

**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
NATIONAL ANNUAL ASSESSMENT 2023
GRADE 5
ENGLISH
PAPER 2**

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*Reading Time: 10 minutes
Writing Time: 60 minutes*

Read these instructions carefully before you attempt to answer the questions.

1. This paper consists of **two** sections: **Section A** and **Section B**.

Section **A** consists of four letter topics.

Section **B** consists of four composition topics.

Answer **one** question **only, either** from Section A **or** Section B. Each question is worth **20** marks.

2. You have 60 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for reading. Writing may begin during the reading time.
3. Write your letter **or** composition on the pages provided.
4. Ensure that your handwriting is clear.
5. If you have to erase, do so cleanly.
6. Look over your work when you have finished.

DO NOT TURN THIS PAGE UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.

Answer ONE question from Section A OR ONE question from Section B.

SECTION A

In about 120-200 words, write a letter based on the information below.

1. There has been an increase in road accidents in your country. Write a letter to the editor of your local newspaper giving THREE possible solutions to reduce road accidents.

OR

2. On your way home from school, you and your friends were rude to Mrs. Beatrice, an old lady. You are very sorry for your action. Write a letter to your teacher explaining THREE ways you and your friends plan to show kindness to the elderly.

OR

3. Market Day is one of the most exciting events at your school. Your Head teacher wants to cancel Market Day this year. Write a letter to your Head teacher giving THREE reasons why Market Day should not be canceled.

OR

4. Your cousin's twelfth birthday is approaching. You would like your family to give him/her a computer as a present. Write a letter to your parents explaining THREE reasons why a computer would be an ideal gift.

OR

**Answer ONE question in this section
if you have not answered a question in Section A.**

SECTION B

5. Write a story that includes the following sentences:

“Don’t forget to revise for the test”. These words echoed in my ears until
I reached home.

Give your story a suitable title.

OR

6. Write a story ending with this sentence:

‘Little did I know that I would be called a hero’.

Give your story a suitable title.

OR

7. You and your friends were in the backyard enjoying a game of cricket when suddenly a loud hissing sound was heard in the nearby bushes. Write a story based on your experience.

Give your story a suitable title.

OR

8. Write a story based on the pictures below. Give your story a suitable title.



(20 marks)

END OF ASSESSMENT