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ENGLISH HOME LANGUAGE P2

MARKS: 40

TIME: 1 hour

NAME: _____



This question paper consists of 8 pages.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE LEARNER

1. Read ALL the instructions carefully.
2. Answer ALL questions.
3. DO NOT change the question numbering.
4. Write neatly and legibly.
5. This paper consists of:

SECTION A: COMPREHENSION

(25 marks)

SECTION B: LANGUAGE

(15 marks)

Practice Exercise

Circle the letter of the correct answer:

Bafana Bafana is the soccer team of ...

A Australia.

B South Africa.

C Cameroon.

You answered the question correctly if you circled the letter. B

The test starts on the next page.

SECTION A: COMPREHENSION

Read the text below and answer the questions that follow.



1. Justin Bieber was born in Ontario, Canada on March 1, 1994. Justin was raised by his mother, Pattie, who was only 17 when he was born. As a young boy, Justin enjoyed playing hockey, soccer and music and taught himself to play guitar, piano and drums. When Pattie realised that Justin had musical talent, she began to upload videos of him singing on YouTube. Justin’s videos caught the attention of pop star Usher, who was impressed with the young singer and signed him to his record company. 5
2. In 2009, Bieber’s debut album, *My World*, was released to the public and “*One-Time*” became his first song played on international radio stations. That same year, Justin performed on popular television shows such as *Good Morning America* and *Today*. He even sang for President Obama at the White House for Christmas in Washington. In 2010, Bieber went on his first official tour to promote his albums, *My World* and *My World 2.0*. By this time, Bieber was well known as a teenage “heart-throb” with his streetwise style including backward hats, hoodies, dog chains and colourful sneakers. Bieber soon gained millions of followers on social media networks such as Twitter. From 2013, Bieber had over 45 million twitter followers, more than any other person, and had penned over 23,000 tweets. Bieber’s video, “*Baby*” has been viewed over 900 million times on YouTube. Fans of Justin Bieber are referred to as ‘Beliebers’. 10 15 20
3. In addition to making music, Bieber also invests his money in technology companies and gives to charities that help build schools in developing nations. He has also served as a spokesperson for People for Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA). Being world famous at the age of 16, however, does not come without controversy. Bieber has also been involved in several high profile altercations with fans and photographers and has been cited for reckless driving. 25

[Source: http://mrnussbaum.com/reading_comp/bieber.htm]

SECTION A

Circle the letter of the correct answer.

- 1.1 Choose the most suitable heading for the passage.
- A Justin Bieber's album
B Pattie and Justin
C How Justin became a famous singer (1)
- 1.2 Skim the pictures quickly. Which group do you think will be attracted by Bieber's attire (clothing)?
- A Teenagers
B Adults
C Everybody (1)
- 1.3 If Justin Bieber was born in South Africa he would be called a ...
- A musician.
B born free.
C teenager. (1)
- 1.4 Justin Bieber's followers are called ...
- A Beliebers.
B Believers.
C Supporters. (1)
- 1.5 By the look of his pictures, is Justin dressed fashionable?
_____ (1)
Why do you think so?
_____ (2)
- 1.6 How old is Justin Bieber this year (2014)? (2)

- 1.7 On which network did Bieber have many followers? (1)

- 1.8 In which company did Justin invest his money? (1)

- 1.9 Who was attracted to Justin's videos? (1)

1.10 On which TWO television shows did Justin perform?

(i) _____

(ii) _____ (2)

1.11 How did Bieber help developing nations?

_____ (1)

1.12 What negative behaviour did the photographers reveal about Bieber?

_____ (1)

1.13 (i) Was Pattie impressed with Bieber’s music?

_____ (1)

(ii) Why do you say that?

_____ (2)

1.14 Read the text below and summarise it.

THE THREE LITTLE PIGS

Once upon a time, there were three little pigs who lived with their mother in a meadow. One day the mother pig said to the three little pigs, “You need to go out into the world and make your own way.” So they waved “goodbye” and out into the world they went.

The pigs decided to build houses near the woods. A big bad wolf lived in the woods. He was not happy when he saw the three little pigs building houses nearby. The first little pig was lazy. He made a house of straw. The big bad wolf huffed and puffed and blew it down.

The second little pig worked a little harder than the first little pig. He made a house of twigs. The big bad wolf huffed and puffed and blew the house down. The third little pig made a house of bricks. The big bad wolf huffed and puffed and huffed and puffed, but the house did not fall down. This made the big bad wolf very, very angry. He went up on the roof and tried to get into the house through the chimney. He climbed into the chimney and slid down into a pot of boiling water. He ran out of the house and never came back!

[Source: <http://shortstories.com/story/the-three-little-pigs/>]

SECTION B: LANGUAGE

2.1 Find the opposites/antonyms of the underlined words in the following sentences.

2.1.1 He disliked playing hockey and soccer.

_____ (1)

2.1.2 It was his last song.

_____ (1)

2.1.3 He soon lost millions of followers.

_____ (1)

2.2 Rewrite the following sentence and replace the underlined word with a pronoun.

Justin was born in 1994.

_____ (1)

2.3 Choose the correct word from the words in brackets.

Justin is a friend of (me / mine).

_____ (1)

2.4 Change the statement to a question by using the interrogative pronoun.

Usher was impressed by the young singer. (which)

_____ (1)

2.5 Join the sentences by choosing one the words in brackets.

2.5.1 Justin was a good person. He has been cited for reckless driving. (although / and)

_____ (1)

2.5.2 Justin was famous. He had millions of followers. (but / because)

_____ (1)

2.6 Rewrite the following sentences using the correct form of the adverb.

2.6.1 He had been cited for driving (reckless).

_____ (1)

2.6.2 He was (generous) giving to charities.

_____ (1)

2.7 Rewrite the following paragraph and change it into the past tense.

In addition to making music, Bieber also invests his money in technology companies and gives to charities that help build schools in developing nations.

_____ (3)

2.8 Change the following sentences into the future tense.

2.8.1 Justin sang for President Obama at the White House.

_____ (1)

2.8.2 Bieber gained millions of followers on social media networks.

_____ (1)

TOTAL SECTION B: 15
GRAND TOTAL: 40