All the pupils shared the bread.....themselves.
3. The murderer was.....to Luzira for life imprisonment.
4. It has been raining.....morning.
5. Most buildings in Nairobi City are.....

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

6. We look forward to learning about environmental.....in Primary Seven.(degrade)
7. My uncle will.....his new house in January. (furniture)
8. That.....produces nice tasting breads. (baker)
9. Joan is.....than Immaculate. (shy)
10. All Primary Seven girls are more.....than boys. (study)
11. Partel,the.....investor has appeared before parliament. (Netherlands)
12. We were.....to see our guest of honor. (astonish)
13. The thieves have been.....punished. (dubious)
14. We paid money to the.....(cash)
15. Somalia has been a.....country. (panic)

In the numbers 16 and 17, use each of the given words in a sentence to show that you know the **difference in their meaning**.

16. stationary.....
17. stationery.....

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For questions **18** and **19**, rearrange the given words in **alphabetical order**.

18. ring, rug, ringing, rang
.....

19. count, cot, coat, court
.....

In questions **20** and **21**, rewrite the sentence giving the **opposite** of the **underlined words**.

20. The man who takes care of dead bodies has just passed.
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21. Mivule is a person who calls passengers in the bus park.
.....

For questions **22** to **23**, arrange the given words to form a **correct sentence**.

22. PLE unless not pass You will you read harder.
.....

23. their land needn't Byangu and Opanyi have sold.
.....

For each of the questions **24** and **25**, write the given abbreviations in **full**.

24. ETA.....

25. TBD.....

For questions **26** to **28**, rewrite the sentence giving **one word** for the **underlined group of words**.

26. The minister visited the place where orphans are taken care of yesterday.
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27. We haven't yet talked to our aunt for a two-weeks period.
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28. Junior is a man who welcomes and talks to clients at Case Clinic.
.....

For each of the questions 29 and 30, give the **plural form** of the given word.

29. diagnosis.....

30. alumnus.....

SUB-SECTION II

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

31. We welcomed our class teacher the moment he entered class. (**Rewrite as sentence using:**.....as soon as.....)
.....

32. It was not necessary for Albert to abuse his mother.
(**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....needn't.....)
.....

33. School children should respect their teachers under all cost. (**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....ought.....)
.....

34. You will not pass this examination if you don't read harder.
(**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....unless.....)
.....

35. My daddy took me to police. He wanted me to learn discipline.
(**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....in order.....)
.....

36. Rukundo is a very hardworking girl. All teachers like her. (**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....such.....that.....)
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37. My mother speaks Kinyarwanda. She can speak Arabic. (**Rewrite the sentence beginning:**Not only.....)
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38. There is some clean water in the water-tank. (**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....any.....)
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39. Kayanja is a renowned pastor. Kakande is a renowned pastor too. (**Rewrite as one sentence using:**.....as well as.....)
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40. To whom does this dirty dress belong?
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:** Are you.....?)
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41. He drove quickly. The passengers became worried.
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:** The....., the.....)
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42. The meeting has been postponed. The class teacher is absent. (**Rewrite the sentence using:**because.....)
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43. Are you the owner of this bank slip?
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:** Does.....?)
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44. Amos died but everyone was surprised.
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:** Amos'.....)
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45. Obodo is too young to cross a busy road alone.
(**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....enough.....)
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46. Nambi feels so sad every time she is abused.
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:**Whenever.....)
.....
47. Alice likes fried meat. She likes fried pork more.
(**Rewrite the sentence using:**.....prefers.....)
.....
48. She apologized to us but we did not forgive her.
(**Rewrite the sentence beginning:**Although.....)
.....
.....
49. The traffic police is towing the deceased's car. (**Rewrite the sentence beginning:** The deceased's.....)
.....
50. No man can teach.....
(**Rewrite and complete the proverb correctly**)
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SECTION B: 50 MARKS

Questions 51 To 55 Carry Ten Marks Each

51. Below is a timetable for **PLE 2023** done in **March 2023** .
Study it carefully and then ,**in full sentences** ,answer the questions that follow.

DAY	PERIODS	TIME	SUBJECTS	DURATION
Fri 26 th March	Afternoon	2:00p.m.	Briefing	2Hrs
Tue 30 th March	Morning	9:00a.m.	Maths	2Hrs 30mins
Tue 30 th March	Afternoon	2:00p.m.	SST	2Hrs 15 Mins
Wed 30 th March	Morning	9:00a.m.	Science	2Hrs 15Mins
March	Afternoon	2:00p.m.	English	2Hrs 15Mins

(a) For **which year** is the above timetable?

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(b) Which exercise **took place** on 26th March 2023?

(c) On which day did the **examination begin**?

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(d) Which subject **was done** in the afternoon of Tuesday?

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(e) Which subject **begun** at 9:00p.m. On Wed 30th March?

