

# VES ONLINE

## SEPTEMBER ASSESSMENT 2021

**CLASS : P.7**

**SUBJECT : ENGLISH**

**DURATION : 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Stream:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Campus:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Read the following instructions carefully:**

1. The paper has two sections **A** and **B**
2. Answer **ALL** questions. All answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
3. All answers must be written using a **blue** or **black** ball-point pen or ink.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks
5. Any **handwriting** that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.

Do **not** fill anything in the boxes shown:

“**For examiners’ Use Only**” and those inside the question paper.

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Qn. No.	Marks	Examiners’ No.
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<b>11 – 20</b>		
<b>21 – 30</b>		
<b>31 – 40</b>		
<b>41 – 50</b>		
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<b>TOTAL</b>		

**SECTION A****Use the correct form of the word in the brackets to complete the sentence**

1. Most schools had \_\_\_\_\_ up for holidays before the president announced the second lockdown. (break)
2. My friend looks after \_\_\_\_\_ on his father's farm during the holidays. (ox)
3. His parents have gone on a \_\_\_\_\_ to Paris. (vacate)
4. The National Anthem is \_\_\_\_\_ at the assembly every morning. (sing)
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ child in our class also received a gift. (nine)
6. Their uncle is married to a \_\_\_\_\_ actress. (Ghana)
7. When we visited Mr. Hakim's workshop, we found him \_\_\_\_\_ the timber. (saw)
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ entered the school bus and set on a journey for a study tour. (hurry)
9. Letter \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the activities at the writer's club. (write)
10. Of the twins, Opio is the \_\_\_\_\_. (shy)

**Fill in the most suitable word to complete the sentences**

11. The DEO congratulated the headteacher \_\_\_\_\_ the wonderful results in PLE.
12. Travelling \_\_\_\_\_ bus for trips is very interesting.
13. Our dog \_\_\_\_\_ at them furiously last night.
14. We have been in this school \_\_\_\_\_ 2011.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ useful a thesaurus is!

**Use each of the words in a sentence to show that you know their difference in meaning**

16. fair \_\_\_\_\_
17. fare \_\_\_\_\_

**In questions 18 – 19, re-arrange the words to form a meaningful sentence**

18. you When for break holiday up your will?

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19. in should environment We a clean live.

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**Write the plural form of the following words**

20. mouse trap \_\_\_\_\_

21. chimney \_\_\_\_\_

**Re-arrange the following words in alphabetical order**

22. train, trip, taxi, town

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23. internet, café, google, e-mail

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**Re-write the following sentences giving the opposite of the underlined words**

24. Do they have obedient children in their class?

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25. Voting of prefects in soon commencing.

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**Write the full form of the following short forms**

26. she'd \_\_\_\_\_

27. hols \_\_\_\_\_

**Re-write one word for the underlined group of words**

28. Our school group of people who sing together is big.

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29. The turn boy drove the school bus without care.

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30. Daniel does his domestic tasks that he does regularly very well.

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**Re-write the sentences as instructed in brackets**

31. The debate was boring. The audience walked out.

(Using.....so...that.....)

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32. Our class reached the bakery at 10:00 a.m.

(Re-write using:.....arrived.....)

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33. Nana has written a very good letter. (End with.....letter.)

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34. Each time a suspect is reported to the police, he is arrested.

(Begin: Whenever.....)

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35. The pupils did not take any cakes. The teachers did not take any cakes. (Begin: Neither.....)

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36. Anywal is more energetic than Atim. (Re-write using:.....as.....as.....)

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37. Mr. Perfect made both a table and a bed. (End:.....by Mr. Perfect.)

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38. My niece is very young. She cannot get married.

(use:.....too.....to.....)

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39. The waitress welcomed us to the restaurant. She gave us the menu.

(Begin: Having.....)

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40. Joshua managed to arrange all the words in alphabetical order.

(Use:.....succeed.....)

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41. A dictionary gives meanings of words and their pronunciation.

(Begin: Not only.....)

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42. "I will spend my holidays at my uncle's home," said Maraka.

(Begin: Maraka said that .....

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43. All the debaters were smartly dressed. (Begin: Each.....)

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44. The moment the president announced the lockdown, all the schools closed. (Re-write the sentence using:.....as soon as.....)

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45. My brother is a lawyer. My sister is also a lawyer. (Begin: Both.....)

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46. Joshua's friend intends to invite him for a bash. (Use: ..... going to.....)

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47. The tour was very boring. (Begin: What.....!)

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48. I went to the mobile money shop. I wanted to buy data for my zoom meeting. (Use:.....in order to.....)

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49. Patel will buy a laptop. Patel will get enough money. (Begin: If.....)

