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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of FOUR sections:

SECTION A:	Comprehension	(30 marks)
SECTION B:	Summary	(10 marks)
SECTION C:	Language	(60 marks)
SECTION D:	Literature	(20 marks)
2. Answer ALL the questions.
3. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
4. Start EACH section on a NEW page.
5. Rule off across the page after each section.
6. Leave a line after each answer.
7. Pay special attention to spelling and sentence construction.
8. Write neatly and legibly.



SECTION A: COMPREHENSION**QUESTION 1**

Read the passage (TEXT A) below and answer the set questions.

NOTE:

Multiple-choice questions: write only the question number and the letter of the answer you have chosen.

TEXT A**FOR THE LOVE OF THE GAME**

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| 1. | Khanyisa Bunu is a schoolteacher from the small town of Whittlesea in the Eastern Cape. She is the founder and coach of the <i>Soul Buddies Football Club (SBFC)</i> . This women's football team plays in the Provincial League, and was twice provincial champion of the Eastern Cape. Two of their players, Phumuza Thunyezwa and Hleliwe Nkitha, play for <i>Banyana Banyana</i> , the national women's football team. | 5 |
| 2. | But, says 37-year-old Khanyisa, building a women's team and getting as far as the provincials wasn't easy. Because soccer is still seen as a male sport, she first had to overcome the problem of finding women who wanted to play. Then she had to deal with resistance from their families. | 10 |
| 3. | "People think that girls who play soccer are strange and they call us ugly names. The families of girls who showed an interest were afraid their children would be rejected by others," she says. | |
| 4. | But this didn't put Khanyisa off her dream of starting a women's team. She spread the word that she wanted to train young girls to become soccer champions. | 15 |
| 5. | In 2000 <i>Soul Buddies</i> was born with enough members to form a full team with reserve players. Khanyisa says that the public doesn't come to support them at local matches unless there are male teams playing as well. Men's soccer is taken more seriously than women's soccer. As a result, sponsorship deals are few and far between, so money is tight for the team. | 20 |
| 6. | She runs the club from her own pocket, using the money from her teaching job and the newspaper distribution business she started. | |
| 7. | Khanyisa spends most of her spare time organising matches, training the team and providing leadership for the young women. She uses her own small car to transport some of the players to their matches and gives the rest of them money to travel by taxi. | 25 |

[Adapted from an article in *Move!* 12 December 2007]



QUESTIONS:

1.1 Refer to lines 2 – 3.

"She is the founder ... of the *Soul Buddies Football Club*."

This means that she ...

- A pays the players of the football club.
- B started the football club.
- C manages the football club.
- D plays for the football club. (2)

1.2 Refer to paragraph 2.

State TWO problems Khanyisa experienced when she started building a women's football team. (2)

1.3 State whether each of the following statements is TRUE or FALSE. Give a reason for your answer.

1.3.1 Khanyisa Bunu's only occupation is coaching football. (2)

1.3.2 Phumuza Thunyezwa and Hleliwe Nkitha used to play football for *Soul Buddies Football Club*. (2)

1.3.3 Many spectators come to support Khanyisa's team whenever they play a match. (2)

1.4 Refer to line 18.

Why do you think it is necessary to have "reserve players" on a team? (2)

1.5 Refer to the following sentence:

"As a result, sponsorship deals are few and far between, so money is tight for the team." (Lines 20 – 21)

This sentence shows us that ...

- A there are many sponsorships for the women's team.
- B there are no sponsorships for the women's team.
- C there are hardly any sponsorships for the women's team.
- D the sponsors of the women's team live far away. (2)

1.6 Is Khanyisa Bunu a woman who gives up easily? Quote a sentence from the passage to support your answer. (2)

1.7 State any TWO personal sacrifices Khanyisa makes to ensure that the team continues playing. (2)

1.8 Do you think that the title, "For the love of the game", is suitable for this article? Give a reason for your answer. (2)

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QUESTION 2

Read the passage (TEXT B) below and answer the questions that follow.

NOTE:

Multiple-choice questions: write only the question number and the letter of the answer you have chosen.

