ENGLISH OLYMPIAD EXAMINATION: GRADE SEVEN ANSWER SHEET

QUESTION ONE: Comprehension

1. (b) (1)
2. (c) (1)
3. (c) (1)
4. (c) (1)
5. blaze (1)
6. destroyed (1)
7. metaphor (1)
8. (d) (1)
9. (b) (1)
10. (a) (1)

Total: 10

QUESTION TWO:

2.1 Why is the Cape Town Fire a Devastating Loss for South African Cultural Heritage? (1)

2.2 Subject: The Plant Conservation Unit, the Jagger Reading Room (1)
Finite verb: experienced (1)
Object: significant losses (1)

2.3 worst (1)

2.4 (a) A human being may not be injured by a robot.
(b) Robbie is regularly serviced by an engineer from US Robots.
(c) Her robot was loved dearly by Gloria.
(d) A little child like Gloria should not be looked after by a machine.
(e) George Weston's wife's tears were scoffed at by her husband.

(5)

ONE MARK FOR EACH (a) to (e)

QUESTION THREE: ONE mark each

1 – 4
2 – 5
3 – 2
4 – 1
5 – 3

(5)

QUESTION FOUR: LOGIC

(a)
A man is stranded alone in a freezing cabin. In the cabin he finds some dry wood, an oil lamp, paper and a candle. He only has one match, so which does he light first?
Answer: The match

(1)

(b)
Two identical suitcases fall from an aeroplane just off the coast of Ireland. Each contained identical items and weighed exactly the same. Which suitcase hit the ground first?
Answer: Neither as they did not hit the GROUND, they fell into the sea (off the coast).

(1)

QUESTION FIVE:

(a) hold **(1)**
rose **(1)**

(b) bore **(1)**
aisle **(1)**
kerb **(1)**

(c) (i) breadth **(1)**
(ii) sobriety **(1)**
(iii) adulthood **(1)**

QUESTION FIVE: Crossword puzzle – punctuation (15)

Across:	Down:
4. ellipsis	1. paragraph
5. abstract	2. metaphor
9. phrase	3. alliteration
10. onomatopoeia	6. personification
12. comma	7. dictionary
13. abab	8. assonance
14. simile	11. thesaurus
15. sentence	

ONE mark each

Total for Paper: 50