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50. I bought a car. It was blue. It was costly. It was from Japan.  
(Join without using: 'which', 'that' or 'and')

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**SECTION B**

51. **Read the passage below carefully and then answer the questions that follow in full sentences**

Last December, I received a letter from my uncle, Okello Peter inviting me to come and spend Christmas holidays at his place in Ntinda. My uncle works with Uganda Communications Commission. (UCC)

When I informed my mother, Tukei Mary, she was equally excited. She told me to prepare millet and cassava flour to come along with it. After three days, she gave me thirty-five thousand shillings for my fare.

The following morning, I went to the bus park and paid thirty-three thousand shillings and the conductor gave me a ticket. My luggage was put in the boot.

We left Soroti bus park at 7:00 a.m. and arrived in Kampala at 1:00 p.m. I took a seat near the window so that I could watch the beautiful scenery of our beautiful country.

My uncle picked me from the bus park and drove me to his home where I was warmly welcomed by my cousins and I was served a delicious meal.

After a few days, we started preparations for Christmas by cleaning the house and decorating. Our uncle also took all of us to Acacia Mall for shopping. What an experience it was!

**(As told by Orone Thomas)**

**Questions**

1. What is the passage about?

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2. Why did the writer's uncle write to him a letter?

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3. How did the writer travel to Kampala?

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4. Where does Orone's uncle work?

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5. How much did Orone pay for his journey?

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6. How did Mr. Okello Peter's family prepare for Christmas?

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7. Who is Tukei Mary?

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8. From where did Orone board the bus?

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9. Give another word or group of words to mean the underlined same as the underline in the passage.

i) fare \_\_\_\_\_

ii) delicious \_\_\_\_\_



52. The table below was prepared by the Librarian of Victorious Primary School, Mukono. It shows the Primary Seven pupils who borrowed the books in term 1, 2020. Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow in full sentences

Name of pupil	Sex	Dictionary		Bible		Atlas		Thesaurus		Story book	
		B	R	B	R	B	R	B	R	B	R
Iniang Suzie	F	✓	—	✓	✓			✓	—		
Lewic Gilbert	M	✓	—			✓	✓			✓	
Mugugu Roselyn	F	✓	✓					✓	✓		
Peko Ryan	M	✓	✓	✓	—	✓	—	✓			
Sida Job	M							✓			
Lala Tendo	F			✓	—	✓	✓				
Musurubu Maurice	M	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Alonyo John	M					✓	—				
Dogu Daglous	M									✓	✓
Wambete Titus	M					✓	✓	✓	✓		
Amari Jane	F	—								✓	
Nakachwa Betty	F	✓	✓	✓	—						—
Ojos Joshua	M					✓	—	✓	—		

### Key

**F- Female**

**M – Male**

**B – Borrowed**

**R – Returned**

**— Not returned**

### Questions

1. What does the table above show?

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2. For which school is the table?

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3. By whom was the table prepared?

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4. When did the pupils borrow the books?

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5. According to the table, how many reference books were borrowed?

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6. How many books did Wambete Titus borrow?

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7. Which pupil borrowed a dictionary only?

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8. Why do you think most pupils borrowed a dictionary?

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9. Who borrowed the most books?

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10. How many girls are in this class?

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53. **Read the poem below carefully and answer the questions that follow in full sentences**

**Studies!**

What I like most  
What I spare time for  
To revise my books  
And Excel in my exams

**Studies!**

The journey to my future  
So bright a future it will be  
The future of well-paying job  
The future of a settled life

**Studies!**

The passport to my marriage  
The only source for my land  
The store for my future wealth  
How important you are!

**Studies!**

You lead us to our beautiful destiny  
But COVID – 19, the pandemic I hate most  
Failing the journey to my future  
Fighting the store of my future wealth  
Making us idle at home for two years now  
How bad you are!

**Magoba Nickson (P.4)**

**Questions**

1. What is the poem about?

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2. What does the writer like most?

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3. What does the writer spare time for?

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4. According to the poem, what kind of future will the writer have?

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5. What will be the passport to the writer's marriage?

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6. Where do studies lead us?

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7. Mention the pandemic the writer hates most.

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8. Who has written the poem?

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9. For how long has the writer been idle at home?

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10. How many stanzas does this poem have?

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55. Use the words in the box to complete the letter correctly

Victorious Education Services  
P.O BOX \_\_\_\_\_,  
KAMPALA  
\_\_\_\_\_ .

Dear Mother,

I hope you are all alright. I am also \_\_\_\_\_.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ this letter requesting you to allow me join  
\_\_\_\_\_ classes. All my class mates are learning online. My  
\_\_\_\_\_ Paula

has communicated to me that she is also learning. The payment is just  
shs.150,000 per month.

I promise not to \_\_\_\_\_ you in any way.

I await your positive response towards this.

I will \_\_\_\_\_ your kind consideration.

Your \_\_\_\_\_,  
  
\_\_\_\_\_.

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<b>appreciate</b>	<b>14th August, 2021</b>		<b>Lyton</b>	<b>fine</b>	

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