TEXT B**BEAUTIFUL BEADS**

1. As long ago as 1000 AD Arab ships were sailing down the coast of Africa and trading with the local people. Beads were valuable because there was no glass-blowing technology in Africa and they were in demand. Beads were traded for animal hides and other products. In those days beads were a symbol of wealth and status and usually only royals wore glass beads. 5
2. Traditionally, specific beadwork items are worn for a number of reasons, e.g. to distinguish young girls from their older sisters, to identify engaged girls, to decorate brides and young mothers.
3. Among the Xhosas in the former Transkei, special beadwork indicates people's age groups. In some rural areas of Africa babies wear little in the way of clothing and usually wear a bead necklace before they're dressed in clothes. Young children often wear beaded arm and ankle bands. 10
4. Beadwork is common in Africa, but particularly well known is the beadwork made by Zulu women. They use beadwork for more than just decoration; the colours and patterns are a kind of language of love which is used to send messages to the opposite sex. In Zulu beadwork the triangle shape is important. This shape is a symbol for a mother, father and child. The position of the triangle also has meaning: an upside-down triangle indicates an unmarried man and an ordinary triangle denotes an unmarried woman. Seven colours are mostly used for Zulu beadwork: black, white, red, yellow, blue, pink and green. 15
5. Beautiful African beadwork is popular with tourists. These days you can find new and colourful beadwork items for sale at stalls, markets and on the pavements of towns and cities of South Africa. 20

[Adapted from an article in *You* magazine, 5 June 2008]



QUESTIONS:

- 2.1 Choose the correct answer from the list below to complete the following sentence.

In the past, not all Africans wore beads because they ...

- A could not afford them.
- B did not like them.
- C were not allowed to wear them.
- D did not want to send any messages. (2)

- 2.2 State whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. In each case, give a reason for your answer.

2.2.1 Beadwork items convey love messages only. (2)

2.2.2 It is compulsory for every rural African baby to wear a bead necklace before wearing clothes. (2)

- 2.3 Is the position of the triangle in Zulu beadwork important? Give a reason for your answer. (2)

- 2.4 Refer to paragraph 5.

Are beadwork items easily available today? Give a reason for your answer. (2)
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TOTAL SECTION A: 30



SECTION B: SUMMARY**QUESTION 3**

You are going to deliver a talk in class on the importance of serving your community. Read the article (TEXT C) below on volunteer work, and write down SEVEN main points to use in your talk.

NOTE:

1. List the SEVEN points in full sentences.
2. Use your own words as far as possible.
3. Number the sentences 1 to 7.
4. Write each sentence on a new line.
5. Your seven-point summary should be about **60 words**.
6. Indicate the **total number of words** you have used in brackets at the end of your summary.

TEXT C

Volunteer work, or work for the benefit of the community without pay, does not only benefit the organisation that you work with – it benefits many people in your community who need your help. There are many organisations that want to make a difference in other people's lives. This is not possible without volunteers. International Volunteers' Day on 5 December reminds us that we can contribute to society by giving our time and energy without expecting payment.

Helping others gives you personal fulfilment; it also gives you the ability to understand the people around you who are less fortunate. Volunteering empowers you with skills that most employers need in the workplace. Valuable experience is gained free of charge. Volunteers get a change of atmosphere and a new challenge. It certainly boosts your self-esteem and confidence.

The most important thing in volunteering is that you need to be committed. You will be able to use your skills and apply your expertise. Helping in an organisation provides you with a great opportunity for self-assessment. Another advantage is that you will get to know about the project you are involved in as well as the community. Charity organisations confirm that most volunteers remain motivated because their spare time is spent on a good cause, which gives a strong sense of fulfilment.

[Adapted from an article in *Jet Club Magazine*, December 2006]

TOTAL SECTION B: 10

SECTION C: LANGUAGE

QUESTION 4: CARTOONS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTE:

Multiple-choice questions: write only the question number and the letter of the answer you have chosen.

4.1 Read the cartoon (TEXT D) below and answer the set questions. The characters in the cartoon are Andy and Flo, who are husband and wife.

