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இரண்டாம் தவணைப் பரீட்சை **2021**

Second Term Test- 2021

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வகுப்பு-10

Grade -10

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ஆங்கில மொழி -I

English Language -1

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ஒரு மணித்தியாலம்

One Hour

Index Number:

Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

Test- 01

Fill in the blanks in the following short dialogues using words from the boxes. Write the correct letter in the blanks. The first one has been done for you.

a	drink	b	enjoys	c	about	d	has
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Dulan: How (1)ca cup of tea?

Rajendra: That sounds good.

Dulan: I always (2).....tea after work.

Rajendra: I like it best in the morning.

a	post	b	written	c	wrote	d	sorry
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Saheed: Was the letter (3) yesterday?

Jameela: I'm sorry I didn't hear you.

Saheed: Did you write the letter yesterday?

Jameela: I'm (4) I didn't.

a	can	b	to	c	for	d	speak
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Tina: Excuse me, how (5)I get to this address?

Supun: Get off the bus at Havelock Road.

Tina: Thank you very much (6)your help.

Supun: You're welcome.

(1 x 5) =5 marks

Test- 02

Read the following dialogue and fill in the blanks selecting the words from the box. There is one extra word. The first one has been done for you.

Mr. Brown: Excuse me, could you please tell me the way (1)...to... the bus stand?

Imal: Go (2) the main road until you come to a set (3) Traffic lights. Then turn right (4)the school lane.

Mr. Brown: Then?

Imal: You can see the bus stand (5).....your left.

Mr. Brown: Thanks. Is it far (6)here?

Imal: No. It'll take about five minutes.

into	from	for	on	to	of	along
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(1 x 5) =5 marks

Test -3

Study the picture and fill in the blanks in the text given below.



This is a picture of a classroom. There are six (1) and a lady teacher in the (2) The teacher is (3) on a revolving chair. She is wearing her (4) in a knot. Two of the students are (5) near the teacher's table. The teacher seems to be (6) an activity. One of the students has a (7) in her hand. There are letters, ABC (8) on it. She is wearing a pair of (8) The other students are sitting on the (10)

(1/2 x 10) =5 marks

Test - 4

Match the following health tips with the correct reasons and write the correct letter in the box. The first one has been done for you.

Health tips		Reasons
1. Trim your nails once a week	f	a. because we need all the vitamins
2. Brush our teeth twice a day		b. because typhoid and diarrhea spread through unclean water.
3. Eat fresh fruits and vegetables		c. because we need healthy teeth.
4. Use clean water		d. because dirt and lack of hygiene make us sick.
5. Keep the environment clean		e. because we will put on weight and grow fat.
6. Do not take too much sugar		f. because they may carry germs in them.

(1 x 5) =5 marks

Test- 05

Read the text and complete the table given below. The first one has been done for you

England is the most populated country in the United Kingdom. The other countries that make up the United Kingdom are Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. England is bordered by Wales to the west and Scotland to the north. The population of England in 2011 was around 53 million. The capital city of England is London. Other major cities in England are Birmingham, Manchester, Sheffield, Liverpool, Newcastle and Leeds. England includes many small islands such as the Isle of Wight and Haying Island. There is only a gap of 34 kilometer (21 miles) between England and France and the countries are connected by the Channel Tunnel which opened in 1994.

There were famous English scientists including Charles Darwin, Michael Faraday, Isaac Newton and Stephen Hawking among many others in England. The longest river in the United Kingdom is the River Severn located in England and Wales. It stretches around 354 kilometres (220 miles) in length. The longest river found entirely in England is the River Thames; it flows through London and is slightly shorter than the River Severn at around 346 kilometres (215 miles) in length. The largest lake in England is named Windermere.

England has a large economy and uses the pound sterling as its currency. There have been a number of influential English authors but perhaps the most well-known is William Shakespeare, who wrote classics such as Romeo and Juliet, Macbeth and Hamlet. Football (soccer) is the most popular sport in England but others such as cricket and rugby have large followers. The official home of the British monarch (king or queen) is Buckingham Palace.

