



Self-Learning pack Grade 8



**Lesson-29 Let's read and comprehend.****Activity 29.1**

Read and Match.

1. Date
2. Time
3. Venue(place)
4. Event
5. Purpose

- From 10.30-11.30am
- At the Stadium
- An Exhibition
- To promote good health habits.
- On 22nd of December2020

Activity 29.2

You were absent yesterday. Read the following note sent by your friend. And answer the questions.

Dear *Mayuri*,

Why were you absent yesterday? There will be **a meeting on the 1st of December 2020 at 10.30 a.m. in the school main hall to discuss about the annual trip. Our Science** teacher asked you to write a notice to be put up on the notice board. Will you come tomorrow?

Seneth



Activity 29.3

Underline the answer.

1. **Who** sent the note? (Seneth/ Mayuri)
2. To **whom** did she write the note? (Seneth /Mayuri)
3. What is the **event**? (A fair / A Meeting)
4. **When** will it be held? (on the 2nd of December / On the 1st of December)
5. **At what time** will it be held? (at 10.30am / at 11.00am)
6. What is the **venue**? (in the play ground / in the main hall)

Mayuri attended the meeting. This is the **Notice** she wrote. Use the above information and complete it.

Activity 29.4

NOTICE

There will be (1)a special meeting organized by the grade 8 Environment club

on the (2).....

at (3).....

in the (4).....

to discuss about the (5).....

All the students in grade 8 are welcome.

Environment club

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Activity 29.5

Have you ever been to Kandy? These are the places selected by grade 8 teachers to visit. Can you name these places?



- Kandy Lake
- The Temple Of Tooth
- St.Paul's Church
- Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage
- Peradeniya Botanical Garden
- Red Mosque



Activity 29.6

Teachers in grade 8 have planned to go on a trip to Kandy. Let's read the **speech** given by the sectional head at the meeting and complete **the Itinerary**.

(*itinerary-a planned route or journey)

Find the meaning of these words from the dictionary.

1. gather -.....
2. suggest -.....
3. reach -.....
4. in front of -.....
5. provide -.....
6. spend -.....
7. straightway-.....

“Good morning, dear teachers and my dear children,

We've gathered here to discuss about an important thing. As you all know, it is to talk about our annual trip. This time we've planned to go on our trip to Kandy. Many places were suggested. But we selected Kandy since it has many interesting places with historical value.

First, we'll start our journey from Matale. You can visit Riverstone in the morning. We hope to reach there at 8.00 am. Then you can spend three hours there after taking your breakfast at 8 a.m. Then we'll straightaway go to Kandy to visit The Temple of the Tooth Relic. By 11.30 a.m., we can join with *Buddha Pujawa* at the temple too. After that, you can visit Kandy Lake at 1.30 p.m. which is in front of The Temple of the Tooth Relic. Next we hope to go to Peradeniya Botanical Gardens at 3.00pm. You can have your lunch there. And there is another thing, you should bring your breakfast and lunch from home. We'll provide only dinner. You can spend time visiting beautiful plants in the garden till 5 o'clock.

On the next day, we'll visit Pinnawala Elephant Orphanage at 9 a.m. after having breakfast. You can spend time observing their daily routine till 1 p.m. We have already ordered our lunch and you can take one more hour to have your lunch by the nearby lake. Finally, we'll visit St. Paul's Church and Red Mosque which are situated in the Kandy town itself, in the evening at 3.00pm. We've got permission from the authority" to visit these places. Always remember not to throw away any litter wherever you visit. Please bring back everything you take.

ITINERARY TWO DAY TRIP Destination-Kandy Date:05th Of December 2020		
Date	Time	Places
05 th Dec 2020	8.00 a.m.	
	11.30 a.m.	
		Kandy Lake
	3.00 p.m.	
	5.00 p.m.	
06 th Dec 2020	9.00 a.m.	
	1.00 p.m.	
	3.00 p.m.	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Red Mosque</p>