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SECTION A: GRAMMAR (10 MARKS)

I-Complete each sentence below with a suitable expression chosen from those in the brackets. (5 marks)

a. The destruction of the forest has many negative effects on our environment, _____ we should plant more trees. (**so, because, then**)

b. **Abigail:** Do you know why the forest is important?

Karen: Yes, I have _____ knowledge about it. (**few, a little, a few**) I know that deforestation can affect _____ fauna and flora negatively. (**neither, nor, both**)

c. **Akono:** Doctor Fotso told us that stress can affect one's mental and physical health so one should do sports to reduce it. Do you go to the gym or play any sports?

Baba: Unfortunately, I don't do _____ of them. I work too much. (**some, none, any**)

Akono: Those who do sports at least three times a week are known to have very good health, _____? (**isn't it, aren't they, are they**)

II-Complete each sentence with the correct form of the word in the brackets. (5 marks)

1. Computer literacy is the _____ (**good**) thing for anybody in this modern age.

2. Modern technology has _____ (**to make**) communication easier for everyone.

3. The dream of many young people is to have their own computers. I believe that if they have computers, they _____ (**write**) emails to their friends and carry out research using the internet.

4. Many youths enjoy _____ (**to use**) smart phones to stay connected on social media.

5. Alexis told me that he _____ (**not like**) using the social media because it is unreliable.

SECTION B: VOCABULARY: (10 MARKS)

I: Fill in each gap with the appropriate word chosen from the box so that the complete passage makes sense. There are more words than you will need. (5 marks)

teamwork, work, impress, become, heights, knowledge, profession

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II: Fill in the following dialogue with your own words (5 marks)

Bill: Good morning grandpa, _____?

Tom: I'm fine, thanks Bill. I can see that you are fine and ready for school. But I need some help, please!

Bill: Yes, Grandpa. I am on my way to school, but how can I _____?

Tom: I wish to watch to a religious music video, but I don't know what to do.

Bill: Grandpa, Open YouTube and type the title of your _____ in the search area.

Tom: Wow, so it so simple? _____, my grandson!

Bill: You are welcome, Grandpa. Now, I can go to school. Have a nice day.

Tom: Thanks Bill. I also wish you _____.

SECTION C: READING COMPREHENSION: (10 MARKS)

Read the passage then answer the questions that follow

The lady with the lamp

Born into a rich upper class British family, Florence Nightingale believed that god had called her to be a nurse, a call to help others. Despite the despite the disapproval of her family, Oshe announced her decision

to enter nursing. She was the pioneer of modern nursing. She was affectionate and committed to taking care of patients.

Florence became very famous for her work as a nurse during the Crimean war, attending without fear, to wounded soldiers amidst gunshots. At the sight of her tall, slender form, the face of every sick soldier would soften with gratitude. When all the medical officers had retired for the night, she would make her solidarity rounds with a lamp in her hand. This gesture earned her the nick name *the lady with the lamp*. This kind and courageous woman used to travel to other countries like Germany and France volunteering in hospitals. Today, Florence is well known for her contribution to the nursing profession, but that is the only part of her legacy. She used to write a lot before she became bedridden, especially on nursing and hospitals. Florence Nightingale born in Florence, Italy in 1820 will always be remembered for her work in helping the poor and especially the sick. She could have lived a wealthy life with practically nothing to worry about, but she chose a different path to care for the well-being of other. She died on August 10, 1910.

1. The title of the passage is _____ 1mk
(The lady with beard, the lady with the pan, the lady with the lamp)
2. (answer **true** or **false**) Florence was born in a poor family. _____ 1mk
3. According to the passage who is the pioneer of modern medicine _____ 2mks
4. Which nickname was given to Florence? _____ why _____ 2mks
5. What was Florence nationality? _____ 2mks
6. How old was she when she died? _____ 2mks
7. This **kind** and **courageous** woman use to travel to other countries like France and Germany volunteering in hospitals.
Provide the antonyms of the underlined words
A kind _____ 1mk
B courageous _____ 1mk

COMPOSITION: 10marks

Write a composition of between 150 to 180 words on ONE of the following topics.

