

Mid Year Term Test – 2012

Colombo Zone

English Language

Paper I

Grade 8

Name

Time:- 2 hours

Question – 01

Use comma (,) inverted comma (“ ”) apostrophe (') and question mark (?) where necessary.

- (1) How can we do it teacher.
- (2) This is my sisters pet dog Kalu.
- (3) Mr. Perera lives at No. 225 Station Road Kandy.
- (4) I have three story books and a pen.

Question – 02

Fill in the blanks with most suitable words using the given pair of verbs.

look – watch

injured - damaged

speak - talk

- (1) My mother allows me to television from 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm everyday.
- (2) at the sky children. It's going to rain very soon.
- (3) According to the news report a car was and two people were
- (4) We must always the truth.
- (5) When I am in a trouble I alwaysto my parents.

Question - 03

Write the most suitable word and circle the correct word class.

mine, like, big, of, girl

Eg : There is no secret between you and me.

(Preposition , verb, noun)

(1) He is an old friend of (preposition , verb , pronoun)

(2) I the trees and plants in my school.

(noun , verb , pronoun)

(3) I We saw a fish when we went to Nagadeepa by a boat.

(adverb, adjective, verb)

(4) The little went to school (noun, verb, pronoun)

(5) The pedestal a statue has been defaced by pasting posters

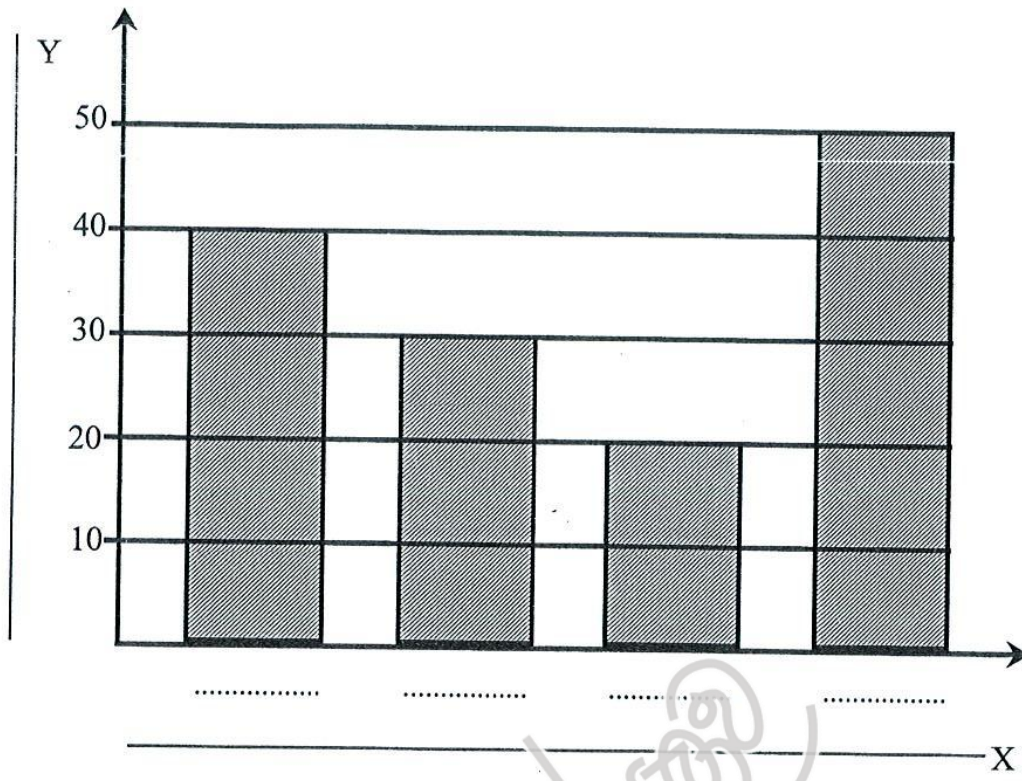
(verb, pronoun, preposition)

Question - 04

Read the sentences given below and name the graph.

- The X axis represents favorite games.
- The Y axis represents the number of students.
- 40 students like football.
- The majority like cricket
- 30 students like rugger.
- 20 students like athletics.

Write a suitable word and name the word class



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Part II

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Answer all questions.

Question- 01

In one of the classroom assessments you did, your teacher asked you to do a group activity.

(a) What did you do as a group activity?

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(2 marks)

(b) What was the name of your group?

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(2 marks)

(c) How many members were there in your group?

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(1 marks)

(d) How did you collect the information. Write two possible ways

1.....

2.....

(2 marks)

(e) Write two things you did as a member of the group?

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(2 marks)

(f) Name two things you used for presentation

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(2 marks)

(g) Write two things you learnt while doing the group activity.

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(2 marks)

(h) Write three advantages of a group activity.

1.....
2.....
3.....

(3 marks)

Question - 02

Dear Roshan and Akila

Hi, from Canada! We are having a wonderful holiday. We haven't seen a bear yet, but there are bears and deer in the forest around the lake where we are staying. The bears often go to the rubbish to look for food scraps. Perhaps we'll go sightseeing at the dump. We will need to be careful because bears are quite dangerous. They will attack you if surprise them., so people carry bells when they are out walking or biking to warn the bears away.

On our first night we saw an amazing fireworks show. It doesn't get dark here until 10 o'clock, so it was really a late night for us.

Last night we rode in a gondola 2000 metres to the top of Whistler Mountain. It was like floating in a glass bubble; so peaceful and still. The city lights were beautiful. Today we canoed around the lake, and had a very short swim. It was freezing. The weather has been sunny, but not like the weather at home.

Bye for now. We will be home next week.

Ali

