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Paper 1
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2 ½ hours



# UGANDA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS BOARD

# **Uganda Certificate of Education**

# PERFORMING ARTS

# Paper 1 Aural, Composition and Theory

2 hours 30 minutes

# **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

This paper consists of six examination items. It has sections A and B.

Section A has two parts; part I and II. Part I is compulsory. Choose one item from Part II.

Answer all the items in Section B.

Answer five items in all.

Any additional item answered will **not** be scored.

**All** answers **must** be written in the Manuscript paper and answer booklet(s) provided using **blue** or **black** ink.

## **SECTION A**

This section has two parts I and II.

# Part I (Compulsory)

#### Item 1.

When war broke out in South Sudan, some of the people from there crossed to Uganda and settled in camps as refugees. Later, they started fighting each other because of the differences in their ethnic backgrounds.

The Minister for Relief and Disaster Preparedness suggested that one of the ways to unite these people is through songs. Someone has composed one part of the song for that purpose.

#### Task:

Listen to the recording. Write the opening phrase therein and compose a finishing phrase.

# Part II

Answer **one** item from this part.

#### Item 2.

Kajugo has been invited to perform at a youth conference. He has been requested to perform different art forms. However, he has never performed any other art form apart from Music.

#### Task:

As Kajugo's cousin studying Performing Arts, guide him on how to develop an art piece that is suitable for the function.

# Item 3.

The Performing group that entertains audiences at Vision Theatre performs songs only. The audience has repeatedly asked the manager to provide different art forms. The manager has come to you for help.

#### Task:

As a Performing Arts student, guide him on how to develop another art form.

# **SECTION B**

Answer all items in this section.

#### Item 4.

Peter, a well-known business man in Kerere Town Council, organised his daughter's traditional marriage ceremony. He requested Koko Troupe to entertain guests with traditional dances. The troupe performed traditional dances to recorded traditional music and added ideas from different cultures of the world. The guests were very happy but Peter was disappointed.

# Task:

As a Performing Artist, explain why Peter and his guests responded differently to the performance.

## Item 5.

Jean is an upcoming playwright. In one of the National competitions, she won a medal for the best play, "The Disowned". Ray Drama Group has been performing Jean's play for commercial gains without her permission. The group has also taken the play to Nkunda Television under a new title, "The Rejected". The play has become popular in the community that watches Nkunda Television.

Jean has read in the local newspaper that Uganda Wildlife Authority (UWA) has sued them for using some materials from endangered animals.

Jean has now threatened to also report the group.

#### Task:

Advise the owners of Ray Drama Group.

#### Item 6.

Emily is a celebrity performer of different art works which have gone viral on social media. Majority of the youths love to sing and perform her artworks on different social occasions. Kibibi Memorial College will host a parents' day at the end of the year and students have requested the Head teacher to invite Emily to perform and share with them about performing art works. The Head teacher is not interested in Emily's art artworks and has declined the students' request.

#### Task:

Make a write up convincing the Head teacher to accept the students' request.

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