KENYA PRIMARY SCHOOL EDUCATION ASSESSMENT

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ENGLISH

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Read the following conversation and then answer question 1 to 5.

Hare	:	Hello, Tortoise! I still can't believe you beat me in the race.
Tortoise	:	Hello, Hare! I won because I stayed steady and did not stop.
Hare	:	But I was much faster than you!
Tortoise	:	Speed is not always the most important thing.
Hare	:	I only stopped to rest for a while.
Tortoise	:	And while you rested, I kept going.
Hare	:	I've learned my lesson. I will never underestimate anyone again.
Tortoise	:	That's good, Hare. We all have different strengths.

1. What surprised Hare most about the race is that:
   A) Tortoise could run.
   B) He was disqualified
   C) Tortoise won
   D) The race was very long.

2. According to Tortoise, what helped him win the race?
   A) Being quick and tricky
   B) Consistency
   C) Being clever and faster
   D) Resting often during the race.

3. During the race, Hare rested as Tortoise _____
   A) cheered him
   B) wondered what was wrong
   C) stopped briefly
   D) Kept running.

4. Which action made Hare to lose the race?
   A) Taking a nap during the race.
   B) Running too fast at the start
   C) Getting injured halfway
   D) Taking a wrong turn.

5. What quality of Tortoise helped him win?
   A) Patience and determination
   B) Speed and power
   C) Trickery and silence.
   D) Intelligence and memory.

Read the passage below and then answer questions 6 to 10.

Fire! Fire! Fire! The people on the street in front of our shop shouted as they fled as fast as lightning to save their lives. Peeping through the window, I could see a thick cloud of smoke rising from the storey buildings opposite our shop. My mother warned me from going to the scene, she always said curiosity killed the cat but nothing could hold me back. Truly there is no smoke without fire. The three storey building which housed offices, shops and residential houses had caught fire.

From a very reliable source, the fire started in a hotel kitchen on the first floor. The fire was noticed first by a hotel manager who immediately called for the fire rescue service and the police. The fire fighters arrived in the nick of time.

Fire is a good servant but a bad master. To our beloved students never resort to torching a building no matter the rage. Be discipline and of good characters and morals. I am because you are and we are because you are.

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