TEXT D



FRAME 1

FRAME 2

FRAME 3

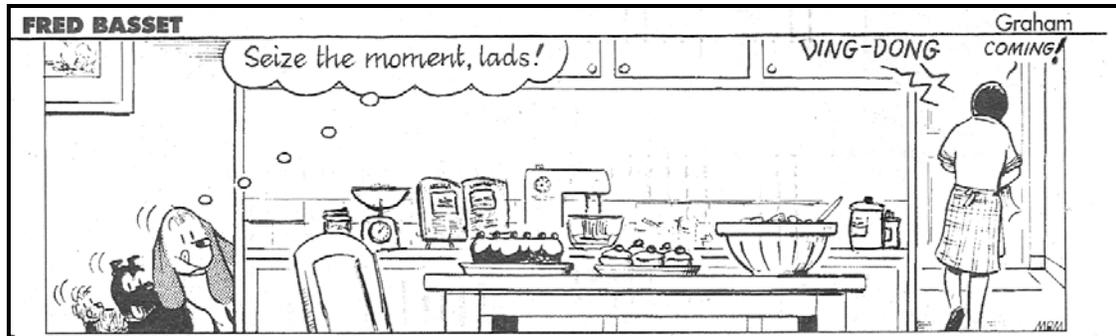
QUESTIONS:

- 4.1.1 Refer to FRAME 1 of the cartoon.
Complete the sentence below by choosing the correct answer.
- The expression on Flo's face when she says, "What a day – I'm home, pet" indicates that she has had ...
- A a really wonderful day.
 - B a very tiring day.
 - C a very boring day.
 - D an exciting day. (2)
- 4.1.2 What does FRAME 3 tell you about Andy? (2)



4.2 Read the cartoon (TEXT E) below and answer the set questions.

TEXT E



QUESTIONS:

4.2.1 What do the facial expressions of the dogs tell you about what they are feeling? (2)

4.2.2 Complete the sentence below by choosing the correct answer from the list.

The sentence, "Seize the moment, lads!" means they must ...

- A make use of the opportunity to eat the cakes.
- B delay eating the cakes.
- C go outside to play.
- D wait for the right moment. (2)

4.2.3 Why, do you think, has the woman done so much baking? (2)



4.3 Read the advertisement (TEXT F) below and answer the set questions.

TEXT F

BAYER ADVANCED

24/7 protection against COCKROACHES

Blattanex[®] Cockroach Gel

For confident cockroach control feed them Blattanex[®] Cockroach Gel!

- Easy to apply with pre-filled applicator
- Effectively kills cockroaches
- Long acting formula
- Economical
- Odourless
- Avoids airborne poisons
- Attractive and palatable to cockroaches

• Simple • Effective • Easy

Easy method to kill cockroaches

Blattanex[®]

