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2020 PUBLIC EXAMINATION

Karen

Continuers Level

Tuesday 20 October: 2 pm Australian Eastern Daylight Time

Reading Time: 10 minutes

Working Time: 2 hours and 30 minutes

- *You have 10 minutes to read all the papers and to familiarise yourself with the requirements of the questions. You must not write during this time.*
- *Monolingual and/or bilingual printed dictionaries may be consulted during the reading time and also during the examination.*

Section 1: Listening and Responding (30 marks)

Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 40 minutes for Section 1.
2. Write all your answers to the questions in Section 1 in this booklet in black or blue pen. Space is provided for you to make notes.
3. You must answer ALL questions in Part A and Part B.
4. Answer Part A in ENGLISH and Part B in KAREN.
5. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
6. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

Part A (Questions 1–3)
(15 marks)

Your response will be assessed on how well you:

- *understand general and specific aspects of texts by identifying and analysing information and convey the information accurately and appropriately.*
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You will hear THREE texts. Each text will be played twice. There will be a short break between the first and second playings of each text. You may make notes at any time.

Listen carefully to each text and then answer the questions in ENGLISH.

	Marks	
Text 1		
1. According to the advertisement, what criteria must the babysitter meet?	3	You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.

Marks

You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.

Text 2

2. (a) Why is Saw David Htoo's car so important to him?

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(b) What evidence from the text indicates that Saw David Htoo loves his car?

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Marks

You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.

Text 3

3. (a) Why is Naw Paw Pa concerned about Saw Dah Htoo?

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(b) What does Naw Paw Pa suggest would help Saw Dah Htoo's relationship with his family?

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Part B (Questions 4–6)
(15 marks)

Your response will be assessed on how well you:

- *understand general and specific aspects of texts by identifying and analysing information and convey the information accurately and appropriately.*

You will hear THREE texts. Each text will be played twice. There will be a short break between the first and second playings of each text. You may make notes at any time.

Listen carefully to each text and then answer the questions in KAREN.

	Marks	You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.
Text 4		
4. What is the significance of <i>hta</i> in Karen society?	3	
ထိုန့ၣ်အရၢဒိၣ်လၢကညီဖိတၢအပူၤဒ်လဲၣ်.		

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Text 5

5. (a) According to the text, why do people migrate to other countries?

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တၢ်ကွဲးတခါအံၤအပူၤပၢ်ဖျါဝဲ ပှၤကညီသ့ၣ်တဖၣ်သးလီၢ်သးကျဲယုလီၢ်ကဒု
လၢတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်မနုၤတဖၣ်အယီၤလဲၣ်.

(b) What has assisted Karen immigrants with integrating into their new society?

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ဘၣ်မနုၤအယီၤကညီဖိတနီၤနီၤ လၢစ့ၤနံၣ်စ့ၤလၢအတီၢ်ပူၤတူၢ်ဘၣ်ဝဲလၢထံကီၢ်အ
သီအံၤဒ်အနီၢ်ကစၢ်အဟံၣ်အယီၤအထံအကီၢ်လဲၣ်.

Marks

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Text 6

6. (a) How has human intervention affected the natural environment in Karen State?

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ခိဖျိလၢပှၢကညိတဖၣ်တၢ်ဟူးတၢ်ဂၤအယိမၤဘၣ်ဒိခိၣ်ယၢန့ဆၢၣ်လၢကညိကိၢ်စၣ်အပူၤဒ်လဲၣ်.

(b) What are the suggestions given in the text to improve the natural environment in Karen State?

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လၢတၢ်ကမၤဂ့ၤထီၣ်က့ၤခိၣ်ယၢန့ဆၢၣ်အဂီၢ်တၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကူၣ်လၢအဖျါလၢလံာ်ပူၤမ့ၢ်မနုၤသ့ၣ်တဖၣ်လဲၣ်.

