ELIMU254 HOMEWORK SERIES

Kenya CBC | Junior School | Grade 7

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HOMEWORK

GRADE 7 ENGLISH **TERM 3 2026**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE LEARNER

1. Write your name, class and school in the spaces above.
2. This booklet has 25 homeworks that follow the topics taught this term, about one a week. Do each homework after your teacher has taught those lessons.
3. Answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided. Show your working where a question needs it.
4. For a multiple-choice question, circle the letter (A, B, C or D) of the correct answer.
5. The marks for each question are shown in brackets. Hand in each homework to be marked.

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HOMEWORK 1: INTERVIEWS (17 MARKS)

1. Give one common interview question. (1 mark)

2. Why should you arrive early for an interview? (1 mark)

A To be calm and show you are reliable
B To leave early
C To meet friends
D To eat

3. At the end of an interview you should: (1 mark)

A walk out quietly
B ask for money
C argue
D thank the panel

4. Giving examples in your answers makes them: (1 mark)

A shorter
B convincing
C rude
D confusing

5. Give three things you should do to prepare for an interview. (3 marks)

6. Give three examples of good behaviour during an interview. (3 marks)

7. Write a dialogue of eight lines in which a learner is interviewed for the post of school health club secretary. (5 marks)

8. Rewrite these interview answers so they are more polite and complete: (a) "Yeah." (b) "I don't know, whatever." (2 marks)

HOMEWORK 2: EXTENSIVE READING: NON-FICTION MATERIALS (15 MARKS)

1. Give one way to check an online source. (1 mark)

2. Read this article and answer the questions.
A pharmacist prepares and gives out medicines. In Kenya, a pharmacist studies for five years at university and must be registered by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board. Pharmacists explain to patients how and when to take their medicine and warn them of side effects. They work in hospitals, chemists, factories and research centres.

(a) For how long does a pharmacist study at university? (1 mark)

(b) Which body registers pharmacists in Kenya? (1 mark)

(c) Name two places where pharmacists work. (2 marks)

3. Which is non-fiction? (1 mark)

A A fairy tale
B A novel
C An encyclopaedia
D A trickster story

4. A book about a real person's life is a: (1 mark)

A novel **B** poem

C play **D** biography

5. To check an online source, look at: (1 mark)

A who wrote it and when **B** its colours

C how many pictures it has **D** its font

6. What is the difference between fiction and non-fiction? Give two examples of non-fiction. (3 marks)

7. Give two ways of checking whether information you find online is reliable. (2 marks)

8. Give two reasons for reading non-fiction materials. (2 marks)

HOMEWORK 3: GRAMMAR IN USE: FORMATION OF ADJECTIVES (14 MARKS)

1. The adjective formed from "beauty" is: (1 mark)

A beautify **B** beautiful

C beauteous **D** beautifully

2. The chef is very ___. (create) (1 mark)

A creative **B** creation

C creating **D** creator

3. She is a very ___ nurse. (help) (1 mark)

A help **B** helping

C helped **D** helpful

4. Form adjectives from these words.

(a) care (1 mark)

(b) danger (1 mark)

(c) skill (1 mark)

(d) depend (1 mark)

5. Complete each sentence with an adjective formed from the word in brackets: (a) A doctor must be ___. (patience) (b) The pilot gave a ___ talk. (inform) (2 marks)

6. Name three suffixes used to form adjectives, with one example each. (3 marks)

7. Write two sentences about a profession you admire using two formed adjectives. (2 marks)

HOMEWORK 4: INTENSIVE READING: DILEMMA NARRATIVES (16 MARKS)

1. Give one quality of a good narrator. (1 mark)

2. Give one lesson for decision making. (1 mark)

3. Read the narrative and answer the questions.
A farmer had two sons. When he grew old, he said, "One of you will get my farm and the other my cattle." The elder son wanted both. The younger son said, "Father, give the farm to my brother. I will look after the cattle, and we shall share the milk and the grain." The farmer was confused. If he gave everything to the elder son, the younger would suffer. If he divided it, the elder would be angry. At last he called the elders, who praised the younger son's wisdom and divided the property as he had suggested.

(a) What was the farmer's dilemma? (2 marks)

(b) Give one trait of the younger son with evidence. (1 mark)

(c) How was the dilemma solved? (1 mark)

(d) What would you have done in the farmer's place? Give a reason. (2 marks)

4. A story in which a character must choose between two hard options is a: (1 mark)

A legend **B** trickster story
C dilemma narrative **D** praise song

5. A good narrator has: (1 mark)

A a clear, expressive voice **B** a weak voice
C no gestures **D** a bored face

6. Dilemma narratives help listeners to: (1 mark)

A sleep **B** think and make decisions
C sing **D** count

7. What is a dilemma narrative? (1 mark)

8. Give two differences between a dilemma narrative and a trickster narrative. (2 marks)

9. Suggest a different ending to the narrative of the farmer and his two sons, and give a reason. (2 marks)

HOMEWORK 5: SPELLING ANTONYMS, SYNONYMS, AND NUMBERS (17 MARKS)

1. Write 7,260 in words. (1 mark)

2. Correct: "fourty-two" (1 mark)

3. The antonym of "patient" is: (1 mark)

A unpatient **B** dispatient

C nonpatient **D** impatient

4. A synonym of "exact" is: (1 mark)

A precise **B** rough

C wrong **D** about

5. Which is spelt correctly? (1 mark)

A fourty **B** forty

C fortty **D** foorty

6. Write the antonym by adding a prefix (un-, im-, dis- or in-).

(a) honest (1 mark)

(b) possible (1 mark)

(c) correct (1 mark)

(d) fair (1 mark)

7. Give a synonym for each, spelt correctly: (a) doctor (b) job (2 marks)

8. Write these numbers in words: (a) 19 (b) 90 (c) 4,312 (3 marks)

9. Correct the spelling: (a) ninty (b) fourty (c) twelth (3 marks)

HOMEWORK 6: LISTENING: VIEWS AND OPINIONS (19 MARKS)

1. Fact or opinion: "Beaded necklaces are worn by many Maasai women." (1 mark)

2. Fact or opinion: "Traditional dress is better than jeans." (1 mark)

3. Give a polite way to agree. (1 mark)

4. Why give a reason with an opinion? (1 mark)

5. Which is an opinion? (1 mark)

A The kikoi is worn at the coast.
B Beads are made of glass or bone.
C Kitenge is the best fabric.
D Many Maasai wear shukas.

6. Words such as "I think" show that a speaker is giving: (1 mark)

A a fact
B a date
C a number
D an opinion

7. A polite way to disagree is: (1 mark)

A "You are stupid."
B "I see your point, but..."
C "Shut up."
D "Whatever."

8. Say whether each statement is a fact or an opinion.

(a) The kikoi is a cloth worn at the Kenyan coast. (1 mark)

(b) Kitenge shirts are the most beautiful clothes. (1 mark)

(c) Maasai shukas are often red. (1 mark)

9. Give two signs that a speaker is giving an opinion, not a fact. (2 marks)

10. Give two polite ways of agreeing and two polite ways of disagreeing in a discussion. (4 marks)