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**EASTERN CAPE** Level Code

EDUCATION

**FOUNDATION**

**PHASE**

**GRADE 3**

**JUNE 2010**

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| **ENGLISH HOME LANGUAGE** |

LEARNER’S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL’S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**MARKS: 25**

**TIME: 1 h 10 min**

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| This question paper consists of 5 pages. |

**INSTRUCTION AND INFORMATION**

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| 1. | Read the instructions carefully. |
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| 2. | Answer all the questions. |
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| 3. | Write neatly and legible. |
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**QUESTION 1**

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| Read the story and answer the questions below. | | | | |  |
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| Sam loves to play sport. He plays many sports at school, like soccer, cricket, hockey and swimming. Sam plays soccer and hockey in the winter terms.  In the summer terms Sam plays cricket and he swims. He is a good swimmer. His favourite stroke is breaststroke. In the gala he came first in his age group.  Although he plays many sports, his favourite is soccer. Sam hopes to be a champion soccer player one day. | | | | |  |
|  |  | | | |  |
| a) | Where does Sam play sport? | | | |  |
|  |  | | | |  |
| b) | Which is his favourite stroke? | | | |  |
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| c) | Where did he come in his breaststroke race? | | | |  |
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| d) | What sport does Sam enjoy best? | | | |  |
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| e) | What does he want to be when he grows up? | | | | (2½) |
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| **QUESTION 2** | | | | |  |
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| Fill in **a** or **an** | | | | |  |
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| a) | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ animal | | | |  |
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| b) | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ crocodile | | | |  |
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| c) | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ant | | | |  |
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| d) | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bird | | | |  |
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| e) | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ eagle | | | | (2½) |
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| **QUESTION 3** | | | | |  |
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| Rewrite the sentences putting in the capital letters and punctuation marks (. , ? !) | | | | |  |
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| a) | croco lived in the magic wood | | | |  |
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| b) | i am the king of the magic wood | | | |  |
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| c) | lizo told croco to go away | | | |  |
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| d) | the elephants the lions and the giraffe left the pool | | | |  |
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| e) | Where would the animals find water now | | | | (2½) |

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| **QUESTION 4** | | | | |  |
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| Join the pair of sentences by using the joining word **“and”** or **“but”**. | | | | |  |
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| (a) | I opened the door. My dog ran out. | | | |  |
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| (b) | Sally is fair. Her sister is dark. | | | |  |
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| c) | Dad went out. Mother stayed in. | | | |  |
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| (d) | Your face is clean. His is dirty. | | | |  |
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| (e) | My hair was long. The hairdresser cut it. | | | | (5) |
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| **QUESTION 5** | | | | |  |
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| Choose the word from the box that means the opposite of the underlined words. | | | | |  |
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| (a) | Joyce wears white shoes. | | | |  |
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| (b) | I love naughty friends. | | | |  |
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| (c) | The boy took the right book home. | | | |  |
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| (d) | I go to school every night. | | | | (5) |
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| **QUESTION 6** | | | | |  |
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| Rewrite the following sentences starting with the word in bold. | | | | |  |
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| (a) | Today Nelson runs away.  **Yesterday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** | | | | (1) |
|  |  | | | |  |
| (b) | Today Nelson runs away.  **Tomorrow** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | | | (1) |
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| (c) | Yesterday Nelson listened to people.  **Today \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** | | | | (1) |
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| **QUESTION 7** | | | | |  |
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| Complete the following words by filling in **a** or **e**. | | | | |  |
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| (a) | b\_\_\_ll | | | |  |
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| (b) | c\_\_\_t | | | |  |
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| (c) | p\_\_g | | | |  |

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| (d) | f\_\_\_t | |  |
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| (e) | h\_\_t | | (2½) |
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| **QUESTION 8** | | |  |
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| Put the following words in an alphabetical order: | | |  |
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| basket  cup  apple  donkey | | | (2) |
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