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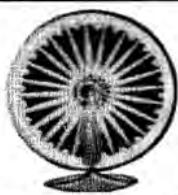


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**Primary Piriven Mid Term Test - 2018**

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English Language

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Time : Three hours

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ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THIS PAPER ITSELF.

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Index Number

01. Fill in the blanks with correct letters. Use **a, e, i, o or u**

1. fant.....stic	2. d.....alogue	3. c.....stoms
4. h.....ney	5. gard.....ner	

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

02. Look at the picture and complete the paragraph.



in                    with                    under                    by                    on

This is a picture of a village. There is a man 1) ..... the raft. He is fishing 2) ..... his rod. A duckling is swimming 3) ..... the water. We can see a cat 4) ..... a big tree. There is also a house 5) ..... the river.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

03. Form questions with the words given in the box.

whom      who      what      where      whose

1. .... is your name? My name is Kamal.
2. .... won the first prize? Amali.
3. .... are you from? I 'm from Nuwara Eliya.
4. .... bag is this? This is mine.
5. .... do you want to meet? The principal.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

04. Write the following sentences in the correct column. *The first one is done for you.*

- o ~~Venerable Sumana delivered a sermon last poyaday.~~
- o The hall was decorated by the students.
- o They observed *sil* on poyaday.
- o New robes were distributed by the devotees.
- o The chief guest declared open the newly built shrine room.
- o He was punished by the principal.

Active Voice	Passive Voice
Venerable Sumana delivered a sermon last poyaday.	

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

05. Use the correct **prefixes** to make meaningful words. *The first one is done for you.*

[ in- / dis- / un- / re- / anti- ]

1) <u>dis</u> like	2) .....kind	3) .....arrange
4) .....happy	5) .....correct	5) .....virus

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

06. Underline the **gerunds** in the following sentences.

- 1) Watching movies is my hobby.
- 2) Reading makes a full man.
- 3) Brushing your teeth is very important.
- 4) My grandmother is listening to chanting of Pirith.
- 5) I like living by the river.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

07. Arrange the following story in the correct order. *First one is done for you.*

- a) Meanwhile, the tortoise ran slowly and passed the winning post. [.....]
- b) They were good friends. [.....]
- c) One day the rabbit invited the tortoise to run a race. [.....]
- d) Once there was a rabbit and a tortoise in a jungle. [...1...]
- e) On the way, the rabbit had a nap under a shady tree. [.....]
- f) The race began and the rabbit ran fast. [.....]

(2 X 5 = 10 marks)

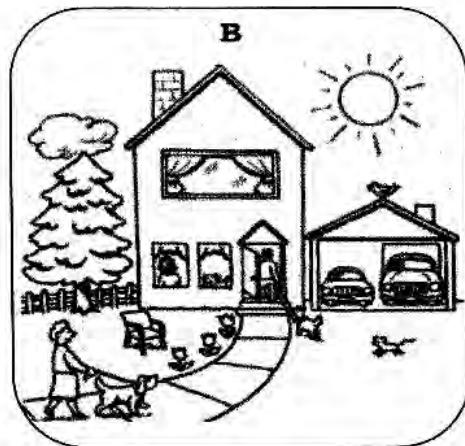
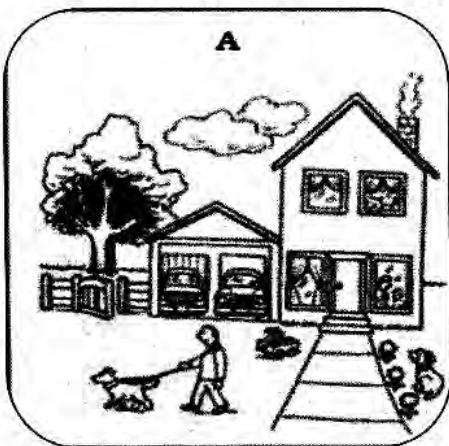
08. Read the following paragraph and write the **underlined words** in the correct boxes.

The old man stood under the great tree and looked towards the hills. The heavy rain poured down on him from the thick clouds and his wet clothes stuck to his skin. Soon the rain stopped and the sun came out.

Nouns	Verbs	Adjectives
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....

(1 X 10 = 10 marks)

09. Read the sentences given and write the letter of the picture [ **A** or **B** ] in front of each sentence. *The first one is done for you.*



- a) There is one big window in the house. [.....**A**.....]
- b) There is smoke coming out from the chimney. [.....]
- c) The man is strolling with the dog. [.....]
- d) The woman is strolling with the dog. [.....]
- e) There is a chair in the garden. [.....]
- f) The sun is shining brightly. [.....]
- g) There is a gate closer to the garage. [.....]
- h) There is a big car and a small car in the garage. [.....]
- i) A man is going into the house. [.....]
- j) There is a cart near the path. [.....]
- k) Some clouds are in the sky. [.....]

(1 X 10 = 10 marks)

10. Read the description about Mr. Nihal and write a similar description about Mrs. Nilani. Use the information given in the table.

Name	Job	Work place	Home town	Transport	Working hours	Interest
Mr. Nihal	Doctor	General hospital, Homagama	Padukka	car	9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m.	Watching movies
Mrs. Nilani	English teacher	Anula Vidyalaya, Kadugannawa.	Kandy	scooter	7.30 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.	Singing

Mr. Nihal is a doctor. He works at the General Hospital in Homagama. His home town is Padukka. He goes to work by car. He usually works from 9.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. He is interested in watching movies.

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(10 marks)

11. Read the following speech and answer the questions.

Most Venerable Sumangla, dear teachers and friends, I am going to speak a few words on "Gal Viharaya in Polonnaruwa". The Gal Vihara was originally known as Uttararama. It is a rock temple. It is in North Central Province in Sri Lanka. It was built in the 12<sup>th</sup> century by King Parakramabahu I. There are three statues: one is a large seated statue, another is a smaller seated statue carved inside a standing statue and the last one is a reclining statue. These are considered to be some of the best examples of ancient Sinhalese sculpting and carving arts. This has made the Gal Vihara the most visited monument in Polonnaruwa. So, as Buddhists we should visit it and protect it. Now I am going to wind up my speech. Thanks for your attentive listening.

a) Give another name for Gal Viharaya?

.....

b) Who built Gal Viharaya?

.....

c) How does the speaker end up his speech?

.....

d) Find similar words from the text for the following words. (1/2 x 2 = 3 Marks)

1. middle - .....

2. old - .....

e) What do the underlined words in the speech refer to? (1/2 x 2 = 3 Marks)

1. it - .....

2. these - .....

(3 X 5 = 15 marks)

12. Given below are the things done by Venerable Suguna last Monday. Read them and complete his diary page. *The first one is done for you.*

### Things Venerable Suguna did

- woke up / 5 O'clock
- drank / a glass of water
- helped / clean the pirivena premises
- participated in an alms giving
- went to pirivena / came back
- did homework / went to bed

1) *I woke up at 5 O'clock in the morning.*

2.).....

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3.).....

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4.).....

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5.).....

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6.).....

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*(3 X 5 = 15 marks)*



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Primary Piriven Mid Term Test - 2019

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Time : Three hours

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Index Number

### Paper I

01. Fill in the blanks with correct letters. Use **able/tion/ment/ous/cal**

1. typi .....	2. danger .....	3. situa .....
4. treat .....	5. comfort .....	

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

02. Fill in the blanks with correct prepositions given in the box. **The first one is done for you**

Venerable Ganemulle Pagngnathilaka is a Bhikku of higher ordination. He gets up early..... the morning and he worships the Buddha ..... about 6.30 a.m. He likes to meditate ..... the Bo tree. Then he goes ..... alms begging. He likes ..... help poor people and the Bhikkus in the temple when they are ill.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

to      at      in      under      of      for

03. Look at the picture and complete the paragraph.



This is a picture of a shramadhana **campaign**. They are cleaning the ..... to the village temple. We can see the temple behind them . A man is weeding with a..... A boy is pushing a..... The ..... is between the Bo-tree and shrine room. The ..... is in the shrine room.

road   campaign   statue      wheelbarrow      stupa      mamoty

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

04. Read the following notice and answer the questions given below.

A Bodhi Pooja  
Will be held in Aryasingharamaya  
On 21<sup>st</sup> of December 2019  
At 7.30 p.m.  
Conducted by Venerable Kosgolle Chandavimala  
All are requested be present.  
Organized by  
The Buddhist society of the Dhamma School

1. Where does the Bodhi pooja take place? .....
2. Who conducts the Bodhi pooja .....
3. When will the Bodhi pooja be held? .....
4. At what time is the Bodhi pooja? .....
5. Who organizes it? .....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

5 Read the following information and complete the bio-data given below. **Put the correct number in the space**

a Thakshila Vidyalaya , Galenbindunuwewa.

b passed G.C.E. (A/L) Arts

c 10<sup>th</sup>December 1998.

d 2 years as a computer operator

e Sri Lankan.

f Parakkrama Subasinghe.

g 21years old

h Police station road ,Galenbindunuwewa.

i P.Subasinghe

j Mrs Swarna Weerapola, the principal, Thakshila Vidyalaya, Galenbindunuwewa

1. Name with initials - .....

2. Name in full - .....

3. Address - .....

4. Date of birth - .....

5. Age .....

6. Nationality - .....

7. School attended - .....

8. Educational qualifications - .....

9. Work experience - .....

10 Name and address of the referee- .....

(1/2 X 10 = 5 marks)

6. Write five things you did during the last week. **Follow the example given below.**

e.g: I cleaned my room.

1. ....

2. ....

3. ....

4. ....

5. ....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

07. Read the passage on Kohomba tree and find following information.

The Kohomba tree has a medicinal value. The Tamils call it 'Vempu'. The flowering season of the tree is between March and April. Every part of this tree taste bitter. It has yellowish fruits. It is used to make herbal oil. The seed is valuable as an insecticide. Some use the twig of the tree as a tooth brush. The green leaves are insects resistant.

1. The passage is about -.....
2. Flowering season-.....
3. Taste -.....
4. Colour of the fruit-.....
5. Use of the fruit -.....

*(1 X 5 = 5 marks)*

08. Write a paragraph on one of the following topics. Use about 40-50 words.

- Sigiriya.
- Vesak festival.

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*( 05 marks)*

*Part II*

09. Fill in the blanks with correct reflexive pronoun.

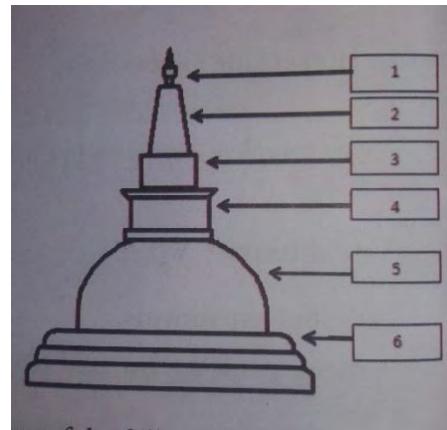
1. Devdunu made a Vesak lantern by **himself**
2. Venerable Sir, You can do this activity by.....
3. She cleaned the flower stands by .....
4. Students, can you check the books .....?
5. We can protect our country by.....
6. The boys dressed ..... in white.

[ yourselves / themselves/ herself/ himself/yourself/ourselves]

(1 X 5= 5 marks)

10. Name the parts of the stupa. First one is done for you.

1	<i>Pinnacle</i>
2	
3	
4	
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{ *pinnacle / Basal rings / the dome/ the ring of the deity images / the square Chamber / pinnacle rings }* }

(1 X 5= 5 marks)

11 . Read and complete the paragraph.

A dictionary is a .....from which people can find out what words mean, how they are..... and pronounced. The words are arranged in ..... order. Thus **abroad** comes before..... because ‘ r ‘ comes before ‘ s ‘ and so on. The ..... of every letter is taken into consideration. The..... is given in signs that stand for various sounds. These signs are explained in ..... to the dictionary. Then an abbreviation or a ..... form will show the part of speech, e.g. ( n ) for a ..... (adj. ) stands for ..... and so on.

