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Student's Names _____ Classe _____ N° Table _____ Date : _____

Instructions: No French, no use of pencil, no cancellation, no copy work, no correcting fluid.

N.B: defaulters will be punished by marks reduction

I- SECTION A: GRAMMAR

(10 marks)

a) *Complete this dialogue between Njoya and Sonia about social media with your own words. (5 marks)*

Sonia: I 'm not sure which apps to download on my new phone.

Njoya: well, what do you use your phone _____ most of the time?

Sonia: Chatting with friends but I like whatsapp _____ than Facebook.

Njoya: Okay _____ should get that app then. Though I prefer chatting.

Sonia: Chatting _____ social media is less expensive, that is why I prefer whatsapp.

Njoya: That's okay, my sister is like you but she likes Facebook instead.

Sonia: Social media is great so I think, _____ older people like reading books and watching TV.

b) *Choose the best answer from those in brackets to fill the blanks. (2 marks)*

- 1) They used all my data to browse, _____?(used they didn't they, don't they).
- 2) Madu's parents _____ to buy her a laptop if she passes her exams. (had promised, has promised, have promised)
- 3) With _____ (a little, anything, a few) patience you will master the process.
- 4) Many youths _____ (is, are, have) addicted to drugs and modern ICT gadgets.

c) *Follow the instructions in brackets to complete the sentences. (3marks).*

- 1) I'm astounded to hear such remarks today" he said (indirect speech)

- 2) My friend uploaded many pictures on Facebook (passive voice)

- 3) We will see our classmates again. We come back from holiday. (Join the sentences using the best conjunction).

II- SECTION B:

VOCABULARY

(10 marks)

a) *Complete this paragraph with words that makes sense from the word files below (5 marks)*

Fomo, Visit, esteem, envy, social displacement, always, Less, more, good

Spending a lot of time on social media watching glamorous photo shopped pictures, can destroy your own self _____ as you will feeling that you are not worth as much as the people you follow. Social media can make you _____ celebrities and their fake lives and this is not _____. Rather _____ Sites that are informative and interesting. Spend _____ time on social media and more time interacting with real people.

b) Use your own words to complete the sentences (3marks)

- 1) The researcher installed a _____ in their phones so they could trace their way to town.
- 2) When did you place your _____ for this phone?
- 3) Most children spend their _____ time playing computer games.

c) Give the synonym of the underlined words (2 marks)

- 1) What do you do during your free time? _____
- 2) You can copy that software from the internet to your phone _____

SECTION C: READING COMPREHENSION (10 marks)

Carefully read the text and answer the questions that follows.

As technology advances, more and more, people are removed from their jobs as machines are replacing people in some routine jobs. As health care improves, more and more people reach the retirement age. Aged people share with the active youthful population the few resources that are available. This is already a cause for concern since youths are advocating that old people ought to hand everything over to them whereas the older people think they should hang on a little longer since there is no great hope for them when they retire.

People have tried to secure their retirement in various ways. First, we can save part of what we earn to take care of the dry years when the time comes. This has proved not to be a very sure means of preparing for the future because of mismanagement by most of our financial institution. It is easy to come up with a long list of names of people who have died from heart attacks because once retired, they could not get back the money they had saved. Nevertheless, this still remains one of the best options to prepare for retirement especially for those who are self employed.

There are other ways through which we can provide for more secured revenue. One of these concerns the principal underlying government pension plans. This is generally known as "pas-a-you-go" system. According to this system, the government taxes incomes to pay pensions. These people give part of the income they earn in the form of taxes and gain it back later in the form of pension. Since the working age population in most industrial countries will soon have to support a larger number of retired people, there is growing fear that the government may not be able to maintain this system successfully.

The other option is generally used in Africa and most developing countries where family ties are still strong. Parents invest in their children and rely on these kids to take care of them when they are old instead of children sending their old parents to homes where unknown people take care of them.

QUESTIONS

1. Why is modern technology becoming a problem in the society? (2 marks)

2. Why will old people not want to retire? (2marks)

3. How does the government prepare civil servants for retirement? (2marks)

Correction of Examination Paper

SECTION A: GRAMMAR (10 marks)

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Njoya: Well, what do you use your phone for most of the time?

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Njoya: Okay, you should get that app then. Though I prefer chatting on social media.

Sonia: Chatting on social media is less expensive, that's why I prefer WhatsApp.

Njoya: That's okay, my sister is like you but she likes Facebook instead.

Sonia: Social media is great, so I think older people like reading books and watching TV.

b) Choose the best answer from those in brackets to fill the blanks. (2 marks)

1. They used all my data to browse, **didn't they** (used they didn't they, don't they)?
2. Madu's parents **have promised** (had promised, has promised, have promised) to buy her a laptop if she passes her exams.
3. With **a little** (a little, anything, a few) patience, you will master the process.
4. Many youths **are** (is, are, have) addicted to drugs and modern ICT gadgets.

c) Follow the instructions in brackets to complete the sentences. (3 marks)

1. "I'm astounded to hear such remarks today," he said. (Indirect speech)
Answer: He said that he was astounded to hear such remarks that day.

2. My friend uploaded many pictures on Facebook. (Passive voice)
Answer: Many pictures were uploaded on Facebook by my friend.
3. We will see our classmates again when we come back from holiday. (Join the sentences using the best conjunction)
Answer: We will see our classmates again because we come back from holiday.

SECTION B: VOCABULARY (10 marks)

a) Complete this paragraph with words that make sense from the word files below. (5 marks)

Word Bank: self-esteem, comparing, admire, harmful, leisure

Spending a lot of time on social media watching glamorous photo-shopped pictures can destroy your own **self-esteem** as you will feel that you are not worth as much as the people you follow. Social media can make you **admire** celebrities and their fake lives, and this is not always beneficial. Instead, choose sites that are informative and interesting. Spend **leisure** time on social media and more time interacting with real people. **Comparing** yourself to others can be **harmful**.

b) Use your own words to complete the sentences. (3 marks)

1. The researcher installed a **tracker** in their phones so they could trace their way to town.
2. When did you place your **order** for this phone?
3. Most children spend their time playing **educational** computer games.

c) Give the synonym of the underlined words. (2 marks)

1. What do you do during your **leisure** time?
Synonym: free
2. You can **download** that software from the internet to your phone.
Synonym: transfer

SECTION C: READING COMPREHENSION (10 marks)

1. **Why is modern technology becoming a problem in society? (2 marks)**

Modern technology is becoming a problem because it is replacing people in routine jobs, leading to unemployment. Additionally, as health care improves, more people reach retirement age, creating competition for resources between the youth and the elderly.

2. **Why will old people not want to retire? (2 marks)**

Old people may not want to retire because there is no great hope or financial security for them after retirement. They fear handing over everything to the youth without any guarantee of support in return.

3. **How does the government prepare civil servants for retirement? (2 marks)**

The government prepares civil servants for retirement through a "pay-as-you-go" system. This involves taxing incomes to pay pensions. Workers contribute part of their income as taxes and receive it back later in the form of a pension.

4. **What other option is mentioned in the text for securing retirement, especially in Africa? (2 marks)**

In Africa and other developing countries, parents invest in their children and rely on them to take care of them in old age instead of sending them to retirement homes.

5. **Why might the "pay-as-you-go" system fail in the future? (2 marks)**

The "pay-as-you-go" system might fail in the future because the working-age population will soon have to support a larger number of retired people. There is growing fear that the government may not be able to maintain this system successfully due to the increasing number of retirees.