

GAUTENG DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
SENIOR CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

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MUSIC HG
(First Paper: Theory of Music)

TIME: 3 hours

MARKS: 100

REQUIREMENTS:

- Each candidate must be supplied with THREE sheets of music manuscript paper.
- **Pianos must be available to the candidates for the full duration of the examination.** No candidate may, however, disturb another candidate, nor share the use of a piano at any particular time.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- This examination question paper also serves as an ANSWER BOOK.
 - Write your examination number clearly on this answer book.
 - Ensure that your notation is clear and unambiguous.
 - Answer **either** Question 1 **or** Question 2, and ALL the other questions.
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Answer QUESTION 1 or QUESTION 2.

[20]

QUESTION 1

Set ONE of the following poems to music. Choose a suitable voice, key and metre.
Neatly write the text below the melody.

MUPHE UTHANDO

Bath'akasuke phambi kwado.
Nimgxekelani uma esenjena?
Nimxoshelani phambi kwenu?

Abacwaningi bathi lokhu kufa
Akungeni uma udla naye;
Akungeni uma ukhuluma naye,

Pho manje! Nimxoshelani.

G Gumede

OR

A WATER POEM

When the sky gets dark and grey
With heavy clouds above
And rain starts dropping very fast
I hear the sounds I love.

But sometimes we don't get the rain
To fill the dams to the top
And that is why I do believe
We shouldn't waste a drop.

P Puleng

OR

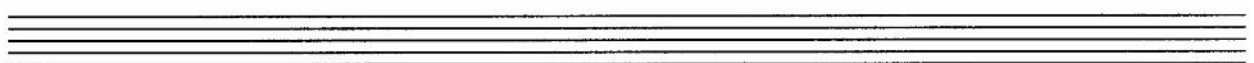
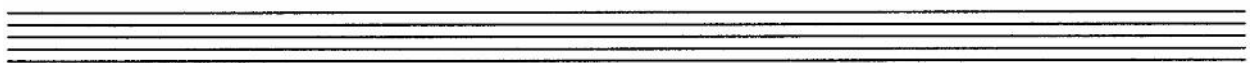
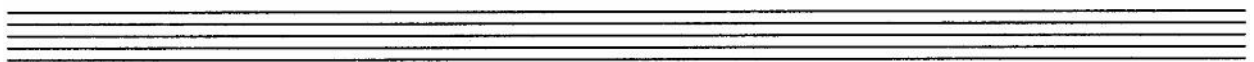
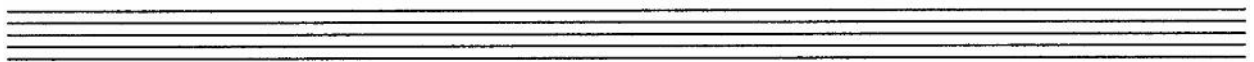
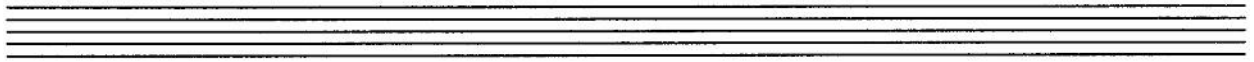
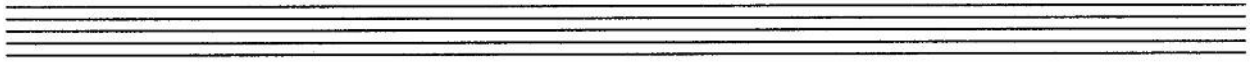
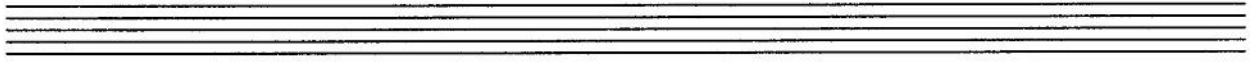
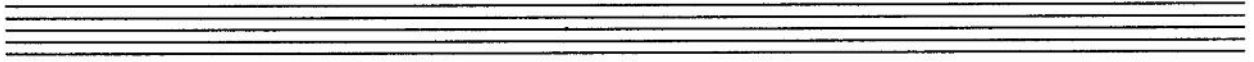
OORKANT DIE SPRUIT

Oorkant diespruit daar bly ? blom
Hoe sal ek maakom daar te kom?
Ver om te ry, te na om te bly
Hoe sal ek maakom daar te kom?

