

ENGLISH FORM THREE MARKING SCHEME 2024

Q1. FUNCTIONAL WRITING

FORMAT (8mks)

1. Name of school (1mk)
2. Title ...Internal Memo (1mk)
3. Ref. No. (1mk)
4. Date ($\frac{1}{2}$ mk)
5. From (sender i.e Secretary Drama club) (1mk)
6. To (Drama club members) (1mk)
7. CC. (Patron) (1mk)
8. Subject (1mk)
9. Sign off ($\frac{1}{2}$ mk)

CONTENT (6mks)

1. Preparations for festivals (1mk)
2. Contributions by members (1mk)
3. Deadline for contributions (1mk)
4. Dates for the festivals (1mk)
5. Venue of the festivals (1mk)
6. Rehearsal dates/days (1mk)

LANGUAGE (6mks)

Q2. CLOZE TEST

1. and
2. mind
3. expressing
4. truth
5. on
6. cowardly/wrong/bad
7. this/that/it
8. badly/deliberately
9. confronting
10. Next/adjacent/farthest.

Question 3: Passage

a. Why did Auto manufacturing companies make the trip to California?(2mks)

They made the trip to learn about Android Auto, a new dashboard system meant to let smartphone power a car's center screen

b. What according to the passage shows the seriousness that companies have attached to autos?

Apple has assigned about 200 engineers to work on electric technology and Google saying it envisions the public using driverless cars within five years

c. What does the expression “consumers have spoken ,” imply? (2mks)

It means that manufacturers are responding to the demands of the consumers

d. Briefly explain how the system works.(2mks)

A USB cord is plugged in a smartphone and the system powers up on a car's screen. The phone screen then goes blank and can't be touched while driving

e. Why, in your opinion ,does the driver have to be blocked from social media?(3mks)

Open question. The explanation must be logical. (1mk for saying yes/no 2mks for explanation)

f. In point form, summarize how developers have tried to minimize distractions that may arise out of the new developers (5mks)

f. How distractions have been minimized:

-No 'back' button like smartphone version

-No 'recent' button either

-Google Maps adjusted to make fonts bigger and streets less details

-No action takes more than 2 seconds

-No video streaming

-Social media blocked

-Texts only send with voice commands

-Maximized Apps for speed

(Any 5 points – Must be in point form if not deduct ½ of total marks)

g. Rewrite the following in reported speech (1mk)

“We're confident that our systems deliver a good experience for our customers” said Eric Mayne ,a spokesman at chrysler

Eric Mayne, a spokesman at Chrysler, said that they were confident that their systems delivered a good experience to their customers.

h. Meaning of words

Debut – **first appearance to the public**

Mum – **silent**

Infotainment – **meant for information and entertainment**

Q4.ORAL SKILLS

a. What would you do to prepare your audience to listen to the above story?

[2mks]

I will clear my throat

I will clap to attract a dramatic pause

I will employ a convectional opening formual e.g. I have a story.....

I will pose a riddle/ quote a relevant proverb/relate a relevant anecdote

I may play a musical instrument.

b. What two things would indicate that the audience is following the story?

[2mks]

They will clap/applaud appropriately

They will maintain meaningful eye contact

They will employ various gestures like nodding

They may smile or frown appropriately

c. What two oral devices would you use in narrating this story? [2mks]

I will project my voice/ be audible

I will articulate words/enunciations clearly

I will vary my tone appropriately

I will mimic the girl and the mother's conversation

d. How would you perform the reply of the girl "The baby has drunk it all."

[2mks]

I will say it with a falling intonation to show finality

I will demonstrate with my hands to show that the baby drank it all.

e. Kot took kot's coat, Kot went to court and the court told kot return Kot's coat to

Kot.

Identify the genre [1mk]

i. **Tongue Twister**

ii. What's lost when the above genre is translated into another language?[1mk]

- **originality/authenticity**
- **sound patterns are lost e.g alliteration, consonance, assonance etc**
- **aesthetic value**

e. cell – **sell**(1mk)

Eye – **I, aye** (1mk)

Blew – **Blue**(1mk)

knew – **New** (1mk)

Guest – **Guessed** (1mk)

Question 5a) extract from Fathers of Nations

a.Explain what happens immediately before this extract(2mks)

Before the extract , the interview between Fiona Mackenzie and Dr Abiola had ended prematurely after she got a call from their boss back to the office(1mk) . She asks Dr Abiola if she could come back but the answer was absolutely no. He tells her to go and read first his book and not its cover(1mk)

b. Two devices of style used in the excerpt

i] **Rhetorical question (1mk)..All looked happy and why not? (1mk)**

ii] **Irony (1mk). It is so ironical that the heads of state in Benjal all looked happy because they had escaped from trouble makers in their home country.... it was a stay free from troubles instead of going to find a solution to their problems (1mk)**

c. Two thematic concerns evident in the excerpt

i] **Poor leadership (1mk) - Africans leaders in this excerpt are portrayed as people who cannot give a sense of direction in their countries i.e instead they all look happy to have escaped troublemakers and trouble in their home countries**

