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Name : ..... Index No:- .....

For Examiners use only

<b>Important</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write your Name / Index Number clearly.</li> <li>The paper I consists of 8 questions</li> <li>Answer all the questions on this paper itself.</li> <li>Each question contains 5 marks</li> </ul>
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### Test 01

Select the correct preposition for the blanks from the box. The first one has been done for you.

over	since	in	of	at	on
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A powerful earthquake has hit the country of Ecuador, ..... South America. It is the largest earthquake ..... 1979. The quake happened ..... 11.58 p.m. (U.K. time) ..... 16<sup>th</sup> April, 2016.

Severe damages have been reported ..... a large area of Ecuador. (5 Marks)

### Test 02

Read the situation and match the responses. Write the letter in the correct box. The first one has been done for you.

Situation	Respond
1 To greet somebody at 12.30 p.m.	A
2 You admire a painting done by a friend	
3 A friend is offering you a drink. Refuse it.	
4 To advise a friend who worries too much about low marks	
5 Your cousin brother has passed his O/L examination with 9 A's.	
6 You got late to the English lesson after the interval.	

### Responses

- A. Good Afternoon
- B. I'm sure you'll do better next time.
- C. Congratulations
- D. Excuse me teacher
- E. That's really wonderful
- F. No, Thank you.

(5 Marks)

### Test 03

Complete each of the following questions so as to get the answers given below. The first one has been done for you.

- 1. What does Mr. Dias want to buy?  
Mr. Dias wants to buy a hybrid car.

2. Where .....?  
She lives in a house close to the shopping mall.
3. Why .....?  
The students were punished because of their bad behaviour.
4. Whose .....?  
Ruwani's paintings won the first place at the competition.
5. When .....?  
They will play the match next week end.
6. Who .....?  
My mother is making fried rice tonight.

(5 Marks)

#### **Test 04**

**Find the required information** from the invitation and write them in the blanks. One is done for you.

#### **Invitation**

The presentation of the awards  
to the Best School Cricketer – 2016  
will be held on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2016  
at 5.30 p.m. at the BMICH

The Chief Guest is  
The Director of Sports  
Mr. Isuru Anjana Perera  
We cordially invite :

Mr/ Ms .....  
for the occasion

A cultural show will follow  
Secretary  
Cricket Association  
Gamini Maha Vidyalaya

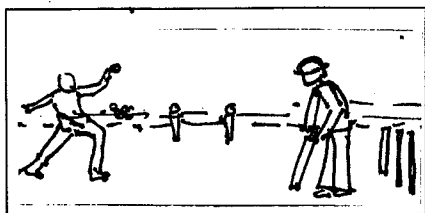
1. Occasion - .....
2. Date of the event - .....
3. Time - ..... at 5.30 p.m. ....
4. Venue - .....
5. Name of the Chief Guest - .....
6. Senders designation - .....

(5 Marks)

### Test 05

The following pictures show what Namal did last week end. Write a sentence about each picture using the words given below. The first one is done for you.

1. ..



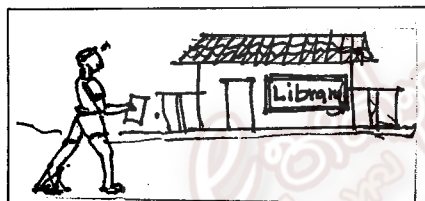
play/ cricket

2.



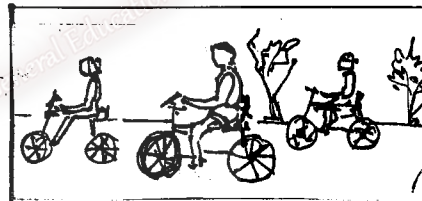
brush / teeth

3.



go/ library

4.



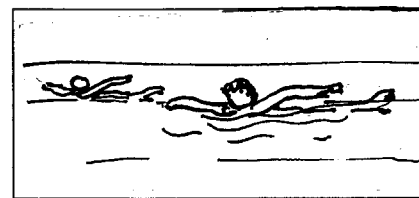
ride/ bicycles

5.



celebrate / birth day

6.



swim/ river

1. Namal played cricket with his friends last weekend.
2. ....
3. ....
4. ....
5. ....
6. ....

**Test 06**

Write a description of a famous place in Sri Lanka. *(about 50 words)*

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(5 Marks)

**Test 07**

Read the following text and answer the questions given below.

The day had started badly for John. Firstly, his alarm clock had not rung because he realized later, the battery needed to be replaced. When he got up, late of course, he remembered that he had forgotten to pack his schoolbag the night before. How often his mother had told him to be well prepared for school by having an organized bag sitting at the front door. He scrambled around frantically, picking up notebooks, text books and pencils and dashed out for the school bus. As he reached the bus stop he was just in time to see the school bus drive off in a cloud of exhaust fumes. Feeling very sorry for himself, and feeling hunger pangs because he had not had time for breakfast, he felt like crying, although tears were, he thought, hardly appropriate for a boy of his age.

