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NAME.....ADM NO.....

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ENGLISH
FORM THREE PAPER 1

END OF TERM ONE 2016

Answer all questions

1. Functional writing (20 MKS)

You want to invite your friend for the Easter holidays. Write to her an **invitation letter** and include a **packing list** since you'll be going for two nights at Aberdare Safari Lodge.

2. CLOZE TEST (10MKS)

Fill in the blanks in the following passage with appropriate words.

One night, when the baby was just starting to walk, a commotion was from the direction of young chief Owang' Sino's personal hut. This was followed by a scream then another. Akoko dashed out of her.....and made for her son's hut. The sight which.....her eyes made her blood run cold with pure horror. There he was sprawled on the floor, both hands around his neck, face contorted beyond..... It was obvious he was choking. His meal of fish and ugali lay spread out before him. His wife who had screamed.....her various attempts at intervention including the swallowing of chunks of ugali and banana to dislodge the stuck fish bone failed. His mother just stood there.....petrified. A herdsman dashed in, turned him.....and started thumping him.....the shoulder blades all to no..... Owang' Sino died with his disbelieving mother staring at

ORAL SKILLS

1) For each of the words below, give another word with the same pronunciation (8 mks)

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| 1. Check | 5. Read |
| 2. Reign | 6. Blue |
| 3. Gate | 7. Tail |
| 4. Write | 8. Air |

II) Read the passage below then answer the questions that follow.

As I galloped through my assignment, mum was busy howling at me to hurry up and carry baby Tabby. She, on her part, was squeaking for attention at the wrong time. Dad, who could not tolerate the Babel in the house, snorted in disgust. Ironically, he got in to his usual squawks

1. Identify the aspect of style illustrated by the underlined words above. (1 mk).
2. What animals make the sound suggested by the underlined words? (5mks).

III) Pick the words that begin with the same consonant sound from the sentence below.

1. Someone picked my phone during the fracas.
2. She was employed as a chief chef at a restaurant.
3. The pleasant psychologist signed a one million dollar contract.
4. You must write down the number before ringing.

IV) Using the clues given in the following phrases, write down words that are pronounced alike but have different meaning. (6mks).

1. Suffering-
A sheet of glass-
2. A female horse-
Chief city official-
3. A strip of timber-
Tired, uninterested-

V) Your younger sister is trying to compose a poem with a rhyme scheme. She has come up with the following list of words. Advise on pairs of words that rhyme. (6mks)

Worm	Joy	Lean	Nun
Pay	Star	Dear	Have
Destroy	Moan	Storm	Sky
One	Love	Beat	
Mourn	None	Mean	