GRADE 4 -YEAR 2023 TERM 1
EXAMINATION: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

TASK 1: LISTENING AND SPEAKING (6 MARKS)

The following is a conversation between a teacher and a student. Role play and respond to the conversation after your teacher.

Teacher: How are you, (student's name)?
Learner: .....
Teacher: How is school?
Learner: .....
Teacher: What is HIV and AIDS?
Learner: .....
Teacher: Yes, it's a disease that weakens one's body. How can we control it?
Learner: .....
Teacher: Who does it affect?
Learner: .....

TASK 2: READING ALOUD (10 MARKS)

Read the following story aloud as instructed by the teacher.

My dad is a soldier. He goes to training camp every few months. I don't like when he go to the camp because I do not get to see him for a long time. When my dad does come home, he always surprises me. Today, I was at my Spelling Bee at school. I was nervous because I was not a very good word speller. When it was my turn, I stood up. My teacher said," Melissa, your word is grateful I thought I could never spell that. I was about to give up when I saw my dad in the crowd. He gave me two thumbs up. So, I did my best and spelled 'g-r-a-t-e-f-u-l just for him.

TASK 3: COMPREHENSION (8 marks)

Read the stories below and answer the questions that follow.

Monkey saw eight bananas on the tree, but they were too high. His mom asked him if he could try to get them. She said his family would really like those bananas. Monkey was sure that he wouldn't be able to grab those bananas, but he could try. Monkey climbed up four branches and fell to the ground. He did not let this upset him and he did not give up. He got right back up and started climbing again. This time he made it to the top!

a. How many bananas did monkey see on the tree?
b. Why did his mom ask him to get the bananas?
c. What did the monkey do after falling on the ground?
d. How many branches had the monkey climbed before falling on the ground?
e. What do you think is the best title for the story?