( noun/ adjective /order / pronunciation/short /alphabetical / book spelt / absent / Introduction )

(05 marks)

12 Select the suitable question words to make meaningful questions .

whom	who	what	where	whose
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1. .... is your father’s name? My father is Mr. Mahinda Silva
2. .... won the first place in the competition? Sithija .
3. .... are you from ? I ’m from Nuwara Eliya.
4. .... umbrella is this? This is mine.
5. .... do you want to meet? I want to meet Venerable Nagitha

(05 marks)

13 Complete the following note using the given words/phrases

- a. Thanks for your invitation.
- b. Ven. Sujatha.
- c. 25<sup>th</sup> of December 2019
- d. I would like to come for the Bodhi – Pooja.
- e. Dear Venerable. Kovida.

(10marks)

14 Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

### The Bird

The cuckoo is fine bird  
She sings, she flies  
She brings good news  
She tells no lies  
She sips flowers  
To keep her voice clear  
And when she sings  
The summer is never

1. Write the name of the bird. ....
2. What does she do? ....
3. What does she bring? ....
4. Write ***an adjective***..... and ***an adverb*** .....
5. Which season is near when she sings .....

(1X 5= 05 marks)

15 Read following passage and answer the questions.

Kelaniya Raja Maha Viharaya.

One of the most sacred Buddhist temples in Sri Lanka is the Kelaniya Raja Maha Viharaya, which stands majestically in the heart of Kelaniya, facing the Kelani river. It is only 11 km from Colombo. The annual perahara or the Duruthu perahara of the Kelaniya temple is held in January.

It is said, that Buddha's third visit to Sri Lanka was to Kelaniya, following an invitation by Naga King named Maniakkitha over 2500 years ago to settle a dispute between Chulodara and Mahodara over a gem studded chair. On his arrival King Maniakkitha offered the gem studded chair to Lord Buddha to preach Dhamma seated on it. Later King Maniakkitha constructed a dagaba or a pagoda which has taken the shape of a heap of paddy, whereas, the other dagabas in Sri Lanka take the shape of a bell or a bubble. The gem studded chair is believed to be enshrined in this Dagaba.

1. What is the topic of the passage ?
2. How far is to this temple from Colombo ?
3. When is the annual perahara of this temple ?
4. Who invited the Lord Buddha to visit this temple ?
5. Why was the Lord Buddha invited to visit Kelaniya ? (10marks)

16 .Write an essay on one of the following topics.

- Dalada Maligawa.
- The alms giving stalls ( Dansala)

Or Prepare speech on one of the following topics

- Gal Viharaya.
- My Country.

(15 marks)



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இரண்டாம் தவணைப் பர்ட்செ - 2022

Mid-Year Term Test - 2022

One Hour

English Language - I

Index No: .....

Grade 03

- Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

### Test 01

Fill in the blanks with the correct group of letters given in the box. **The first one is done for you.**

(05 marks)

1. Diction ... <b>ary</b> ...	logy
2. techno.....	hood
3. infor.....	ous
4. brother.....	<b>ary</b>
5. danger.....	ient
6. anc.....	mation

### Test 02

Put the words in the correct column. **One is done for you.**

(05 marks)

root , van , bark , forehead , ankle , branch , train , stomach , elbow , lorry , bus

Parts of the body	Vehicles	Parts of a tree
	<b>bus</b>	

### Test 03

Study the picture and fill in the blanks with the correct words. Write the correct letter of the word in the blank.  
**One is done for you.**

(05 marks)



- a. father
- b. monk
- c. three
- d. food
- e. offering
- f. boy
- g. mountain
- h. plantain
- i. standing
- j. looking
- k. begging

This is a picture of a morning. There are (1) ..... people and a (2) ..... **b**..... in this picture. There is a man (3) ..... morning alms to the alms-begging monk. The monk has a (4) ..... bowl in his hands. There is a girl (5) ..... behind the man and she is (6) ..... at the monk. The man seems to be her (7) ..... . There is a (8) ..... with some (9) ..... in his hands. There is a (10) ..... tree behind the houses. A (11) ..... can be seen in the background of the picture.

#### Test 04

Match the questions with the responses. Put the correct letter in the box. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

Questions		Responses
1. What does your father do?	<b>b</b>	a. Milk rice.
2. What is your name?		<b>b. He is a teacher.</b>
3. Do you have any brothers or sisters?		c. Ven. Sugatha Thero
4. What is your favourite food?		d. I am Venerable Kusala.
5. Who is your best friend?		e. I would like to be a teacher.
6. What is your ambition?		f. Yes. I have only one sister.

#### Test 05

Read the notice and answer the questions.

(05 marks)

<b>NOTICE</b>
The Annual Pirith Chanting Ceremony
of Vidyaraja Senior Pirivena, Kuliyanpitiya
will be held on 3 <sup>rd</sup> December, 2022
from 7.30 p.m. onwards.
The Chief Guest is Ven. Koswatte Saranankara Thero.
All are invited.
Organizing Committee

1. What is this notice about? .....
2. Where will the ceremony be held? .....
3. Who is the chief guest? .....
4. When will it be held? .....
5. What time will it start? .....

### Test 06

Underline the correct preposition to complete the sentences. ***The first one is done for you.*** (05 marks)

1. My mother buys fruits ..... (*on, at, by*) the fair.
2. The Dansala is open ..... (*for, about, until*) every person in the society.
3. I usually sweep the classroom ..... (*by, with, on*) myself.
4. The pictures ..... (*within, of, up*) the Jathaka Stories are in the shrine room.
5. Many devotees observe Sil ..... (*on, in, with*) Poya days.
6. Can I participate ..... (*over, in, on*) this competition?

### Test 07

Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.

(05 marks)

Venerable Suguna is a very kind monk in our temple. He wakes up at 5.00 a.m. and worships the Buddha around 5.30 a.m. After cleaning the temple terrace, he takes a little rest. He is good at chanting Pirith and conducting Bodhi Puja. Venerable Suguna helps everyone in the temple. He can read, write and speak in English well. Devotees like him a lot.

1. Who is the monk mentioned in the text?

.....

2. What does he do at 5.30 am?

.....

3. What is he good at?

.....

4. Can he speak Tamil well?

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5. Who likes him?

.....

Test 08

Write a paragraph on one of the following. Use about 50 words.

(05 marks)

- a) *Poson Poya Day*
- b) *My Best Friend*



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இரண்டாம் தவணைப் பரිநீச - 2022

Mid-Year Term Test - 2022

Two Hour

English Language - II

Index No: .....

Grade 03

- Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

### Test 09

Fill in the blanks with words given in the brackets.

(05 marks)

(of, oldest, founded, another, come)

Sri Lanka has a long history. The first capital of Sri Lanka was Anuradhapura. It was (1) ..... by Minister Anuradha. He was one of the members of the King Vijaya's team. Anuradhapura is in the North Central Province (2) ..... the country. It is an ancient city and there are eight sacred places there. Jaya Sri Maha Bodhi, which is known as the (3) ..... tree in the world, is also in Anuradhapura. Ruwanweli Maha Seya is (4) ..... important stupa in the country and it is also in Anuradhapura. There are a lot of lakes and ruins there and many visitors (5) ..... to Anuradhapura every day.

### Test 10

Underline the most suitable word within bracket to complete the sentences.

(05 marks)

1. These sums are not very ..... (difficultly, difficult, difficulties)
2. Ven. Sujatha spoke to me ..... (kind, kinder, kindly)
3. The boy looked at me ..... (sadder, sad, sadly)
4. This lesson is ..... than that. (easily, easy, easier)
5. Katina Ceremony is celebrated at the end of the ..... season. (rainy, raining, rain)

### Test 11

Read the story and complete these sentences.

(5 marks)

There was once a very thirsty cat. This cat found a jug half-full of milk. She tried to lap up the milk, but the neck of the jug was too narrow. She could not reach the milk with her tongue. Soon a bright idea came into her head. She dipped her paw into the jug and brought it out covered with milk. Then she licked the milk off her paw. She did this again until all milk was gone.

a. The neck of the jar was too .....

b. The cat's tongue could not ..... the milk

c. A bright ..... came to her suddenly.

d. She ..... her paw clean.

e. In the end all the milk was .....

## Test 12

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

(05 marks)

### Little Blackbird

*There was a little blackbird up in a tree.  
I looked up at him and he looked down at me.  
He looked so happy just sitting with a smile.  
That I looked at him for just a little while.  
But then he did something that shook me.  
He smacked me with by surprise  
A snowball right between my eyes.*

1. What is this poem about? .....
2. What did he look like? .....
3. Where was the blackbird? .....
  
4. Find opposite words for the following words from the poem.
  - a. *big* - .....
  - b. *standing* - .....
5. Write words rhyming words for the words given below.
  - a. *tree* - .....
  - b. *smile* - .....

## Test 13

Use correct punctuation marks and rewrite the sentences in the given space. (e.g. capital letters, full stop, comma, question mark etc.) (05 marks)

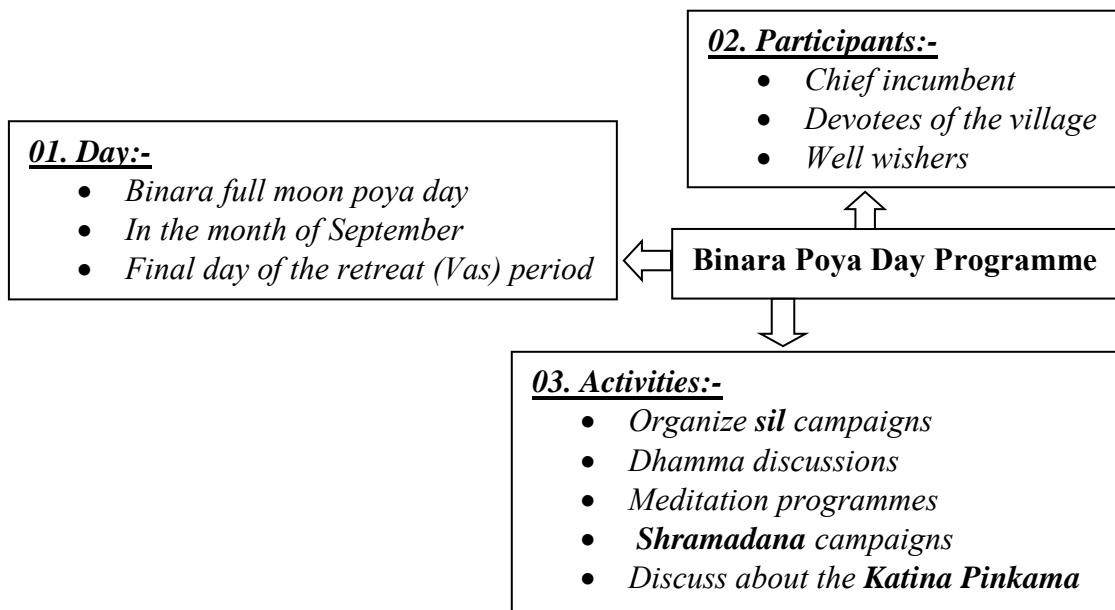
1. i love English  
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2. do you like pizza  
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3. They dont know his name  
.....
4. he likes Pali Maths and English.  
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5. how are you  
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## Test 14

Answer **one** of the following. Use about 75 words

(10 marks)

- a) Write a letter to your friend who is in another pirivena to invite him to an art exhibition in your pirivena. Inform him /her the date, time and the venue. Explain the things he / she can see at the exhibition and the activities he / she can engage in.
- b) Write a description about “Binara Poya Day Programme”. Use the following guidelines.
- c)



## Test 15

Read the following text and answer the questions.

