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Instructions to candidates

- (a) Write your name and Index Number in the spaces provided above.
- (b) Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.
- (c) Answer **ALL** questions in the question paper.
- (d) All your answers must be written in the spaces provided in this question paper.
- (e) This paper consists of **6** printed pages.
- (f) Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

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Q2. Fill in each blank space in the following passage with the most appropriate word.(10mks)

As you have already learnt, spoken English 1)..... an important role both at school and outside the school 2)..... Whether it is in 3) for jobs, or discussions and tutorials at college and university level, or communication in business, you will find that a good 4).....or oral English is 5)..... Another area where confidence and familiarity in the spoken medium is important is on radio and television. 6).....they use English or Kiswahili, announcers, commentators and presenters are 7)..... to present a clear comprehensible and accurate form of language. Similarly, clarity 8)..... expression is expected of radio and television actors although in their 9)....., clarity will depend on 10)..... written script.

Q3.

a) Read the following poem and answer the questions on it.

Acquainted with the Night.

I have been one acquainted with the night.
I have walked out in rain – and back in rain.
I have outwalked the furthest city light.

I have looked down the saddest city lane.
I have passed by the watchman on his beat
And dropped my eyes, unwilling to explain.

I have stood still and stopped the sound of feet
When far away an interrupted cry
Came over houses from another street,

But not to call me back or say goodbye;
And further still at an unearthly height,
One luminary clock against the sky

Proclaimed the time was neither wrong nor right.
I have been one acquainted with the night.

Robert Frost

i) Describe the rhyme scheme of the poem. (3mks)

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ii) Apart from rhyme, identify and illustrate **two** other ways in which the poet has achieved rhythm in the poem. (4mks)

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iii) How would you say the following line? (3mks)

I have walked out in rain – and back in rain.

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iv) If you were to perform the poem to a live audience, say how you would make it more interesting. (2mks)

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v) Supply homophones for the following words used in the poem. (4mks)

rain

feet.....

time.....

right.....

b) Write out the word in which the underlined sound is pronounced differently. (5mks)

<u>ch</u> ivalry	<u>ch</u> ic	<u>ch</u> asm	<u>ch</u> ef
<u>th</u> ought	<u>th</u> is	<u>th</u> en	<u>th</u> eir
se <u>iz</u> e	adv <u>is</u> e	ce <u>as</u> e	ph <u>as</u> e
<u>b</u> ad	<u>b</u> ack	<u>p</u> at	<u>b</u> et
<u>f</u> ade	<u>s</u> aid	arc <u>a</u> de	<u>m</u> ake

c) In each of the following words, underline the stressed syllable. (5mks)

- me.cha.nic
- a.byss
- cha.llenge (verb)
- man.age
- re.spect (noun)

d) Read the following dialogue between a doctor and a patient and answer the question that follows. (4mks)

A patient is entering the office, where the doctor is writing something.

Doctor: *(stops writing)* Good morning Mrs. Mutiso, sit down.

Patient: Good morning doctor. Thank you. I needed to consult with you on a disturbing issue.

Doctor: That is Ok. What is it about?

Patient: I get very upset sometimes.

Doctor: *(Putting the book and pen aside).* What upsets you madam?

Patient: *(shyly)* lately the children.

Doctor: What is it about the children? Are they making your life difficult?

Patient: Uh... before I moved in where I stay now, I used to ...they used to listen to me and all that. Now they....

Doctor: Go on, they ...

Patient: They show no respect to me.

Doctor: Why do you think they disrespect you?

Patient: I think it is because their father is away most of the time.

Doctor: *(Smiling)* That's a simple problem. Once your husband comes bring him along. We will sort it out.

Patient: Thanks a lot doctor. I'll be sure to do that.

Explain at least **two** instances that show that the doctor has good listening skills. (4mks)

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