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Section 2: Reading and Responding (25 marks)

Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes for Section 2.
2. Write all your answers to the questions in Section 2 in this booklet in black or blue pen.
3. You must answer ALL questions in Part A and Part B.
4. Answer Part A in ENGLISH and Part B in KAREN.
5. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
6. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

Part A (Questions 7–8)
(10 marks)

Your response will be assessed on how well you:

- *understand general and specific aspects of texts (for example, by comparing, contrasting, summarising and/or evaluating) and convey the information appropriately.*

7. Read the text and then answer in ENGLISH the questions that follow.

ပုဂံကွက်ကဒါကွေလၢ တၢ်စံာ်စိၤတဲာ်စိၤအပူၤဒီးပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ် မ့ၢ်ပုၤတဖၣ်လၢအကါဒိၣ်မး လၢတၢ်ဖံးတၢ်မၤတၢ်အိၣ် မူအပူၤလီၤ. ပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ်မ့ၢ်ဝဲမိာ်, မ့ၢ်ဝဲတံၤသကိးလၢအဂ့ၤဒီးမ့ၢ်စ့ၢ်ကိးပုၤတီၢ်ခိၣ်ရိၣ်မဲတၢ်တဖၣ်လီၤ. မိာ်လုာ်ဒိၣ် ထီၣ်ဖိလံၤတဖၣ်, မ့ၢ်ဝဲပတံၤသကိးပုၤမၤသကိးတၢ်, ဒီးမ့ၢ်စ့ၢ်ကိးခိၣ်န့ၢ်လၢဟံၣ်ပုၤယီၤပုၤ ဒီးလၢပုၤတဝၢအပူၤလီၤ. ဘၣ်ဆၣ်သန့ကွဲၤခါလၢအပူၤကွဲၣ်န့ၣ် တၢ်ပာ်ပနီၣ်ပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ်အတၢ်မၤဂ့ၤ, အလုၢ်အပူၤစ့ၢ်ဝဲဒိၣ်မးလီၤ. တၢ်ပာ်လုာ်ပာ်ပုၤအဝဲသ့ၣ်စ့ၢ်ဒိၣ်မးမ့ၢ်လၢ ပုၤထံၣ်အဝဲသ့ၣ်လၢအမ့ၢ်ပုၤဂံၢ်စၢ်ဘါစၢ်, လၢန့ၣ်အမဲာ်ညါပုၤထံၣ်အဝဲသ့ၣ် လၢကဘၣ်မၤတၢ် ထဲလၢဟံၣ်ပုၤယီၤပုၤအယီၤလီၤ. ပထံၣ်ဘၣ်လၢစိၤခါခဲအံၤဒၣ်လဲာ်, တၢ်ပာ်ပနီၣ်ပာ်လုာ်ပာ်ပုၤပိာ်မုာ် တဖၣ်စ့ၢ်ဒိၣ်မးဒီးလၢ တၢ်လီၢ်တနီၤဒီးလၢပုၤတနီၤန့ၣ်လီၤ.

မ့ၢ်ဒဲလဲာ်ဂ့ၤ, မ့ၢ်တနံၤအံၤ တၢ်ပာ်ပနီၣ်ပာ်လုာ်ပာ်ပုၤပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ်အသန့ၣ် ဒိၣ်ထီၣ်အါထီၣ်ဝဲကွဲၢ်ကွဲၢ်လီၤ. ပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ်ဟ့ၣ် လီၤပာ်ဖျါထီၣ်အတၢ်သ့တၢ်ဘၣ် အတၢ်သ့ၣ်ညါန့ၢ်ပာ်လၢတၢ်ကရၢကရိ, တၢ်ကူၣ်ဘၣ်ကူၣ်သ့, တၢ်အိၣ်ဆူၣ်အိၣ်ချ့, စဲအ့ၣ် ဒီးထံၣ်ဂျီၢ်ကိာ်သဲးဒီးလၢတၢ်လီၢ်ကိးကပူၤဒဲးလီၤ.

စိၤခါခဲးဖိကဟ့ၣ်အတၢ်ဒိၣ်ထီၣ်ထီၣ် ဒီးကသံၣ်ကသီတၢ်သ့တၢ်ဘၣ် လၢတၢ်ဒိသဒါပိာ်မုာ်ဟုးသးတဖၣ်မ့ၢ်ဝဲတၢ်လၢဟ့ၣ် ပိာ်မုာ်တဖၣ်အတၢ်ခွဲးတၢ်ယာ်, တၢ်ယုထၢလၢကပာ်ယုာ်မၤယုာ်တၢ်လၢ တၢ်ဖံးတၢ်မၤလၢဟံၣ်ချါလၢစိၤခါခဲးအံၤစ့ၢ်ကိးလီၤ.