(10 marks)

We celebrate the Sinhala and Tamil new year in the month of April every year. It is not only a national but also a cultural festival celebrated by all the Sri Lankans for a long time. The Sinhala and Tamil New year festival is a harvest festival. After harvesting in the paddy field, farmers offer the first part of the harvest to the Sun God. They celebrate the festival annually and they do many daily activities at auspicious times on that day. They visit their friends and relatives with many different tasty food items and presents. They give a sheaf of Betel and forget about their previous years' annoyances with them. The visitors "say good bye" to the host and return home.

1. Are these statements *true* (T) or *false* (F)? Write "T" or "F" against each statement. (4 marks)

- a. It is only a national festival. ....
- b. Farmers give the first part of the harvest to the God Siva. ....
- c. Sri Lankans celebrate the festival annually. ....
- d. They do daily activities at auspicious times. ....

2. What festival is described here? (1 marks)

.....

3. When is it held? (1 marks)

.....

4. To whom do the farmers offer their first part of the harvest? (1 marks)

.....

5. What do people bring to their friends? (1 marks)

.....

6. Find similar words for the following. (2 marks)

a. *every year* - .....

b. *give* - .....

## Test 16

Answer one of the following. Use about 150 words.

(15 marks)

a) Write an essay on a trip / pilgrimage you went recently.

- *Where you went.*
- *When you went.*
- *With whom you went*
- *What you saw*
- *What you did*
- *How you felt*

b) A speech you are going to make at the assembly on “*My Favourite Subject*”.

- *What subject you like*
- *Why you like it*
- *The advantages of this subject*

c) Write a folk story or a Jathaka Story that you have read or heard.



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*Answer all the questions on this paper itself.*

### Test 01

Study the pictures and write the **compound nouns**. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

Word 1	Word 2	Compound noun
		handbag
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		.....
		.....
		.....
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### Test 02

Use the following prefixes to make the opposites of the words given. *One is done for you.*

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 05$  marks)

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1. connect	- <u>dis</u> connect	7. advantage	- ..... advantage
2. social	- .....social	8. agree	- .....agree
3. kind	- .....kind	9. visible	- .....visible
4. like	- .....like	10. correct	- .....correct
5. possible	- ..... possible	11. virus	- .....virus
6. pleasant	- .....pleasant		

### Test 03

Study the picture given below and fill in the blanks with the correct words. **Write the correct letter** of the word in the blank. ***One is done for you.***  $(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 05 \text{ marks})$



- a. trying
- b. stupa
- c. cat
- d. sitting
- e. scape
- f. bushes
- g. bird
- h. tree
- i. monk
- j. ekel-broom
- k. barking

This picture shows a temple garden. There is a (1) .....i....., a man, a dog and a cat in this picture. The (2) ..... is sleeping on a branch of a tree and the monk is (3) ..... to catch it. The man is on the (4) ..... He is (5) ..... on a branch to (6) ..... from the dog. The dog is (7) ..... at the man. There is a (8) ..... singing on another branch. A (9) ..... can be seen in the background of the picture. There is an (10) ..... on the ground. There are some (11) ..... around the tree.

### Test 04

Fill in the blanks of the following dialogue. Use **suitable responses** given in the box. **Write the correct number** in the space given. ***The frist one is done for you.*** (05 marks)

1. Good morning! Nice to see you too.	2. practising
3. our English Day competitions	4. You are welcome!
5. announcement	6. informing me

Ven. Nanda : - Good morning Venerable Nanda! Glad to see you.

Ven. Saradha : - (1) ...1...

Ven. Nanda : - Did you hear that announcement? (2) ..... are going to be held next week.

Ven. Saradha : - Oh! Really? I didn't hear that (3) ..... How did you come to know?

Ven. Nanda : - Our English teacher told me. We have already started (4) ..... our events.

Ven. Saradha : - Thank you very much for (5) .....

Ven. Nanda : - (6) .....

## Test 05

Read the following notice and **fill in the chart** given below. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

### NOTICE

All grade 3 students are requested to be present at the pirivena main hall on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00 a.m. There will be a special speech on "The importance of reading" by Most Venerable Prof. GampahaVimalajothi theru.

Secretary,  
English Association

1. Participants	All grade 3 students
2. Venue	
3. Date	
4. Time	
5. Guest Speaker	
6. Topic	

## Test 06

Complete the sentences using the correct **reflexive pronouns** given within the box. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

himself, herself, itself, themselves, myself, ourselves

1. Nun. Suneetha prepared her tea herself.
2. I washed my clothes .....
3. He cannot express ..... clearly.
4. Malith and Dushan organized a drama by .....
5. We ..... repaired the fence.
6. The bird made the nest by .....

## Test 07

Read the following paragraph and **answer the questions** given below.

(05 marks)

### Poya Day

Poya day is the most important day for Buddhists. People practise charity, good conduct and meditation on a poya day. Many Buddhists listen to Dhamma sermons and discussions at home or at the temple. We can see Buddhists engage in many meritorious deeds on a poya day. Observing sil, lighting lamps and incense sticks, offering alms are some of them. All these activities help to develop our minds morally and spiritually.

1. What is the most important day for Buddhists?

.....

2. Who practises good deeds on a poya day?

.....

3. How do all these deeds develop our minds?

.....

4. Write **two** activities Buddhists do on poya days.

I .....

II .....

5. Complete the sentence with a word from the text.

Observing sil and offering alms are ..... activities.

## Test 08

Write a paragraph on the **following topics**. **Use about 50 words.**

(05 marks)

- a. My Favourite Person
- b. Anuradapura Historical City

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**Answer all the question on this paper itself.**

### Test 09

Complete the sentences selecting the correct words in the brackets. There is an extra word in each group.  
**One is done for you.** (05 marks)

- Today the (1) .... **rain**..... is very heavy. Luckily, I have my (2) ..... (*parcel, rain, umbrella*)
- On the way to (3) ..... our (4) ..... broke down. It took two (5) ..... to repair it. (*bag, hours, pirivena, bus*)
- The time is (6) ..... o'clock. Rev.Sumedha is still (7) ..... TV. He has to (8) ..... now. (*sleep, ten, sitting, watching*)
- I'm so (9) ..... . We have (10) ..... our debate by ten (11) ..... (*won, happy, match, points*)

### Test 10

Join the two sentences using the conjunctions given within brackets. **One is done for you.**

(05 marks)

1. We go on a trip by bus. We go on a trip by train. (**or**)

*We go on a trip by bus or train.*

2. I like him. He doesn't like me. (**but**)

.....

3. It was a holiday. We went on a trip yesterday. (**as**)

.....

4. It was raining. We didn't play tennis. (**so**)

.....

5. All the students stopped shouting. The teacher entered the classroom. (**when**)

.....

6. I leave for pirivena. I worship my chief incumbent. (**before**)

.....

## Test 11

Fill in the blanks with the plural form of the nouns. **One is done for you.**

(05 marks)

- 1) We bought two knives (*knife*) to cut the vegetables.
- 2) How many ..... (*apple*) are in the bucket now?
- 3) There were lots of ..... (*toy*) in that shop.
- 4) There are four parallel ..... (*class*) for grade one.
- 5) I saw some ..... (*child*) under the Bo tree.
- 6) I brush my ..... (*tooth*) in the morning.

## Test 12

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

(07 marks)

### The Bus Driver's Wail

Within prison cell  
All night I awake  
My thought all 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 the 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) What is the topic of this poem?

.....

(01 mark)

- 2) Where is he now?

.....

(01 mark)

- 3) What was his crime?

.....

(01 mark)

- 4) Find similar words from the poem.

a) pain : .....

b) supply : .....

(02 marks)

- 5) Write rhyming words.

a) eat : .....

b) fine : .....

(02 marks)

### Test 13

Use punctuation marks where necessary. (e.g. capital letters, full stop, question mark, apostrophe, comma etc.)  $(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 05 \text{ marks})$

1. saman didnt go to work yesterday.

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2. I'll lend you a map of india

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3. did he say anything about me

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4. although they are poor they are happy.

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5. Sorry sir hes at a meeting now.

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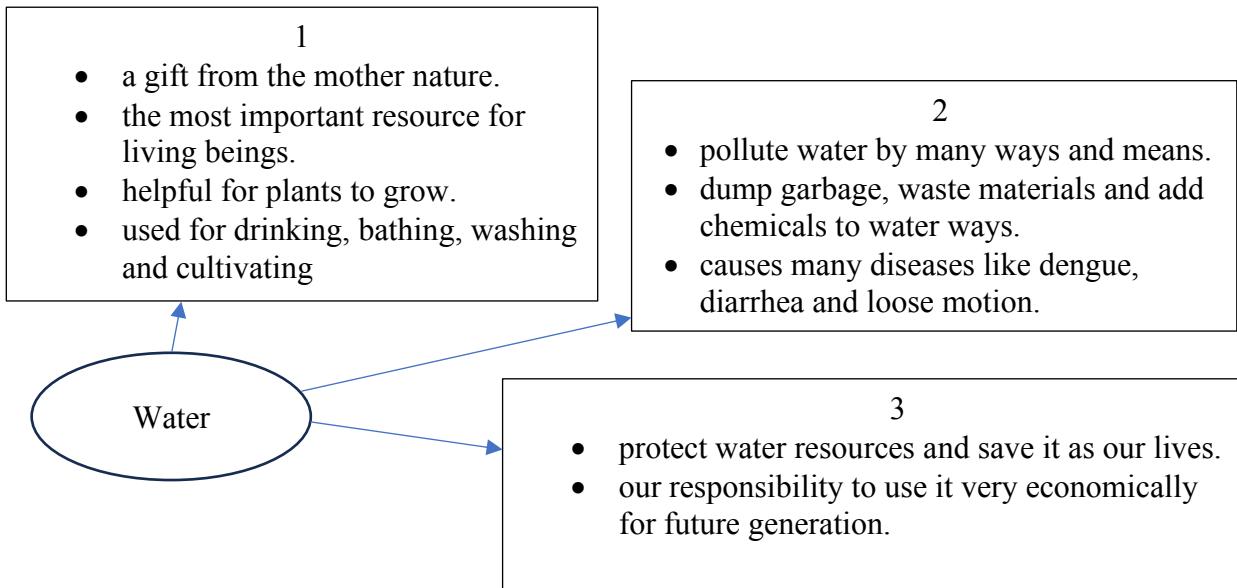
### Text 14

Write only on one of the following. Use about 75 words.

(10 marks)

a) You are planning to go on a trip to Kandy during the school vacation. Write a letter to one of your friends to invite him to your trip. Include necessary information.

b) Read the following facts and write an information report on “Water”.



## Test 15

Read the paragraph and answer the following questions.

(08 marks)

### Kumana National Park

Kumana National Park is the most famous birds paradise of Srilanka. It is situated in the Hambanthota District. It covers about 35000 hectares. There is a mangrove swamp called "Kumana Villu". We can see nearly 255 species of birds during April - July. Painted Storks, Spoon bills, ducks and black crowned night heron are some of them. Both local and foreign tourists are attracted to this park because of the scenic beauty. And also, it is an ideal place for a wonderful safari.

1. What is the most famous paradise of Sri Lanka?
2. Where is it located?
3. How many species can be seen in this park?
4. When the birds can be seen nearly?
5. Why is this park attracted by tourists?
6. Write two names of birds mentioned in this text

1.....  
2.....

7. Complete the sentence

Kumana is one of the best place to go on a .....

## Test 16

Answer one of the following. Use about 100 words.

(15 marks)

- a) Write an essay on "**How do you spend your free time**".

