

ENGLISH

FORM THREE: MARKING SCHEME

1. Read the passage below and then answer the questions that follow. (20mks)

(a) In which forms can discipline be used later in life of a person? (2marks)

Discipline is essential to maintaining a hierarchy and dealing with employees who do not follow company policies and procedures, regularly arrive late or not at all, or treat their co-workers unfairly.

Law enforcement

(b) What would become of naughty children if parents didn't discipline them according to the passage? (2marks)

If parents didn't discipline their children when they were naughty, children wouldn't grow up knowing right from wrong, or be able to become productive members of society who contribute to the system.

(c) What does self-discipline mean to a student according to the passage? (2marks)

For students, self-discipline is often about motivating yourself and making yourself concentrate on your studies and get your assignments in on time.

(d) In note form, state the reasons for discipline. (4marks)

Responsible adults

less crime (prevents potential criminals from stealing and killing)

Discipline acts as a vital deterrent to stop children being naughty

Prevents people from missing work

to maintain a hierarchy and dealing with employees who do not follow company policies and procedures.

(e) How does absence of discipline lead to no law enforcement according to the passage? (3marks)

Murderers would be roaming the streets and everybody would be stealing from each other, because there would be no consequences for their actions.

(f) What three things does discipline restrict one from doing according to the passage? (3marks)

1) stop children being naughty

2) Prevents people from missing work

3) prevents potential criminals from stealing and killing.

(g) Equally, schoolteachers need to be able to dish out punishments to children who don't behave themselves. (1 mark)

Replace the word in bold with a word with similar meaning.

Likewise, schoolteachers need to be able to dish out punishments to children who don't behave themselves.

(h) Explain the meaning of the following expressions as used in the passage. (3marks)

- i) Disruption - disturbance
- ii) Vital –necessary/ essential
- iii) Roaming – moving about aimlessly

2. FUNCTIONAL WRITING

You are throwing a party at home for your 15th birthday. You have planned to invite your friends through a card. If there are five special guests and master of ceremonies invited, design that card that you will send them.

(20marks)

Format – 9 marks

- Host name – 1 mark
- Introduction (e.g. cordially invites) – 1 mark
- Honorifics – 1 mark
- Chief guests – 5 marks
- Master of ceremonies – 1mark
- R.S.V.P – 1 mark

Content – 11 marks

- What ceremony is for and for whom – 2 marks
- Day and date – 1 mark
- Time – 1 mark
- Venue – 1 mark
- Instruction – 1mark
- Conclusion – 1 mark
- Borderline – 1mark
- Formal language – 2 marks

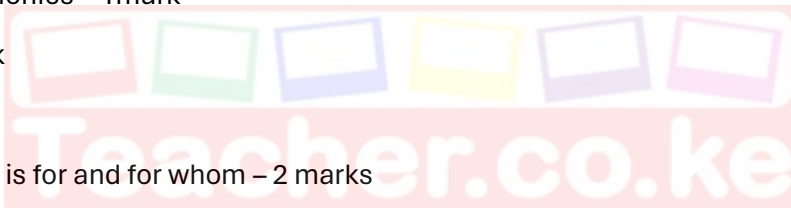
B. CLOZE TEST

Read the passage below and then fill in the blank spaces. Use only ONE word in each space.

(10marks)

Safety is one of the most essential factors that one should look at while driving a vehicle. When it comes to driving a vehicle, one could either be a good driver or someone who...1.. can't drive. There is no in-between status for a driver. Now a days it's becoming more and more...2... common for road accidents to take up the headline space in a daily newspaper. Many people lose their lives...3....in road accidents.

One should pay full attention while driving a vehicle and completely avoid ...4... any distractions. It is also an automobile owner's responsibility to keep his vehicle in the best condition so as to avoid any accident while5... driving on road. While driving a vehicle the responsibility for one's life and the life of others rests with the driver of the vehicle.



There ...are 6... all types of drivers on the road, from teenagers to the elderly. Everyone on the road is...7... supposed to be licensed. Unfortunately, a driver's license does not always ensure common sense and responsibility on the road. Safe driving is crucial because things can happen behind the wheel in a fraction of...8...a second.

Year over year accidents increases even though infrastructure of nation is growing fast and providing better ways of driving on the roads especially highways. Previously there were single lane and now the double lane, four lanes and six lanes will...9... come. But the number of road accidents increased with the luxury transports and heavy vehicles. Government and many non-profit NGOs organize road safety weeks and create awareness about the ...people's...10...safety.

c. ORAL SKILLS

20Marks

d. Read the poem below and answer the questions that follow.

INFANT SORROW

My mother groaned, my mother wept;
Into dangerous world I leapt;
Helpless, naked, piping loud,
Like a friend hid in a cloud.

Struggling in my father's head
Struggling against my
Swaddling-bands
Bound and weary I thought best
To suck upon my mother's breast.

