

BARIADI DISTRICT COUNCIL
FORM FOUR PRE-DISTRICT MOCK EXAMINATION
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

TIME: 3HRS

MARCH 2023

INSTRUCTIONS:-

1. This paper consists of section A, B and C with a total of ten (10) questions.
2. Attempt all questions in section A and B and three questions from section C where question 7 and 9 are compulsory.
3. All communication devices and unauthorized materials are not allowed in the examination room.
4. Write your examination number on every page of your answer sheet.

SECTION A (15 Marks)

1. For each of items (i) – (x). Choose the most correct answer from among the given alternatives and write the letter besides item number in the answer sheet provided.
 - i. The type of narrative that talks about natural phenomenon and origin of things is referred to as _____
 - A. Legend
 - B. Folk tale
 - C. Myth
 - D. Anecdote
 - E. Fable.
 - ii. “Silence is the best ship home” What kind of saying is this?
 - A. Idiom
 - B. Proverb
 - C. Riddle
 - D. Poem
 - E. Song
 - iii. One among the following is distinctive features of a novel.
 - A. It is written in form of dialogue
 - B. It is written in form of verse and stanza
 - C. It is written in form of prose
 - D. It is written in form of act and scenes
 - E. It is written in form of mimes
 - iv. “The hyena and leopard laughed at chief Baroka after hearing that he has married Sidi” What kind of literary device is this?
 - A. Hyperbole
 - B. Rhetoric question
 - C. Paradox

- D. Personification
- E. Tautology
- v. The type of characters with few traits of characteristics since they are not fully developed is known as _____
 - A. Flat characters
 - B. Round characters
 - C. Protagonist characters
 - D. Antagonist characters
 - E. Static characters
- vi. The angle, position or perspective in which a story is narrated is known as _____
 - A. Allusion
 - B. Motif
 - C. Point of view
 - D. Foreshadowing
 - E. Flashback
- vii. The type of character whose role is to obstruct the progress of the main character is known as _____
 - A. Dynamic character
 - B. Static character
 - C. Protagonist character
 - D. Antagonist character
 - E. Foil character
- viii. The social or religious customs prohibiting or restricting a particular practice is termed as _____
 - A. Taboos
 - B. Traditions
 - C. Euphemism
 - D. Customs
 - E. Barbarism
- ix. The type of poetry that involves songs which originally were choral and they were supposed to be sung and danced at the public occasions such as during the Olympic games is referred to as _____
 - A. Didactic poetry
 - B. Dirge poetry
 - C. Sonnet poetry
 - D. Ode poetry
 - E. Ballad poetry
- x. A verse that is repeated almost in every stanza is known as _____
 - A. Refrain
 - B. Alliteration
 - C. Consonance
 - D. Assonance
 - E. Onomatopoeia

2. Match explanations of different forms of narratives on List A with the correct forms of narratives on List B by writing its letter beside the corresponding item number in the answer sheet provided.

LIST A	LIST B
(i) An amusing and interesting story about famous people.	A. Myth
(ii) The story that gives a moral lesson and its characters are animals	B. Legend
(iii) The short story that talks about real historical events	C. Folk tale
(iv) The short story that talks about natural phenomenon and origin of things	D. Anecdote
(v) The short story that originates from oral tradition and a popular culture	E. Riddles
	F. Fables
	G. Proverbs

SECTION B (40 Marks)

Answer all questions in this section

3. Brief explain the following literary concepts:
- Conflict
 - Euphemism
 - Autobiography
 - Allusion
 - Fiction
4. Differentiate the following literary terms:
- Poet and persona
 - Paradox and irony
 - Linking and parallelism
 - Poetic devices and poetic license
 - Narrative poem and lyric poem
5. Write the word that describe each of the descriptions in items (a – e)
- The written script of Drama
 - Conversation of characters
 - The writer's descriptions of sets, characters and actions
 - The written script is normally divided into one or more divisions
 - Subdivisions that are concerned with a single event and may happen in a single setting
6. Brief explain five important things to be considered in appreciation of poetry

SECTION C (45 Marks)

Attempt three questions in this section. Question number 7 and 9 are compulsory

PLAYS

- The lion and jewel
- The Trials of Brother Jero
- The Dilemma of Ghost
- The Government Inspector

LIST OF READINGS

- Soyinka, W.
- Soyinka, W.
- Aidoo, A.A
- Gogol, N.

NOVELS

- A walk in the night and other short stories - La Guma, A
- House boy - 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 Rubadiri

7. Poetic devices enhance the poets to convey messages successful the public. Use two poems to support the statement. Give three points from each poem.
8. Using two plays of your choice, choose three characters from each play and evaluate the message one gets from them. Give three points from each reading.
9. Women are always victims of injustices which prevail in the society. Justify this statement by giving three points from each play named “The Lion and the Jewel” and “The Trials of Brother Jero” to respond to this question.
10. Conflict happens in a particular family or society due to the existence of different people’s ideas and interests. Justify this statement by using two novels of your choice. Give three points from each reading.