Include the following

- the things you do in your free time.
- How do you manage it
- benefits you get

- b) Write the speech that you would make at the speech competition in your pirivena on "Let's protect our environment"**

Include the following

- what is environment
- ways the environment can be polluted<sup>8</sup>
- How you protect the environment
- benefits of keeping environment clean

- c) Write a Jathaka Story or a Folk Tale you have read or heard.**

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## Piriven Midterm Examination - 2024

05 E I

1 Hour

Grade 03

### (05) English Language - Paper I

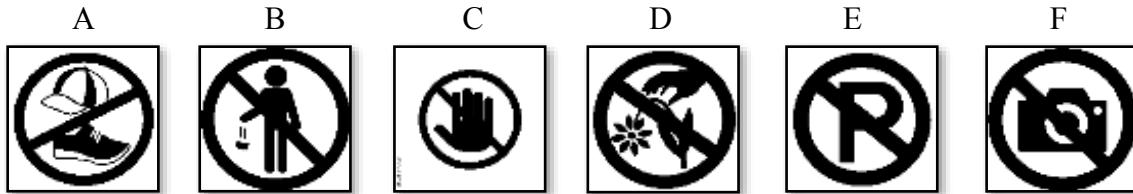
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Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

#### Test 1

Match the pictures with correct instructions. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)



- i. Do not touch. (.....)
- ii. No parking. (.....)
- iii. Do not pick flowers. (.....)
- iv. Do not wear hats and shoes. (.....)
- v. Do not take photos. (.....)
- vi. Do not litter. (.....)

#### Test 2

Use the suitable **prefix** to complete the word in the sentences. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

re, anti, un, dis, re, dis

1. My brother always ..... **dis** ..... agrees with my idea.
2. King Ajasatta was ..... kind to his father.
3. The castle was ..... built by his great grandson in 1859.
4. We have installed a new ..... virus software.
5. My teacher asked me to ..... write the essay.
6. The teacher advised some ..... obedient students.

### Test 3

Study the picture given below and fill in the blanks with the words given in the box. ***The first one is done for you.***

(05 marks)

tray / tuskers / **three** / beside / behind / relic / drummers / procession / them / man / bearers



This is a picture of a procession. There are (1)..... **three** ..... tuskers walking majestically. One of (2) ..... is carrying the (3) ..... casket. Two flag (4) ..... are going (5) ..... the tuskers. There is another (6) ..... walking with them carrying a (7) ..... of flowers. A mahout can be seen (8) ..... the tuskers. There are three (9) ..... and two men in front of the (10) ..... . All of them add colour to the (11) ..... .

### Test 4

**Underline the gerund** given in the sentences.

(05 marks)

- 1) Talking with people to get information is my job.
- 2) Ven. Soratha enjoys learning English.
- 3) I like living in the countryside.
- 4) All the students love swimming in the river.
- 5) Meditating is good for all.

### Test 5

Complete the sentences using the **correct adverbs** given within the box. *The first one is done for you.*  
(05 marks)

bravely	late	fast	<i>nicely</i>	early	carefully
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1. Ven. Rahula has a perfect voice, so he recites the poems ..... *nicely* .....
2. Nun Vishaka gets up ..... and finishes cleaning before 6 a.m.
3. Nithum comes to *pirivena* ..... every day. It's a very bad habit.
4. Express trains run very .....
5. The road is wet. Walk .....
6. *Veera Puran Appu* fought for freedom .....

### Test 6

Read the following note and fill the grid given below. *One is done for you.*

(05 marks)

05.10.2024
Dear Kamal,
Our Variety Entertainment will be held on 12 <sup>th</sup> October, 2024 in the Town Hall. It will begin at 9.00 a.m. I am taking part in a Kandyan dance and it is at 10.50 a.m. The Director of Education is the chief guest. Please come in time.
Sampath

i.	Event	
ii.	Date	
iii.	Venue	
iv.	Starts at	
v.	Chief guest	
vi.	Writer's event	<i>Kandyan dance</i>

## Test 7

Read the following paragraph and answer the questions.

(05 marks)

Ven. Upali, Viraj and Saman are students. Saman has a bicycle. He goes to Pirivena with his friend on his bicycle but Ven. Upali travels by bus. Viraj wears a pair of shorts and a white shirt to Pirivena. Viraj and Saman leave home at 7.00 in the morning. The Pirivena ends at 1:30 p.m. Viraj and Saman get back home at 2:30 p.m.

- i. What are the names of the boys? .....
- ii. What does Viraj wear to pirivena? .....
- iii. How does Ven. Upali come to pirivena? .....
- iv. At what time do the boys leave home? .....
- v. When do Saman and Viraj return home? .....

Test 8

Write a paragraph on **one** of the following topics. **Use about 50 words.**

(05 marks)

- a) My hobby.
- b) How I Spent last week.



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05 E II

Grade 03

2 Hours

### (05) English Language - Paper II

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Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

#### Test 9

Put the following sentences into passive voice. ***The first one is done for you.***

(05 marks)

i. The secretary wrote a letter.

***A letter was written by the secretary***

.....

ii. Kings built Buddhist temples.

.....

iii. The devotees painted the cloud wall.

.....

iv. The pupils finished the project on time.

.....

v. Gurukula Pirivena launched a new website.

.....

vi. Our teacher gave an assignment.

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#### Test 10

Read the text and **underline** the most suitable word given within brackets. ***The first one is done for you.***

(05 marks)

The giraffe (1) ..... ( has / is ) a long neck that helps it to get food from (2) .....  
( low / high ) places. It can bite off the leaves of the (3) ..... ( bottom / top ) of a tree, and it can munch flowers on tall trees. A male giraffe (4) ..... ( moves / attacks ) with (5) ..... ( his / her ) neck. This is called neck fighting. Two males (6) ..... ( hit / walk ) each other with their heads, and they fight until they get tired.

### Test 11

This is an extract from a fiction. Fill in the blanks with the words given in the box. ***The first one is done for you.*** (05 marks)

sisters / because / have / at / rice / her / ~~go~~ / younger / she / a / invites

Lila decides to (1) ..... ***go*** ..... to the market with the little money, they have, and wears (2) ..... best sari. She feels (3) ..... and happier and sets off alongside a few other women. There is a temple (4) ..... the end of the village lane, and there (5) ..... sees her friend Mina, who tells her that actors (6) ..... arrived and they will be performing (7) ..... play. Lila is envious that Mina can watch the show from her house (8) ..... she lives in the village center instead of by the shore. Mina (9) ..... her to watch, but Lila refuses because she cannot leave her (10) ..... at home alone at night. Mina accompanies Lila to the market to buy (11) ..... and sugar.

### Test 12

Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

(05 marks)

#### Tree

A poem lovely as a tree.  
I think that I shall never see  
A tree whose hungry mouth is prest  
Against the earth's sweet flowing breast;  
A tree that looks at God all day,  
And lifts her leafy arms to pray;  
A tree that may in summer wear  
A nest of robins in her hair;  
Upon whose bosom snow has lain;  
Who intimately lives with rain.  
Poems are made by fools like me,  
But only God can make a tree.

Joyce Kilmer

a) Who has written this poem? ..... (01marks)  
b) What is this poem about? ..... (01marks)  
c) Where does a tree look all day? ..... (01marks)  
d) Find adjectives from the poem and fill in the blanks. (1/2 x 2 marks)

(i) ..... mouth (ii) ..... arms

e) Find rhyming words for the following words. (1/2 x 2 marks)

(i) day - ..... (ii) wear - .....

### Test 13

Fill in the blanks using the **correct form of the verb**.

(05 marks)

- i. Students have ..... (write) articles on different topics.
- ii. Our teacher has ..... (go) to the library.
- iii. Ven. Ananda has ..... (organize) the meeting.
- iv. I have not ..... (meet) them before.
- v. Have you ever ..... (visit) India?

### Test 14

Answer **one** of the following questions.

(10 marks)

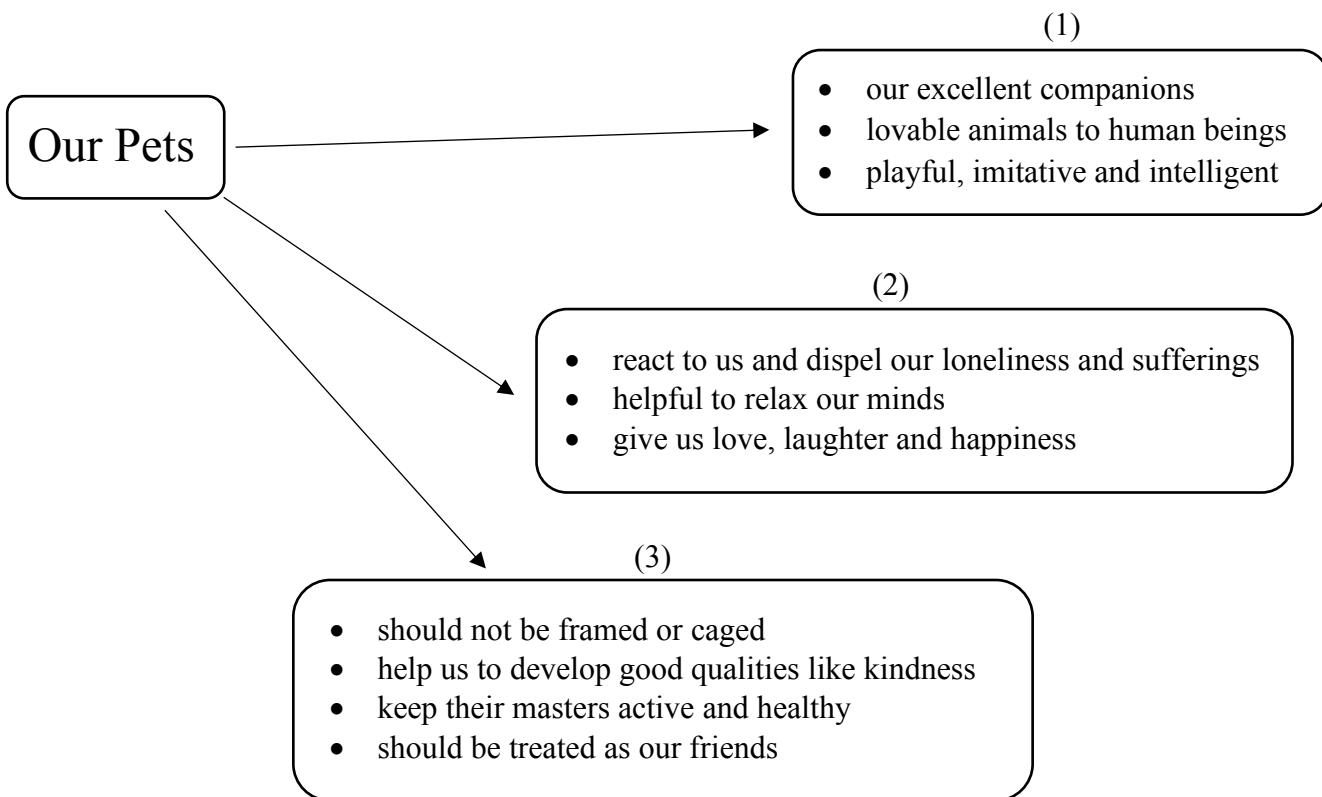
- a. Your friend promised to send some books to you for the exam. Write a letter to him/her asking for the books. **Use about 75 words.**

Include the following:

- types of books you want
- where and how often you read
- with whom you share the books

Or

- b. The following chart shows some information about pets. Write a description about "**Our Pets**" using the information. **Use about 75 words.**



## Test 15

Read the following text and answer the questions.

(10 marks)

You can see the sun, stars, and the moon in the sky. The sun is up during the day. It is very hot. The sun gives us light and heat. Plants need sunlight to grow. We can see the stars only at night. **They** give off light and heat, like the sun. That is because the sun is a star too. There are more stars than we can count.

Some people see shapes in the stars. A group of stars that make a shape is called a constellation. Have you ever seen the Big Dipper? That is a constellation! The moon is out at night. Sometimes we can still see it during the day. It does not give off its own light and heat.

1. State whether the following statements are *True* or *False*.

- i. You can see the sun at night. ....
- ii. Plants do not need sunlight. ....
- iii. The sun is a star. ....
- iv. The moon gives us light and heat. ....

