**PRESIDENTS OFFICE**

**REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**FORM FOUR REGIONAL MOCK EXAMINATION 2019.**

**LINDI REGION**

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

**TIME: 3:00 Hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. This paper consists of Section A, B, C and D with a total number of **fourteen (14)** questions.
2. Answer ALL questions in section A and B and in section C and D as instructed under each section.
3. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are not allowed in the Examination room.
4. Write your **name** on every page of your answer sheets.

**SECTION A (10 Marks)**

**COMPREHENSION AND SUMMARY**

Answer **all** questions in this section.

1. Read the following passage carefully then answer the questions that follow.

It seems that many people are ignorant of this killer disease. And hence there is a great need to enlighten them.

Malaria, apart from affecting people, also affects apes, monkeys and other mammals. It is one of the ancient infections of man. In America for example, the first cases of the disease were reported in 1493.

The main transmitter of the disease is the female anophelene mosquito although one can acquire the disease through artificial means such as blood transfusion. When someone is bitten by the anophelene mosquito, the blood is infected by a germ called plasmodium. Someone who has contracted malaria will suffer from various symptoms. These include periodic fever, spleen enlargement, and loss of appetite, vomiting, headache and anaemia.

There is a general belief that there is only one type of malaria. This is false. As you can see bellow, there are several. The most widely- spread variety is Vivax malaria sometimes called Tertian malaria. This type is notorious for resisting treatment. There is also Falciparum malaria
( also called Subtertian malaria). It develops best in areas with higher temperatures hence it confinement to tropical areas there is also Quartian malaria, prevailing in the Meditteranean coastalands, and Ovale Tertian malaria which has been reported in East Africa and the isolated areas of South America.

Now that malaria is killing thousands of people around us each day, are we all going to perish? The answer for this question is yes; unless deliberate efforts are taken to prevent it. There are several preventive measures against this killer disease. These include destruction of mosquito breeding places, taking anti-malaria drugs and using mosquito nets.

If you feel you have malaria, you have to consult a qualified physician for proper diagnosis and prescription. For a number of reasons, some people opt for local herbs. My advice is that these should be taken with great care.

**Questions**

(a)Write the letter of the correct answer for question (i) – (iv)

1. Many people are not aware of the killer disease which is
2. Infections
3. Malaria
4. Apes
5. Ancient
6. The disease can be transmitted through the following except
7. Artificial means
8. Blood transfusion
9. When one is bitten by the anophelene mosquito
10. Shaking hands
11. Quartian type of malaria prevails in the
12. Mediterranean coastlands
13. South Africa
14. West Africa
15. Northern America
16. The three types of malaria are the following, except
17. Vivax ( Tertian malaria)
18. Subtertian malaria
19. Quartian
20. Tropical

 (b) (i) Complete the sentence by using the right information from the passage

 Spleen enlargement, loss of appetite, periodic fever, headache and anemia are………

 (ii) Copy the paragraph from the passage which shows the deliberate measures to combat malaria.

 (iii)Give one advice proposed in the passage for people who opt to use local herbs to cure malaria……………

1. Read and summarize the following passage in five sentences in a single paragraph.

A computer is an electronic machine which is capable of making calculations at a very high speed and can store and recall information for many year. A computer is also very accurate and creative design which would take a human being quite a long time to do. Computers are used to do all sorts of works in various fields such as engineering, medicine, walfare, agriculture, transportation, telecommunications etc.

Despite the advantageous, this invention has its own disadvantage. First it throws a large number of employees out of a job. In addition, the machines are very expensive to purchase repair and maintain. Foristance they had to be kept in air conditioned rooms and possibly one with carpet to prevent dust. It needs skilled people who are usually not available hence utilization of it may be only for typing.

SECTION B (20 Marks)

PATTERNS AND VOCABULARY

Answer all questions in this section.

1. Rewrite the following sentences according to the instructions given after each.
2. I wish I could go to your school said Juma I would like to read stories too( punctuate the sentence)
3. You will get good results if you work hard. ( use: Unless….)
4. The student was so short that he could not touch the top of the blackboard. (Use: too…to)
5. The teacher was not present. the student was not present. (Join the two sentences beginning with: Neither… ….. )

 4. Fill in the blank spaces with the appropriate articles where necessary.

1. I need to buy ………… apple.
2. I will climb Kilimanjaro which is……… highest mountain in Africa.
3. I need to buy………..umbrella, it is a rainy season!
4. Will you lend me……… book I saw you reading yesterday?

