



**Subject:** Grade 4 English

**Topic:** Abbreviations

**Total:** 40 Marks

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1. l | ml | g

6 marks

**Explanation:**

My mother asked me to buy 2l of milk, 250ml of cream and 500g of sugar while I was at the shop.

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2. km | kg | g

6 marks

**Explanation:**

The following are written as small letters: mm, cm, m, km, g, kg

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3. B: HD

4 marks

**Explanation:**

HD stands for high definition.

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4. PE | SA

4 marks

**Explanation:**

PE is also the abbreviation of Physical Education.

SA is the abbreviation for South Africa and RSA is the abbreviation for the Republic of South Africa.

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5. Dr | Mr | Rev.

6 marks

**Explanation:**

Doctor and Mister are abbreviated similarly (Dr and Mr); Rev uses the first three letters with a full stop (Rev.).

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6. true

2 marks

**Explanation:**

The first and last letter of the word is used for the abbreviation. The full stop is used to indicate the end of the sentence.

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7. GP

3 marks

**Explanation:**

Dr is the abbreviation for "doctor", GP is the abbreviation for "general practitioner". It is an initialism, since you pronounce it letter by letter: "G" "P".

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8. D: anon

4 marks

**Explanation:**

ANON is the abbreviation of the word "anonymous".

It means that you don't want people to know who wrote the letter.

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9. p.m. | pm

3 marks

**Explanation:**

The abbreviation is taken from the Latin, POST MERIDIEM, meaning "afternoon".

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10. true

2 marks

**Explanation:**

St. is also the abbreviation of "Saint".

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