(1/2 x 4 = 2 marks)

2. Name two things you can see in the sky.

(i) ..... (ii) ..... (1/2 x 2 = 1 mark)

### 3. Can we see shapes in the stars?

(1 mark)

4. What is a constellation?

..... (1mark)

5. What do the underlined words in the text refer to;

They - ..... It - ..... ( $1 \times 2 = 2$  mark)

6. Find the opposite words from the text.

(i) Day ..... (ii) Cold ..... ( $1 \times 2 = 2$  marks)

7. Underline the correct answer.

We cannot see ..... during the day time.

(i) moon (ii) stars (1 mark)

## Test 16

Answer **one** of the following questions. **Use about 100 words.**

(15 marks)

a. Write an **essay** on "My Favourite Person".

Include;

- Name, age, etc.
- His / her appearance
- Why you like him / her
- What he / she is
- What you can learn from him/her

b. Write a **speech** you would make at the morning assembly on a religious place in Sri Lanka.

Include;

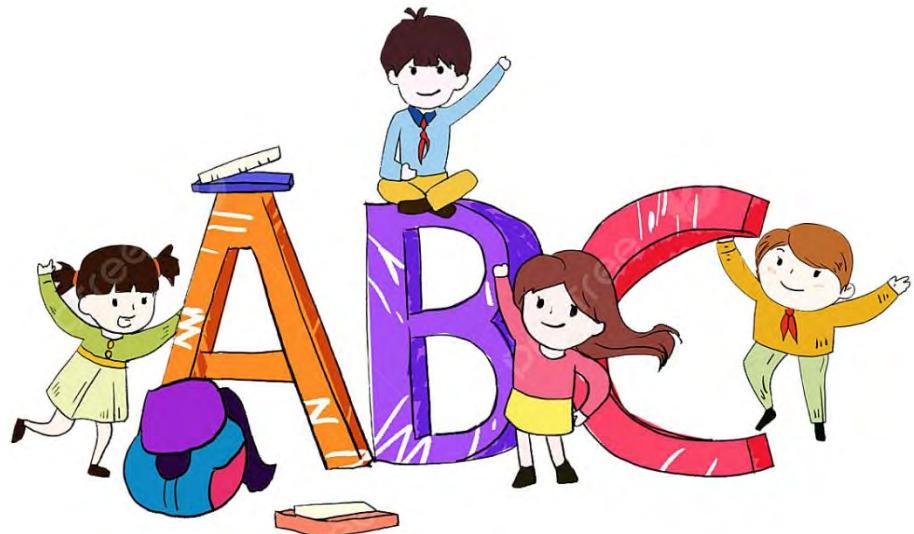
- Name of the place
- Where it is situated
- The importance of the place
- Things you can see there
- How you feel visiting it

c. Write a folktale **or** a jataka story you have read or heard.



# English

Year End Past Papers - Grade 3





### Paper I

01. Complete the dialogue using the words given in the box. *The first one is done for you.*

**Bo-tree / serene / reading / come / there / calm**

Venerable Nanda : - Where's Lahiru?

Kamal : - He is sitting near the (1) **Bo-tree**

Venerable Nanda : - What's he doing?

Kamal : - He is (2) ..... a book.

Venerable Nanda : - Shall we go (3) .....

Kamal : - Ok, let's go.

Venerable Nanda : - Lahiru, Why did you (4) ..... here to read?

Lahiru : - As you know, It's very (5) ..... here.

Venerable Nanda : - Yes, it's very calm and (6) ..... under the Bo-tree.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

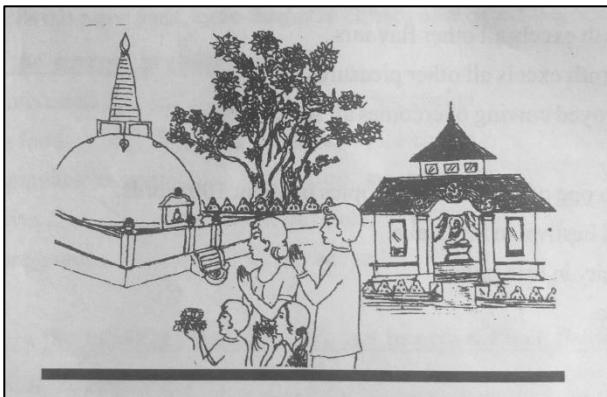
02. Fill in the blanks using the words given within brackets. *The first one is done for you.*

[ **to / under / in / on / of / from** ]

According (1) **to** Buddhist records, as the Buddha sat (2) ..... the Bo tree, six rays (3) ..... light emitted (4) ..... his body after his enlightenment. Based (5) ..... this, the Buddhist flag indicates that all different races (6) ..... the world can live happily under the shield of the Buddha's wisdom.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

03. Study the picture and fill in the blanks in the text given below. Use the words given in the box.  
*The first one is done for you.*



statue  
**temple**  
family  
Bo tree  
shrine  
ancient

This is a picture of a (1) **temple**. Four members of a (2) ..... are worshiping at the stupa. The (3) ..... is between the stupa and the (4) ..... room. The shrine is an (5) ..... one. We can see a Buddha (6) ..... through the main entrance of the shrine room.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

04. Read the poster and complete the chart. *One is done for you.*

<b>Pirivena Exhibition</b>	
On	
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2018	
At	
<b>The Pirivena Premises of Mangala</b>	
<b>Pirivena</b>	
<b>From</b>	
<b>8.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.</b>	
<i>Tickets - Rs. 10.00 for Pirivena students</i>	

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

05. Match column A with B and write the relevant letter in the box provided. *One is done for you.*

<b>A</b>	<b>Letter</b>	<b>B</b>
(1) You haven't returned my dictionary.	e	(a) Wow, that's a good idea.
(2) Could you lend me Rs. 500 please?		(b) My congratulations!
(3) Let's have a cup of tea.		(c) Sorry, I have a black one.
(4) Can I have your red pen please?		(d) Sorry, I have an empty pocket.
(5) Shall we go on a trip?		(e) Oh, I will return it tomorrow.
(6) I got through in my exam with 9 As.		(f) Of course I'd love to.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

06. Read the description about Venerable Sagara and write a similar description about Mrs. Kalpani.

Name	Job	Work place	Home town	transport	Working hours	Interest
KalpaniKumari	Doctor	teaching hospital Ragama	Galle	Car	8. a.m. to 4. p.m.	Treating patients
Ven. Sagara	Teacher	Sumangalapirivena, Yakalla.	Anuradhapura	Bus	12 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.	Teaching English to pupils.

Venerable Sagara is a teacher who works in Sumangala Pirivena at Yakalla. His home town is Anuradhapura. He comes to pirivena by bus. He usually works from 12.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. He says, he is interested in teaching English to his pupils.

Mrs. Kalpani Kumari .....

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(5 marks)

07. Read the passage and answer the questions.

Gal Viharaya in Polonnaruwa was originally known as Uttararamaya. It is a rock temple. It is in North Central Province in Sri Lanka. It was built in the 12<sup>th</sup> century by King ParakramabahuI . There are three statues; one is a large seated statue, another is a smaller seated statue carved inside a standing statue and the last one is reclining statue. These are considered to be some of the best example of ancient Sinhalese sculpting and carving arts. This made the Gal Vihara the most visited monument in Polonnaruwa.

1. What is the original name of Gal Vihara?

.....

2. Which province is it in?

.....

3. Who built it?

.....

4. How many Buddha statues are there in Gal Vihara?

.....

5. Complete the following sentence.

These statues are considered as.....

.....arts.

*(1 X 5 = 5 marks)*

08. Write a paragraph on one of the following topic. Use about 40 - 50 words.

- Vesak festival.
- Anuradhapura.

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*(1 X 5 = 5 marks)*

## Paper II

09. Fill in the blanks with the following words. *The first one is done for you.*

**sellers, sweets, you, clothes, sell, used, useful, easier, Sri Lanka, found, are**

Street markets and street (1) sellers have become a common sight in (2) ..... They are (3) ..... everywhere, in cities and their suburbs. Wherever (4) ..... go, street sellers (5) ..... a common sight. They (6) ..... vegetables, fruits, (7) ..... and ornaments. Some even sell (10) ..... We (8) ..... to buy our provisions at the fair once a week. It is (9) ..... to buy our needs on our way home from work. Therefore, street sellers are very (11) ..... to us.

*(1/2 X 10 = 5 marks)*

10. Underline the most suitable words to complete the passage given below. *The first one is done for you.*

I have a habit of looking at the sky at 1) ..... (knight / night) We can 2) ..... (see / sea) lots of 3) ..... (stars / stairs) in the dark sky. But in the day time the sky is 4) ..... (blew / blue). After looking at the sky I take my dinner. Today I have a special food item. They are Laddu. These are 5) ..... (maid / made) of 6) ..... (flower / flour). My son likes 7) ..... (two / to) have different food items 8) ..... (four / for) dinner. My 9) ..... (sun / son) is twelve 10) ..... (ears / years) old. When I go in to the room he was brushing his 11) ..... (pear / pair) of shoes.

*(1/2 X 10 = 5 marks)*

11. Read and complete the paragraph.

**festivals /sharing /different /falls / some**

Some (1) ..... like the Independence Day which (2) ..... on the 4<sup>th</sup> February are celebrated on a national scale. The Sinhala and Hindu New year falls on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> April. Both Sinhala and Hindu people have the custom of preparing and (3) ..... sweet meats and special items of food. But (4) ..... rituals in Sinhala and Hindu homes may be (5) .....

*(1 X 5 = 5 marks)*

12. Make the question for which of the following will be the answers.

01. Where .....?

She works in a school.

02. What .....?

He teaches English.

03. Who .....?

Farmers grow vegetables.

04. What .....?

The first day of the week is Sunday.

05. How many .....?

There are four members in my family.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

13. Read the dictionary page and answer the question.

domestic	100
<b>domestic</b> <i>adj</i> belonging to the home; tame. * <i>n</i> a household servant.	<b>dote</b> <i>vi</i> to be excessively fond of. <i>down</i>
<b>domesticate</b> <i>vt</i> to make domestic or tame.	<b>double</b> <i>adj</i> twice as large, as strong etc.; designed or intended for two; made of two similar parts; having two meanings, characters, etc. * <i>adv</i> twice; in twos. * <i>n</i> a number or amount that is twice as much; a person or thing identical to another. * <i>vt, vi</i> to make or become twice as much or as many; to fold, to bend; to bend sharply backwards; to have an additional purpose.
<b>domicile</b> <i>n</i> a habitation.	<b>double bass</b> <i>n</i> the lowest-toned instrument of violin class.
<b>dominant</b> <i>adj</i> ruling; prevailing over others; overlooking from a superior height.	<b>double-dealing</b> <i>n</i> duplicity.
<b>dominate</b> <i>vt</i> to rule.	<b>double-cross</b> <i>vt</i> to betray an associate; to cheat.
<b>domineer</b> <i>vi</i> to lord over others.	<b>doubt</b> <i>vi</i> to waver; to question; to suspect. * <i>vt</i> to believe to be uncertain. * <i>n</i> uncertainty; suspicion.
<b>domineering</b> <i>adj</i> overbearing.	<b>doubtful</b> <i>adj</i> feeling doubt; uncertain; suspicious.
<b>dominion</b> <i>n</i> territory with one ruler or government; authority.	<b>doubtless</b> <i>adv</i> unquestionably.
<b>domino</b> <i>n</i> ( <i>pl</i> <b>dominoes</b> ) a masquerade dress; a half-mask; ( <i>pl</i> ), a game played with dotted ivory or bone rectangles.	<b>douche</b> <i>n</i> a jet of water applied to the body.
<b>don</b> <i>n</i> a fellow of a college. * <i>vt</i> to put on.	
<b>donate</b> <i>vt</i> to bestow.	
<b>donation</b> <i>n</i> a gift.	
<b>donor</b> <i>n</i> one who gives something; one who donates blood, organs etc for medical purposes.	
<b>doom</b> <i>n</i> fate; ruin. * <i>vt</i> to condemn to	

- i. Find a similar word for **household**. ....
- ii. Write the meaning of the word **double**. ....
- iii. What is the game mentioned in the page? ....
- iv. What is the adjective of **doubt**? ....
- v. Who is a donor? ....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

14. Use the given details in the chart and write a description about the book '*Madol Duwa*'.

Name of the book	Madol Duwa
Author	Mr. Martin Wickramasinghe
Main characters	Upali / Jinna
Kind of story	Adventurous story
Story in brief	They did a lot of mischievous things And often got in to trouble , later became a kind hard working man

(10 marks)

15. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

## Communication, Then and Now

Venerable Chandawimala is a grade 3 student of Siri Mangala Pirivena. He is the chief organizer of the Pirivena Media club. This year for the pirivena's annual exhibition Venerable Chandavimala and his friends are going to organize their stall in a novel way. Their topic "Communication and Information" is very much related to what they do as the members of the Media Club and they have decided to produce a short video on the Evolution of Communication from ancient times. Mr. Darshana, teacher in charge of the

Media Club has asked Venerable Chandawimala to write the narration for the video programme.

