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**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

1. This examination paper consists of **TWO (2) sections** :  
SECTION A (30 Marks)  
SECTION B (50 Marks)
  
2. Candidates are not allowed to bring any material to examination room except with the permission from the invigilator.
  
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  - ii. Answer Booklet

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For each question, construct (1) one sentence using the words provided below.

7 a) diligently, studied

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(2 marks)

b) tirelessly, dig

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(2 marks)

[14 marks]

Part II

Match the sentences below with their correct tenses.

1	Tony goes to Washington with his friends.
2	Carrie jumped from a tall building the other day.

Simple future tense
Simple present tense
Simple past tense

(2 marks)

Fill in the blanks with the correct tenses.

- 3 We \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the cinema yesterday. Aisyah \_\_\_\_\_ (suggest) that we watch *Munafik 2*. We were terribly \_\_\_\_\_ (scare) throughout the entire movie. It \_\_\_\_\_ (be) one of the scariest movies I had watched. (2 marks)
- 4 Hassan and Mimie \_\_\_\_\_ (be) siblings. Their father \_\_\_\_\_ (drive) them to school every day. However, today their father is \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) out of the country for work. Thus, they are \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) to school instead. (2 marks)
- 5 Next week, my wife and I \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) to Seoul, Korea. We \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) the flight tickets 6 months ago. It was my wife's dream to \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) Seoul ever since she was 13 years old. Her dream is finally \_\_\_\_\_ (come) true next week. (2 marks)
- 6 Ever since the accident, Rizal \_\_\_\_\_ (be) traumatized to ride his 500cc bike. He just \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) his bike 3 months ago. It \_\_\_\_\_ (cost) him a fortune. Rizal said he \_\_\_\_\_ (try) and ride his bike again soon once he gets over his trauma. (2 marks)

Choose the correct answer in the questions below.

7 a) Which sentence shows the correct use of the tenses?

- A John had read two books every month so far this year.
- B By the end of this month, John will have read two library books.
- C While Susan cannot find time to read, John have always planned reading time.
- D John has not read the novel before his class read it together last semester. (2 marks)

b) Which of the sentences has an error in its tenses?

- A You should had followed the directions.
- B Have you ever started a lawn mower?
- C We have someone mow our lawn once a week.
- D He has moved it for the last two years. (2 marks)

c) Which sentence uses a perfect tense?

- A *American Idol* fans love to choose the favorite contestant.
- B Some contestants have sung all over the world.
- C Some fans never miss an episode of the show.
- D Winning contestants get record contracts. (2 marks)

[16 marks]



## Part II

Read the passage below and answer ALL the questions that follow.

**A TALE OF TWO COUNTRIES**

- 1           Some people call it the "Hermit Kingdom". It is a place where the outside world has been walled off. American pop music is illegal here and one can get executed for watching soap operas. This is not a make-believe world in a science fiction novel. It is a 46,000 square mile nation hanging off the east coast of China. It is one of the poorest nations in the world and it is armed with nuclear weapons. It is North Korea. **5**
- 2           Immediately to the south lies a nation with one of the world's richest economies. About one-third of all phones and televisions are made here. The people of this nation are among the world's most educated. Unemployment is low, job security is high, and workers in this nation enjoy the highest salaries in Asia. It is South Korea. The people of this nation share origins with their northern neighbour, but they have since grown far apart. **10**
- 3           The Democratic People's Republic of Korea (known to Westerners as North Korea) was founded in 1945 after World War II. Their neighbour at the end of the Korean Peninsula, South Korea or the Republic of Korea, was established at the same time. These two nations have an unusual history. For one thing, they have technically been at war since 1950. **15**
- 4           Though they were born at the same time, these two countries had different parents. The United States of America supported South Korea in its infancy. China and the Soviet Union supported North Korea. The United States of America and the Soviet Union may have ended World War II as allies, but they had different ways of organizing their societies. **20**



