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ENGLISH

(Comprehension, Literary Appreciation and Grammar)

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name and Index Number in the spaces provided above.
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- Answers to all questions must be written in the spaces provided
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TOTAL SCORE	80	

1. Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow.

WASTE DISPOSAL

Population in most cities increasing at a very high rate. The high population results in high levels of activities and consumption. People in cities consume a lot of food and they buy groceries from shops, which are wrapped in polythene bags. As a result, a lot of garbage is generated and disposed off within and outside the urban areas. The higher the population, the higher the amount of garbage generated. This means that there should be an efficient system of collecting and disposing off the garbage.

The effectiveness of waste management by city councils varies from country to country. In most African exties, a large amount of waste is not deposited in rubbish pits. Instead, it is dumped in the open. According to United Nations Environmental Program(UNEP) statistics, sixty five percent of garbage in Tripoli, for example, is dumped in the open while eighty percent of garbage in Ismailia (Egypt) is also dumped in the open.

With extreme warm temperatures such garbage tends to decompose rapidly causing serious health risks besides being a nuisance. One common method of deposing off waste is open burning. This contributes to the problem of urban air pollution.

In Nairobi, for example, it is common to find informal open burning sites. Most residents of city estates say that they are forced to burn waste in the open because the city council is incapable of dealing with the increasing amount of garbage. When waste is not disposed off effectively, it affects human health and damages the environment. For example, it has led to problems such as pollution of water sources, offensive odour, and increase in disease vectors, pests and scavengers.

However, there are examples of domestic waste being disposed off hygienically or being recycled. For example, in rural Egypt, there are organizations that promote environmental awareness among women by providing them with plastic bags so that they can collect their garbage. On the other hand, the youth are given the task of taking the garbage to a designated collection point. This scheme can be imported to the urban areas with a lot of success.

Another possible solution could be the introduction of reusable shopping bags in place of the usual polythene bags. Supermarkets and other businesses can pack customers' goods in bags that are reusable. This would drastically reduce the amount of domestic waste generated everyday.

(a)	What is the result of high population in most cities?	(2 marks)
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(b)	In most African cities, where are large amounts of waste deposited?	(1mark)

	(c) How much waste does Egypt dump in the open ?	(1mark)
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	(d) What two problems result from dumping waste in the open?	(2 marks)
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,	(f) In what two ways can waste be successfully managed according to the passage?	(2marks)
	(g) In note form, briefly state the various forms of waste disposal discussed in the passage	.(4 marks)
	(h) Why is Egypt mentioned in the passage ?	(1 mark)
	(i) What is the writer's attitude towards the city council?	(2marks)

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(j) The high population results in high levels of activities and consumption Rewrite beginning: So	(1 1)
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(k) Explain the meaning of the following words and phrases as used in the passage	(3 marks)
(i) offensive odour	
(ii) disposed off	
(iii) decompose	

2. Read the excerpt below and then answer the questions that follow

STOUT MAN: (going up to CAPTAIN HORSTER, without taking any notice of the ladies):

Well, Captain, so you lend your house to enemies of the people?

HORSTER: I think I can do whatever I like with my own property, Mr. Vik.

THE STOUT MAN: Then you will have no objection if I do the same with mine.

HORSTER: What do you mean, sir?

THE STOUT MAN: You will hear from me in the morning. (Turns his back on him and moves off.)

PETRA: Was that not the owner of your ship, Captain Horster?

HORSTER: Yes, that was Mr. Vik the shipowner

ASLAKSEN: (with the voting-papers in his hands, gets up on to the platform and rings his

bell): Gentlemen, allow me to announce the result. With only one vote to the

contrary...

A YOUNG MAN: That is the drunk chap!

ASLAKEN: By the votes of everyone here except a tipsy man, this meeting of citizens declares

Dr. Thomas Stockmann to be an enemy of the people. (*shouts and applause*.) Three cheers for our ancient and honourable citizen community! (*Renewed applause*.) Three cheers for our able and efficient Mayor, who has so loyally put duty above

family! (Cheers.) The meeting is dissolved. (Gets down).

BILLING: Three cheers for the Chairman!

THE WHOLE CROWD: Three cheers for Aslaksen! Hurrah!

DR. STOCKMANN: My hat and coat, Petra! Captain, have you room on your ship for passengers to the

New World?

HORSTER: For you and your family we shall make room, Doctor.

DR. STOCKMANN: No back ways for the, Katherine. (Raising his voice.) You will hear more of this enemy of the people, before he shakes the dust off his shoes upon you! I am not so forgiving as a certain person; I do not say: "I forgive you, for ye know not what ye do." (a) Where is the dialogue taking place? (2 marks) (b)(i) Why does the Stout man ask Horster this question? "So you lend your house to enemies of the people?" (2 marks) (ii) What does his threat lead to? (2 marks) (c) What has just happened (2marks) (d) Why is Dr.Stockman declared an enemy of the people? (2 marks) (e) Earlier on the Doctors says that the strongest man is one who stands alone. (2marks) Comment on this statement in relation to Dr. Stockmann's discovery about the baths

(as PETRA helps him into his coat): Good. Come, Katherine! Come, boys!

