

HC 1131 Exam Review 2004

Exam on Monday at 10 a.m.

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I. Sentence building activity. In each of the **4 sentences** you write, use an expression from each column. You will select one item from each column in the order they appear, i.e. column 1 first, column 2 second, etc. **Note: you may need to supply some grammatical information, i.e. definite articles (*la, a, nan, an*), prepositions (*ak...*) and possessive pronouns (*li...*) as needed**

Fè yon fraz ki lojik!

<u>Profession</u>	<u>Verb</u>	<u>Tool</u>	<u>Objective</u>
kwizinyèz	vise	mato	pou fè dine nou
tayè	frape	sizo	pou repare mòtè a
mekanisyen	koupe	chodyè	pou fè rad
chapantye	kwit	tounvis	pou fè yon pòt

II. Translate the following sentences into English. Note that each sentence contains a serial verb construction, i.e. a construction in which 2 main verbs are used

Example, Yo **voye chache** yon mekanisyen = They sent for a mechanic.

Special attention given to **serial verbs**, i.e. chapter 22, p. 201-203

- M ap **chita gade** moun yo nan Stabòks la.
- Li te **voye jete** sa nan fatra a.
- Gason yo te **pete goumen** pandan match la.
- Li te **kouri antre** nan kay la.
- M ap **kouri desann** lari a
- **Janbe** lari a **ale...**

III. Woule nan machin! Match the word on the left with its definition on the right [14 pts; 2 pts each].

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| 1. Ou kouvri tout machin nan ak sa. | ___ pòt la |
| 2. Ou louvri sa. Ou chita. Ou fèmen sa. | ___ pwela a |
| 3. Ou vire sa lè ou ap kondi. | ___ kawotchou yo |
| 4. Li fè machin nan ale. | ___ kapòt la |
| 5. Machin nan chita sou sa. | ___ mòtè a |
| 6. Ou fèmen sa sou mòtè a | ___ volan an |

IV. Verb-doubling in a temporal clause. In this exercise, 1) transform the first part of the sentence using the verb-doubling structure 2) translate the sentence. Study the example.
p 214 in APK

Example, Lè gason an rive, li...

Rive gason an rive, li pale ak papa l _____ [1 point].

When the boy arrived, he spoke with his father [3 points].

Lè yo rive, gason yo...

Rive yo rive, gason yo te fè manje.

Lè Panyòl yo te debake, Endyen yo...

Lè l te wete mayo li, fi yo...

V. Se bagay pa m nan, tandè! Use the possessive construction, i.e. *Se + noun + pa + pronoun + definite article*, to describe what belongs to whom. Assume that all the possessed nouns are **singular** (Chapter 23, p. 216-17)

Se bagay li a or Se bagay **pa** li a...

Singular: bagay pa m nan, bagay pa mwen an, bagay pa ou a, bagay pa li a, bagay pa l la, bagay pa nou an, bagay pa n nan, bagay pa yo a

Plural: bagay pa m yo, bagay pa mwen yo, bagay pa ou yo, bagay pa li yo, bagay pa l yo, bagay pa nou yo, bagay pa n yo, bagay pa yo NOTE YOU CAN'T SAY *pa yo yo. Third person plural *yo* can only occur once:

zanmi pa yo a = their friend

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rabo (m) tab (yo) klas (ou)

chèz (nou) liv (mwen) bebe (l)

VI. In this activity you have to **create** either an **if-sentence** or a **then-sentence** based on the information given. Study the examples

Examples:

Then-sentence: Si li te ba ou lajan, ou ... **ta kontan anpil.**

If-sentence: Ou ta fache si ... **elèv ou yo t ap li jounal la nan klas la.**

(Chapter 24, 224-225)

Si li te ba ou lajan, ou...

Ou **ta** fache **si**...

Si machin ou gen gwo pwoblèm, ou...

Yo **ta** danse si...

VII. You have some unfortunate situations on your hands. In each answer use a **different** expression of obligation to convey a sense of urgency or importance to your statement [**12 pts; 3 pts each**].

Expressions of obligation:

se-pou / dwe / bezwen / gen dwa / mèt / fòk / pito

Egzanp: Menaj ou pa vle vizite fanmi ou:

Cheri, se pou ou vizite fanmi mwen! (Chapter 25)

Ou pa gen lajan.

Gen dife nan kay la.

Se fèt manman ou.

Gen lekòl, men lapli ap tonbe.

VIII. Listening. Listen to the dialogue of chapter 12, “Nan sèvis Vodou a,” in *Ti Koze Kreyòl*. Below you will find fill in the blank, multiple choice and short answer questions

Based on *Ti Koze Kreyòl*, chapter 12

You need to read & understand this dialogue before the exam.

IX. Vodou. In this section you will find fill in the blank and answer multiple choice questions Vodou, pages 234 - 235 (read these pages carefully)

True false / multiple choice / writing (2-3 sentences)

Orijin vodou. Sa vodou ye? Lwa. Ougan/Manbo. Ounsi. Ounsi kanzo. Ason. Oगतwa. Manje lwa. Vèvè.

X. Write a short essay in Haitian Creole about vodou and its significance. You are expected to use at least 6 of the expressions listed. Write 10 sentences

XI. Tell me what the weather is like today in complete sentences

XII. Describe the airport scene provided with one complete sentence

Example: **Avyon an ap dekole.**