END TERM 3 2026

GRADE 10

BIOLOGY

TIME: 2 HOURS 30 MINUTES

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Write your name, assessment number, class/stream and date in the spaces provided.
2. Read all questions carefully before answering.
3. Answer ALL questions.
4. Show all working where calculations are required.
5. Draw and label diagrams clearly where required.
6. Use appropriate units in calculations.
7. Answer in the spaces provided where applicable.
8. Use clear and legible handwriting.
9. Check that all pages and questions are present before beginning.
10. The paper contains structured-response questions only.

EXAMINER'S USE ONLY

Section	Question Numbers	Maximum Score	Candidate's Score
A	1–5	25	
B	6–9	25	
C	10–12	30	
TOTAL		80	

SECTION A — STRUCTURED QUESTIONS

1. State two functions of the mouthparts of insects in relation to feeding. **(4 marks)**

(a) Name the type of mouthpart adapted for biting and chewing in insects. **(1 marks)**

(b) Give two features of this type of mouthpart that make it suitable for its mode of feeding. **(3 marks)**

2. Birds have different types of beaks adapted to different feeding habits. **(5 marks)**

(a) State two types of food on which birds may feed. **(2 marks)**