- 5           The United States of America is viewed as a capitalist country. That means that some people are rich and some people are poor. Resources are distributed unevenly. Business are owned by private entities. The Soviet Union claimed to have a communist system. That means that everybody supposedly gets the same. Resources are distributed more evenly. Business are owned in "common" by the government. These two superpower nations raised North and South Korea in their own images. **25**
- 6           The two Koreas went to war in 1950. The North attacked and took over much of South Korea. But the United States jumped in and pushed the North Koreans back to the Chinese border. Then China got involved and pushed the Americans and South Koreans back. The nations agreed to a ceasefire. Millions of people were dead and the living returned to their original boundaries. The war never officially ended, though combat has ceased for the most part. **35**
- 7           After the war, South Korea was one of the poorest nations in the world. In 1960 the average citizen made 79 Dollars a year. The country did not have a lot of natural resources to sell, but they did have many hardworking people. During the 1960s, the country began manufacturing labor-intensive products. Selling these products to people in other nations made South Korea rich. They now have one of the largest and most thriving economies in the world. As of 2012, the average South Korean citizen makes around 32,020 Dollars a year. **40**
- 8           The economy of North Korea is dramatically different. Since it's birth in the 1940s, North Korea has been one of the most secluded countries in the world. They promote an idea of self-reliance that they call Juche. Under this idea, they do little to no trading with other nations. Up until the 1980s, they received large cash infusions from China and the Soviet Union. But the Soviet Union fell apart in the 80s and became separate capitalist countries, of which Russia is largest. Without the Soviet contributions, North Korea entered a long period of *famine* that lasted through the 90s. Food was hard to come by and some estimate that millions of people starved to death. Still, the country persisted when much of the world thought that it would fall apart. Not only did they survive, they **50**

managed to build a nuclear arsenal during this time.

9           North Korea and South Korea share a border. Since they are locked in state of perpetual war, it is not a regular boarder with a simple checkpoint. The border they share is known as a "demilitarized zone." A demilitarized zone is supposed to be free from military installations. Yet, the Korean Demilitarized Zone is the most heavily militarized border in the world. Both nations have their biggest guns lined-up on the divide and pointed at the other side. It is literally the opposite of what the phrase "demilitarized zone" implies. 55 60

10           Some day Korea may be unified again. It seems unlikely now, but stranger things have happened. Yet, even if they did unify, how could these very different societies acclimate to one another? They have grown in different directions. One country is among the wealthiest, the other amongst the poorest. The average North Korean male is estimated to be five-inches shorter than a South Korean. With such big differences, will they ever be able to see eye to eye? 65

- 1 Why do some people call North Korea the "Hermit Kingdom"?  
(2 marks)
  
- 2 Which countries supported North Korea and South Korea in their infancy?
  - i) North Korea  
(1 mark)
  
  - ii) South Korea  
(1 mark)
  
- 3 Why is the United States of America viewed as a capitalist country?  
(2 marks)
  
- 4 How did South Korea's economy become one of the largest and most thriving in the world?  
(2 marks)
  
- 5 In paragraph 8, line 50, what is the meaning of the word *famine*?  
(2 marks)
  
- 6 Why did so many North Koreans starve during the 1990s?  
(2 marks)
  
- 7 In your opinion, why did North Korea develop a nuclear weapon?  
(4 marks)
  
- 8 Give two suggestions on how South Korea and North Korea can be unified again.  
(4 marks)

9 Complete the table of the main ideas in the passage below.

Main Idea	Paragraph
South Korea had a remarkable economic turnaround.	
The philosophy system of the U.S and the Soviet Union	
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(6 marks)

[26 marks]