Blattanex[®] Cockroach Gel Reg. no. L7555 (Act no. 36 of 1947), Active Ingredient: Imidacloprid (chloro-nicotinyl) (21,5 g/kg)
 Registration Holder: Bayer (Pty) Ltd, Reg. No. 1968/011192/07, 27 Wrench Road, Isando, 1600. www.bayerhome.co.za
 Distributors: Coopers Environmental Science (Pty) Ltd. Tel: +27 11 979 4248/7 Fax: +27 11 979 4248
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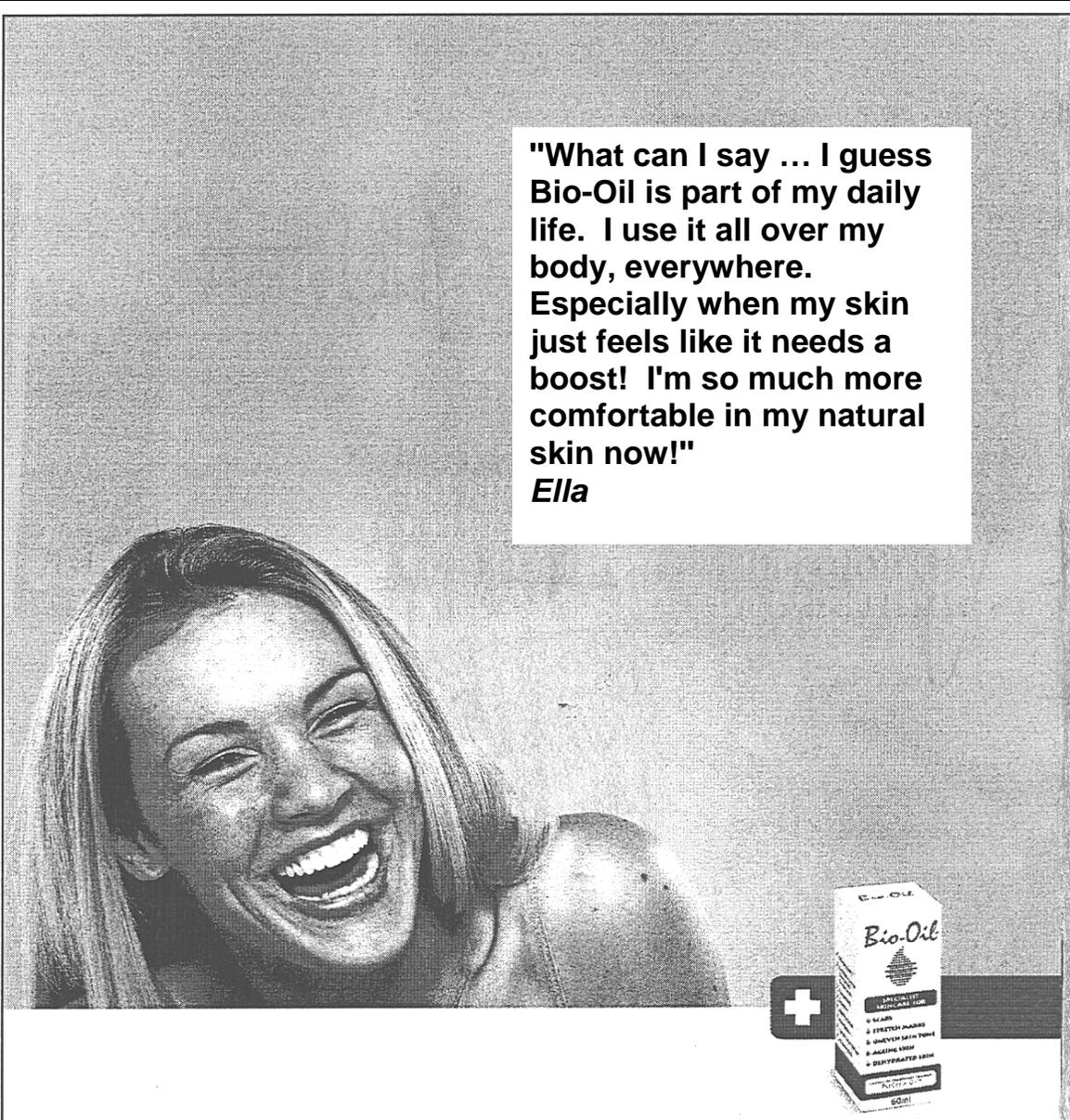


- 4.3.1 Why, do you think, has the advertiser used a picture of a kitchen in this advertisement? (2)
- 4.3.2 Who, do you think, would want to buy this product? (2)
- 4.3.3 What do the following claims tell you about the product?
- (a) "Long acting formula" (2)
- (b) "Economical" (2)
- 4.3.4 Complete the following sentence by choosing the correct answer from the list.
- The slogan "24/7 protection against cockroaches" means the product kills ...
- A all cockroaches for 247 hours.
B cockroaches night and day.
C only 7 out of 24 types of cockroaches.
D 247 types of cockroaches. (2)



4.4 Read the advertisement (TEXT G) below and answer the set questions.

TEXT G



The advertisement features a black and white photograph of a woman with long, light-colored hair, smiling broadly and looking towards the camera. To her right, there is a white text box containing a testimonial. Below the testimonial, a small image of a Bio-Oil product box is shown, which includes a list of skin concerns it addresses: SCARS, STRETCH MARKS, UNWANTED HAIR, and DRY/CRACKED SKIN. The product box also features a white cross symbol on a dark background.

