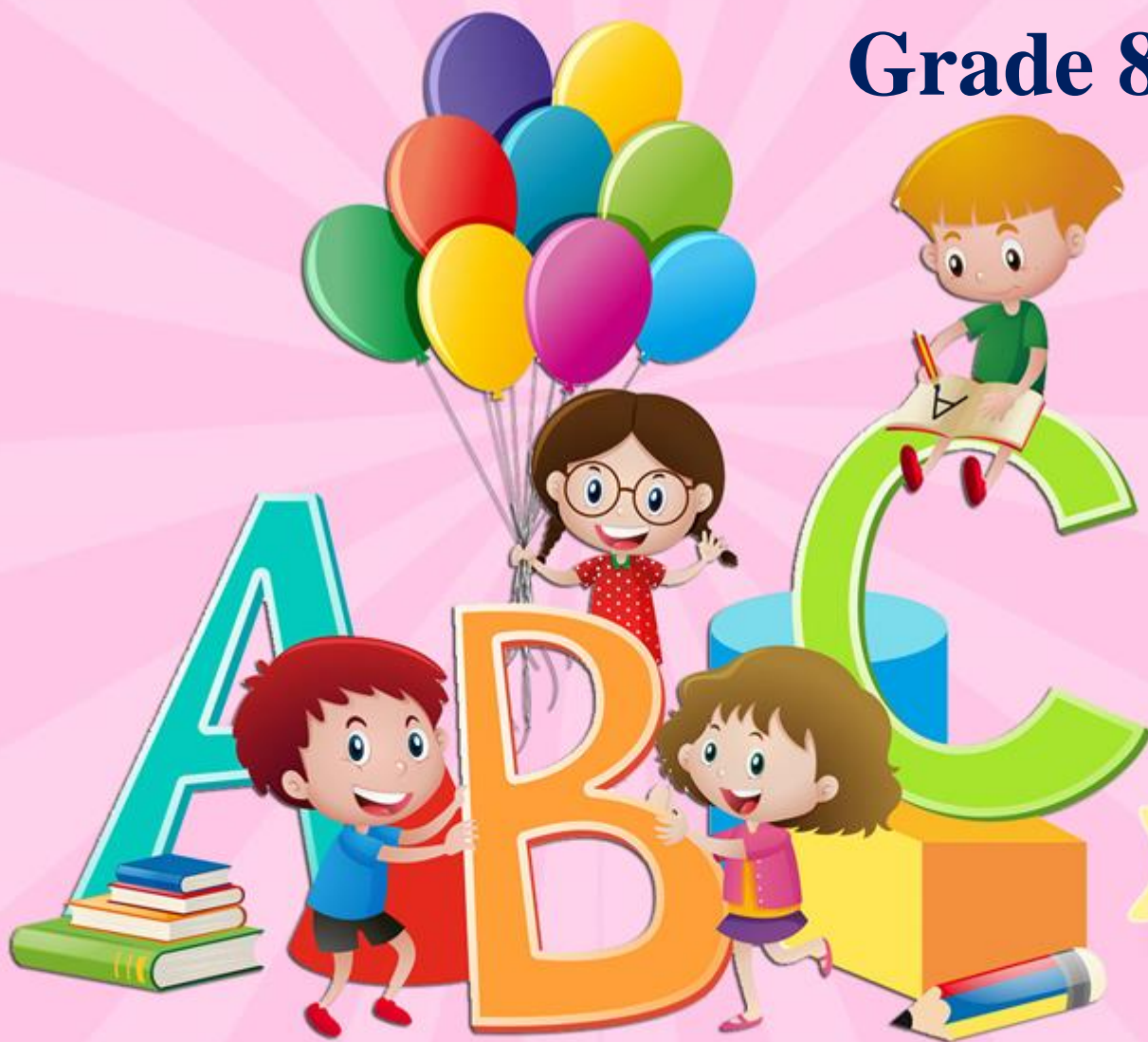




English



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Grade 8



Lesson 19

Let's speak and write about places.