QUESTIONS:

a. (i) Describe the rhyme scheme of the above poem. (2mks)

aabb cdeff- regular

(ii) Mention two non-verbal cues you would use to enhance a recitation of the poem.(4mks)

Gestures- struggling

Facial expressions - . . .groaned . . .

b. Which words are pronounced the same as the ones below? (5mks)

i. Manner- manor

ii. None- nun

iii. Mind- mined

iv. Rest-wrest

v. Shoe-shoo

c. Identify the silent letter in the following words

(4marks)

i. Cologne

ii. Aisle

iii. Circuit

iv. Would

d. Your class has been invited to participate in the Great Debater's Contest. Explain any five important preparations you would make to ensure that your side will be successful. (5marks)

Do research on the topic

Write down my points starting with the strongest

Rehearse on gestures, facial expressions etc

Time myself and ensure I spend the allocated time well

Work on my voice projection, posture etc

groom appropriately

4. ORAL LITERATURE

Read the narrative below then answer the questions that follow.

15Marks

One day on a farm, cat took out her walking stick and started to walk laboriously along the road, leaning heavily on her stick. Hen, who was pecking at the ground nearby, looked up and said, "Aunty Aunty, where are you going?"

The cat said, "I am off to the holy city to give my annual offering". Hen said, "May I come with you? I will accompany you on your long journey and at the same time perform my pilgrimage as well". Cat replied "If you must, there is no stopping you". So both of them started moving further on the road. Then they met Duck. Duck said, "Aunty, where are you going?"

Cat replied, "Come if you must," Duck joined them.

A little ahead they met Mouse. Mouse asked, "Aunty where are you going?" Cat replied, "I am going to the holy city," Mouse asked, "May I come along with you?" Cat said, "If you want to dear." They walked along the road for sometime then cat said, "Oh my old bones, now they ache ohoo." The three stopped and offered to rest along with her. Cat said, "Hen may wait with me if she likes, the two of you go on ahead. We will catch up with you." The cat pounced on the Hen and ate her up.

After a few hours, Cat caught up with Duck and Mouse. When they enquired about Hen, Cat said, "Oh, she had forgotten her offering at home and has gone back for it," And they walked on.

The next day Cat began to groan again, and this time asked Duck to stay with her. Mouse went on ahead. When Cat caught up with Mouse she said Duck has forgotten her offering as well.

At this Mouse got suspicious for if Duck forgotten her offering as well she would have turned back with Hen. Meanwhile, Cat thought: “Now it is the turn of Mouse, what a delicacy! The taste will linger for a long time in my mouth.”

Then she said to the Mouse, “Mouse let us stop for a rest.” After a while she said, “It is long since I played catch and catch with anyone. Why don’t I fulfill this desire for who knows how long I have to live?”

Mouse began to play; he ran here and there; soon he realized that Cat was out to get him so he quickly darted into a hole in the ground. Now cat knew she could not get Mouse so she said, “Mouse, Mouse, come out. I want to tell you a story,” Craftily Mouse replied, “You tell the story and I will listen to it in here.”

So, you see whenever Mouse sees Cat, he runs quickly to hide for he knows that Cat is after him. He has not forgotten the uncompleted journey to the holy city.

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a) Giving a reason, classify this narrative. (2 marks)

Explanatory/ etiological – it explains why mice run to hide whenever they see cats.

b) What features of oral narratives are evident in this story? Explain any four.(2 marks)

Timelessness - One day on a farm

Dialogue- between Cat Duck and Hen

Use of animal characters- duck, cat, mouse

Fantasy- The cat said, “I am off to the holy city to give my annual offering”.

c) Briefly explain any two character traits of the Cat in this story. (4 marks)

Cunning
hypocritical

d) What two lessons do we learn from the story? (2 marks)

That we should not be too trusting

-That we should avoid getting into or joining people into activities that we do not know about or their consequences

e) Why do you think the Duck did not complete the journey? (1 marks)

Was eaten by Cat

f) What does the story reveal about the community from which the story was taken? (2 marks)

- They are religious - The cat said, “I am off to the holy city to give my annual offering”.

- they are social – Hen Duck and Mouse accompany Cat on the journey

g) Explain the two problems you could encounter when collecting this type of oral genre. (2 marks)

-language barrier

-hostility-from members of the community

4. GRAMMAR

15Marks

(a) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions after each. (4mks)

i. Tom likes eating rice than taking tea. Rewrite beginning: Tom prefer

Tom prefers eating rice to taking tea.

ii. Someone is following us. (Rewrite in the Passive voice)

We are being followed by someone.

iii. Otieno will not participate in the elections if he does not clear himself of the corruption charges. (Begin: Unless...)

Unless Otieno clears of himself from the corruption charges, he will not participate in the elections.

iv. Juma said that he would be going to Nairobi the following day. (Rewrite in direct speech)

Juma said, "I will be going back to Nairobi tomorrow."

(c) After each of the following sentences indicate if the underlined word is a possessive pronoun or a possessive adjective. (4mks)

i) This pen is minepronoun.....

ii) This is her bagadjective.....

iii) The class is ourspronoun

iv) BBI is their projectadjective.....

(d) Fill in the blank spaces with the appropriate complex preposition (3mks)

i) I am calling...upon ...my father.

ii) Because of...the cost, it is not worth much.

iii) We wentup to.....Nakuru but we did not see Muturi.

(b) Choose the correct words from the ones given in the brackets (4 marks)

i. She works harder than.....he..... (he/him).

ii. Uncle Jeff gave...me and my twin sister... (my twin sister and I / me and my twin sister) mobile phones on our birthday.

iii. (He/Him)...He ... being the eldest in the family, has to shoulder all the responsibility.

iv. Between you and ...her...(she/her), who took the book to the teacher?