And do what teacher tells us to
 For it helps to get us through!
 We read and write, draw and recite,
 Learn to be good, neat and polite.
 We add and subtract, multiply and divide,
 We love to be our teachers' pride,
 And we love to hear them say
 "Oh children, you have made our day!"
 School really can be lots of fun,
 Once everybody's work is done.

(1) How many students are there in the class?

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(2) What do the children learn at school?

.....

(3) When can be the school fun?

.....

(4) Underline the meaning of the word "polite"

a) tidy b) showing respect c) things that make us happy

(5) Find the rhyming word for,

a) recite

b) cry

(1×5)=5 marks

Test- 8

Write a paragraph on one of the following topics. Use about 50 to 60 words.

a) A great personality I like

b) Importance of reading

(05 marks)

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ஆங்கில மொழி -2
English Language- 2

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இரண்டு மணித்தியாலம்
Two Hours

Index Number:
Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

Test- 09

Complete the following paragraph using the correct form of the verb given within brackets.

Last Monday was the first day that we (spend) in the camp. My father dropped me at the school. I(meet) my teacher and friends. We..... (reach) our camping site late in the evening. We put up our tents and went to sleep early.

The first thing we did the next day (is) to go on a nature hike. The hike was long but we had a lot of fun. I (see) several squirrels and two rabbits. I was afraid that I was going to see a snake. It was hot and tiring but we (are) quite happy taking photographs and enjoying the scenery. Climbing on a rock, we gazed at the distant sea which(look) like a blue carpet spread under the white sky. It was so calm and quiet. The only sound we heard was the chirping of birds. We(feel) as if we were the only human beings on earth.

In the evening, I (make) a bookmark out of a beautiful reddish brown leaf found under a tree. I used some glitter I had in my bag to make it shine. I gave it to my mother when I (return) home.

(1/2X10)=5 marks

Test -10

Select a word from the box which is similar in meaning to the phrases given within brackets and write it in the space given.

drought , island , reserve , established , habitats

Yala National Park is situated in the south-east region of Sri Lanka. It is the second largest National Park in the(piece of land surrounded by water) It was at first(set up on a permanent basis) in the early 1980s as a game sanctuary. The park is located in the dry-zone where the(long period of time with no rain) season is very long. The day time average temperature is over 30 degrees. The parkland makes up most of the(protected area for wildlife) but also includes lakes, beaches, jungle, rivers and scrublands. This variety in(natural environments of animals, plants or other organisms) provides an excellent range in wildlife.

(1x5= 5 marks)

Test -11

Read this reply letter to Shehan's invitation for his brother's wedding. Choose the missing words from the box below and fill in the blanks to complete the reply from Amaya. One has been done for you.

(1/2x10=05 marks)

Dear Shehan,

Thank you (1) **for** your letter to my brother, inviting (2).....of us to attend your brother's wedding. It seems (3)..... you have not heard about my brother, Miyuru. Well, (4)than ten days ago, he was found positive of Corona virus and was taken to hospital. He is (5)ill and being treated in the ICU. His (6).....is said to be improving but it will take (7)to get the complete recovery. Even though, our PCR reports came out as negative, we all are (8) quarantine.

As you see, now it is not possible for us to (9)in your brother's wedding. I regret that we miss the chance to meet you all. However, we send our best (10)..... to your brother and his bride to be for a happy wedded life. Regards to all.

Yours (11),

Amaya

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Test -12

Fill in the blanks of the following passage with the words given in the box. There is one extra word.

in , firewood , fresh , provide , aspect , medicine , difficult
important , saving , them , treasure , our , or , is , us

Trees give us food, gum, shelter and 1)..... . air They also add beauty to 2)..... world. Gardens cannot be charming without them. We need 3)for oxygen and good health.

Trees provide 4)..... with timber, paper and firewood. Timber is used 5)..... building houses, boxes, tools, etc. Life may be 6).....for us without paper. Paper 7)..... necessary for studying and writing. People use 8)to cook meals.

Trees also 9)..... us 10).....,food and water. Life becomes very difficult without trees 11)..... we can say that trees are a valuable12).....because they are the most important 13)..... of giving us a healthy and wealthy life.14)trees is the most important social awareness now-a-days.