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(f) Why do you think all pupils **attended** the briefing exercise?

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(g) How **long** did the briefing exercise take?

.....

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(h) How many subjects are **shown** on the timetable above?

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(i) What do you think the candidates **did after** the English paper?

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.....

(j) Which examination **took** the longest time ?

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

ATHLETICS ! ATHLETICS! Athletics, the
game I enjoy most,

Racing and jumping I participate in,

Physically fit they make me,

At the end of them all.

Happy and motivated I become,

Whenever my supporters cheer me ,

Competing to win prizes is my main goal,

Becoming a **famous** athlete is my dream always,

Because that's what my fans wish me.

Undisputed ,my fans call me,zBecause winning is my daily
hobby,
Shot put, swimming and discussing, So tough
arduous they are to me.

Mubezi Immaculate P.7 White

- (a) What is the **title** of the poem?
.....
- (b) Which **game** does the poet enjoy most?
.....
.....
- (c) When does the poet **become physically fit**?
.....
.....

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- (d) How does the poet **feel** when his supporters cheer him up?
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.....
- (e) **How many** stanzas does the poem have?
.....
.....
- (f) What is the poet's **dream**?
.....
.....
- (g) What **results** does the poet hate?
.....
- (h) According to the 3rd stanza, which sports activity does the poet find arduous?
.....
.....
- (i) **Whom** do you think is the **writer** of the poem above?
.....
- (j) Write another word to mean **famous** as used in the poem.
.....



53. Read the announcement below carefully and then, **in full sentences**, answer the **questions about it**.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

BUKEDDE OLUPAPAPULA WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25TH, 2023

The family of Mr. And Mrs. Okoth Ochola with pleasure invites the company of Mr/Mrs. Bamukisa to the graduation party of their beloved son, Bill Bisirikirwa.

The graduation ceremony will be held Source Of The Nile Hotel in Jinja City on 30th August, 2023 and your positive response is our goal on that day. Please come and we have fun.

Bayole Stanly, Chief Organizer. please
reply **ASAP**

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- (a) On which **day** was the above announcement made?
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- (b) **In which newspaper** did the announcement appear?
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- (c) **Who is** graduating according to the announcement?
.....
- (d) Where will the graduation ceremony **take place**?
.....
.....
- (e) If you wanted to know more about this party, **whom** would you call?
.....
.....
- (f) When **will** this graduation be held?
.....
- (g) Who was **invited** to the party above?
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.....
- (h) Who is **Bayole Stanly** according to this announcement?
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.....
- (i) Where will the part **take** place?
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.....
- (j) Who **wrote** the above announcement?
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54. The passage below has blank spaces. Read it carefully and use **the words** provided in the box below to fill the **spaces correctly**.

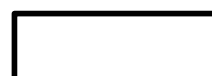
an ,	their,	public,	means,	taxis,	destinations,
when,	any,	fare,	tyres		

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There are manyof transport in **Uganda**.

These include buses, bicycles, aero planes, trains, boda bodas, ferries, boats, ships, etc. They are used on different such as road, air, railway and water transport.

People often board to travel to different Those who own vehicles usually drive cars or ride their bicycles. This means that they must have money for....., paid to the conductor/conductress. However, when travelling by air, a passenger must buy.....air ticket. This is done, one can board a plane and travel to..... part of the world.



55. Below is an extract from Malongo Health Centre III records , taken on 1st January, 2023. Study it carefully and then answer in full sentence the questions that follow.

S/N	Name of patient	Sex	Age	Disease	Comment of treatment
1	Kadaya Ahmed	M	50	Malaria	Given tablets
2	Mubajje Edrisa	M	15	Cholera	Admitted for one week.
3	Abogere Wilson	M	85	Diarrhoea	Given tablets.
4	Mukisa David	M	2	Malaria	Given ORS and deworming
5	Mwanja Sam	M	6	Malaria	Injection for 2 days
6	Kisakye Betty	F	30	Measles	Injection for 2 days
7	Mpamire Eddie	M	4	Diarrhoea	days
8	Underson Egesa	M	36	TB	Give ORS and deworming
9	Kezimbira Ibra	M	40	Cough	referred

Dr. Nseete Moses

Questions

- a) **From which** health centre was this record extracted?
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- b) **When** was the extract made?
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- c) How many female patients were **recorded** in this hospital?
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- d) Mention the **name** of the female patient who received treatment from Malongo Health Centre III.
- e) Why do you **think** Mubajje Edrisa **suffered** from cholera?
.....
- f) How **old** is Bogere Wilson according to the above record?
.....
- g) How many people **were admitted** for a two-weeks injection?
.....
- h) Which patients **were given** ORS at this health facility ?
.....
- i) Who **wrote** the above extract?
.....
- j) Write in full: ORS.....

