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INSTRUCTIONS: QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ANSWERED ON THIS QUESTION PAPER

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SECTION A

QUESTION 1

Give the Northern equivalents of the following instructions:

1.1 Come in! (Give the instruction to more than one person)

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1.2 Keep quite! (More than one person).....

1.3 Sit down! (One person).....

1.4 Come here! (One person).....

1.5 Let the two of us go! .....

1.6 Please write neatly! (One person).....

1.7 You must not waste time! (More than one person).....

1.8 Go outside! (More than one).....

1.9 Help me! .....

1.10 Give me the books.....

10x2=(20)

QUESTION 2

Use the interrogative words below in Northern Sotho sentences:

2.1 Gokae?

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2.2 Mang?

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2.3 Bjang?.....

2.4 Eng?.....

2.5 Kae?.....

2.6 Neng?.....

6x2= (12)

QUESTION 3

Translate your examples in question 2 above into English.

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3.2

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3.4

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3.5 .....

3.6

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6x1=(6)

QUESTION 4

Use the question particles *Naa* and *A* in two different Northern Sotho sentences and translate them into English.

4.1.....

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4.2 .....

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2x2=(4)

QUESTION 5

Read the passage below and then answer the questions in Northern Sotho.

Rena re Bapedi. Re dula kua Limpopo. Bana ba tsena sekolo kua Polokwane. Re rata sekolo kudu. Morutiši o ruta baithuti. Re a bala gape re a ngwala. Re ithuta dipalo. Mosegare re ya gae. Kua gae re a ja. Mma o dira dijo. Re ja bogobe ka sešebo. Lena le ja eng kua gae.? Le šeba ka eng? Le tsena sekolo kae? Naa le ithuta histori?

Questions

5.1 Mma o apea eng? .....

5.2 Bapedi ba dula kae? .....

5.3 Lena le Bapedi naa?. .....

5.4 Le ja eng kua gae? .....

5.5 Le ithuta eng sekolong? .....

5.6 Lena le tsena sekolo gokae? .....

5.7 Le reka sešebo kae? .....

5.8 Bana ba Bapedi ba tsena sekolo kae? .....

5.9 Bana ba ya gae neng? .....

5.10 Bana ba bala sekolong?.....

10x1= (10)

OUESTION 6

Write a suitable Northern Sotho sentence related to each sketch below. Use the words that occur together with each sketch:

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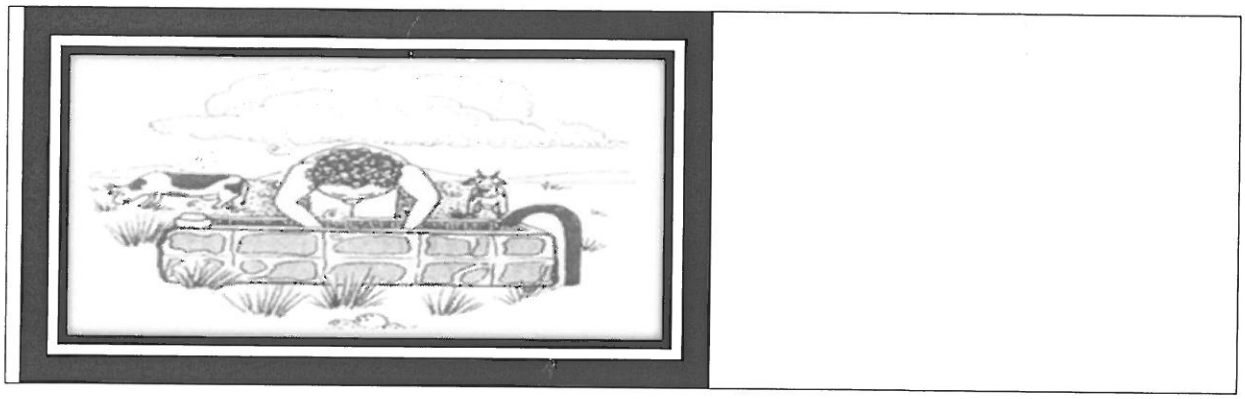
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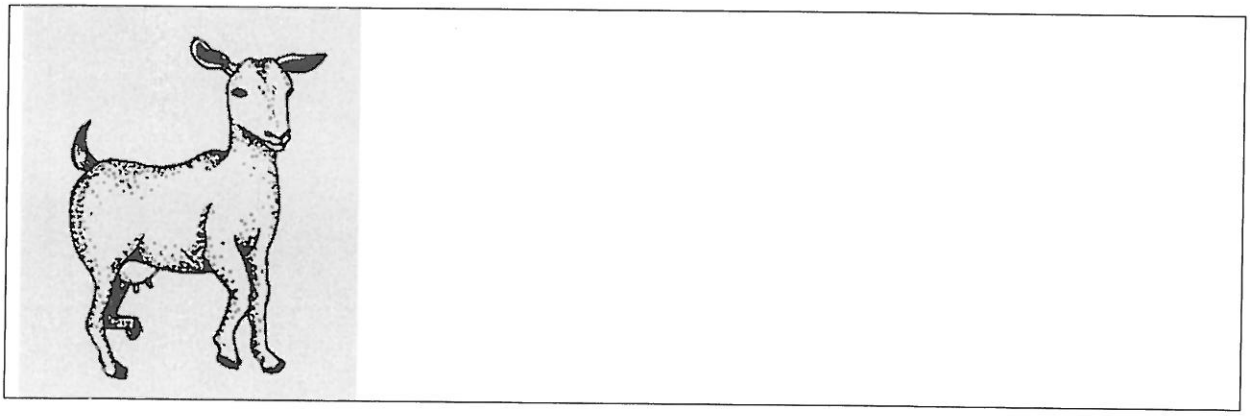
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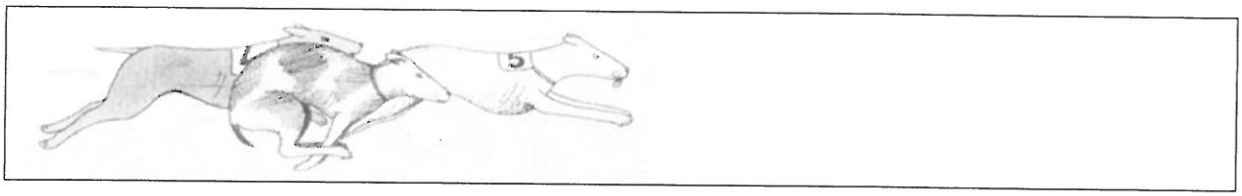
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E.....nageng.