1.. Why did John not wake in time for school?

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2. What advice had John's mother often given him?

.....

3. How did John often get to school ?

.....

4. Apart from feeling sorry for himself, why does John feel like crying?

.....

5. Did John think that he should stop himself from crying?

.....

(5 Marks)

## Test 08

Study the following newspaper advertisement and imagine that you wish to apply for the post advertised. **Write an e-mail** to the HR Manager asking for more details. You may ask working hours, salary and other facilities etc...

*(Use about 40-50 words)*

## VACANCY

For a

## Marketing Manager

We seek a young energetic  
And hard working person above the age of 23.  
with at least 3 years experience in marketing.

For more information call Mihiri

0789102345 or e-mail mihri.78@gmail.com

(5 Marks)

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Name : ..... Index No:- .....

**Important**

- Write your Name / Index Number clearly.
- Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

Q. No	Marks
9	
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**Test 09**

Correct the **mistakes** in the following passage and write the correct word in the blanks.  
 The first one is done for you.

Louis Braille was the son of <u>the</u> leather worker.	a
He <u>has</u> born in 1809. Louis went blind <u>for</u> the age of three. He wanted to be a musician, so he <u>learns</u> to play the cello.	.....
At <u>an</u> age of ten he won a scholarship to <u>studying</u> at the NIBC in Paris. He <u>can</u> play the cello, but he couldn't read <u>and</u> write. At last Louis developed "Braille". By 1932 it was in <u>used</u> all over <u>a</u> world, but Louis died in 1852 and he never knew the <u>important</u> of his invention.	.....

(5 marks)

## Test 10

Fill in the blanks using the words given in the box.

means	sight	fire
looked	instruments	weather
sky	flights	or
are		

In early times, when there were no ....., such as the thermometer or barometer, man..... for tell tale signs in the ..... . He made his forecasts by watching the ..... of birds or the way smoke rose from a ..... .He thought that the moon controlled the ..... that it held a lot of water, especially when as a crescent ..... sickle - shaped moon lay on its back. Even today there ..... people who think that the ..... of the moon lying on its back ..... that rain is on its way.

(5 marks)

## Test 11

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

### The Bus Driver's Wail

*With the prison cell  
All night I lie awake  
My thoughts go back to all at home,  
My heart begins to ache*

*No food at all was left,  
What will the children eat?  
The wife is in bed unfit to work  
Who will provide the meat?*

*My crime was driving fast,  
I could not pay the fine,  
But why should those poor innocents,  
Suffer for a fault of mine.*

1. Who is the narrator of this poem ?

.....

(1 mark)

2. Where is he now?

.....

(1 mark)

3. What was the crime he has done?

.....

(½ mark)



4. Has the narrator paid the fine?

(½ mark)

5. Find similar words for these words from the poem.

- i) pain - .....
- ii) harmless - .....
- iii) supply - .....
- iv) jail - .....

(½ x 4 = 2 marks)

### **Test 12**

Write the following statements in **reported / indirect speech**  
The first one has been done for you.

1. Mr. Perera said "I bought a new computer"

**Mr. Perera said that he had bought a new computer.**

2. The child said "I am doing my home work".

3. The players said "We are ready to play the match"

4. Kanchana said "I can type the paper within one hour"

5. Ranga said "I have checked all the e-mails".

6. The boy said "I will keep my bag on the table"

(5 marks)

### **Test 13**

**Underline** the correct verb from the brackets.

1. Today is Achala's sixteenth birth day. Her friends usually ..... (give, gave, gives) her presents on her birthday. She stands at the gate ..... (is waiting, waiting, will waiting ) for the postman. Last year her friend Sachini ..... (send, sends, sent) her a box of chocolates. She ..... (will send, send, sending) another present this year too. Suddenly Achala saw somebody ..... (is coming, coming, was coming) along the road. Is it the postman?