.ii) **Corruption – In the excerpt bulldozers demolish roadside kiosk on to which whole family depends and roads get rare layer of tarmac at times and motorists come to a stand still giving guard at check point bases for extorting bribes from passersby (1mk)**

iii] **Suffering (1mk) –bulldozers dispatched a slum clearance exercise**

demolishes roadside kiosks on which whole families depends for their livelihood .Also when dignitaries finally arrive water taps at which whole neighbourhood queue to just get bucket of water dry up because all the water has to go to a new water fountain build to mesmerize the visitors (1mk)

d. From your knowledge of the rest of the book, identify the four guests who checked in at Seamount hotel. Where did each come from? (4mks)

- i) Prof. Kimani from Kenya (1mk)**
- ii) Pastor Chiamaka from Nigeria (1mk)**
- iii) Comrade Melusi from Zimbabwe (1mk)**
- iv) Eng. Tahir from Libya (1mk)**

e. Highlight two inconveniencies to the Gambians for hosting the summit (2mks)

- Slums and Roadside kiosk were demolished (1mk)**
- Lack of water as all the water was diverted to a new water fountain (1mk)**
- Traffic jam**
- Extortion(1mk) (any 2 points)**

6. Meaning of words

Mesmerize – **to capture complete attention –(1mk)**

Demolish - **to pull down – (1mk)**

Extort – **to obtain something by force –(1mk)**

Summit – **a meeting between heads of government (1mk)**

Q5b. Extract from ‘The Samaritan’

2. THE SAMARITAN (25 MARKS)

a) What is Seymour referring to at the beginning of the excerpt ? (2mks)

Public outcry in the media (1mk) that companies are billing the Municipal council huge sums of money without rendering any services/supply of air (1mk)

b) Identify and illustrate two aspects of style in this excerpt. (4mks)

- i) Personification.... Barefaced falsehoods**
- ii) Metaphor.....friends are wolves in sheep’s clothing**
- iii) Allusion..... the Samaritan alludes to the parable of the good samaritan**

c) Discuss two themes evident in this excerpt (4mks)

i) corruption “ calling itself *The Samaritan*. It is calling upon the people to volunteer as witnesses and help in the prosecution of those involved in corruption and abuse of office in the Municipality.”

ii) Role of media /suppression of media “ Copies of indisputable documentary evidence

to that effect were all over today's newspapers and are being shared in all media platforms".Media exposes social evil.

- iii) Misuse of power /suppression of media “ I think we have no choice other than ban that thing within Maracas Municipality! The Municipal Council needs to pass a by-law to that effect urgently. I will enforce it immediately “ Leaders are misusing power of public office
- iv) Impunity “Nobody can write that kind of thing about me in this world!”
- v) Bad governance/ poor leadership ...". allegations of drug trafficking,.....gang warfare "
- vi) Fear ---- “I am beginning to think this is serious. Could we end up in Baneta Express Prison?”

d) Discuss one character trait of Seymour from the extract. (2mks)

Character traits of Seymour

- arrogant/boastful.....”no one can write such a thing about me ...”
- cruel” Swears with a trembling voice that those making allegations about him will have appointment with fate

e) From your knowledge of the rest of the play, what two things does Mossi suggest could be done to control the use of the Samaritan App? (2mks)

- Circular to be issued banning use of the App unless authorized by the council
- Use computer experts to mess up the App

f) From your knowledge of the rest of the play ,briefly explain the origin of the Samaritan APP. (3mks)

It was developed by two students Montano and Alvita (1mk) assisted by their teacher/madam Nicole(1mk)and was the best in the secondary school innovation competition(1mk)

g) Explain the meaning of the following words and phrases as used in the excerpt (2mks)

- i) Supply of air ... **supply nothing real but appear to be doing so on paper**
- ii) inflation **rise in cost.....**
- iii) discreet**careful/cautious/wary/guarded**

6. GRAMMAR

a) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each. Do not change the meaning. (4mks)

i) Juma did not do the assignment. He did not report to the teacher. (Rewrite into one sentence using a correlative conjunctions)

Juma neither did the assignment nor reported to the teacher/ Juma did not do the assignment; neither did he report to the teacher.

(ii) Complete with the correct alternative.

They won the match because they had had enough

(Practice/practise)

iii) The brave warrior killed the lion. (Rewrite in passive)

The lion was killed by the brave warrior

(iv) My examination results were released only after I had cleared the fee balance. (Begin: Not until.....)

Not until I had cleared my fee balance were my examination results released.

b) Fill in the blank spaces with the correct form of the word in brackets. (4mks)

(i) He was relieved when the three left his compound. (passerby)

passers by

(ii) The inmates took advantage of theto escape from custody. (confuse)

confusion

(iii) The film, though poor in artistic value, was a success. (finance)

financial

(iv) He didn't know the correctof the word. (pronounce)

pronunciation

c. Complete the following sentences using an appropriate preposition. (4mks)

i) It is improper to hurl abuses people.

at

(ii) The principal was very happy her students

with

(iii) Mueni and her family had lived in Mombasa twenty years.

for

iv) Benda told us to wait for himthe river side

by

d) Replace the underlined phrasal verb in each of the following sentences with an appropriate word.

(3mks)

i) Juma always calls in on us during meals.

visits

ii) We felt completely let down by her performance

disappointed

iii)The war broke out in 1996.

started/began

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