



**PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION – WEEKLY SCHOOL**

**SUBJECT :- ENGLISH**

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Activity 9.6 and Activity 9.7

- Refer to a dictionary and find out the meaning of the following words.

Achievement, summit, peak, conquering, ultimate, possess, methodical, undying, perseverance, will power

- Read the paragraphs one by one and try to find the answers for the following questions.
  1. Who was the first Sri Lankan to reach the summit of Mount Everest?
  2. When was she born?
  3. Where was she born?
  4. Where did she study?
  5. What are her educational qualifications?
  6. Mention the names of other mountains that she has climbed.
  7. When did she reach the summit Everest?
  8. What are the outstanding qualities of Jayanthi Kuru-Utumpala?
- Complete the activity on the top of the page number 103.
- Read the description on Jayanthi Kuru -Utumpala for two times and write a description on Sir Edmund Hillary using the information given in Activity 9.7.