5. Write the opposite of the following underlined words.

1. I will disagree with what she says.
2. Leila knew that she was beautiful.
3. She left very uncomfortable when she was alone.
4. This bottle is empty.

 6. In each of the following sentences, one word is wrong. Identify the wrong word and replace it by writing the correct word.

1. The car is packed under the tree.
2. She is a very reach woman, she owns a very big hotel
3. She found a mud hurt in the forest.

d.Diana is going to by some sweets.

7.Using the words bellow, complete the following expressions.

 **Tailor, airhost, secretary, student, chef, manager, customer**

1. A person who buys something from a shop is called……….
2. A male flight attendant is called………..
3. A person whose job is to make clothes for an individual customer is called……
4. A person whose professional is to cook in the hotel or restaurant is called……..

SECTION C (30 Marks)

LANGUAGE USE

Answer question **8,9** and two of the given alternative in question **10**.

8. Rearrange the following sentences in a logical sequence to make a meaningful paragraph by writing the corresponding letters tin the answer sheet provided. Use the following format for your answers.

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| Sentence Number | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Letter |  |  |  |  |  |

1. One day on my way to school, I saw a man running towards me.
2. My primary school was located very far away from home.
3. So, I used to walk a long distance to school.
4. I discovered that he was a mad man; thank God I managed to escape
5. The man was holding a stick.

9. Match each expression in List A with the word in List B by writing the correct letter beside the item number in the answer sheet provided.

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| LIST A | LIST B |
| 1. The son of your brother or sister
2. The child of your daughter or son
3. The child of your aunt or uncle
4. A brother or sister
5. The brother of your father or mother
 | 1. Sibling
2. uncle
3. nephew
4. grandchild
5. cousin
6. grandfather
7. niece
8. brother in law
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10. Answer **two** questions from the four alternatives A, B, C and D.

1. Write an essay of about 250 words on eight areas that you can concentrate on, if you were elected the President of Tanzania for the year 2020- 2025.
2. You have been invited by your neighboring school to participate in a debate with the motion “ Tourism should be encouraged as it promotes social relations and stabilizes our economy”. Support the motion.
3. Write a letter to your mother to inform her on the day you are going to close school for your holiday and ask her to send you some money for bus fare. Sign your name as Kufaulu Jitihada.
4. Write an invitation card to request your sister’s friends to attend on your nephew’s birthday dinner party. Use fictitious names.

SECTION D (40 Marks)

RESPONSE TO READING

 Answer **two (2)** questions from this section. **One (1)** question should be selected from poetry and the other from novels and short stories or plays.

 **LIST OF READINGS**

**NOVELS AND SHORT STORIES**

**A Wreath for Father Mayer** - S. N. Ndunguru(1977), Mkuki na Nyota

**Passed Like a Shadow** -B.P Mapalala (2006),DUP

**Weep Not Child** -Ngugi wa Thiong’ (1987),Heinemann

**The Interview** -P. Ngugi (2002), Macmillan

**PLAYS**

**Three Suitors: One Husband** -O. Mbia (1994), Eyre Methuen

**The Lion and the Jewel** -W. Soyinka (1963), OUP

**This Time Tomorrow** -Ngugi wa Thiong’o (1972), Heinemann

**The Black Hermit** - Ngugi wa Thiong’o (1968),Heinemann

**POETRY**

**Songs of Lawino and Ocol -**O .P’Bitek (1979), EAPH

**Growing up with Poetry -**D. Rubadiri (ed) (1989), Heinemann

**Summons -**R.Mabala (1980),TPH

 11. With vivid examples, define the following terms as used in poetry;

1. Poem
2. Stanza
3. Metaphor
4. Rhyme
5. Persona
6. Verse
7. Simile
8. Personification
9. Irony
10. Poetic license

 12. Poetry have always been said to have different characteristics from other genres. Discuss this view showing five (5) differences.

 13. The playwrights depict the experience of their own society and time but the issues tend to be universal. Justify this contention using two readings.( Give three (3) points from each play).

 14. If you were given a chance to suggest some of the themes in novels that are relevant in Tanzania today which ones would you suggest? Use one novel to make reference as you respond to the question.