## Part III

## Information Transfer

- 1 Read the information given below and then answer the questions that follow.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>National Art Gallery</b></p> <p>The National Art Gallery is housed in a colonial-style building run by the National Heritage Trust. It was formerly known as the Majestic Hotel. The art gallery exhibits a wide range of paintings by local and foreign artists.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mini Malaysia</b></p> <p>The traditional houses at Mini Malaysia represent the architectural styles of all the states of Malaysia. They display various works of art and craft from each state. Attractions include weekly cultural shows and traditional games.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Kenyir Dam</b></p> <p>Malaysia's largest rock-filled hydro-electric dam has a water catchment area of 260 000 hectares. The area around the dam is ideal for jungle trekking and nature walks. The lake is a popular fishing spot.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Batu Caves</b></p> <p>A popular tourist attraction, particularly during the Hindu festival of Thaipusam which falls in late January each year. The Hindu shrine is located in the Main Cave, 272 steps up. At the foothills is a smaller cave with interesting artwork of Hindu legends on its walls.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Kuala Gula Sanctuary</b></p> <p>Bird lovers' paradise! Over 100 species of birds come to this area, particularly between the months of August and December. We can also see beautiful butterflies and insects. This place is managed by the Department of Wildlife and National Parks.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Kek Lok Si</b></p> <p>The largest and one of the most beautiful Buddhist temples in South-East Asia. The temple has a seven-tier pagoda, the Ban Po Thar which rises 30 metres high. Work on this temple began in 1890 and took more than two decades to complete.</p>

**Questions i-v**

For each of the descriptions below, name the place of interest that the following people should visit.

No.	Description	Place of Interest
i	Kevin is an architect visiting Malaysia. He is interested in designs of buildings.	
ii	John is interested in observing a festival celebrated in Malaysia.	
iii	Siti is planning to see some works of art by local and foreign artists.	
iv	Zaki is taking some friends for a weekend fishing trip.	
v	Mohan is doing research on birds.	

(5 marks)

**Questions vi-x**

Based on the information given, give short answers to the following questions.

- vi) In which part of Batu Caves are the Hindu legends displayed? (1 mark)
- vii) How high is the seven-tier pagoda, the Ban Po Thar? (1 mark)
- viii) What was the National Art Gallery formerly known as? (1 mark)
- ix) At Mini Malaysia, tourists can take part in \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (1 mark)
- x) The Kuala Gula Sanctuary is under the care of \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (1 mark)

- 2 Read the brochure below and then complete the tasks given.

# TASIK KENYIR

## WATERFALLS

There are many spectacular waterfalls here. Among them:

**Saok** – 15-minute boat ride from Pengkalan Gawi. Cascading waters over its rocky terraces and boulders and a flat sandy area at ground level, making it perfect picnic spot for a whole family.

**Tembat** – Unlike Saok, Tembat Waterfall is actually composed of five rapids with first flowing cascades. With a large camping area, it is a popular destination for campers.

## HILLY REGIONS

The hilly regions of Tasik Kenyir are a world of virgin tropical jungle estimated to be millions of years old. Outdoor activities like jungle trekking are highly recommended. One of the most popular trails is Mount Gagau. Trekkers are advised to engage a jungle guide.

Among the other peaks in Kenyir are the Bongsu, Tembat and Gajah Terom. At present there are no facilities on the other peaks except for Mount Gagau where base camps and hiking trails have been set up.

## LAKES AND RIVERS

Tasik Kenyir is known as an angler's haven where fishing is concerned. Hundreds of species of fish like the Kelisa, Kelah, Toman and Lampan, just to name a few, are found in abundance. Good fishing spots are at Cacing and Leban. Please be informed that a fishing permit is required from the Wildlife Department.

## CAVES

The Tok Bidan cave which is now under water is the site where archeologists and historians have uncovered artifacts such as kitchen utensils, axes and tools dating back to the Neolithic era.

Inside the Taat and Bewah caves, extraordinary stalactotes and stalagmites await the explorer. It is advisable to bring torchlight when you go exploring.

### Questions i-vii

Complete the table below for a quick and easy reference to Tasik Kenyir by choosing one activity and the location in the place of interest.

Places	Activity	Location
Waterfalls	i)	ii)
Hilly Regions	iii)	iv)
Caves	v)	vi)
Lakes and Rivers	Fishing	vii)

(7 marks)

**Questions viii-x**

The following foreign tourists would like to visit some of the places described in the brochure of Tasik Kenyir. However, there are certain things they must do or take with them before they can visit these locations.

Based on information given in the text, write down the requirement they need in the boxes provided.

viii) Mr Osaho from Japan would like to go fishing.

ix) Ms Richards from Canada loves history and enjoys exploring.

x) Mr Oakly from New Zealand enjoys mountain climbing. However, he is not very adventurous and prefers organised activities.

(3 marks)

[20 marks]

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**