1. Your uncle who lives in the village smokes and drinks a lot. After a conference on the effects of cigarette and alcohol abuse, you decided to send him a warning letter. Tell him the dangers of cigarettes and alcohol consumption and what you think he can do to stop smoking and drinking. You are called Michelle Kopeka, and you live at Ndokou, Gendarmerie Round About
2. Would you prefer to live in the village? Provide 3 well developed arguments to justify your standpoint.
3. Climate change which is the variation in the earth global temperature is caused by; pollution, bushfires, flooding, deforestation and drought. Write a composition in which you explain the causes and the consequences of climate change.

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- b. Abigail: Do you know why the forest is important?
Karen: Yes, I have **a little** knowledge about it. I know that deforestation can affect **both** fauna and flora negatively.
- c. Akono: Doctor Fotso told us that stress can affect one's mental and physical health so one should do sports to reduce it. Do you go to the gym or play any sports?
Baba: Unfortunately, I don't do **any** of them. I work too much.
Akono: Those who do sports at least three times a week are known to have very good health, **aren't they?**

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Choosing a job should not be guided by your instincts but by what skills you are good at. For example, if you are afraid of **heights**, you cannot become a pilot and if you like

getting along with people then you can choose a job that involves **teamwork**. If you like helping people, then you can **become** a social worker. When you are decided on a **profession**, then during the interview do all to **impress** your interviewer so that your dream comes true.

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Tom: I'm fine, thanks Bill. I can see that you are fine and ready for school. But I need some help, please!

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Bill: Grandpa, open YouTube and type the title of your **video** in the search area.

Tom: Wow, so it's so simple? **Thank you**, my grandson!

Bill: You are welcome, Grandpa. Now, I can go to school. Have a nice day.

Tom: Thanks Bill. I also wish you **a good day**.

SECTION C: READING COMPREHENSION (10 MARKS)

1. The title of the passage is **the lady with the lamp**.
2. (Answer true or false) Florence was born in a poor family. **False**.
3. According to the passage, who is the pioneer of modern medicine? **Florence Nightingale**.
4. Which nickname was given to Florence? **The lady with the lamp**. Why? **Because she used to make her rounds at night with a lamp in her hand to check on the sick soldiers**.
5. What was Florence's nationality? **British**.
6. How old was she when she died? **90 years old** (1820–1910).
7. Provide the antonyms of the underlined words:
 - A. kind – **cruel**
 - B. courageous – **cowardly**

COMPOSITION: 10 MARKS

Topic 1: Letter to Your Uncle

Dear Uncle,

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to you after attending a conference on the effects of cigarette and alcohol abuse. I am deeply concerned about your health because smoking and drinking can lead to serious health problems such as lung cancer, heart disease, and liver damage. These habits can also affect your relationships and financial

stability.

I urge you to consider quitting smoking and drinking. You can start by reducing the amount gradually and seeking support from family or professionals. Remember, your health is your greatest wealth.

Take care,
Michelle Kopeka
Ndokou, Gendarmerie Round About

Topic 2: Living in the Village

I would prefer to live in the village for several reasons. First, the village offers a peaceful and quiet environment, which is ideal for relaxation and mental well-being. Second, the cost of living in the village is lower compared to the city, making it easier to manage finances. Lastly, the village provides a strong sense of community, where people support and care for each other.

Topic 3: Climate Change

Climate change is a serious global issue caused by pollution, bushfires, flooding, deforestation, and drought. These activities increase the Earth's temperature, leading to severe consequences such as rising sea levels, extreme weather conditions, and loss of biodiversity. To combat climate change, we must reduce pollution, plant more trees, and adopt sustainable practices.