Hello children.

Today we are going to travel around our country to visit the beautiful places.



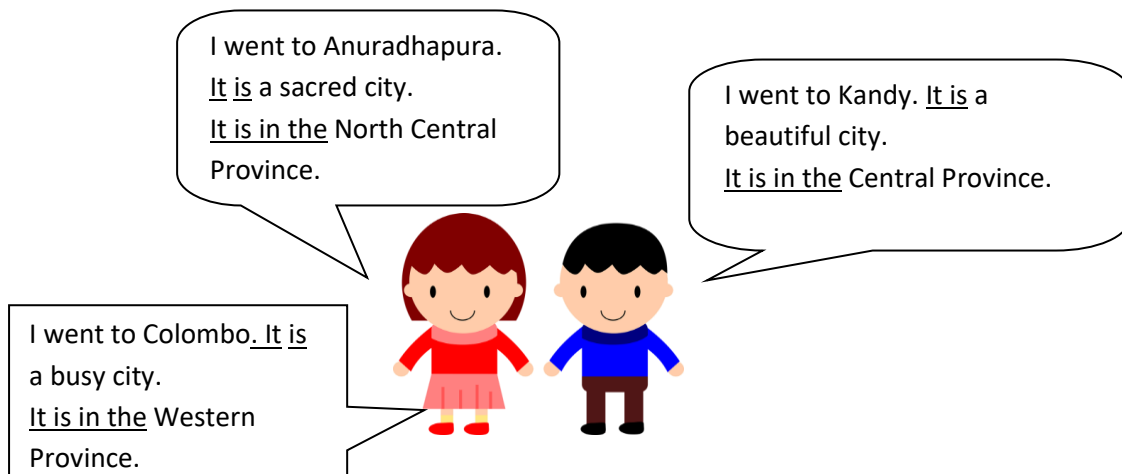
Can you make a list of places you would like to visit in Sri Lanka?

Activity 19.1

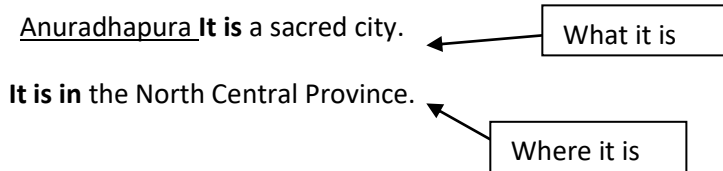
Write 5 places from the above map that you would like to visit.



Some children are speaking about the places that they have been to. Let's read them.



example:



Activity 19.2

Now let's say and write two sentences about the following places.

Place	What it is	Where it is
i. Galle	the old Dutch fort	Southern Province
ii. Trincomalee	the natural harbor	Eastern Province
iii. Pinnewala	the elephant orphanage	Kegalle
iv. Kumana	a bird sanctuary	Eastern Province
v. Polonnaruwa	a sacred city	North Central Province

It is the Dutch fort. It is in the Southern Province.

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➤ Shall we go to Sigiriya now? Look at the things in Sigiriya.

What can you see?

We can see.....



The Mirror Wall



Landscaped gardens



Frescoes



Sigiriya



Water fountains



The Lion Gate



We can see the Lion Gate, the Mirror Wall, water fountains, landscaped gardens and frescoes in Sigiriya.

Things in the place

Sigiriya

- **It is** an ancient rock fortress.
- **It is in** the Central Province.
- **We can see** the Lion Gate, the Mirror Wall, water fountains, landscaped gardens and frescoes **in** Sigiriya.

1) Let's write the things in the following places.