"What can I say ... I guess Bio-Oil is part of my daily life. I use it all over my body, everywhere. Especially when my skin just feels like it needs a boost! I'm so much more comfortable in my natural skin now!"
Ella

Bio-Oil was originally developed to help improve the appearance of scars and stretch marks. However, it can also be used for less serious skin concerns. It is available at pharmacies and selected retailers at the following recommended prices: R42.99 (60ml), R65.99 (125ml) and R95.99 (200 ml). For a sample sachet and brochure write to: Bio-Oil Customer Care, P.O. Box 2629, Cape Town, 8000. Individual results may vary. For more information ask your pharmacist or visit bio-oil.com.

SOUTH AFRICA'S NO. 1 SELLING PHARMACY SKINCARE PRODUCT

- 4.4.1 Who, do you think, would want to buy Bio-Oil? Give a reason for your answer. (2)
- 4.4.2 Do you think that the picture of the girl is suitable to advertise Bio-Oil? Give a reason for your answer. (2)
- 4.4.3 Why has the picture of Bio-Oil been included in this advertisement? (2)
- 4.4.4 What does a 125 ml bottle of Bio-Oil cost? (2)
- 4.4.5 What does the following claim tell you about Bio-Oil?
"South Africa's No. 1 selling pharmacy skincare product" (2)
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QUESTION 5: LANGUAGE USAGE**NOTE:**

- Multiple-choice questions: write only the question number and the letter of the answer you have chosen.
- One-word answers: write only the question number and the word.

The two texts (TEXTS H and I) below appeared in the "Letters to the Editor" section of *Bona* magazine of February 2008.

Read each text carefully and answer the questions that follow.

5.1

TEXT H**TIME TO FIGHT BACK**

1. Our schools have become hunting grounds for drug dealers. Schools are meant to educate the young and produce future leaders, but drug dealers are destroying that future, and leading us towards disaster.
2. Let us stand up and take back our schools. Chase away the drug dealers!
3. Let us blow the whistle on these abusers of our children. Don't let our children's dreams be sold to make drug dealers rich. 5
4. Parents, no matter how hard it may seem, let's try to guide our children in the right direction, instead of sitting back, folding our arms and shaking our heads at the state of the nation.

– Adam Mazibuko, Daveyton

5.1.1 The term "drug dealers" appears in line 1.

Another word that can be used instead of dealers is ...

- A buyers.
- B producers.
- C sellers.
- D manufacturers. (2)

5.1.2 Rewrite the following sentence in Reported Speech:

Mr Mazibuko said, "Our schools have become hunting grounds for drug dealers." (2)



5.1.3 Give the correct form of the word in brackets.

Schools are meant to provide (educate) for the young. (2)

5.1.4 Choose the correct meaning of the underlined expression from the list below.

"Let us blow the whistle on these abusers of our children."
(Line 5)

A To blow a police whistle

B To call the police by blowing a whistle

C To report the matter to the police

D To warn people by blowing a whistle (2)

5.1.5 "Don't let our children's dreams be sold to make drug dealers rich."
(Lines 5 – 6)

Write the word don't in full. (2)



5.2

TEXT I**WORK WITH THE POLICE!**

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| 1. | I believe we can fight crime through co-operation between the police and the community. Police must be visible in all areas especially in the townships. | |
| 2. | The community must be involved in fighting crime and must always report criminal acts to the SAPS. If we as the community stop buying stolen goods from the thieves, the burglary problem will be solved immediately. | 3 |

– TV Madonsela, Bethal

5.2.1 Refer to lines 1 – 2.

Give the plural form of the underlined word in the following sentence:

I believe we can fight crime through co-operation between the police and the community. (2)

5.2.2 Refer to line 2.

Give a word opposite in meaning to the underlined word in the following sentence:

Police must be visible in all areas especially in the townships. (2)

5.2.3 Choose the correct answer.

"SAPS" (line 4) when written out in full is:

- A South African Protection Services
 - B South African Police Service
 - C South African Prisoner Service
 - D South African Public Service
- (2)

5.2.4 Refer to lines 4 – 5.

Give the singular form of the underlined word in the sentence below.

