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Dr Fallah explained that the project seeks to unravel the unknowns that are associated with the virus to optimize clinical care. "This", he said, will provide survivors in Liberia and the world effective prevention and treatment tools against future Ebola outbreaks. The research targets about 1500 survivors and 6000 of their close contacts to be examined by researchers.

Among other things ,it seeks to explain whether survivors can transmit virus to their household contact or sexual partners. Furthermore, the study is designed to determine if survivors are immune or protected from contracting Ebola virus in future.

He explained as of Friday September 18,2015,a total of 743 people had enrolled in the study. Out of that number 663 are survivors ,while 80 are their close contacts. Of this figure 415 are females ,328 males,while 25 are children under 12 years old.

The Medical Investigator noted that participants will be evaluated every six months following the baseline examination and survey for the next five years.

Questions

i)List down three side effects of Ebola disease as indicated in the passage.(3mks)

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ii)Explain how Ebola disease affects expectant mothers s according to Dr Fallah.(2mks)

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iii)According to the passage ,who implements the Ebola Natural History Study Project(1mk)

iv)Give three reasons why Ebola Natural History project was established.(3mks)

v)How was the research going to be conducted according to the passage.(2mks)

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vi)Do you think the project met its target of examining 1500 survivors and 6000 of their close contact?Explain.(3mks)

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vii)Re-write the following in a reported speech.(2mks)

" This" he said,"will provide survivors in Liberia and the the world effective prevention and treatment tools against Ebola outbreaks".

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viii) Give the meaning of the following (4mks)
side effects.....

Stillbirths.....

Fraternity.....

Transmit.....

Oral skills (15mks)

a) Read the following conversation and answer the questions that follow.

- Owuor : Before she died of liver cancer, my sister felt a lot of pain and lost a lot of weight.
- Chondo : Talking about pain, had a toothache last night. I tell you. I couldn't sleep.
- Owuor : Yes, so about my sister
- Chondo : You remind me about my own sister. In fact she wrote to me last week telling me about her son's fees. She believes I have more money than I need, and that I should give her some.
- Owuor : Well, maybe you have a lot of money. But thank you for being such a good listener.
- Chondo : What! Have I offended you?

i). How could Chondo have reacted to Owuor problems in a more acceptable manner? (2marks)

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ii). List down four circumstances that may force one to interrupt a speaker. (2marks)

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iii). List four suggested words or phrases that a person may use to interrupt politely. (2 marks)

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b) Identify the odd one out (6 marks)

i. Van	Vane	Vain
ii. Sure	Sugar	Son
iii. Think	Thy	Thigh
iv. Dough	Enough	Though
v. heir	air	hare

c) Read the poem below then answer questions below

Oral Literature (20mks)

Read the following oral narrative and answer the questions that follow (20 marks)

Long, long ago, people used to travel far, far away looking for food. They carried gourds of milk and dried meat which they exchanged with millet, sorghum and cowpeas.

One day, a mother set off on one such journey, leaving behind her two children, a boy and a girl. Since her husband was dead, there was no one to care for the children while she was away. The boy was the elder of the two.

As she was leaving, the mother gave the two children firm instructions on what to do. 'You must stay here and wait for me,' she said. 'Do not go anywhere while I am away'.

As they sat under the shade of the barn waiting for their mother to return, the children saw a very big snake crawling about in the compound. The girl screamed and ran indoors. The boy also ran in after her and came out with their late father's spear, intending to throw it at the snake.

When the boy was just about to throw the spear, the girl ran and grabbed him from the back. She pleaded with him not to kill the snake. She could tell from the size that the snake was not a natural one. Brother and sister wrestled over the spear. Abandoning it eventually, the boy instead collected stones and began throwing them at the snake. As he threw the stones, the snake crawled away shedding tears, much to the amazement of the children.

Soon the children forgot all about this and began to play'. But as they were playing, they saw a small coloured stone. They moved to get it but the stone moved away. They continued moving towards it till they were really far away from home. The girl realized that this too was not an ordinary stone and pleaded with her brother that they return. The boy refused and abused his sister boasting that he was not a woman to be afraid.

'Please, Omu, let us turn back. We will get into trouble. Don't you remember that Mother said we should wait for her at home? Let us turn back, she pleaded but the boy would not listen.

As the boy continued throwing stones, he noticed that no matter how well he aimed at it, he could not hit the stone. Instead the stones he threw piled themselves neatly beside the beautiful one. His sister pleaded that they run away. When she realized that her brother

would never listen to her, she ran home hoping to get a neighbor to come and help take the boy away.

It was after his sister left that he realized he was in the middle of a thick forest and that it was getting dark. He also saw the huge snake in front of him shedding tears and reprimanding him for hurting it earlier in the day. The boy began to cry and in panic ran in all directions; but he never managed to come out of the forest. Even today, if you listen you hear yells in the forest at night. It is the stubborn boy, who would not listen to his sister, crying out for help.

- a) Classify the above narrative and give a reason for your classification(2 Marks)
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- b) In the story, what shows that the mother was protective? (2 Marks)
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- c) Identify and illustrate any two features in the story that qualify it as a traditional oral narrative (4 Marks)
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- d) Identify and illustrate any two economic activities of the community in the story. (4 Marks)
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- e) With illustrations, comment on any one role of Omu (the boy) in this story.(2 Marks)
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- f) Giving a reason, suggest an appropriate audience for this story?(2 marks)
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- g) Give one proverb that can be used to summarize the moral teaching of this narrative(2 mks)
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- h) What is the function of the last paragraph of the story? (2 Marks)
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GRAMMAR(25 marks)

(a) Fill in the blank spaces with the correct article(5marks)

- i) Every adult must earn a living by doing honest job

ii) workers' union has called off the strike.

(b) Complete the sentences below with the correct form of the verb. (5 marks)

i) The team _____ expected to participate in the March. (be)

ii) No sooner had the house girl _____ (lie) down than the baby
_____ (begin) to cry.

iii) The carpenter had (lay) _____ the tiles on the kitchen floor.

iv) Can _____ (slay) Abel.

(c) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the word in brackets. (5 marks)

i) Of the two bulls, this is the _____ (big)

ii) Omondi is _____ (good) than wafula in football.

iii) The _____ (tough) the going, the stronger we shall be.

iv) This is the _____ (heavy) metal on earth.

v) Between the two of you, who is the _____ (young)

(d) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions. (5 mks)

i) I am fond _____ music.

ii) He died _____ his country.

iii) The river flows _____ the bridge.

iv) Suddenly, the plane was enveloped _____ a dense fog.

v) Inspector Chacha was an expert _____ catching criminals

(e) Use the appropriate form of the word in brackets. (5 mks)

(i) Her _____ cast her life. (deceive)

ii) Such an _____ had never been seen. (occur)

(iii) When we saw the suspect fidgeting, we knew _____ that he was guilty.

(doubt)

iv)The students presented their _____ (complain) to the principal.

v)Jane is very bright but very poor in _____ (pronounced)

(f)Identify and correct the misspelt words in the following paragraph.(3 marks)

Occassionally, you will be called upon to speak in public. You must learn to do so without embarassing yourself by fumbling and making unnecessary repeatations. With adequate practice you can become an accomplished public speaker.