(1/2x14= 7 marks)

Test -13

Change the following sentences into indirect speech.

1. Sanduni said, "I saw you yesterday."
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2. I told Mali, "You can apply for the post."
.....
3. Mr. Jagath said, "We are happy today."
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4. She says, "The sun shines brightly."
.....
5. The teacher said to the students, "You can go now."
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(1x5=05 marks)

Test- 14

Write on one of the following. Your answer should include more than 100 words.

- (a) Imagine that you face difficulties in getting on the buses when going to school as there isn't a school bus service from your area to the town. Write a letter of request to the transport manager of Sri Lanka Transport Board requesting a bus for school children.

You should include

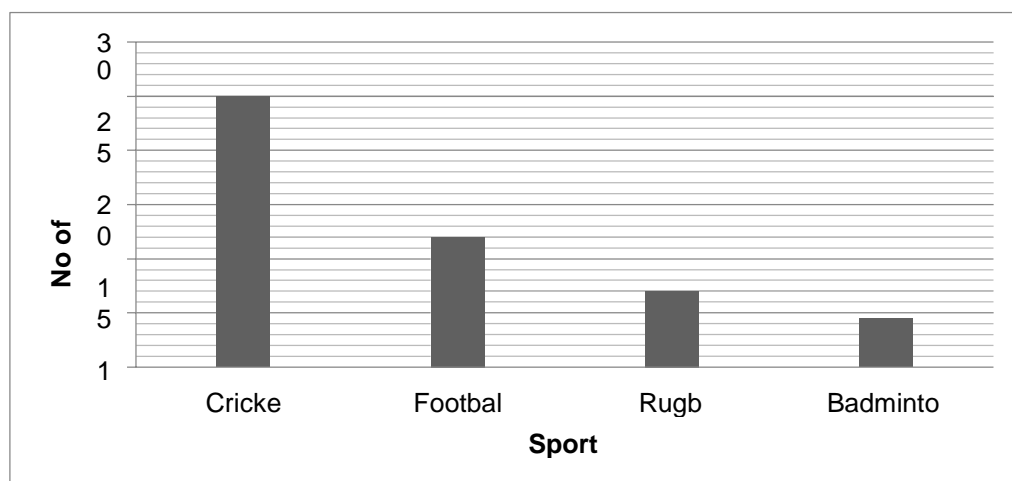
- The difficulties you face
- The number of children waiting for buses.
- Mention the route that you are complaining about.

or

- (b) The following bar graph shows the choices of sports of some grade 11 students. Study the bar graph and write a description about it. Use the following words.

highest, almost equal, least, lower than, higher than, most popular

(10 marks)



2. With whom did she fight in her youth?
.....(1 mark)
3. Was Jane rich or poor?
..... (1 mark)
4. Say whether the following statements are **true** or **false**. Write T or F.
 - a. Jane refused the class difference.
 - b. Mr. Brocklehurst was good and kind to Jane.....(1 markk)
5. Who questions whether the God exists?
.....(1 markk)
6. Where does Jane go after her life in Lowood?
.....(1 markk)
7. Find the words from the passage, which are very much similar in meaning to the following.
 - a. Satisfaction -
 - b. Without any money (2 markk)

Test 16

Write on one of the following topics. Use about 200 words.

(a).Write an article to a newspaper on advantages and disadvantages of online education

Include:

- Why do students have to learn from home?
- Advantages and disadvantages of online education.
- How to overcome the difficulties

(b).Write a speech made at the morning assembly on “Let’s conserve nature

Include:

- What is nature
- Importance of conserving nature.
- The ways of conserving it.
- The threats that nature faces today and steps to be taken to minimize them.

(d).Write an essay on “The best way to prevent from Covid -19 is self-discipline.

Include:

- What is Covid 19
- Social distancing, wearing masks, washing hands frequently and other safety measures.
- Behavior in public places.

(e).Charith and Asiri are two friends. They are discussing what they did during the sudden school vacation they got as a result of Covid - 19 pandemic. Complete the dialogue.

Charith : It was a long vacation. Wasn't it?

Asiri : Yes, what did you do during the vacation?

[illegible]

(15 marks)