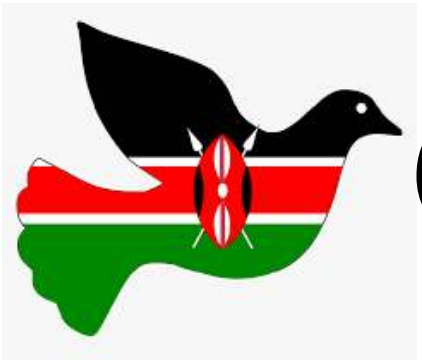
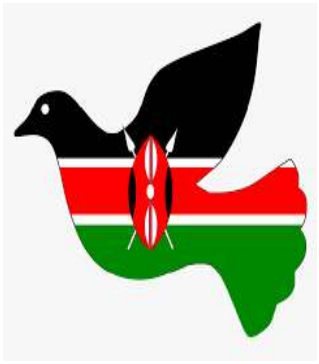
COMPETENCE BASED CURRICULUM



# Grade 8



## ENGLISH

**NAME**.....

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**TIME 1hr**

**FUNCTIONAL WRITING**

Write a **formal letter** to the clerk of your local council complaining about the loud music in the bars where you live. Indicate how residents spend sleepless nights due to the loud music, and what you think should be done. (15mrks)

**CLOZE TEST (10mrks)**

***Read the passage below and fill in each blank space with an appropriate word***

Most people are poor listeners. Even when we think we are listening carefully, we usually _____only half of what we hear, and we retain even _____

Improving your listening skills can be helpful in every part of your life, including speech making. The best speakers are often the best listeners. The most important cause of poor listening is giving _____ to physical and mental distractions. Many times we let our thoughts wander _____ than concentrate on what is being said. Sometimes however, we listen too hard. We try to remember _____ word a speaker says,