TERM 2: ENDTERM ASSESSMENT 2026

GRADE 10 – LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

Time: 2 Hours

LEARNER'S DETAILS

Name: _____. School: _____.

Assessment Number: _____. Date: _____.

School Code: _____. Signature: _____.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Fill in your name in the space provided above.
2. Write your school name and stream clearly.
3. Indicate your admission number and date.
4. The paper consists of **two sections: A and B**.
5. Attempt **all questions** in every section.
6. Use **English** to answer all questions.
7. Write your responses in the spaces provided in the paper.
8. Do not detach or remove any page from this paper.

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SECTION	SECTION A	SECTION B	% SCORE	EE1	EE2	ME1	ME2	AE1	AE2	BE1	BE2
SCORE RANGE	30 MARKS	30 MARKS		90-100	75-89	58-74	41-57	31-40	21-30	11-20	1-10
POINTS				8 POINTS	7 POINTS	6 POINTS	5 POINTS	4 POINTS	3 POINTS	2 POINTS	1 POINT
LEARNER'S TOTAL SCORE											

SECTION A (30 MARKS)

Answer ALL questions in this section.

TASK 1: ORAL LITERATURE [20 MARKS]

Read the story below and answer the questions that follow.

The Hare and the Elephant's Well

In a time of great drought, the animals of the savanna gathered to dig a well. "We must all work together," the Lion decreed. Every animal toiled under the hot sun except for the Hare. He sat under a baobab tree, grooming his whiskers. "I am too delicate for such dusty work," he smirked.