QUESTIONS

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(a) According to the text, what factors limited women's participation in the workforce in the past?

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(b) What are the key factors that enable women to participate in the workforce today?

2

QUESTIONS

Marks

(a) How did the ancient Karen people achieve a healthy life?

4

(b) What evidence in the text indicates that Karen people today are taking action to ensure a healthier life?

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Part B (Question 9)

(15 marks)

Your response will be assessed on how well you:

- *demonstrate an understanding of the stimulus text*
- *write text appropriate and relevant to context, purpose and audience*
- *structure and sequence information and ideas*
- *manipulate language structures and vocabulary in Karen.*

9. Read the text and then answer the question in approximately 150 words in KAREN on page 8.

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တၢ်ဂ့ၢ် – တၢ်မၤဘၣ်လိာ်က့ၤယတၢ်မၤလိ

ဟ့ မ့ၣ်မ့ၣ်,

နအိၣ်ဆူၣ်အိၣ်ချ့ကစီဒိဓါ,

ယအဲၣ်ဒီးကွဲးဒုးသ့ၣ်ညါနၤလာ, ယဟဲသုးလိာ်သုးကျဲလၢကီၢ်အိးစၢ်လံၤယါခံၤလါဝံၤဒီးပစးထီၣ်ဘၣ်က့ၢ်လံၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. တနံၣ်အံၤယမၤလိခွံတီၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. ယသ့ၣ်ပိာ်သးဝးဒီးသ့ၣ်ကိာ်သးတနိးလၢ ကဘၣ်ရူတံၤသကိးလၢအသီတဖၣ်, မၤလိဘၣ်တၢ်အသီတဖၣ်လၢက့ၢ်တၢ်သ့ၣ်ထီၣ်ဒိၣ်ထီၣ်အပူၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. ယတဲာ်တၢ်နၤလာ ယအဲၣ်ဒီးကဲထီၣ်ဘၣ်သးကသံၣ်သရၣ်မ့ၣ်ပုၤဆါန့ၣ်နနီၣ်ဘၣ်စ့ၢ်ကိးဓါ. ယကဂ့ၢ်ကျဲးစးသပုၤကတၢ်တုၤယကဲထီၣ်ဘၣ်လီၤ.

စးထီၣ်လၢယထီၣ်က့ၢ်တုၤလီၤလၢခဲအံၤ, ယထီၣ်ဘၣ်က့ၢ်ဂ့ၢ်လီၤ. လၢလံာ်တၢ်ဒူးတကပၤဒု ယမၤအိၣ်ဘၣ်ဂ့ၢ်မးဘၣ်ဆၣ်မ့ၢ်လၢ လံာ်စဲအ့ၣ်န့ၣ်ယလူၤအိၣ်တန့ၢ်ဂ့ၢ်ဂ့ၢ်ဘၣ် မ့ၢ်လၢပတမၤလိဘူဘၣ်အိၣ်အါဘၣ်အယိလီၤ. တၢ်တၢ်တၢ်လၢအဒိၣ်ကတၢ်ဒု မ့ၢ်အဲကလံးအကျိၣ်လီၤ. ယသးကိာ်လၢယတထီၣ်ဘၣ်ဖျၢၣ်စိမိၤက့ၢ်ဘၣ်န့ၣ်လီၤ. ဒိဖျိလၢကျိၣ်တၢ်ကီၢ်တဲာ်ခဲအယိ, လၢတီၤပူၤန့ၣ်ယအိၣ်ဘၣ်ကလၢ, ယဘၣ်ယိၣ်လၢယကတီၢ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ကမၣ်ယတံၤသကိးတဖၣ်ကနံၣ်ဘၣ်ယၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. တကးဘၣ်, ဒိဖျိယဘၣ်က့ၢ်ထွဲယပုၤအဆံးတဖၣ်အယိ ယကမၤလိာ်တၢ်ဆၢကတီၢ်စ့ၢ်ကိးလီၤစ့ၢ်လဲၤဒၣ်လီၤ. မ့ၢ်လၢယမိာ်ဒီးယပၢကတီၢ်အဲကလံးအကျိၣ်တဘၣ်ဘၣ်အယိ အဝဲသ့ၣ်ဒီးသန့ၤအသးလၢယၤဒီးကဲထီၣ်တၢ်ဝံတၢ်ယိးလၢယဂီၢ်လီၤ.