## i. Where does Venerable Chandawimala Study?

.....

ii. What is the topic of their stall?

.....

iii. Who are going to organize the exhibition?

.....

iv. On what have they decided to produce a short video?

.....

v. What has Mr. Darshana asked Venerable Chandawimala to do?

.....

(10 marks)

16. Write on one of the following topics. Use about 150 words.

- Write an essay on one of the following topics.
  - The historical places in Sri Lanka.
  - Five precepts.
- Prepare a speech on,
  - Daladamaligawa ( The Temple of the Tooth Relic)
  - My Country

(15 marks)



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English Language

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Time : Three hours

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Index Number

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Paper I

01. Fill in the blanks with correct letters.

( tion / sion / less / ness / ment )

i. Ordina.....	vi. Care .....
ii. Ill .....	v. Entertain.....
iii. Televi.....	

(5 marks)

02. Fill in the blanks with correct prepositions given in the box.

Venerable Sumedha is a student of Siri Sugatha Mulika Pirivena.

He ..... gets up early in the morning. He ..... helps his chief incumbent Bhikku. Venerable Sumedha's hobby is reading books. He ..... reads books. He ..... forgets his homework. He ..... gets absent from pirivena.

rarely / always / never / often / usually

(5 marks)

03. Look at the picture and complete the paragraph.



This is a ..... of a classroom. There are ..... students in the classroom. Three ..... and ..... girls are learning. The ..... is in the middle of the classroom. He is wearing a ..... . There is a ..... in his hand. A boy is writing something with a ..... . We can see the ..... and the ..... behind the classroom.

boys/ bo-tree /shirt / picture / stupa / six/ pen / teacher/ three/ book

(5marks)

04. Match and make a new word. *The First one is done for you.*

Sun	lights
railway	ways
Rush	table
Water	flower
Dinning	station
Traffic	hours

- i. Sunflower
- ii. ....
- iii. ....
- iv. ....
- v. ....
- vi. ....

(5 marks)

05. Read the following poster and complete the table given.

<b>A Sharmadhana Campaign</b>
<b>To</b>
<b>Clean the pirivena</b>
<b>premises</b>
<b>On the 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019</b>
<b>At 9.00 am</b>
<b>Students' council</b>
<b>Sumangala Pirivena</b>

Event	
Date	
Time	
Purpose	
Organized by	

( 5 marks)

13. Read the following paragraph and complete with the given words.

Water is very ..... for human, plants and .....  
It is a gift from the mother ..... We need ..... for  
bathing ..... and drinking. Some people pollute water by putting  
garbage in to the ..... ,rivers and streams. We must .....  
our water resources. But some people are not ..... of this  
..... So water is always .....

resource/important/ water / sea/protect/ careful/ animals/nature/ wasted/washing

(10marks)

14. Prepare a poyaday programme for the next poyaday.

Time	programme
6.30 am	beginning of the Sil Programme

(10marks)

15. Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

### Night mail

This is the night mail crossing the border,  
Bringing the cheque and the postal order,  
Letters for the rich, letters for the poors,  
The shop at the corner, and the girl and the next door,

Pulling up break a steady climb,  
The gradients against her, but she's on time,  
snoring noisily as she passes,  
silent miles of wind bent grass

By W.H Auden

i. What is the poem about ?

.....

ii. Who is the writer of this poem?

.....

iii. What does the night mail bring?

.....

iv. Write an adjective and an adverb

a. .... b. ....

v. Write a rhyming word for

a. border .....

(5marks)

16 . Write an essay on one of the following topics. Use about 100 words

- A religious Festival.
- A Historical place in Sri Lanka

Or Prepare a speech on one of the following topics

- Five Precepts.
- Good Habits

(15 marks)



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English Language

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Time : Three hours

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01. Fill in the blanks with correct letters. Use **ful/tion/ness/ous/ance**

1. conversa.....	2. danger.....	3. kind.....
4. utter.....	5. wonder.....	

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

02. Fill in the blanks with correct prepositions given in the box. **The first one is done for you**

Venerable Vijithasiri is a Bhikku of higher ordination. He is a teacher .....  
Sri Samadhi Pirivena. His temple is Sri Subaddrarama temple ..... Namalpura.  
He comes ..... pirivena ..... bus every day ..... his student,  
Venerable Kovida

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

to      at      in      with      \of      by

03. Look at the picture and complete the paragraph with the words given in the box.

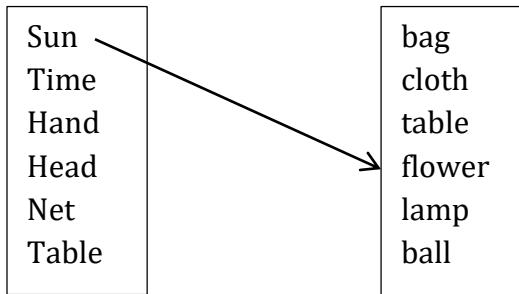


doll , two , nurse , hand , toy ,grandmother, helping, ward ,hospital , boy

This is a picture of a chidrens' ward in a ..... A little boy is offering gifts to the children in the word. There are .....girls and a boy in the ward. The boy has come to the hospital with his father, mother and his..... There is a ..... at the corner of the ..... She is looking at the ..... There is a girl with a ..... on the bed. Mother is ..... the little boy to offer a gift to another girl. His father is having a .....car in his .....

(1/2 X 10 = 5 marks)

04. Study the words given in two boxes and make new word . ***The first one is done for you***



01. Sunflower
02. .....
03. .....
04. .....
05. .....
06. .....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

05. Complete the notice with the correct words given in the box.

**Notice**

There will be a special ..... at the pirivena main hall at .....a.m on..... for all the.....3 students who go on the annual..... Tour.

educational / 25<sup>th</sup> June / 09.30/ meeting /grade

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

06. Write five things that you did during the ***Covid 19*** vacation.

1. .....
2. .....
3. .....
4. .....
5. .....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

07. Read the paragraph and answer the questions given below.

Sigiriya is rock fortress. It is situated in Matale district. It had a shape of a jaw of a lion. So people call it a lion's rock as well. Sigiriya is very famous for its scenic beauty and historical value. This ruin is surrounded by gardens, ponds and other structures too. This fortress was built by king Kasyapa. It is included as a World Heritage site. Sigiriya is the best preserved city center in Asia.

01.What is Sigirya ? .....  
.....

02. Where is Sigiriya situated ? .....

03.Whose work was this? .....

04. Why do people call it lion's rock? .....

05. Give two reasons from the passage, why it become world famous?

.....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

08. Write short paragraph on one of the following topics. Use about 40-50 words.

- ❖ My Pirivena.
- ❖ Vesak festival.

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

09. Write the following sentences in passive form.

01. Mr Parakkrama Subhasinghe taught English.

.....

02. Venerable Wimaladhamma arranged all the books in the library.

.....

03. Venerable Chandawimala recited a beautiful poem.

.....

04. Mr. Mahinda Dissanayake advised the students in grade three.

.....

05. Sil Matha Upasama swept the temple compound.

.....

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

10. Underline the most suitable word from the brackets.

01. A rose is a beautiful..... ( flower / flour)

02. He is the ..... ( sun / son ) of Mr. Anura.

03. (There / Their) ..... was a rabbit on the road.

04. She had brought a ..... (new / knew) umbrella.

05. Please come ..... (here / hear).

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

11. Read the following paragraph and complete the table with correct details.

***The first one is done for you.***

Sil Matha Amitha Nandani is a teacher who teaches Sinhala in my pirivena. She lives at Kemaramaya. She wakes up at 4.30a.m. She cleans the shrine room at 4.45 a.m. and sweeps the shrine at 5.00 a.m. Sil Matha Amitha brushes her teeth and takes a wash at about 5.45 a.m. She arranges her books to go to pirivena. She takes her morning meal at 6.30 a.m. She leaves to pirivena at 6.45 in the morning.

Time	Activity
4.30a.m	Wakes up

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

12. Fill in the blanks with one of the given question words to get their answers.

01. .... is your bag?	On the table.
02. .... his favourite subject?	Pali
03. .... is your brother's birthday ?	on 25 <sup>th</sup> June
04. .... are they waiting here?	To meet Mr. Razak
05. .... is your class teacher?	Mr. Ruckmal Machchagama.

What / who / where / why/ when

(1 X 5 = 5 marks)

13. Read the following paragraph and complete with the given words.

Waterfalls are delights of nature that beautify the ..... . Sri Lanka is very rich in this treasure. Among the very ..... waterfalls Diyaluma gets the first place. It is 220 ..... in height and is the ..... highest waterfall in Sri Lanka. ..... is located 6 KM away from Koslanda in Badulla ..... . Punagala ova supplies the ..... for this beautiful waterfall. As the legend says a tragedy about a ..... king and a law cast young woman who involves the waterfall. Diyaluma attracts thousands of ..... every day. It is a gift of mother ..... .

nature, district , water ,beautiful , meters ,  
environment ,young ,tourists, Diyaluma , second

(05 marks)

14. Write a paragraph about Venerable Nanda's favourite book using the given details in the grid.

Name of the book	Jane Eyer
Writer	Charlotte Bronte
Main characters	Jane Eyer, Mrs.Reed, Miss Temple, Mr.Rochester
Kind of story	English Classic
Story in brief	Jane is an orphan. She lives with her aunt Mrs. Reed she her children ill treats her. After her little rebellion she is sent to Lowood school where she is mould into a fine lady teacher. Later she finds a position as a governess. In this place she goes through many experiences which makes her fall in love with a rich gentleman called Mr. Rochester
Favourite character	Jane Eyer
Why do you like it ?	It is a thrilling story

(10marks)

15. Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

Poor joey

Jeoy is a performing dog  
He does lots of tricks.  
He leads the dogs around the ring  
And his trainer' face licks.

Whenever he enters the sawdust ring  
All the children cheer.  
Hooray ! Hooray ! Hooray ! they cry,  
Little Jeoy's here.

But when he goes behind the stage  
And he didn't do a trick right,  
His nasty trainer beats him  
And Jeoy cries all night

*Teresa Lane*

01.What is Jeoy ? ..... (1mark)

02.What does it do? ..... (1mark)

03.How does the children greet Jeoy? ..... (1mark)

04.Why does Jeoy cry sometimes? ..... (1mark)

05.Write rhyming words for the following words

tricks ..... right ..... (2marks)

06.Write two adjectives from the poem

I ..... II ..... (2marks)

07. Who is the writer of this poem ? ..... (1mark)

08.What do you feel about Jeoy ? .....

..... (1mark)

16. Write an essay on one of the following topics.

- ❖ Gal Viharaya.
- ❖ Five Precepts.

Or Prepare speech on one of the following topics.

- ❖ Good habits.
- ❖ Value of good friends.

