**ELERAI MCK GIRS SECONDARY SCHOOL**

**FORM 1 ENGLISH**

**END OF TERM II EXAM 2014**

**Cloze test**

**Use the correct form of the verb in bracket**

Ngotho………………..(stare) at the dying ambers. It was yet another night……………..(spend) hiding in the forest. The rebel soldiers constantly ………………(survey) the nearby road. Ngotho did not dare ………………..(look) for his family. The villagers had……………………(flee) their homes when the soldiers……………………… (strike) at dawn two days before. Some of the villagers had been……………………… (kill) but most were ……………....(scatter) in the forest. Although the villagers had ……………… (see) refuge in the forest, they could not………………………(stay there for long. Ngotho desperately hoped that peace would soon return to their village and he would be reunited with his family.

**GRAMMAR**

**Rewrite out the following sentences using the correct form of the words in brackets**

1. Maria………………… to paint a picture for her mother yesterday. (want)
2. Going by plane is…………………than going by sea (fast)
3. Jomo may have wanted to buy an…………………present because he had a lot of money (expensive)
4. He………………………we are not honest in our offer for the land. (think)
5. The children are …………………home for lunch (go)
6. Never…………………..to cross a flooded river. There may be no bridge. (attempt)
7. Njambi was the …………………..of Nyokabi’s children. (young)
8. Technology has………………..life easier but more expensive (make)
9. Could pollution be the price we must ………………………for technological advancement (pay)
10. The environment may be adversely ………………………by modern inventions (affect)

**Rewrite the flowing sentences according to the instructions given.**

1. Mwanawasa eats her breakfast quickly (change to simple past)
2. He climbed the fence in an easy manner.(use easily)
3. Jane does not run as fast as Mweru (use faster)
4. Njue goes home early. (change to the past tense)
5. Maria cooked a meal for Maria’s mother.(use a pronoun for the underlined word)