

- (c) Nyeha bi labisi m-bøligu maa.
- (d) Be gbaai paya so ŋun yahindi niriha la zuŋo.
- (e) Ti laamba sa paaina ni alaafee sɔhila.
- (f) N laamba ti ma la telivisa.
- (g) Goli din kanna o ni kpuysi paya ti ya.

*Bøhisi (h)-(j), bɔmi bi'tɔra din tuhi, n-ti yeltoya maa zaa.*

- (h) Bo saha ka Kande daa yi yiŋa
- (i) Ti dala mongu apulinima ni leemu.
- (j) Yi zaa fomiya

***END OF ESSAY TEST***

This paper consists of four parts: I, II, III and IV. Answer one question only in Part I and all the questions in Parts II, III and IV.  
Answer all the questions in your answer booklet.

Credit will be given for clarity of expression and orderly presentation of material.

PART I  
COMPOSITION  
[30 marks]

1. Piimi tuma  $\eta$  puuni **zay'ini** n-sabi li kamani bachi kɔbiga ni pihinu(150) laasabu.

- (a) A ba di naan yu ni a liebi karimba bee looya. Sabimi gbanj ti o, n-yeli o daliri **dibaanahi** yan che ka a piigi a ni bɔri sheli **dibaayi** maa puuni
- (b) Sabi kahigi yela **ayi** sheŋa din tahiri pala zuyu sarati na, ka ti soya **ayi** sheŋa ti ni yen doli ka pala zayu sarati maa zani tariga.
- (c) Buysim ninvuy'so a suhu ni gbaai pam a ya, ka ti daliri dibaayi sheŋa din tahili ka a yuri o.
- (d) Sabimi salinli din naari ni, "O daa yoli tiem ni o nijsim maa".

PART II  
COMPREHENSION  
[10 marks]

2. Karimmi Karij  $\eta$  ka labisi bohisi yan doli li maa zaa.

Yuna din yeli gari  $\eta$  ti Dunia  $\eta$  mini ti tingbana nya fitina pam. Salinima n-yi n-zani n-sayindi ka bahiri Naawuni nam tieri yeli. Lala niriba  $\eta$  na kuli yi mi zani, **m-hari harina** n-ninji Naawuni tingbani din tiri ti binshexu kam la ni. Din kuli nye di muysigu maa zaa ti Ghana zu $\eta$  nyela 'galamsey' la. Lala so'sheli be ni mali gbiri salma  $\eta$  chemi ka ti tingbana leeri tintana. Di mali muysigu pam, a yi nya ka salin'gbiriba ban bi doli di soli n-gbiri li maa ni **tori m-piligiri** tingbani maa shem. Ti yori la zaa leela tingban'sheŋa din bahi yeli. Yori pam leela tamplij, ka di bi yi sheli na m-pahila tohinima mini shi'tabriba tuun tumsa ni.

Ti moyo, ti kulisi, ti kulibona ni biema zaa bi yi. Hali ti teenku karala gba nyela salinima tuma ni sayim sheli bahi.  $\eta$  maa zaa chemi ka niriba ban be teenku maa yayayaya, ni binnema ban be kom maa ni zaa lahi ka be maya ni. Lala bishigu  $\eta$  yi pa mali dabiem pam. Di tu ni ti nijs binshexu n-taxi li pumpo $\eta$ . Ti toondaan nima tu ni be yijsi zani, m-bo maligu ti li. Di bi tu ni be, "zo hulaa nini, ka bax'yuli ti ku ti"

- (a) Beni bo ka salinima lee sayindi ka bahiri yeli?
- (b) Beni' bo ka Naawuni tingbani lee tiri ti ?
- (c) Bo zuyu ka 'galamsey' yeltxa n-nye yeltɔy'kpeeni ti sokam?
- (d) Tuum'bo ka tohinima mi 'i shi'tabriba daa tum, ka yori zaa ti lee tamplij?

Some years ago, storytelling was a form of entertainment for most Ghanaian traditional societies. However, in today's digital age, the television and internet are filled with a lot of soap operas, which may not be suitable for children.

**State two reasons why story telling should still be encouraged in the Ghanaian culture.**

[4 marks]

***END OF PAPER***

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- (e) Wuhimi bachinima ḡo gburri ni yina lahabal maa puuni shem  
 (i) *m-bori barina;*  
 (ii) *tɔri m-pilgiri.*
- (f) Wuhimi salinima tuma zay'ini din saxyidi teenku.
- (g) Bo zuyu ka binneen'sheja yan be ti kul'kara la ni lahi ka be maya ni?
- (h) Bo zuyu ka lahabal'sabiri ḡo yeli ni di yi pa mali dabiem pam?
- (i) Wuhimi yeltṣa ḡo gburri ni nye sheli, kaman di ni doya shem lahabal maañi.  
*zo bulaa nini, ka bay'yuli ti ku ti*
- (j) Hankali bo ka a lee bohim lahabal maa ni?

### PART III

#### TRANSLATION

[10 marks]

### 3. Karimmi yeltṣa ḡo vienyelinga, ka liebigi li Dagbanni ni.

- (a) She likes washing her clothes on Fridays.
- (b) Martha came here but did not meet you.
- (c) Why is Abiba not coming to eat with us?
- (d) We do not like her but we have to contain her.
- (e) Ama cooked the food and Kojo washed the bowls.
- (f) Our teacher shouted, "shut up, all of you!"
- (g) Why is Kofi unhappy these days?
- (h) The game was lost through carelessness.
- (i) We do not want to fail the examination.
- (j) Tell him to see me at once.

### PART IV

#### LANGUAGE AND USAGE

[10 marks]

### 4. Labisim bohisi din be yaxili ḡo zaa.

Bohisi (a)-(g) ni, wuhimi bachinima din gbuna ni booi booi ḡo gburri 'gramma' bañsim puuni.

- (a) Adam ti a la laxiri maa
- (b) Ti ni lum tuma maa.