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024

LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

Time: 3 Hours

Thursday, 25th May, 2023 P.M

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections A, B and C
2. Answer all questions in section A and B and ONLY TWO questions from section C
3. Section A carries 16 marks, section B 54 marks and section C 30 marks.
4. Write your examination number on every page of your booklet(s)
5. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are not allowed in the examination room.

SECTION A: (16 Marks)

Answer all questions in this section.

1. For each of the items (i) – (x) choose the correct answer from the given alternatives and write its letter besides the item number in the answer sheet provided.
- i. Samwel is a very famous boy in narrating stories which are short and amusing about certain real people or events what are those stories?
A. Folletales
B. Fables
C. Anecdotes
D. Months
E. Legends ()
- ii. Which of the following are the elements of an art?
A. Music, setting and creativity
B. Weaving, Basketry and painting
C. Drawing, plot and characterization
D. Language, literature and society
E. Literature, tittle and figurative language ()
- iii. The character borrowed from either stories recognized by readers is referred to as;-
A. Foil
B. Antagonist
C. Satirical character
D. Protagonist
E. Staple character ()
- iv. The narrative which relates to what is taking place from the beginning to the end is known as:
A. Flash back
B. Straight forward narration
C. Point of view
D. Traditional narration
E. Narrative style ()
- v. When a mad man walks naked, it is his kinsmen who feel a shamed “Which among the following represent the functions of this proverb in the society?
A. To entertain the society
B. To educate and warn the society
C. To influence the society
D. To present people’s culture
E. To criticize the society ()
- vi. A literary technique used to glue the audience throughout the story is called.
A. Rhythm
B. Style
C. Resolution
D. Suspense
E. Epancphora ()

- vii. Tone can be expressed in the following ways except.
A. Anger
B. Hunger
C. Sorrow
D. Sadness
E. Happiness ()
- viii. Zakayo has no money to day. He loudly asks himself “where shall I get the money to feed these kids? This technique is referred to as;-
A. A side
B. Ambiguity
C. Mime
D. Creation
E. Acting ()
- ix. When you have got an opportunity from the government to write an amazing story about one of the ex – president of Tanzania giving his life story. Which category will the story you have to write fall under?
A. Autobiography
B. Biography
C. Hystography
D. Bibliography
E. Autobiography ()
- x. Mkaangasumu was watching a drama that was full of serious actions that made him sad. Suddenly he was laughing loudly because of humorous scene. What was he watching?
A. Comic drama
B. Tragic drama
C. Melodrama
D. Tragic comedy
E. Historical drama ()

2. Match the descriptions in **List A** with the corresponding literary term in **list B** by writing the letter of the correct response beside the item number in the answer sheet provided.

LIST A	LIST B
i. The beginning of the story ii. A stanza of four (4) lines iii. Exaggerates the reality iv. Reduces the offensiveness of a word v. One part of a story that is broadcast on television several times vi. An instruction/ note included in a play/drama which describes how the work is to be performed or staged.	A. Hyperbole B. Irony C. Barbarism D. Simile E. Exposition F. Character G. Autobiography H. Quatrain I. Euphemism J. News K. Episode L. Stage direction M. Acts N. Scene O. theatre

SECTION B (54 Marks)

Answer all questions from this section

3. You attended an inter school football competition at a nearby school and you meet your friends who are not taking literature in English subject arguing that poetry and other literary works like novels and plays are the same. As Literature in English student, give them six points to solve the argument.
4. (i) The use of same or similar consonant sounds at the beginning of the consecutive words in a verse. _____
- (ii) The musical drama in which the words are sung with an orchestra playing the music _____
- (iii) Refers to the privilege which the poets are given to violate the grammatical rules of language _____
- (iv) Refers to an act of leaving out some words which the writer thinks that are less important or take large space _____
- (v) Is the repetition of identical or similar vowel sound in order to achieve an effect of music words in the poem _____
- (vi) the pattern or movement of beats of stressed and unstressed syllables which impose on words similar to the beat of music _____

5. (a) Without oral literature, written literature could not have been present. It needs to be stored and used by future generation. Give three points showing how oral literature can be stored.
- (b) Give three negative impacts of science and technology over oral literature.
6. Which literary term has been described by the expression in each item below?
- She sells the sea shells in the sea shore
 - I always laugh at my grandmother because she is as black as charcoal
 - Amadu the hunter heard trees as he passed whistling loudly .
 - Open secret.
 - Sheila asked her friend and she needed an answer for this, A thing that sleeps when we sleep and it wakes when we wake up.....
 - When I was a child my mother used to sing a song to smoothen me. The name of the song sung by the mother is.....
7. Although the world is witnessing development of science and technology but literature is there to stay. Argue for this statement using six points.
8. Form and content are like twins, show by explaining six points how you can differentiate form from content.

SECTION C (30 Marks)
Answer two (2) questions from this section.

LIST OF LEADINGS

PLAYS:

- The lion and the Jewel – Soyinka, W
- The Trials of Brother Jero – Soyinka, W
- The Dilemma of a Ghost – Aidoo, A.A
- The Government Inspector – Gogol, N.

NOVELS:

- A walk in the Night and other stories – GUMS, A
- Houseboy – Oyono, F
- The old man and the medal – Oyono , F
- The Concubine – Amadi, E

POETRY:

Selected poems – Tanzania Institute of Education
 Growing up with poetry – David Rubadini

9. Using two plays you have appreciated under this section, support the view that, traditional believes are hindrance to development in our societies. Give three points from each play.

10. A novelist always documents stories of a particular people in a given area. Using two novels you have read to support this view by showing how the content of the book is a product of real history. Give three points from each play.
11. Literary works open up eyes and ears of readers on various issues concerning any society. Since the issues are from the society, they deficit the truth of such a society. Discuss by referring to two poems of your choice. Give three points from each poem.