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Grade 10

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ஆங்கிலம் மொழி I
English Language I

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ஒரு மணிக்க
One Hour

Name/Index Number:

Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

Test 1 - Complete the following responses uttered by some students about their leisure time activities. Write the correct word selecting from the list here. One has done for you.

participate, ~~foreign~~, classical, dramas, important, designing

- Savini: I like to collect stamps. So, I have a collection of local and (1) *foreign* stamps.
Dasun: Dramas are interesting. I have acted in many comic (2).....
Vindya: My hobby is (3)birthday cards. I can sell them and earn money.
Damith: I am interested in martial arts. I (4) workshops on Wushu.
Veena: I prefer to play violin because I like (5) music.
Shen: English is really (6) for me. So I follow an English course.

(5 marks)

Test 2

Complete the following passage using the given prepositions below. One has done for you. There are two extra words.

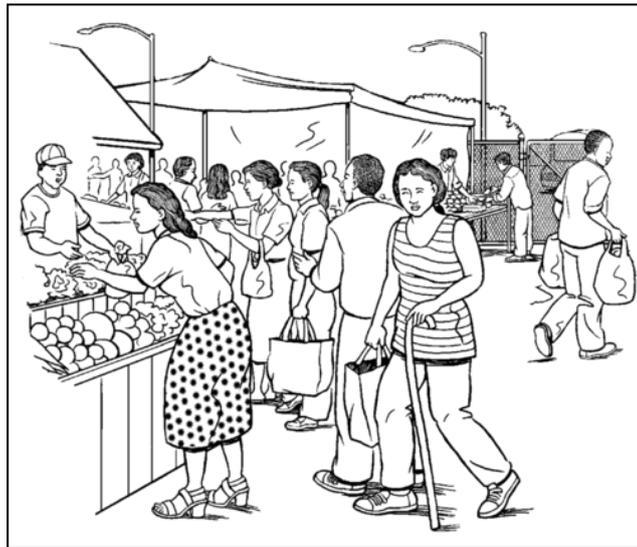
(on, at, of, under, in, off, for, over)

Last night. I was sitting (1) *at* the table. I wanted to read a story book but my table was untidy. Some of my books were (2) the bed and a pair of socks were (3) the floor. I opened the cupboard (4) the morning to search for a book. It was still opened. And some (5)..... my dirty uniforms were on the chair. This was actually troublesome (6)..... me. Finally I thought of arranging my room nicely

(5 marks)

Test 3

Study the following picture carefully and complete the text with appropriate words.



This is a picture of a (1) There are many people standing here. One (2) is buying vegetables. Her (3)..... is full of dots. The woman who is walking with a (4) is wearing a trouser and a t-shirt. She is carrying a (5) The vegetable seller has a (6) on his head and he is busy with (7) vegetables. One man is (8) away from the market with two heavy bags. We can see a street lamp near the (9) This place is noisy and (10) on this day.

(5 marks)

Test 4 The following extracts are taken from a tourist brochure. Match the description and the topic by writing the correct number in the blank.

This is a place of beauty where you enjoy the sea wind and golden sand.	Are you interested in studying about flora and fauna in a natural place?
Do you hope to bathe natural hot water? You have the opportunity here.	Arts and crafts made of coconut husks and shells can be bought here.
The cascading silver water is a gift of nature in the hill country.	

- 1. Hot water springs 3. Southern beaches 5. Curios and ornaments
- 2. Rain forest 4. Waterfalls

(5 marks)

Test 5 - Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

I am a book, a simple book.
I wanted to tell you
All about my pages.
I think you prefer
my colourful sheets
with stories and poems.
And also the charts and graphs.
I hate the Grammar lessons
but I like the page
with the song of nature.

1. What is the poem about?

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2. What does the writer want to tell you?

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3. Which lesson does he or she dislike?

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4. What is the writer's favourite page?

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5. Mention the colourful pages in the book.

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(5 marks)

Test 6

You are the secretary of the English Quality Circle in your school. You hope to organize a Quiz competition on "Recycling Waste". Write a notice to put up on the notice board.

- Include - closing date and topic
- Participants
- Invite the students

(5 marks)

Test 7 - Read the passage and answer the questions given below.

Our grandma has a vegetable plot. The pumpkins in it grew fast and they were big, round and orange soon. Grandma went to the garden every morning and spoke to the trees happily. One day a donkey had come to her plot and smashed all the plants. So she told us to pick the pumpkins and chop them to make a cake. Then, we made a nice cake but it was full of sand. Grandma was very angry and she scolded the foolish donkey.

1. Underline the correct answer.

Grandmother has

1. Vegetable stalls 2. Vegetable bags 3. Vegetable beds

2. What colour is the pumpkin?

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3. When does the grandmother go to the garden?

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4. Who came to the plot and smashed the plants?

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5. What happened to the cake they prepared?

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(5 marks)

Test 8

Write a short paragraph on one of the following. Use about 50-60 words.

1. Books are my friends
2. Learning English is fun

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(5 marks)