ဒ်လဲၣ်ဂ့ၢ်, နဲနတၢ်မၤလိမၤအသးဒ်လဲၣ်. ယအဲၣ်ဒီးနၢ်ဟူလၢနက့ၢ်တၢ်ဖဲတၢ်မၤတဖၣ်န့ၣ် နက့ၢ်ဆၢၣ်မဲာ်ဒီးမၤအိၣ်ဒ်လဲၣ်. ဝံသးစူၤကွဲးစံးဆၢက့ၤယၤဒီးဟ့ၣ်က့ၢ်ယၤလၢမ့ၢ်ယကဘၣ်မၤဒ်လဲၣ်အဂ့ၢ်တက့ၢ်.

ခိးကွၢ်လၢနတၢ်စံးဆၢလၢအဆိအချ့,

လၢနသကိးအဲၣ်နၤ,

ဖိလါ

QUESTION

You are Mumu. Write a letter to Paw Lah in response to her email, advising her of what she needs to do to achieve her goal.

နမ့်မုန်မုန်လီၤ. ကွဲးလံာ်ပရၢတဘျီလၢနကစံးဆၢက့ၤဖီလါအလီပရၢ, ဟ့ၣ်ကူၣ်က့ၤအီၤတၢ်လၢအကဘျီမၤတဖၣ်ဒ်သီးအတၢ်ပညိၣ်ကလၢထီၣ်ပဲၤထီၣ်အဂီၢ်တက့ၢ်.

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Section 3: Writing in Karen (20 marks)

Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 40 minutes for Section 3.
2. Write your answer to a question from Section 3 in this booklet in black or blue pen. Space is provided for you to make notes.
3. You must answer ONE question in KAREN.
4. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
5. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

Section 3 (Questions 10–11)
(20 marks)

Your response will be assessed on how well you:

- demonstrate depth of treatment of information, ideas and/or opinions
- write text appropriate and relevant to context, purpose and audience
- structure and sequence information and ideas
- manipulate language structures and vocabulary in Karen.

Answer ONE question from this section in approximately 250 words in KAREN.

10. Write an imaginative story inspired by the image below. Your story will be published in a children’s book.

ကွဲတံဂီၤလၢလၢတခါအံၤနီၤကွဲတံဆိမိၣ်မ့ၣ်အပူတယုၣ်နသးဆှၢန့ၣ်န့ၣ်အသိးတက့ၢ်. ပူတယုၣ်အံၤကဘၣ်တံးကျဲးနီၤရၤလီၤလၢဖိသၣ်အလံာ်ဖးအပူၤလီၤ.



11. Write a report in which you evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of young adults living away from home. Your report will be published in a magazine for teenagers.

ကွဲလံာ်ပာ်ဖျါတဘၣ်ဘၣ်ဃးတံၢ်လၢနသမံသမိးနီၤထံၣ်လၢအအိၣ်နီၤတံၢ်ကဘျးနီၤတံၢ်လၢအတကဲဘျးတဖၣ်ဘၣ်ထွဲလၢသးစၢ်ဖိတဖၣ်ဃးအိၣ်ဃးဆိးယံၤနီၤဟံၣ်ဃီအဂ့ၢ်တက့ၢ်. နတံၢ်ပာ်ဖျါအံၤကဘၣ်တံးကျဲးရၤလီၤလၢမဲးကစံအပူၤလၢသးစၢ်လိၣ်ဘိဖိတဖၣ် အဂီၢ်လီၤ.

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