Haar ma kan praat, haar pa kan slaan
Sy is die nooi wat ek graag wil hê.
Ek wil haar hê, ek sal haar kry
As ek maar netna haar kon vry!

Anonymous

Voice _____



OR

QUESTION 2

[20]

Extend the given opening to a symmetrical melody in ternary form consisting of 12 bars. Modulate to a related key and end in the original key. Indicate for which instrument the melody is intended. Provide indications of tempo, dynamics and articulation.

Instrument _____

QUESTION 3

[25]

3.1 Study the two-part counterpoint and answer the questions below:

- 3.1.1 Provide harmonic analysis at (a) and (b). Indicate the key, chord and inversion in each case. (2)
- 3.1.2 Write an imitation of motif (c) in the soprano part. (2)
- 3.1.3 Write an imitation of motif (d) in the soprano part. (2)
- 3.1.4 Name the non-harmonic or harmonic notes at (e) – (h). (2)

(e) _____ (f) _____
(g) _____ (h) _____ (4)

The musical score is in 6/8 time and B-flat major. It consists of two systems of staves. The first system contains measures 1 through 4. The second system contains measures 5 through 8. Annotations (a) through (h) are placed at specific points in the music for analysis and imitation.

3.2 Complete the following passage in two-part counterpoint by adding the missing part. Continue in the style suggested by the given material.

(15)

The image displays two systems of musical notation for a two-part counterpoint exercise. Both systems are in a key with two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. The first system consists of a treble staff and a bass staff. The treble staff contains a melodic line starting with a quarter note G4, followed by eighth notes A4 and B4, a quarter note C5, and a quarter note B4. The bass staff is empty. The second system also consists of a treble staff and a bass staff. The treble staff is empty. The bass staff contains a melodic line starting with a quarter note G3, followed by a quarter note F3, and then eighth notes E3, D3, C3, and B2. The exercise is divided into four measures by vertical bar lines.

QUESTION 4

[20]

Harmonise the given soprano melody for four-part mixed choir (SATB). Use harmonic devices with which you are familiar.

The first system of the exercise consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and a time signature of 2/4. It contains a soprano melody: a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note A4, and a half note G4 with a fermata. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, and it is currently empty for the student to write the accompaniment.

The second system of the exercise consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of three flats and a time signature of 2/4. It contains a soprano melody: a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, and a half note D4 with a fermata. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, and it is currently empty for the student to write the accompaniment.

The third system of the exercise consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef with a key signature of three flats and a time signature of 2/4. It contains a soprano melody: a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B-flat4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, and a half note D4 with a fermata. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, and it is currently empty for the student to write the accompaniment.

QUESTION 5

[10]

Rewrite the given harmonic passage and insert the following harmonic features at suitable places. Label the answers clearly e.g. (a), (b) etc.

- (a) An interrupted cadence at the end (3)
- (b) A secondary dominant seventh chord in first inversion (2)
- (c) An accented passing note (1)
- (d) A passing note (1)
- (e) A suspension (1)
- (f) An upper auxiliary note (1)
- (g) A lower auxiliary note (1)

Passage

Answer

QUESTION 6

[25]

Study the given excerpt from a chorale and carry out the following instructions:

- 6.1 Figure the harmonies (a) – (g). Indicate the key, chord and inversion for each. (14)
- 6.2 Name the cadences (h) – (i). Indicate the key and chord progression for each. (6)
- 6.3 Name the encircled notes as non-harmonic and / or harmonic notes (j) – (n). (5)

Non-harmonic notes /(j) _____

Harmonic notes

(k) _____

(l) _____

(m) _____

(n) _____

TOTAL: 100