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Department of
Education
FREE STATE PROVINCE

# GRADE 5

# ENGLISH HOME LANGUAGE

## MEMORANDUM

## MARCH 2024

## TIME: 1 HOUR 30 MIN

## MARKS: 40

| **Question 1: READING COMPREHENSION** | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1.1.1 | A / giving a talk during assembly | (1) |
| 1.1.2 | B / being a class clown | (1) |
| 1.1.3 | A / she entertained the class with gimmicks | (1) |
| 1.1.4 | D / it hindered learning | (1) |
| 1.1.5 | B / entrepreneur | (1) |
| 1.2 | The speaker was not paying attention to lessons | (1) |
| 1.3 | The speaker discovered that lessons were interesting and learnt many new things. | (1) |
| 1.4 | Yes, it helped because the speaker started being attentive in class and ending up being top of his/her class. | (2) |
| 1.5 | A / a person who entertains with humour. | (1) |
| 1.6 | 1<br>3<br>4<br>2 | (1) |
| 1.7 | False, the speaker did not behave well / was always chased out of the class / was not paying attention to the lessons. | (2) |
| 1.8 | Yes, being a class clown distracts you from paying attention in class, leaving you behind with your schoolwork. | (2) |
| | | **[15]** |

| **Question 2: VISUAL TEXT** | | |
|---|---|---|
| 2.1 | P5 and P6 Birchwood Primary School students | (1) |
| 2.2 | Register online @ www.birchwoodps.com or get registration forms from the office. | (2) |
| 2.3 | Birchwood Primary School | (1) |
| 2.4 | On the second day of the fair at 4:30 p.m. / On the 4th of May. | (1) |
| 2.5 | A two year subscription to a Science magazine of choice. | (1) |
| 2.6 | C / year | (1) |
| 2.7 | Present the 10% coupon. | (1) |
| 2.8 | Yes / No<br>Learners own answer. | (2) |
| | | **[10]** |

| **Question 3: LANGUAGE STRUCTURES AND CONVENTIONS** | | |
|---|---|---|
| 3.1.1 | Pupil / class | (1) |
| 3.1.2 | outstanding | (1) |
| 3.1.3 | Elim | (1) |
| 3.2 | **E**lim a school dropout**,** turned millionaire was at my school**.** | (1) |
| 3.3 | He suddenly came to his senses and decided to stop being a nuisance in class. | (1) |
| 3.4.1 | was | (1) |
| 3.5.1 | suddenly. | (1) |
| 3.5.2 | today. | (1) |
| 3.6 | Elim Chew will tell me about her days in primary school. | (1) |
| 3.7 | She looked forward to going to school. | (1) |
| 3.8 | Her teacher tells her to stand outside the classroom. | (1) |
| 3.9 | dreaded | (1) |
| 3.10 | Student/learner | (1) |
| 3.11 | In | (1) |
| 3.12 | C / simile | (1) |
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