MRS STOCKMANN(in an undertone): Thomas, dear let us go out by the back way.

DR. STOCKMANN:

(f)	Everybody else votes against Dr. Stockman except a tipsy man	
	Everybody else votes against Dr. Stockman except a tipsy man Comment on the irony in the above situation	(3 marks)
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(g)	What does this dialogue tell you about Captain Horster's character?	(4 marks
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(h)	Why is Aslaksen made the chairman during Dr. Stockmann's speech and the voting?	(2 mark)
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(1)	Identify two themes that are brought out in the excerpt	(2 marks)
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(j)	His worship the Mayor will address the meeting	
	Write the above sentence in Passive form	(2 marks)

3 Read the story below and then answer the questions that follow (20 marks)

Once upon a time, the Hare and Cock were great friends. They did everything together including living in one house. They would every morning leave for the forest and plains to look for food to feed their family members. And every evening they would arrive home, each with their spoil, if they had been lucky and at times with nothing at all.

Whichever the cases each one them would be exhausted at the end of the hunt. At home, their wives would make the meal and soon each one of them would be sound asleep.

However, or one night the hare woke up in the middle of the night so as to attend to the call of nature. When he tooked at the Cock, he saw it standing on one leg, with his head invisible. This disturbed him a bit and for the next three nights, he woke up at the same hour to ascertain whether what he had seen was true or a hoax. But on each night he woke up, he found the Cock on one foot and presumably without his head. He then decided, the next morning on their way to the forest to ask his friend what happened to him every night because he always appeared transformed into a new image.

"I usually cut off my head and leg before going to sleep." said the Cock. "Can you make me sleep like you? Without your head and leg?" inquired the Hare.

"Sure, sure," replied the excited Cock

It was therefore agreed that the Cock would cut the hares head and legs the following night.

All day long, the hare waited with anticipation for night to arrive so that he could be transformed into a new being like his friend, the Cock.

The clock to him was not moving. After hours of waiting, evening arrived finding the hare in a very jovial mood. He hurriedly ate the evening meal that Mrs. Hare served, so that he could experience sleeping without his legs and head. In the meantime, the Cock was sharpening a big matchet ready to chop off the hare's head and legs.

After his hearty meal, he came over and said to the Cock, "Here I am, ready to sleep without my head and legs"

Within minutes all was over. Mrs. Hare tried to wake up her husband to no avail. There was blood all over the place and no heart beat. When she realized what had actually happened to her husband, she wailed in the darkness. On looking up at the Cock, she saw that he had raised his matchet to cut off her head and decided to run for her dear life never to be seen again.

The Cock was very happy and called Hen to chop the pieces which were cooked and the whole family happily feasted on for days.

And that is why the saying goes "Curiosity killed the cat."

(a)	Classify the above narrative	(2 marks)
(b)	Briefly describe the character of	
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d) (i) State <u>one</u> economic activity evident in the narrative	(1 mark)
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	(ii) State One social activity evident in the narrative	(1mark)
e)	"Can you make me sleep like you?" (Rewrite in reported speech)	(1mark)
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f)	"Curiosity killed the cat." (i) Identify the above genre	(1 mark)
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(g)	What	moral lesson do you learn from the marrative?	(2 marks
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4		<u>MMAR</u>	
	a) <u>Re</u>	write the following sentences according to the instructions given after each	(3 marks
		Mary told her cousin that she had not heard from Cindy since she went to the U.S.A. (Rewrite using direct speech)	
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		never saw the Minister help anyone in my country. (Rewrite beginning: Not once	•••••
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	(iii)	The policeman who manned the police post was responsible for the loss of the good (Rewrite the sentence using gender sensitive language	ds.
(b) <u>Cho</u>	ose the correct word from the words in brackets	
	<u>(i</u>)	Shall we take a(candlestick, candle stick) and some candles batteries die?	in case our
	(ii)	I live in the(country side, countryside)	
	(iii)	They all enjoyed the meat at (lunch time, lunchtime) when they treated to special lunch.	were
(c)) <u>Re</u> u	vrite the following sentences with the correct phrasal verbs to replace the underlined	d words.
	i)	Joyce could not tolerate her nephews' behaviour.	

	ii)	The form three student bullied the new student
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	iii)	The Senator was forced to resign from his post when he was accused of misappropriating funds
(d) <u>Expl</u>	the meaning of the following idiomatic expressions.
Note &	ee(i)	His matatu is the goose that lays for him
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	(ii)	She is the <u>apple of her father's eye</u>
(e) <u>Corre</u>	ect the misspelt words in the paragraph below.
		hitewashed walls and the welcoming guerds at the main gate are fust a venear beneath a story of ance and a peverding motif of grim. (4 marks)