(15 marks)



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English Language

Grade 3

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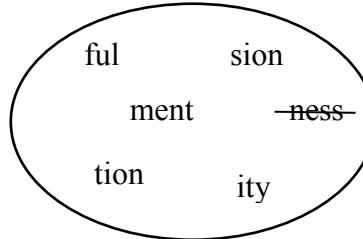
### Paper 1

#### Test 01

Fill in the blanks with the correct group of letters. *One is done for you.*

(5 marks)

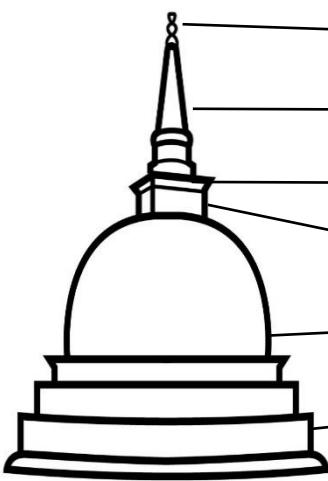
- I. Happiness.....
- II. Develop.....
- III. Introduc.....
- IV. Conclu.....
- V. Beauti.....
- VI. Responsibil.....



#### Test 02

Read and label the parts of the chethiya ( Stupa ). *One is done for you.*

(5 Marks)



01. The pinnacle or spire

02.

03.

04.

05.

06.

Basal rings , The dome , The pinnacle or spire , The ring of deity images , Pinnacle rings , The square chamber

### Test 03

Study the picture given below and fill in the blanks with the words given in the box. *One is done for you.* ( 5 Marks )



- a) Offering
- b) statue
- c) pond
- d) lotus
- e) behind
- f) worshipping
- g) sweeping
- h) women
- i) monk
- j) men
- k) peeping

This is a picture of a temple. There are four (1)..... And three (2)..... In this picture. The (3) ..... is talking with a devotee. The woman who is wearing a skirt and blouse is (4) ..... the terrace. There is a dog (5) ..... the woman. A girl is (6) ..... flowers while two other devotees are (7) ..... the stupa. The full moon is (8)..... **k** through the clouds. There is a (9) ..... in front of the stupa. The pond is full of (10)..... flowers. There is a Buddha (11)..... under the bo tree.

### Test 04

Match the questions in A with the responses in B. Put the correct letter in the box. *One is done for you.* (5 marks)

#### A

- I. How are you ?
- II. Where are you going?
- III. Would you like a cup of coffee?
- IV. How much is this pen ?
- V. What is your father ?
- VI. Who is your brother ?

#### B

<b>b</b>

- a. He is Thisara.
- b. I am going to the library.
- c. He is an engineer.
- d. yes please.
- e. It is Rs.25 /=
- f. You are welcome.

### Test 05

Read the following notice and complete the grid given. *One is done for you.*

(5 Marks)

Notice	
The Annual Prize giving 2022	
The Annual Prize giving of Ku / Mahadewa Maha Pirivena will be held on 24 th April 2022 from 1.30 p.m. to 5.30 p. m .in the main hall.	
The chief guest will be the Assistant Director of Education Venerable Mahagama Sarada.	
All the parents and the students are invited .	
15 th April 2022	The Secretary
	Venerable D . Siridhamma.

Event	
Date	24 th April2022
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Venue	
The secretary	
The chief guest	

### Test 06

Underline the correct preposition given within brackets. *One is done for you.*

(5 Marks)

- I. Venerable Pannila Sudaththa gets up ..... Five o ' clock. ( on ,at , to )
- II. Our English Teacher comes to pirivena ..... bus ( through , from , by )
- III. The Buddhists observe sil ..... Vesak poya day ( to , in , on )
- IV. Dasun took a bucket of water ..... the well ( in , from , to )
- V. I met Mr. Sampath ..... the railway station ( by , in of )
- VI. The parents do home work ..... their children. ( with , in , by )

### Test 07

Read the following paragraph and answer the question given below.

(5 marks)

On the small Island of Mauritius ,there once lived a very large bird called dodo. Dodoes which were found only in Mauritius were strange birds which could not fly. There were no other animals on the island big enough to attack them. So until 1598 there were many dodoes In Mauritius the Dutch first came to Mauritius after sailing round Africa. They brought with them their own domesticated dogs and pigs. They hunted dodoes for food . the dogs killed the flightless birds. The dodoes are no more . We use the word dead as a dodo to say something is completely dead.

I. Where did dodos live long ago?

.....

II. Were there other big animals in that island ?

.....

III. When did the Dutch come to Mauritius?

.....

IV. What did the Dutch bring with them ?

.....

V. Who wanted dodos for food ?

.....

### Test 08

**Write a paragraph on one of the following topics, Use 50 words.**

**(5 Marks)**

(a) My Best Friend

(b) A Historical City in Sri Lanka

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Year End Term Test – 2021 (2022)

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Two hours

English Language

Grade 3

❖ ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THIS PAPER ITSELF.

## Paper II

### Test 09

Put the following sentences into passive voice.

(5 marks)

I. The teacher advised the students.

.....

II. William Blake composed beautiful poems.

.....

III. Grade five students organized the annual trip.

.....

IV. The principal addressed the morning assembly.

.....

V. Venerable Galaha Sujatha conducted the Bodhi Pooja.

.....

### Test 10

Underline the suitable word from the bracket.

(5 marks)

I. The ideas that he has given us are very ..... ( create , creative , creation )

II. Venerable Samitha ..... ( conduct , conducting , conducted ) Bodhi pooja.

III. She writes it ..... ( neat , neatly , neatness ).

IV. The students work with Mr.Herath very ..... ( happily , happiness , happy )

V. Everyone appreciates Chanaka for his ..... ( commit , commitment , committing)

### Test 11

Read the list of words and form a compound noun.

(5 marks)

Eg: **hand + bag = handbag**

A	B	
1. Post	work	.....
2. Book	room	.....
3. Bath	station	.....
4. Police	office	.....
5. Home	shop	.....

### Test 12

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

( 5 marks )

I hear a sudden cry of pain  
There is a rabbit in a snare.  
Now I hear the cry again  
But I cannot tell from where.  
Making everything afraid.  
Wrinkling up his little face.  
As he cried again for aid.  
And I cannot find the place.  
And I cannot find the place  
Where his paw is in the snare  
Little one oh little one!  
I am searching everywhere.

1. What does the writer hear ? .....
2. Where is the rabbit ? .....
3. Write similar words for the following words.
  - I. Hare .....
  - II. Trap .....
4. What part of its body got caught in the snare ? .....
5. Write the words that rhyme with the following words.
  - I. Pain .....
  - II. Face .....

### Test 13

Use the correct punctuation marks where necessary. (eg: Capital letter, fullstop, comma, question mark, inverted comma etc.) (5 marks)

I. i am not interested in politics

II. are you afraid of mice

III. she doesn't like icecream

IV. He said it is my fault

V. Sri lanka exports tea rubber and coconuts to foreign countries

### Test 14

Write a description about Sigiriya. Use at least six of the following points. Use 75 words.

(10 marks)

Name of the place → Sigiriya

- Rock fortress
- location - Central province, Matale District
- considered as the eighth wonder of the world.
- built by - King Kashyapa.
- Known for - Mirror wall, Lion gate, frescoes, graffiti and ancient architecture.
- Famous tourist destination.
- A world heritage.

### Test 15

Read the following text and answer the questions.

(10 Marks)

Once there were two friends crossing the jungle. After some time they saw a bear coming towards them. Then, one of the friends quickly climbed a nearby tree and the other one did not know how to climb the trees. So he lay down on the ground holding his breath. The bear reached near him and sniffed him in the ear. After some time bear left the place thinking the man was dead. Now the other friend climbed down and asked his friend, "What did the bear say to you?" He replied, "He advised me to be safe from fake friends."

Moral: Beware of fake friends.

1. Are these statements true (T) or false (F). Write “T” or “F” against each statement.

- I. The two friends saw a bear on their way
- II. The friend who could not climb trees lay down on the ground.
- III. The man who lay down as if he was dead, was not attacked by the bear.
- IV. The bear told one of the friends not to keep company with fake friends.


(1 x 4 = 4 marks)

2. What animal was coming towards the friends? ..... (1 mark)

3. Why did the bear leave the place after sniffing? ..... (1 mark)

4. Did the bear tell anything to the friend on the ground? ..... (1 mark)

5. What is the moral of the story? ..... (1 mark)

6. Find a word from the text which has the same meaning as the following.

I. Forest - .....

II. Fast - .....

(1 mark)

7. Write the phrase which says one of the friends got on to a tree ?

..... (1 mark)

## Test 16

**Write an essay on one of the following topics. (Use about 150 words)**

**(15 marks)**

1. A visit to a place of historical interest. Include the following.

- Where you went?
- who you went with?
- What you saw?
- Importance of the place.
- What did you do?
- How you felt?
- Importance of the place.

2. Write the speech that you made in the morning assembly on the importance of learning English.

Include the following:

- Why we should learn English
- Its importance
- Advantages of learning English
- Uses of English

3. Write a story or a **Jathaka story** that you have read or heard.



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Year End Term Test – 2022 (2023)

Two hours

English Language - II Index Number .....

Grade 3

❖ Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

### Test – 09

Put the Following sentences into passive voice.

(5 Marks)

i. The class teacher gave our marks.

.....

ii. King Datusena built "Kalawewa"

.....

iii. Grade 3 students organized the art exhibition.

.....

iv. The secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting.

.....

v. The devotees held the Katina Pinkama.

.....

### Test – 10

Underline the Suitable word from the brackets and complete the sentences.

(5 Marks)

i. The students of Mahadeva Pirivena ..... Vesak Lanterns. (made/ maid)

ii. I bought a new ..... of shoes too. (pair /pear )

iii. I ..... a sudden cry of pain. (hear/ here)

iv. We offered a lotus ..... to the Buddha (flour / flower)

v. The ..... rises in the east. (son/ sun)

## Test – 11

Underline the correct connector given within the brackets.

(5 Marks)

- i. I was late (so, because, then) I couldn't catch the train.
- ii. Ven. Amithasara went for an alms giving (therefore, after, then) he missed the first lesson.
- iii. Dasun passed the examination well ( therefore , as, so ) he worked hard.
- iv. I prefer English to Pali ( while ,so, nor ) I scored the highest marks.
- v. We were shouting (while , which , when) the teacher entered the classroom.

## Test – 12

Read the poem and answer the questions given below.

(5 Marks)

### Kitty

Kitty, mother's pet cat  
Is big and black and fat  
As she is given lot of milk  
Her coat is smooth like silk  
Though mother gives her lot of fish  
She often steals the whole dish  
All says she is useful and nice  
Because she chases all the mice  
But I don't like her at all  
As she kills butterflies and all.

1. Whose pet is Kitty? .....
2. What colour is the cat? .....
3. What does mother give her ?  
.....
4. Why do all say that she is useful?  
.....
5. Give rhyming words for the following
  - a) milk .....
  - b) fish .....

### Test – 13

Match the words in column “A” with the words in column “B” to make a compound Noun. Write them in the given space . *One is done for you* (5 Marks)

A	B	
i. class	fish	..... <b>starfish</b> .....
ii. foot	room	.....
iii. sun	stand	.....
iv. hand	machine	.....
v. tooth	bag	.....
vi. rain	board	.....
vii. railway	brush	.....
viii. full	coat	.....
ix. washing	moon	.....
x. bus	light	.....
xi. star	station	.....

### Test – 14

Answer one of the following. (use about 75 words)

(10 Marks)

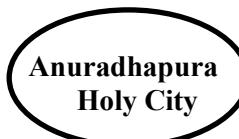
(a) Write a letter to your friend who is studying in another pirivena to join the annual trip of your pirivena. Inform him :

- date, time of departure,
- what he should bring,
- where you hope to go,
- activities can engage in

(b) Write a description about the holy city Anuradhapura. Use the following guidelines.

