**FORM 3**

**JULY/AUGUST, 2024**

**101/2 ENGLISH PAPER 2**

MARKING SCHEME

1. a) The drive for parents to make sacrifices like incurring huge debts to help their

children get education and our population growth.

b) The emerging economies rely on skilled labour because their economic models have shifted to exporting value-added goods.

c) Indeed, emerging economies are no longer relying on cheap labour, are they?

(Question mark and comma must be used, if not award zero)

d. Those investing in education should look beyond profits; prioritise equipping students with knowledge and competences, to enhance students employability, locally and internationally.

e) Standardization should be emphasized to ensure delivery of high quality teaching and research in order to get a work-ready student.

f) Points to look for

- Address prevailing challenges

- Cramming, lack of resource and infrastructure

- Come up with holistic policy interventions

- Promote practical skills

- Make education effective.

Sample summary

In order to address the prevailing challenges in higher education like cramming, lack of resources and infrastructure. To come up with holistic policy interventions, promote practical skills and make education more effective.

g) i) Employable skills – competencies required in the job market.

ii) Cognizant – having knowledge of or knowing or being aware of

iii) Yawning – huge/big/noticeable

iv) Out of the box innovative , creative in thinking

1. a) Mckenzie is a stranger in Gambia. 1

He has come for the summit 1 to represent a development strategy 1before the heads of states. 1 (4mks)

b) Fiona is a news reporter from Gambia News and they have engaged her to report on details in the summit. She wants to have a conversation with him because he writes books about Africa. Fiona wants to know what he can offer in the summit and his view.

c) i) Irony

Dr. Afolabi does not expect Fiona to know her, yet she knows even his name.

ii) Vivid description

She wore a scarlet blouse, a black skirt, and red high heels.

iii) Dialogue

Fiona and Folabi have a dialogue.

“Dr. Afolabi, may I have a word with you?” She asked.

“With me?” he asked. “Aare you sure”?

(Identification -1mk illustration 1mk

3 x 2 = 6mks

1. Fiona

i) Aggressive

She pursues Dr. Afolabi and makes him sit and listen to her even though he does not know her.

ii) Outspoken/talkative

Talks about her name and how people are inquisitive about a stranger.

iii) Tactful

She finds a way to make Dr. Afolabi talk to her by talking about herself.

iv) Appreciative

…Let me thank you for agreeing to sit for this interview.

Dr Afoladi

ⁱ)Observant

he noticed that Fiona wore a scarlet blouse, a black skirt and red high heels

2)Humorous

He joked with Fiona about how much time she needed from him

One minute,five minutes……

3)curious

⸲with me?He asked.Are you sure?

4)Inquisitve

…..where is the the difference?

…Ms Mckenzie, is what? He asked.

identification 1mrk,illustration 1mrk

e)She indicated one of the two chairs,didn’t she?

f)Dr Afolabi rescued Fiona when a stranger was almost forcing her into a sexual relationship when she had come to meet and interview people of interest at night.

He also helped her know in depth about the strategy and tricks that would win in the summit as a journalist

g) i)Made sense \_was sensible /was logical/was understandable.

ii)Quizzically-inquiringly/ questioning/curiously

3**. POETRY**

a)The poem is about the oppression of the workers. They are exposed to bad working condition. They live in a temporary house and work for twelve hours a day with poor pay which exposes them to hunger.

For these workers, it is better to die than to live this miserable life.

b)

1. alliteration –sun slanting through…
2. personification- the sun welcomes the owner….

iii) irony

* -it is ironical for the workers to die of hunger yet they work for twelve hours a day which should logically attract good payment/salary to afford food.
* The tittle is ironical because we expect Western Civilization to improve the living conditions of the workers yet they seem to be leading miserable lifestyle-no electricity, no modern housing, no food.

iv)Repetition

Breaking rock

Shifting rock

Fair weather

Wet weather

Identification 1mrk, illustration 1mrk

c)Suggests that work done by he is strenuous/taxing/oppressive/monotonous and boring

breaking rock

shifting rock

fair weather

wet weather

d)The he lacks

* food-he dies of hunger
* shelter-he lives in a shanty sheets of tin nailed to posts

Clothes/bedding- a mat…. is enough, Rags complete intimate landscape.

e)the he is happy to die because death brings to an end all his problems/suffering.

f) i) poverty-the he sleeps in a shanty on a mat and dies of hunger.

ii )Oppression/exploitation

The he engages in hard labour for twelve hours a day but given that he lacks basic needs suggests that he is underpaid.

iii )Imperialism /colonialism

The tittle western civilization suggests that he is working under the colonialist /imperialists from the west

g)The he in he poem looks older than he really is because of the streneous work and miserable life he leads.

h)Hunger –famine /starvation.

4 GRAMMAR

1. i)Neither Tom nor Mary went to church.

ii)Juma said that he was sick then.

iii)Unless you work hard, you will not pass in your examinations.

iv)You will accompany me on the trip on condition that you behave well.

b) i)of ii)from iii)with

c) i)Repeat what you told me yesterday

ii)My friend hit the tree as he reversed.

iii)The meeting was held at 10.00 a.m.

iv)In my opinion, there are too many holidays.

d)i)Relatives who visit us are boring.

ii)The act of going out to visit relatives is boring.

e) i)Fainted

ii)resembles

(Tense must be observed if not award zero)