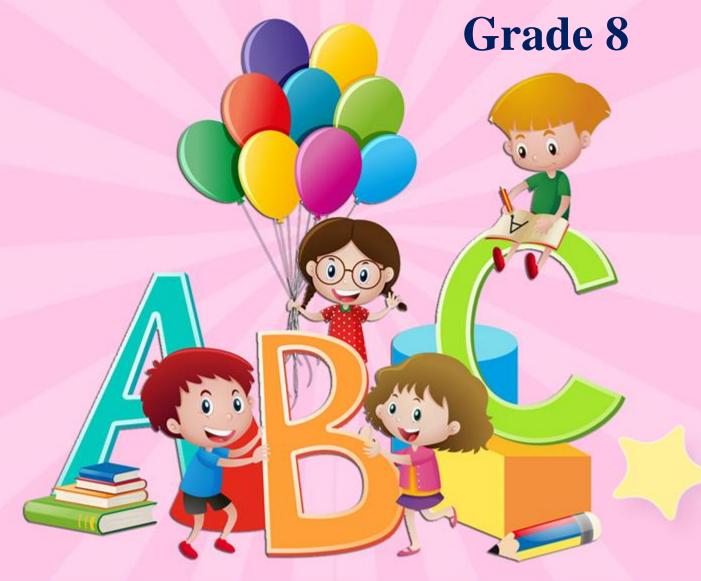


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# **Lesson-09** Let's read simple texts.

Let's learn the following words and their meanings

sunny	
beach	Vector-langly on
ruins	gg60963876 GoCraph.com
sunbathe	© Can Stock Photo
present	
modern	new

Let's learn Wh - questions words- We use wh question words to ask for details.

1. What is your date of birth? 10th of May

2. Who is your best friend? Malika

3. Where does your grandmother live? in Kaluthara

4. When do you get up? at 5 0' clock

5. Why were you late? Because the bus broke down

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# **English**

## **Grade 8**



### **Activity 9.1**

Read the following letter written by Kasun.

No.22, Flower Road , Nugawela. 04.06.2020

Dear Asitha,

How are you? Let me tell you about my trip to Trincomalee last week. The trip was wonderful. We went there by a van. The area was beautiful and the weather was hot and **sunny** every day. We arrived on Saturday morning and I went to the **beach**. I took a long **swim** and then I **sunbathed** until noon. Next I had lunch at the hotel. Also I met some boys from India and we played volleyball. They were very friendly.

In addition, I loved the hotel because it was **modern**. There was a pool. I liked the town. I walked around and took some photos. Then I went to visit the ancient ruins.

Finally, I went shopping yesterday and I bought you a nice **present**. I hope you like it. See you when I get home.

With love, Kasun

#### **Activity 9.2**

Read the letter and answer the questions

- 1) Where did Kasun go? .....
- 2) When did he arrive there?.....
- 3) Whom did Kasun meet on the beach? .....
- 4) Why did he like the hotel? .....
- 5) What did he buy? .....

#### **Activity 9.3**

Read the statements. Mark True ( ✓ ) or False ( × )

Ex. Kasun lives in Nugawela ( T )

1) Kasun did not visit the ancient ruins . ( )

2) Kasun played football with some friends . ( )

3) He first went to the beach. ( )

4) The weather was cold in Trincomalee . ( )

5) Kasun was happy about his trip. ( )