

NAME.....SCHOOL.....

ADM NUMBER.....DATE.....

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ENGLISH

PAPER 3

TIME: 2 HOURS 30 MINUTES

KCSE 2023 TOP PREDICTION MASTER CYCLE 1

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Answer **three** questions only
2. Question **1** and **2** are compulsory
3. In question 3, answer only **one** of the optional texts you have prepared on
4. Each of your essay must not exceed **450** words
5. This paper consists of two printed pages
6. Candidates **must** answer the questions in English

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QUESTION	MAXIMUM SCORE	CANDIDATE'S SCORE
1	20	
2	20	
3	20	
	TOTAL SCORE	

1. Imaginative composition

a) Write a composition beginning with

It all started as a rumour but no one in the family took it seriously until... (20mks)

OR

b) Argue out the belief that 'If devolution has to succeed the youth have to be involved' (20mks)

2. The compulsory set text: Blossoms of Savanna by Henry Ole Kulet.

Some cultural practices are archaic and out dated. Write an essay in support of this statement. (20mks)

3. The optional set text.

a) **A Silent Song**

Ninema is an admirable character. Support this from Vrenika Pather's 'Ninema' (20marks.)

OR

b) **Drama: 'Inheritance' by David Mulwa**

'Lacuna represents the evil in our African leaders' Write an essay to justify this using 'Inheritance'. (20mks)