If we as the community can stop buying stolen goods from the thieves, the burglary problem will be solved immediately. (2)

5.2.5 Give the correct form of the word in brackets.

He is a (crime) because he was tried and found guilty of theft. (2)

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QUESTION 6: EDITING**NOTE:**

- Multiple-choice questions: write only the question number and the letter of the answer you have chosen.
- One-word answers: write only the question number and the word.

The passage (TEXT J) below contains a number of deliberate errors. Read the passage carefully and then answer the questions.

TEXT J**SNOOP DOGG'S FATHER HOOD**

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| 1. | Its a Doggs life for the man they call Snoop. As a mega-successful recording artist, producer and actor, Snoop Dogg has carved out a place in musical history as hip-hop's ultimate wordsmith and most laid-back superstar. But beneath that smooth exterior is a family man rising three children and the founder of a youth football league. | 5 |
| 2. | In this new series, the real Cordozar Calvin Broadus Jr, aka Snoop Dogg, shows what makes him tick. In coming weeks, the show take viewers with the family to Germany for the European Music awards and a birthday bash. | |
| 3. | Snoop is best known as an MC in the West Coast hip-hop scene and for being discovered by Dr Dre'. His mother nicknamed him "Snoopy" as a child because of his love of the cartoon, <i>Peanuts</i> . | 10 |

[Adapted from: *Sunday Times Magazine*, 3 February 2008]

6.1 Refer to line 1.

Fill in the TWO missing punctuation marks in the following sentence:

Its a Doggs life for the man they call Snoop. (2)

6.2 Refer to line 1.

Which one of the following has the same meaning as "mega-successful"?

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|---|----------------------|-----|
| A | Successful | |
| B | Partially successful | |
| C | Extremely successful | |
| D | Unsuccessful | (2) |



6.3 Refer to lines 3 – 5.

The underlined word in the sentence below has been used incorrectly.
Replace it with the correct word.

But beneath that smooth exterior is a family man rising three children and the founder of a youth football league. (2)

6.4 Refer to lines 7 – 8.

Correct the underlined verb in the following sentence.

In coming weeks, the show take viewers with the family to Germany for the European Music awards and a birthday bash. (2)

6.5 Write the abbreviation "Dr" (line 10) in full.

(2)
[10]

TOTAL SECTION C: 60



SECTION D: LITERATURE**QUESTION 7****SHORT STORIES: A HANDFUL OF LIFE**

Choose **ONE** of the following extracts (**EITHER** 7.1 **OR** 7.2) and answer the set questions. Read the extracts carefully before answering the questions.

EITHER**7.1 THE COFFEE-CART GIRL – Es'kia Mphahlele**

"Hey, you've a lovely ring on your finger, where's the mine?" Pinkie laughed as she looked at the glass-studded ring, fingered it and wiped it. "From Naidoo." "What?" "It's nothing, China. Naidoo didn't have any money for food, so he offered me this for three days' coffee and cakes." She spoke as if she didn't believe her own self. She sensed a gathering storm. "You lie!" "Honestly, China, now what would I be lying for?" So, he thought, she couldn't even lie to keep their friendship: how distant she sounded. His fury mounted. "Yes, you lie! Now listen, Pinkie, you're in love with that cheapjack. Every time I found him here he's been damn happy with you, grinning and making eyes at you. Yes, I've watched him every moment." He approached the step leading into the cart.	5
"Do you see me? I've loved you since I first saw you, the day of the strike." He was going to say more, but something rose inside him and choked him. He couldn't utter a word more. He walked slowly; a knife drawn out, with a menacing blade, pointed towards her throat. Pinkie retreated deeper into her cart, too frightened to plead her case. At that moment she realised fully the ghastliness of a man's jealousy, which gleamed and glanced on the blade and seemed to have raised a film which steadied the slit eyes. Against the black wall she managed to speak. "All right, China, maybe you've done this many times before. Go ahead and kill me; I won't cry for help, do what you like with me." She panted like a timid little mouse cornered by a cat. He couldn't finish the job he had set out to do. Why? He had sent two men packing with a knife before. They had tried to fight, but this creature wasn't resisting at all. Why, why, why?	10 15 20 25

QUESTIONS:

- 7.1.1 Who is the speaker in line 1 of the extract? (1)
- 7.1.2 Explain why the speaker asks, "where's the mine"? (2)