F.....mmutla.

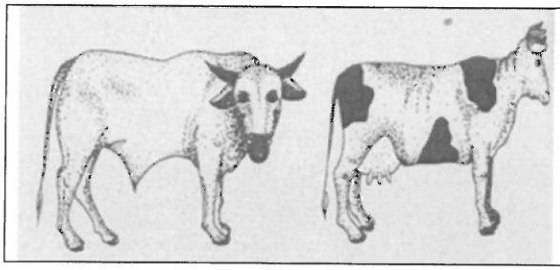
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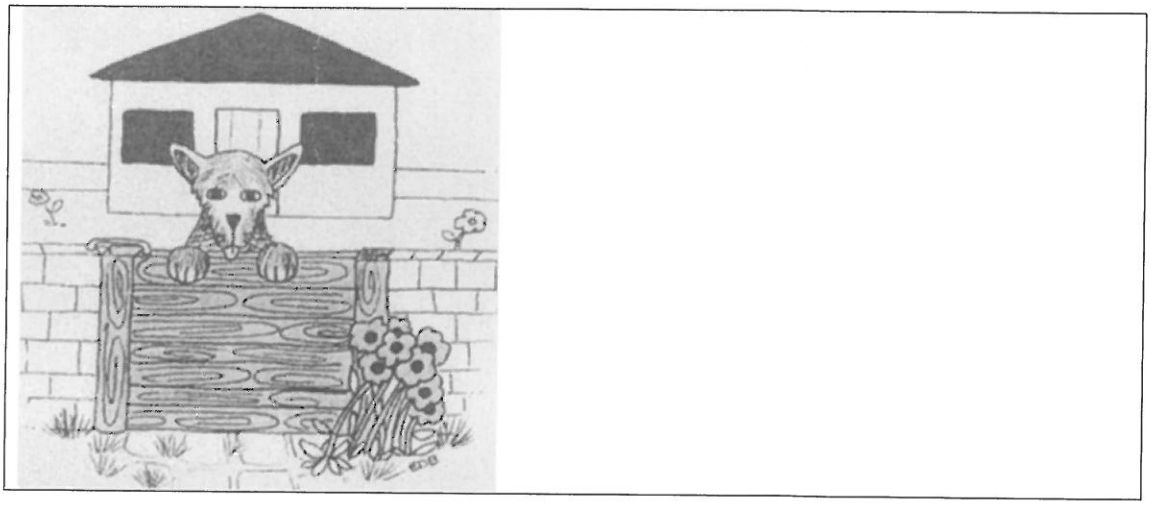


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10x2=(20)

SECTION B

1.Study the following Northern Sotho sentence and then answer the questions that follow:

Sekolong morutiši o ruta baithuti go ngwala.

1.1 Give examples from the sentence above of a:

a) Subject .....

b) A verb.....

c) A verb stem.....

d) Two variant verbal roots.....

e) A locative derived noun.....

f) A deverbative noun.....

g) Subject morpheme.....

(8)

NOTE : UNDERLINE YOUR EXAMPLES

1.2 Make a morphological analyses of the following verb:

Ba a mo rata.....

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1.3 Rewrite the following sentences in the negative

1.3.1 Re a bona .....

1.3.2 Ke mosadi.....

1.3.3 Di loma monna.....

1.3.4 Tsena.....

1.3.5 Ba tseba Sesotho. .....

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1.4 Give your own examples of the following language forms in Northern Sotho and translate your examples into Northern Sotho.

1.4.1 A deverbative noun in class 2.....

1.4.2 A locative derived noun in class 9.....

1.4.3 A basic noun in class 14.....

1.4.4 Three different class prefixes for class 1.....

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