The place	Things in the place
i. Vilpaththu national park	animals in their natural habitats
ii. Hikkaduwa	beautiful corals
iii. Sinharajaya	endemic plants and animals
iv. Pinnewala elephant orphanage	elephants
v. Peradeniya Botanical Garden	rear plants

i. Example: We can see animals in their natural habitats in Vilpaththu national park

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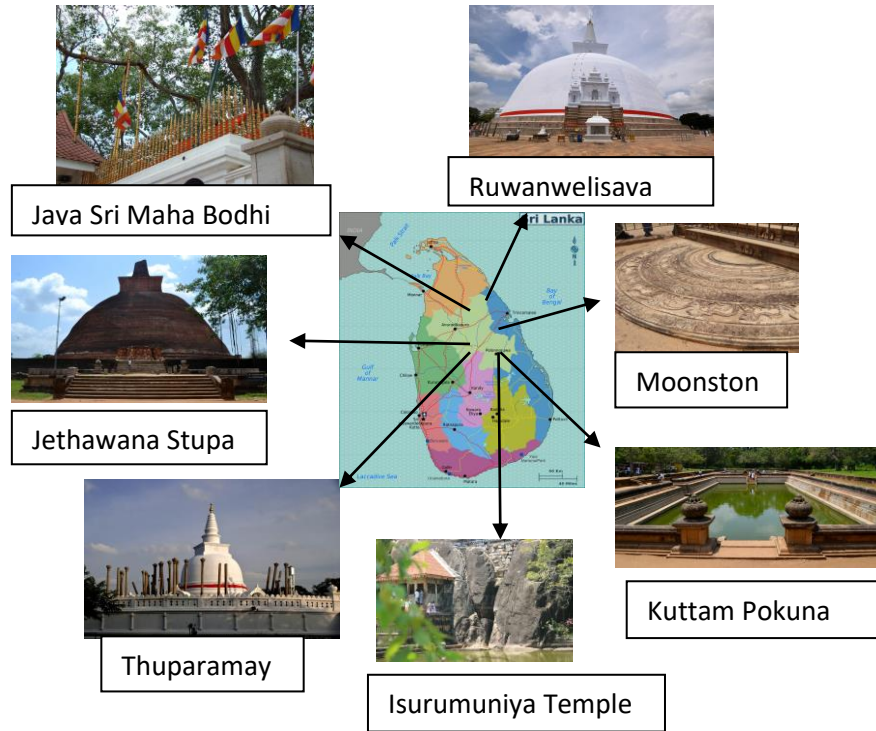
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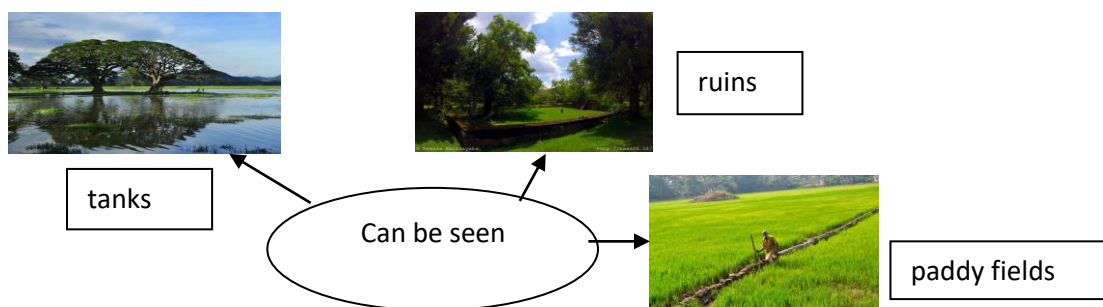
- Shall we go to Anuradhapura now?
What can you visit there?

We can visit.....



There are so many places in Anuradhapura.

We can visit Jaya Sri Maha Bodhi, Ruwanwelisaya, Jethawana Stupa, Thuparamaya, Isurumuniya Temple, Kuttam Pokuna and Moonstone.



Now write a description about Anuradhapura in your writing book.

our next trip is to Jaffna.

Let's collect information about Jaffna.

a beautiful

Northern
Province

Jaffna Fort, Nallur Temple, Jaffna
Library, Delft Island

Kovils, temples,
churches,



Activity 20.5

Now write about Jaffna using the information.



Jaffna

- Jaffna is situated in the Northern province.
- It is.....
- There are
- We can visit

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