- 7.1.3 Is the following statement TRUE or FALSE? Quote a word or phrase from lines 1 – 5 to support your answer.
- Naidoo had bought Pinkie an expensive diamond ring. (2)
- 7.1.4 Name the TWO items Pinkie sells to earn a living. (2)
- 7.1.5 Explain why China is angry about the ring. (2)
- 7.1.6 Refer to lines 12 – 14.
- Quote the word used by China to show his hatred of Naidoo. (1)
- 7.1.7 Refer to line 17 ("something rose inside him and choked him").
- Use your own words to explain how China is feeling. (2)
- 7.1.8 Quote a phrase from lines 17 – 20 to prove that China is serious about using the knife to hurt Pinkie. (1)
- 7.1.9 Did Pinkie try to convince China not to hurt her? Quote a phrase of no more than SIX words from lines 18 – 22 to support your answer. (2)
- 7.1.10 Refer to line 21.
- A synonym (word of similar meaning) for "ghastliness" is ...
- A strangeness.
B danger.
C horror.
D foolishness.
- 7.1.11 Quote a phrase of TWO words from lines 22 – 25 to explain where China gets his nickname from. (1)
- 7.1.12 Refer to line 26.
- The sentence, "She panted like a timid mouse cornered by a cat" is an example of ...
- A a metaphor.
B personification.
C simile.
D alliteration. (1)
- 7.1.13 How does Pinkie's reaction differ from that of China's other victims? (2)
- [20]**

OR



7.2 SNAPSHOTS OF A WEDDING – Bessie Head

"He is of course just running after the education and not the manners," Neo's relatives commented, to show they were not fooled by human nature. "He thinks that since she is as educated as he is they will both get good jobs and be rich in no time ..."	
Educated as he was, Kegoletile seemed to go through a secret conflict during that year he prepared a yard for his future married life with Neo. He spent most of his free time in the yard of Mathata. His behaviour there wasn't too alarming but he showered Mathata with gifts of all kinds – food, fancy dresses, shoes and underwear.	5
Each time he came, he brought a gift and each time Mathata would burst out laughing and comment: "Ow, Kegoletile, how can I wear all these dresses? It's just a waste of money! Besides, I manage quite well with the R 10,00 you give every month for the child..."	10
She was a very pretty girl with black eyes like stars; she was always smiling and happy; immediately and always her own natural self. He knew what he was marrying – something quite the opposite, a new kind of girl with false postures and acquired grand-madame ways. And yet, it didn't pay a man these days to look too closely into his heart. They all wanted as wives, women who were big money-earners and they were so ruthless about it!	15
And yet it was as if the society itself stamped each of its individuals with its own particular brand of wealth and Kegoletile had not yet escaped it; he had about him an engaging humility and eagerness to help and please that made him loved and respected by all who knew him.	20

QUESTIONS:

- 7.2.1 Indicate whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. In each case, support your answer with a quotation from the extract.
- (a) Although he is educated, Neo's relatives are not impressed by Kegoletile. (2)
- (b) Kegoletile is blind to Neo's faults. (2)
- (c) According to the extract, men marry for love these days. (2)
- 7.2.2 Why, according to Neo's relatives, is Kegoletile marrying her? Use your **own words** to answer. (2)
- 7.2.3 How does Kegoletile prepare for married life with Neo? (2)



7.2.4 Refer to lines 5 – 11.

Why can Kegoletile's behaviour towards Mathata be described as unusual? (2)

7.2.5 Give a possible reason from the extract to explain why Kegoletile visits Mathata so often. (2)

7.2.6 Explain in your own words how Mathata differs from Neo. (2)

7.2.7 Refer to line 17.

A synonym (word of similar meaning) for "ruthless" is ...

A reckless.

B determined.

C mindless.

D demented. (1)

7.2.8 Refer to line 20.

An antonym (word of opposite meaning) for "humility" is ...

A pride.

B vanity.

C modesty.

D anger. (1)

7.2.9 Explain why Kegoletile is well liked by those who know him. (2)

TOTAL SECTION D: 20

GRAND TOTAL: 120

