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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name and index number in the spaces provided.
- Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided.
- Answer ALL questions in this question paper.
- All the answers must be written in the spaces provided in this question paper

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QUESTION	MAXIMUM SCORE	CANDIDATE'S SCORE
1	20	
2	25	
3	20	
4	15	
TOTAL SCORE	80	

This paper consists of 8 printed pages

Candidates should check the question paper to ensure that all the printed pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

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

Bowel movements are the basis of your health. And if you do not have at least one bowel movement a day, health experts say you are walking your way toward disease. The change in man's diet to refined sugar, hormone and antibiotics filled meats as well as white flour, means that man is continuously violating his body and making colon cancer one of the leading causes of death.

Because of this, it is necessary to remove all congestion and toxins from the body and this must begin with cleansing of the bowel. Disease usually starts with a toxic bowel. So the fewer bowel movements one has, the likelier the possibility of harbouring a potentially fertile breeding ground for terrible diseases. The longer your body remains exposed to putrifying food in your intestines, the higher the risk of developing disease.

It is worth remembering that even a thin layer of mucoid plaque can weaken the body, it should therefore be sloughed off your intestines to keep the system clear.

Another point to remember is that blood is only as clean as the bowel, and since the blood circulates through every organ in our body and reaches every cell, toxins can develop in the blood because of a soiled bowel which will contaminate the blood and the whole body.

The natural immune system also can only be developed in a clean body with minimal toxic materials.

Loss of vitality, bad health, Candida, and poor skin condition, have apparently all been traced to the build up of mucoid in the intestines. This is because mucoid layers disturb the digestive system.

Research has shown that detoxification, which is the process of clearing toxins from the body, is the answer.

When health is revived through tissue cleansing, the immune system is also restored aided by exercise, fresh air, sunshine and a positive attitude towards life. Most of the toxins in our bodies come from our diet, drug use as well as environmental exposure.

One of the reasons detoxification is a must for all is that over 60 - 80 per cent of the world population has worms and parasites in their intestinal tracts. Detoxification means a reduction of toxin ingestion into the body leaving out refined food, sugar, caffeine, alcohol, tobacco and avoidance of chemicals in your diet. Avoid constipation and drink lots of fluid.

When we realise that the single greatest challenge our bodies face is the effective removal of wastes and toxins, we will never again undermine the importance of frequent bowel movements. Another noteworthy point is that a good cleansing mechanism always begins with getting rid of the waste in your colon, which is the last portion of our food processing chain. Experts warn that if you attempt to clean your liver, blood, or lymph system without first dealing with a congested bowel, the exerted toxins will get recycled back into your body with disastrous results.

Questions

- a) What should one be alarmed over the frequency of bowel movement? Explain. (3 marks)

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b) According to the passage, how does the change in man's diet higher the probability of death? (3 marks)

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c) Explain how a toxic bowel contributes to disease. (3 marks)

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d) What is the impact of mucoid layers on the body. (2 marks)

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e) Apart from detoxification make notes on three other practices that help to restore the immune system. (3 marks)

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f) Explain why a good cleansing programme should start with cleaning the colon before any other organ? (2 marks)

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g) Rewrite the following sentences as instructed.

i) Research has shown that detoxification, which is the process of cleaning toxins from the body, is the answer. (Rewrite, removing the parenthesis) (1 mark)

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ii) Avoid constipation and drink lots of fluid. (add a question tag) (1 mark)

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h) Give the meaning of the following expressions as used in the passage. (2 marks)

i) Putrifying.....
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ii) Sloughed off.....
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2. Read the excerpt below and answer the questions that follow. (25 marks)

GOVERNOR'S WIFE: I'll show you, you vulgar creature! (*She is about to throw herself on GRUSHA, but is restrained by her lawyers.*) She's a criminal, she must be whipped. Immediately!

SECOND LAWYER: (*Holding his hand over her mouth*): Natella Abaswili, you promised . . . Your Honor, the plaintiff's nerves . . .

AZDAK: Plaintiff and defendant! The court has listened to your case, and has come to no decision as to who the real mother is; therefore, I, the judge, am obliged to choose a mother for the child. I'll make a test. Shauwa, get a piece of chalk and draw a circle on the floor. (SHAUWA does so) Now place the child in center. (*Shauwa puts Michael, who smiles at Grusha, in the center o the circle.*) Stand near the circle, both of you. (*The Governor's Wife and Grusha step up to the circle.*) Now each of you take the child by one hand. (*They do so*) The true mother is she who can pull the child out of the circle.

