

**PORTION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE – YEAR 4**  
**FINAL EXAMINATION –MAY 2023**

Students will be assessed for reading comprehension, grammatical awareness spelling and writing skills.

**SECTION A: READING - 30MARKS**

**TEXT 1- Fiction**

**TEXT 2 – Nonfiction**

Comprehension questions will be set on extracts from **unseen** fiction and non-fiction texts.

**Questions will be set on any of the following texts:**

- a) Stories
- b) Information texts
- c) Biography
- d) Autobiography
- d) Folktales
- e) Fantasy stories
- f) Explanation texts

**Questions will focus on:**

- Identifying key ideas from text
- Deducing and inferring ideas /information/meaning to answer questions
- Meanings of words through context clues
- Sequencing ideas/events in the text
- Summarizing key ideas
- Supporting and explaining answers with appropriate evidence
- Justifying viewpoints with evidence from the text
- Expressing likes and dislikes with evidence from the text (personal response)
- Locating facts and opinion
- Features of different text types

## **SECTION B – WRITING (30 MARKS)**

### **Part 1: Spelling and Vocabulary- (5 Marks)**

Words in sentences and paragraph dictation

### **Part 2: Grammatical Awareness:**

- Nouns, noun phrases, adjectives
- Verb Tenses- Rewriting sentences from present tense to past tense or past tense to present.
- Possessive pronouns
- Possessive apostrophes
- Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences - Subordinate and Main Clauses
- Identifying Conjunctions (Coordinate and subordinate), Casual conjunctions
- Identifying and using adverbs (Time and Manner adverbials)
- Use of punctuations (speech marks, question marks, exclamation marks, full stops, commas)
- Types of sentences- statements, commands, questions and exclamatory
- Homophones
- Prefixes and Suffixes

**Part 2:** TWO writing tasks will be set on any of the following forms of writing:

- a. Information Report
- b. Story writing (Folktale/ Fantasy)
- c. Descriptive writing
- d. Autobiography
- e. Explanation Text
- f. Diary Entry
- g. Letter writing (Informal)

**Marks will be given for:**

- Development of a range of ideas; variety of information, descriptive details, awareness of audience and purpose ; use of appropriate vocabulary.
- Title and organization of ideas in paragraphs
- Accurate use of punctuation, grammar and spelling
- Neat and legible Handwriting
- **Revise all work done in the Notebook/Worksheets/Assessments, Google Classroom and Active learn.**
- **First Term Exam Questions and March Assessment Questions are good examples of questions to refer to.**