GRADE 7 ENGLISH REVISION KIT

STRAND: 12.2 Intensive Reading Comprehension – Long Passages

Total Marks: 50

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

SECTION A: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

Instructions: Read the passage below carefully and answer the questions that follow. Each question carries 1 mark. Total: 20 marks.

Passage 1: Maasai Traditional Fashion

The Maasai people of Kenya are known for their distinctive traditional fashion. Men usually wear a shuka, a bright red cloth wrapped around the body, while women often wear colorful beads and necklaces. The colors and patterns on the beads have special meanings. For instance, red symbolizes bravery, while blue represents energy and the sky. The Maasai also wear sandals made from cowhide, which protect their feet from rough terrain. Traditional fashion is not only a symbol of identity but also plays an important role in ceremonies and social gatherings. Today, modern Maasai fashion blends traditional elements with contemporary styles, allowing young people to preserve their culture while embracing change.

MCQs based on Passage 1

1. **What is the main idea of the passage?**
   - **A. Maasai men wear sandals**
   - **B. Maasai fashion is colorful and meaningful**
   - **C. Modern fashion is better than traditional fashion**
   - **D. Beads are sold in the market**
2. **What does the color red symbolize?**
   - **A. Energy**
   - **B. Bravery**
   - **C. Sky**
   - **D. Happiness**
3. **Which material is used for Maasai sandals?**
   - **A. Rubber**
   - **B. Cowhide**
   - **C. Plastic**
   - **D. Leather**
4. **What does blue represent in Maasai beadwork?**
   - **A. Bravery**