SECOND LAWYER (*Quickly*) : High Court of Justice, I object! The fate of the great Abashwili estates, which are tied to the chid, as the heir, should not be made dependent on such a doubtful duel. In addition, my client does not command the strength of this person, who is accustomed to physical work.

AZDAK: She looks pretty well fed to me. Pull! (*The Governor's Wife pulls the chid out of the circle on her side; Grusha has let go and stands aghast.*) What's the matter with you? You didn't pull.

GRUSHA: I didn't hold on to him.

FIRST LAWYER (Congratulating the Governor's wife): What did I say! The ties of blood!

GRUSHA (*Running to AZDAK*): Your Honor, I take back everything I said against you. I ask your forgiveness. But could I keep him till he can speak all the words? He knows a few.

AZDAK: Don't influence the court. I bet you only know about twenty words yourself. All right. I'll make the test once more, just to be certain. (*The two women take up their positions again.*) Pull" (*Again Grusha lets go of the child.*)

GRUSHA: (in despair) : I brought him up! Shall I also te to bits? I can't

a) Briefly describe the events that take place before this excerpt. (4 marks)

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b) Discuss briefly what Natella's utterances reveal about her attitude towards Grusha. (3 marks)

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c) Why does the court have to determine the true mother of the child Michael? (4 marks)

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d) "The true mother is she who can pull the child out of the circle." Discuss the irony of this statement. (3 marks)

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e) "Your Honor, I take back everything I said against you." What had Grusha said to Judge Azdak? (3 marks)

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f) Briefly discuss the character of Azdak as revealed in this excerpt. (2 mark)

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g) Identify and discuss one thematic concern that emerges from this excerpt. (3 marks)

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h) 'I didn't hold on to him.' Rewrite as a positive statement. (1 mark)

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i) Give details of the verdict that Azdak arrives at immediately after this excerpt. (2 marks)

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3. Read the poem below and then answer the questions that follow:

Power Jay we called him
Factory hero.
Who could match his strength?
Power Jay!

Now he is a reject
And when he slides in
Occasionally
To beg in place of work
Once again we remember
With angry sorrow
And nagging fear for ourselves.
The plight of our comrade.

Once again we remember
Jumaa at work
Flawed machine shook his hand
And like a magnet
Dragged in the whole arm.
Jumaa!
Who can forget that bloodied stump
Of Jumaa collapsing to the ground,
Scream lost in the roar of his machine.

Poor Jay visits now
Shirt arm flapping free
In silent plea for compensation
But they ask,
Indifferent

How can we help?
Casual labourers
Bwana
Are not insured . . .

But Good Samaritans that they are
They make a quick search for some coins;
Some coins for Jumaa

By Innocent Karamagi

a) Who is the persona in the poem?

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b) Briefly explain what this poem is about.

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c) Compare Jumaa as he was before and as he is now, giving evidence to support your answer. (3 marks)

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d) What is the attitude of the persona towards Jumaa?

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e) Explain any 2 styles used in the poem.

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f) Identify and discuss the key concern raised in this poem.

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g) Give the meaning of line: "In silent plea for compensation."

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4. GRAMMAR (16 marks)

a) Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each.

(5 marks)

i) As soon as the SGR was launched, it started operations. (Begin: No sooner.)

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ii) We had to break the door open. (Rewrite in the passive)

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iii) After Julia finished her work, the teacher allowed her to go out and play.

(Begin: Having)

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iv) "I will leave right away," said the old man, "If you will not listen to my complaint."

(Rewrite in indirect speech)

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v) Jimmy made his speech so persuasively that the audience listened to him.

(Begin: So)

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b) Complete each of the following sentences by supplying the correct form of the verb given in brackets. (3 marks)

i) I this work if you had not interrupted me. (Complete)

ii) If you, you will not be charged. (cooperate)

iii) If Paula was admitted at the university, she law (study)

c) Supply the preposition that best completes the sentences below. (3 marks)

i) The learners were completely absorbed the story.

ii) The street children had to get accustomed better life once they were placed in child shelters.

iii) Kindly, charge this bill Mr. Mutai's account.

d) For each of the following sentences, supply ONE WORD that means the same as the underlined words. (3 marks)

i) All election officials are supposed to be people who are not inclined towards one side or the other.

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ii) Lack of knowledge makes a lot of people believe in superstition.

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e) Fill the blank space with the correct alternative from the choices given. (2 marks)

i) My uncle bought a big cake for Hannah and (I, me)

ii) It was (him, he) who gave away the secret.