#### (1) Location:

- situated in North Central Province
- first ancient capital
- founded by minister Anuradha.



#### (2) Religious Values

- sacred Jaya Sri Maha Bodhi.
- eight sacred sites.
- Arahath Mahinda thero arrived there.
- established the Buddha sasana.

#### (3) Cultural Values

- ancient monuments.
- stone carvings and scripts.
- irrigation system.

## Test – 15

Read the following text and answer the questions.

(10 Marks)

There are so many ways to travel. The most common way to travel is probably in some types of motorized vehicle. If you are travelling with your family and you are not going far away. You can take a car. If you want to go somewhere with a lot of people you can go in a van or bus. If you need to travel across the water, boats are another mode of transportation.

We can go on small boats to travel to a close place. Big ships can take us to far away lands. Submarines go way down deep in the water. They travel on the water as well. Airplanes are also a great way to travel. Many people choose to fly jet airplanes. If they need to go far away and want to get there quickly. An airplane is fun to ride in because you can see the Earth from way up high.

01. Are these statements true (T) or false (F) write T or F against each statement.

i. Big ships can take us to far away places

ii. Submarines cannot travel in water

iii. If you travel with a lot of people you can go in a van or a bus

iv. Using motorized vehicles is not the most common way to travel

(1 x 4 = 4 Marks)

➤ Underline the correct answer.

02. The main idea of this story is,

a) There are many ways to travel.

b) Airplanes can go fast.

c) You should just stay at home.

(1 Marks)

03. Where can big ships take us?

(1 Marks)

.....

04. Why is an airplane fun to ride in?

(1 Marks)

05. What type of transportation could you use to travel across the water?

(1 Marks)

.....

06. Find a word from the text which has the same meaning as the following

i. Mode : .....

ii. Tiny : .....

( $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 01$  Marks)

07. Write the line which says that submarines can travel under water.

(1 Marks)

.....

### Test – 16

**Answer one of the following (use 150 words)**

**(15 Marks)**

a) Write an essay on the importance of computer education.

Include the following:

- Its history.
- Uses of computers for information and education.
- To make our activities faster and easier.
- Values to learn it as a life skill.

b) Imagine that you are the Head Prefect of your pirivena and write the speech that you are going to make in the morning assembly on the "**Importance of Reading.**"

- Why we should read.
- Its importance.
- Advantages of reading.
- Reading materials.

c) Write a folk story or a Jathaka story that you have read or heard and mention the moral value of the story.





## Piriven Year End Examination - 2023 (2024)

Grade 03

05 E 1

(05) English Language - Paper I

1 Hour

Index No : .....

- Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

## Test 01

Match the pictures with correct names given in the box. *One is done for you.*

(05 marks)



(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)



(e)



(f)

i. King Parakramabahu the Great	
ii. Venerable S. Mahinda Thero	
iii. Martin Wickramasinghe	
iv. Mahathma Gandhi	
v. Avukana Buddha Statue	c
vi. Charles Babbage	

## Test 02

Complete the table using the correct suffix given in the box to make new words. *The first one is done for you.*

(05 marks)

ment / er / less / able / ous / ful

Words	New word
help	helpless
teach	
danger	
develop	
harm	
count	

### Test 03

Study the picture given below and fill in the blanks with the correct words. Write the relevant letter in the blank. ***One is done for you.***  $(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 05 \text{ marks})$



- a. side
- b. man
- c. two
- d. umbrella
- e. piper
- f. seen
- g. area
- h. going**
- i. dress
- j. trees
- k. casket

This is a picture of a group of monks in a perahera. They are (1).....**h**..... for an alms-giving. There is a (2)..... carrying a (3)..... on his head. Another one is holding an (4)..... over it. There are (5)..... drummers and a (6)..... at the front of the perahera. A stupa can be (7)..... on the left (8)..... of the picture. There are some (9)..... behind the stupa. This village in a mountainous (10)..... seems to be calm and quiet. The drummers are wearing their traditional (11)..... .

### Test 04

Complete the sentences using the correct reflexive pronouns given in the box. ***The first one is done for you.***  $(05 \text{ marks})$

**itself    himself    themselves    myself    yourself    herself**

- i. I have finished my homework **myself**.
- ii. Devotees started to recite stanzas .....
- iii. Nuwan decorated the hall by .....
- iv. You must answer the paper by .....
- v. Please post this letter today .....
- vi. Mother cleaned the kitchen by .....

**Test 05**

Read the following notice and fill in the chart given below. ***The first one is done for you.***

**(05 marks)**

**NOTICE**

All the students in grade 3 to 5 of Sri Sumanagala Pirivena are requested to be present at the Rathana Jothi Memorial Hall on Wednesday 27th March at 10.00 a.m. There will be a special meeting to give away certificates for the student monks who won at Inter – Piriven Debate Competition. The chief guest will be Most Venerable Prof. Udunuwara Hemaloka Thero.

Secretary

English Association

i.	Chief guest	<i>Most Ven. Prof. Udunuwara Hemaloka Thero</i>
ii.	Date	
iii.	Time	
iv.	Venue	
v.	Participants	
vi.	Purpose of the meeting	

**Test 06**

Fill in the blanks of the following dialogue. Use suitable responses given in the box. Write the correct letter in the space given. **(05 marks)**

a) *That's very nice of you!*

b) *next Thursday*

c) *first*

d) *whole night Pirith chanting*

e) *Good evening! Nice to see you too.*

Ven. Suneetha :- Good evening ! Venerable Athula. Glad to see you.

Ven. Athula :- (1) .....

Ven. Suneetha :- When is your Katina ceremony ?

Ven. Athula :- (2) .....

Ven. Suneetha :- I'd like to stay in your temple to help you.

Ven. Athula :- (3) .....

Ven. Suneetha :- Will there be (4).....?

Ven. Athula :- Yes of course, it will be my (5)..... Pirith chanting.

Ven. Suneetha :- Oh ! really ?

## Test 07

Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below.

(05 marks)

## Importance of Flowers in Our Life

Flowers are one of the most valuable gifts of nature. They are wonderful creations. Flowers are beautiful and fragrant. When we see flowers, we feel very happy. There are many kinds of flowers. Most flowers bloom in the morning while some flowers bloom in the evening. Buddhists offer flowers to the Buddha. And also, people use flowers to decorate special occasions.

I. What is one of the most valuable gifts of nature mentioned in the paragraph?

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## II. Who offers flowers to the Buddha?

<sup>10</sup> See, for example, the discussion of the 1992 Constitutional Convention in the *Constitutional Convention of 1992: A Report to the People of South Africa* (Cape Town, 1993).

.....

When do flowers bloom?

V Complete the sentence with a word from the text.

Flowers are very useful to ..... occasions.

## Test 08

Write a paragraph on **one** of the following topics. Use about 50 words.

(0.5 marks)

**(a) My Favourite Teacher      (b) Sacred City Anuradhapura**



## Piriven Year End Examination - 2023 (2024)

Grade 03

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(05) English Language - Paper II

2 Hours

Index No : .....

- *Answer all the questions on this paper itself.*

### Test 09

Underline the most suitable word within brackets to complete the sentence.

(05 marks)

- I. Not all people are ..... (*honesty, honest, honestly*).
- II. He called me ..... (*immediate, immediately, immediacy*).
- III. The chief incumbent advised us ..... (*kindly, kind, kindest*).
- IV. The experiment was very ..... (*successfully, succeed, successful*).
- V. The floral exhibition was ..... (*attractive, attractively, attraction*).

### Test 10

Write the correct form of the verb given in brackets to complete the paragraph. *One is done for you.*

(05 marks)

#### Water

Water is an important substance. It (1) ..... (*be*) a gift of mother nature. Humans, animals and plants can't (2) ..... (*live*) without water. We need water for drinking, bathing and (3) ..... (*wash*). But, some people have not (4) ..... (*realize*) the value of it. That is why they are (5) ..... (*waste*) and polluting water. So, we must (6) ..... *save*.... (*save*) and protect water for the future.

### Test 11

Following are six sentences extracted from an essay on trees. Complete the sentences using the words given within brackets. **One is done for you.** (05 marks)

(sunlight, beings, friends, protect, medicine, beautify )

- I. Trees are our.....**friends**.....
- II. They give us shade, food, wood and .....
- III. They need water, soil and ..... to grow.
- IV. Trees ..... the environment.
- V. They are also home for living .....
- VI. It is our duty to ..... them for the future.

### Test 12

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

(05 marks)

Spring....

Spring is here,  
Let's give some cheer!

Flowers bloom, trees grow  
Water falls, winds blow.

Bees buzz, kids play  
Say hooray! Spring is today.

Unknown

- I. Complete the sentence. (01 marks)  
This poem is about .....  
*a. flowers.    b. spring    c. bees*
- II. Who plays in the spring? (01 marks)  
.....

- III. Match the words with the verbs in the box. (1/4 x 4 = 1 marks)

a. flowers	- .....
b. trees	- .....
c. winds	- .....
d. bees	- .....

buzz
blow
grow
bloom

IV. Write two adverb phrases from the poem.

(1/2 x 2 = 1 marks)

(a) ..... (b) .....

V. Write rhyming words for the following words.

(1/2 x 2 = 1 marks)

(a) here - ..... (b) grow - .....

### Test 13

Write the following sentences in passive voice.

(05 marks)

Eg: *We offered flowers to the Buddha.*  
*Flowers were offered to the Buddha.*

I. Our principal admired the best pupils.

.....

II. Ven. Upali preached a meaningful Dhamma sermon.

.....

III. Nun Sujatha wrote a nice article.

.....

IV. I invited all my friends for the Katina ceremony.

.....

V. They telecast it on every channel yesterday.

.....

### Test 14

Write on one of the following. Use about 75 words.

(05 marks)

(A) Write a letter to a friend inviting him / her to worship "Nagadeepaya" during the vacation.

Include:

- when you hope to go
- how you hope to go there
- with whom you are going
- things you should bring
- where you hope to stay at night

(B) write a description about the village using the information given.

- village - Dehigaslanda
- located in Diyathalawa
- famous for its natural beauty
- many places to visit like hills, streams, tea estates and flower gardens
- cold and misty climate
- main occupation - tea industry
- a popular tourist destination

Start like this:

The name of the village is Dehigaslanda .....

### Test 15

Read the following text and answer the questions.

(10 marks)

*Vap* Full Moon Poya Day is an important day for Buddhists because of the Katina Ceremony. Buddhist monks complete the *Vassana Kala* or the rainy season on *Vap* Full Moon Poya Day. This three months' period is very important for the four groups (*sivyanak pīris*) of the Buddhist community. It means monks, nuns, lay male and lay female devotees. This is a period when they can accumulate merits in different ways. Buddhists perform special religious activities and the most important one is offering robes to the Maha Sangha. Katina Robe is a robe made in a day and presented to a Buddhist priest.

I. Are these statements true (T) or false (F)? Write "T" or "F" against each statement.

(4 marks)

- a) *Vap* Full Moon Poya Day is a national festival
- b) Rainy season is three months' raining period
- c) Devotees don't go to the temple during this period.
- d) It is a good time to accumulate merits.


II. How long will this period last?

(01 marks)

.....

III. What is the important event mentioned in the text?

(01 marks)

.....

IV. Who are the four groups?

(01 marks)

.....

V. What do they offer to *Maha Sanga*?

(01 marks)

.....

VI. Find **synonyms** for the following words.

(02 marks)

a) valuable - .....

b) collect - .....

### Test 16

Answer one of the following. Use about 150 words

(15 marks)

a) Write an essay on "A *Story Book I Read Recently*".

Include:

- Name of the book
- Name of the writer
- Characters
- A lesson you can learn from the story
- Why you like the story

b) Write a speech you are going to make at the English Literary Association on "My Favourite Person".

Include:

- Who your favourite person is
- personal details about him / her
- Why you like him / her

c) Write a folk tale *or* Jataka story you have read or heard.

