

**National Examination Paper:
ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

Level: S3



MOCK FOR THE 2024/2025 NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS

QUESTION PAPER

**COMBINATIONS/
OPTION/TRADE:**

ORDINARY LEVEL S3

CANDIDATE

NAMES:

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. **Read and understand** all instructions before answering.
2. For multiple-choice questions, **choose only one correct answer** and clearly **circle the letter or number**.
3. **Erasing or altering** answers is strictly prohibited and will lead to **zero mark** for the affected question.
4. All answers for **open-Ended questions** must be written in the spaces provided herein.
5. Use **only blue or black ink pens** (no pencils or colored pens)

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Answer all questions are compulsory (100 Marks)

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- b. Nelson Mandela
- c. Paul KAGAME
- d. Ines Cuatrecasas

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- 8. Forest planting

Types of agri-businesses

(8 marks)

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4) Match the following terms to appropriate explanations (3 marks)

Terms	Explanation
a) Complementary goods.	i. Goods that can be used or consumed in the place of other goods and they serve the same purpose as other goods.
b) Substitute goods.	ii. Goods used without paying for.
c) Free goods.	iii. Goods which are consumed with other goods.

5) In a business that requires money, the owner can use his or her own savings. This is called a: (2 marks)

- a. Debt.
- b. Share.
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6) Write true or false on the following definitions, which explain what is business finance is: (3 marks)

- a. This is concerned with understanding the household finance and its cash flow.
- b. It refers to all the money and credits employed and managed in a business.
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7) Matching the following words with their meanings

(3 Marks)

a. Installment payment	i. When we buy a product or service and pay at the same time.
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8) Answer the following statements by TRUE or FALSE :

(5 Marks)

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2. Medical confidentiality is safety standards for transport.
3. Formative assessment is standards for medical practice in medicine.
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12) Write in full the following institutions and match them with the correct certification services they provide in Rwanda. (10 Marks)

Institutions	Write the institution name in full (8 marks)	Certification service (2 marks)
a) RSB	i)	x) Accredited higher education levels
b) NESB	ii)	w) Certification of business registration
c) HEC	iii).....	y) Standardisation of products
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13) Read the statements in the table below and state whether they are True or False. (10 marks)

Statement	True or False
a) The primary sector of production is the same as primary school.	

b) In the primary sector of production, there is manufacturing activity.	
c) Rugema is a fisherman. He belongs to the primary sector.	
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14) Different business people in Rwanda do many transactions that involve various assets and liabilities. Using letter “V” to classify these examples of assets and liabilities under the correct columns. **(10 Marks)**

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15) Match the following environmental components with their description correctly. **(4 marks)**

Component of the Earth	Description of the component
a) Atmosphere	i) It is the solid outer section of the Earth which includes Earth's crust.
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16) Write the following words in full:

(7 Marks)

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- B. RADA
- C. RHODA
- D. MoH
- E. MININFRA
- F. RNP
- G. REMA

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- i) Make your own decision..... (1 mark)
- ii) Take responsibility for your actions..... (1 mark)
- iii) Be informed..... (1 mark)
- iv) Make goals for yourself..... (1 mark)

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provided in the table below.

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Answer

Features of a successful entrepreneur and their description. (4 marks)

(1 mark for each)



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The correct answer is,

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Explanations:

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Answer

Matching of terms with appropriate explanations (3 marks)

a → iii

b → i

c → ii

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Answer

- i. b
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- i) e
- ii) d
- iii)a
- iv) b
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Answer

Categories of financial institutions (5 marks)

Commercial banks	Development banks	Microfinance companies
-Access Bank -Bank of Kigali -I & M Bank -KCB - BPR -Equity bank -Ecobank. -GT Bank	-Banque Rwandaise de Development (BRD)	- Zigama Credit and Savings - Umwalimu SACCO - Umurenge SACCO - Goshen microfinance

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Answer (10 Marks)

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Answer

Matching Institutions with Their Full Names and Certification Services (10 marks):

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b) NESA	ii) National Examination and School Inspection Authority	z) Certification of education at lower level
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Matching Environmental Components with Their Descriptions (4 marks):

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Answer (7 Marks)

RARDA: Rwanda animal resources development authority

RADA: Rwanda agricultural development authority

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RHODA: Rwanda Horticulture development authority

MoH: Ministry of health

MININFRA: Ministry of Infrastructure

RNP: Rwanda National Police

REMA: Rwanda Environmental Management Authority

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- iv) Make goals for yourself..... **(1 mark)**

Answer step, 2nd step, 3rd step, 4th step.

- i. Make your own decision. **3rd Step** **(1 mark)**
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- iii. Be informed. **1st Step** **(1 mark)**
- iv. Make goals for yourself. **2nd Step** **(1 mark)**

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Answer

Matching Features of Entrepreneurs with Their Descriptions (5 marks):

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ii. Persistent	e) Does not give up
iii. Determined	b) Motivated to succeed
iv. Decision-maker	a) Makes important decisions about the business
v. Risk taker	d) Doesn't fear to do business

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