(5 marks)

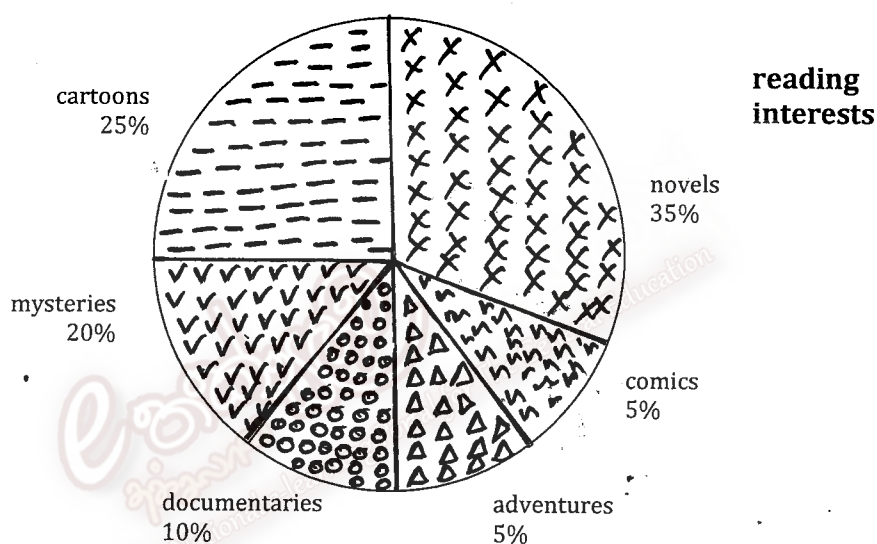
## Test 14

- a) As the secretary of the photographic society of your school you have organized the annual photographic exhibition – 2016. Write a letter to the principal requesting for permission to hold it at the main auditorium of the school. Mention date, time, venue and the Chief Guest. (Use about 75-100 words)

**OR**

- b) The below pie chart shows, the percentages of the grades 11 students' interests in reading of your school. **Write a description** in about 75-100 words using the pie-chart. You may use some of the words given below.

Most	least	many	less	equal	popular
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(10 marks)

[illegible]

### Test 15

**Read the passage and answer the following questions.**

The fifth of June was world Environmental day. The hottest topic discussed in connection with the environment was the "Greenhouse" effect. Scientists say that in the last 100 years the global temperature has increased by more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  a degree celsius. Due to this global warming, there have been droughts in the U.S.A., China, India, Africa and Bangladesh. Some scientists have predicted that this could also lead to a rise in the sea-level.

What has brought about this change? Although climatologists have established global warming as a fact, the reasons have not been definitely proved. The most common cause that has been attributed to global warming is the omission of carbon dioxide from the burning of industrial coal, oil and petrol. Thus over the years carbon dioxide in the earth's atmosphere has been gradually increasing. This increased level of carbon dioxide acts like the glass in a greenhouse, trapping the heat of the sun. It damages the ozone layer of our atmosphere.

Another factor that has been mentioned is the destruction and burning of forests. The world's rain forests are shrinking at a rapid rate. It has been estimated that man now destroys 75 acres of this forest every hour of every day. At this rate of destruction there will be no rain forests left at the end of the 31<sup>st</sup> century.

Trees absorb carbon dioxide in the atmosphere. So with fewer trees around, global warming has increased. It is necessary then to save trees. But how? It has been said that in some parts of the third world deforestation has been a matter of survival and not profit. People need land to cultivate and fuel to cook their food and keep themselves warm. So to prevent deforestation we have to develop alternate sources of energy. We must also plant more trees. It has been said that we need to plant 15 billion trees annually for the next 15 years. Then we can not only meet basic economic needs but also remove the excess carbon dioxide build up.

1. What was the main topic discussed on the world environmental day?  
..... (1 mark)
2. According to the scientists what has happened to the global temperature?  
..... (1 mark)
3. Write the most common reason for this global warming.  
..... (1 mark)
4. Who destroys the forests every hour of every day?  
..... (1 mark)
5. How can you prevent deforestation for the betterment of the future?  
..... (1 mark)
6. Find the sentence which says that it is our duty to plant billion of trees annually.  
..... (1 mark)
7. Say whether the following sentences are True or False by writing (T) or (F) against each of them.
  - a) Droughts have become a threat to certain countries due to this global warming. ☐
  - b) Rise in the Sea- Level does not affect the global warming. ☐
  - c) The heat of the sun damages the ozone layer of the atmosphere ☐
  - d) In some parts of the third world, deforestation has been a matter of survival not a benefit. ☐

(1/2 x 4 = 2 marks)
8. Find the words or phrases in the passage which mean much the same as the following.
  - a. step-by-step = .....
  - b. more than enough = .....

(1 x 2 = 2 marks)

## Test 16

Write one of the following. Use about 200 words.

- a. An article to be sent to a news paper on “Let’s protect our environment”

You may include.

- Ways of polluting the Environment.
- Why it is necessary to protect the environment.
- The steps can be taken to protect the environment.

- b. Write a speech to be made at the morning assembly of your school on “The reading habit should be developed among school children”.**

*Include*

- Reasons for lack of interest in reading.
- How to develop the reading habits.
- Advantages you gain by reading.

(15 marks)

- c. Complete the following story.

*It was a Saturday and I started to do my home work. Suddenly I heard a sound from my back yard*

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