



LIMPOPO

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
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CAPRICORN SOUTH DISTRICT

GRADE 10

ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE
LISTENING COMPREHENSION

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TASK 1: 2026

TIME: 30 Minutes

MARKS: 10

This paper consists of 3 pages

TASK 1: LISTENING COMPREHENSION

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TEACHER

- Explain to the learners how the task will be administered.
- Read the listening comprehension to the class once. With this first reading learners are NOT allowed to take notes. Read the passage a second time. **Learners are now allowed to take notes.**
- Read the questions one by one, giving learners enough time to answer the questions. Or provide learners with the question sheet and allow enough time to answer.
- Remind the learners that spelling does not count.
- Give learners the opportunity to acknowledge their marks and do corrections.
- Take the work in for marking and record the marks.

1. Like any other young boy in rural Limpopo, Clement Maosa grew up looking after his father's sheep. But because he was so intelligent, his parents wanted a bright future for him. They persuaded him to study law or medicine even though he dreamt of being on TV. After passing matric, Clement enrolled for a law degree at the University of Limpopo to honour his parents' wishes. He also took drama lessons but tragedy struck when he was just in his first year in varsity. Both parents got very sick and passed away.
2. "My parents' passing changed my life. My parents were very strict and they expected the best from me as their elder son. And when they passed away, I had to grow up fast. I had to make a plan to put food on the table for my brother and sisters who were in primary school at the time. I got a bursary, which covered my fees. I also worked part-time to provide for our day-to-day needs", says the actor. Clement says even though his grandmother was there to help him raise his siblings, he had to make a lot of sacrifices. He adds that he had no social life.
3. "I had no social life. Whenever I was free, I had to go to internet and look for acting opportunities. We didn't have a lot of opportunities in Polokwane, so I knew that moving to Joburg would change my life for the better. Fortunately things worked out for me. The 27-year-old actor says when he received a call informing him that he got the role to play Kwaito, he could not believe his luck. He grasped the opportunity with both hands. From the beginning he focused

on being a great actor and his hard work has paid off.



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Questions



1. What did Clement Maosa grow up doing? (1)
2. Give two reasons why Clement's parents persuaded him to study law. (2)
3. Name two career wishes suggested to Clement by his parents. (1)
4. What tragedy struck when Clement was just in his first year in varsity? (2)
5. What did Clement do to patch the big gap left by the parents when they passed on. Mention two things. (2)
3. "I had no social life". In your OWN words, briefly explain what Clement means when he says he had no social life. (2)

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1. He spent time looking after his father's sheep. ✓

2. (a) He was intelligent. ✓

(b) His parents wanted a better future for him. ✓

3. Law ✓ and medicine. ✓

4. Both of Clements' parents passed on. ✓✓

5. (a) Clement got a bursary for his fees. ✓

(b) Clement worked part time for his day-day-needs. ✓

6. Clement was having little to no regular time to interact meaningfully with friends or family/ He spent time busy working or studying. ✓✓

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