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INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

QUESTION 1

1.1 Construct five simple sentences in present tense. [5]

1.2 Use the following **verb stems** to construct sentences that will have **objects**. [10]

roka (sew)

seka (try a case)

betha (beat)

hlaba (stab)

epa (dig)

1.3 Change the verb stems on the following sentences into **past tense**.

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Bana ba bapala seterateng.

Dikgomo di fula lešokeng.

Pese e bolaya batho.

Kgarebe e bofa moriri.

Moruti o rera kerekeng.

[10]

1.4 Insert the correct **subject morphemes** before the verb stems on the following sentences.

Mosetsana šoma toropong. (A girl works in town)

Ngwana roga mosetsana. (A child insults a girl)

Basadi šila mabele. (The Women grinds the grain)

Lephodisa bitša mahodu. (A police calls the thieves)

Mpša goba bošego. (A dog barks at night)

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QUESTION 2

2.1 Give the morphological analysis of the following sentences which are in **future tense**.

2.1.1 Rena re tlo bapala.

2.1.2 Banenyana ba tla sepela.

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2.2 Rewrite the following sentences in negative form by using the **negative morphemes** - ga, - sa and - se:

Ke a bolela (I am talking)

Ba a kitima (They are running)

Ge ba rapela (If they pray)

Ge ba robala (If they sleep)

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Robala (Sleep)
Raga (Kick)

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QUESTION 3

3.1 Indicate the qualificative particle, the adjective noun, the adjective class prefix and the adjective root in the following sentence:

3.1.1 Selepe se segolo [4]

3.2 What are the **relative verbs**? [3]

3.3 Name the structural parts of the following **qualificative word groups**

3.3.1 Ngwana o boima

3.3.2 Monna yo bohlale [5]

[12]

QUESTION 4

4.1 Distinguish between completed and non-completed actions in the following sentences.

Ba sepetše gabotse.

Bana ba dutše ka ntlong.

Mosetsana o kgele letšoba

Masogana a lapile

Nama e bodile [10]

QUESTION 5

5.1 Translate the following paragraph into Northern Sotho:

Eight years ago my daughter spent a semester abroad in Cork, Ireland. I went to visit her and she took me to a local restaurant that had the most wonderful oatmeal. It was creamy, chewing and so heartwarming and one of the best breakfast I ever had. Since then I have been searching for a recipe to not only replicate that but also the whole experience I had in Ireland. Thank you, I found it. I have eaten it everyday since I got

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your email. I close my eyes and I am in Cork. I just wish you emailed this back in November because I could have enjoyed it all winter. [20]

QUESTION 6

6.1 Identify possession, possessive particle and compliment in the following sentences;

Kgomo ya malome.

Dinku tša Lesiba. [5]

6.2 Indicate the applied verbal extensions in the following sentences

Baremi ba remela batho dikota.

Rangwane o fošetša leswika ka meetseng.

Bona ba rekiša bjala.

Batho ba a šomišana

Banna ba tla rogwa ke bana. [5]

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