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Grade
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SCHOOL LEVEL THIRD TERM EXAMINATION - 2022 (2023)

Marks

ENGLISH LANGUAGE - I

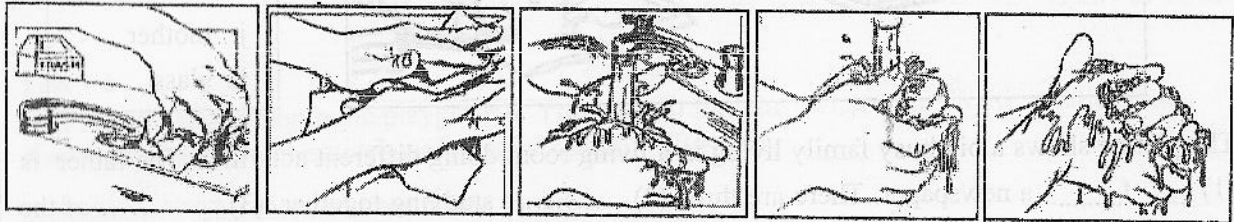
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Time: 01 Hour

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THIS PAPER ITSELF.

Test - 1

Match the following pictures with hand washing instructions. Write the letter of the most suitable picture in the box given against each instruction.



(a) (b) (c) (d) (e)

1. Wet your hands with water and soap.
2. Scrub hands together for at least 20 minutes.
3. Rinse hands with water.
4. Dry hands with a paper towel.
5. Turn off the water with paper towel.



(1 x 5 = 05 Marks)

Test - 2

Fill in the blanks in the following diary entries made by Ayesha. Use the words given in the box. The first one is done for you.

school bus	teacher	English	morning	friends	flowers
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- April 12 Monday : Got up late and missed the (1) school bus. Not a very good day.
- April 13 Tuesday : Had classes till 5.30p.m. shared a packet of biscuits with (2)
- April 14 Wednesday : It rained in the (3) Couldn't go to school.
Learned many (4) words.
- April 15 Thursday : Today is younger sister Fathima's birthday. Gave her the card I made with pressed (5)
- April 16 Friday : A new (6) from Colombo came today to teach us English.
We like her very much.

(1 X 5 = 05 Marks)

Test - 3

Study the picture and fill in the blanks using words given in the box. Write the letter of the correct word in the blank. The first one is done for you.



- a. children
- b. Two
- c. floor
- d. magazine
- e. sofa
- f. reading
- g. cradle
- h. drawing
- i. chair
- j. mother
- k. glass

The picture shows a big busy family living in a living room doing different activities. The father is (1)f..... a newspaper. There are three (2) studying together. (3) of the children are studying seated on the (4) The other one is reading a (5) seated on the (6) There is a baby sleeping in a (7) A boy is hanging a (8) on the wall standing on a (9) A girl is bringing a (10) of water behind father. And (11) is folding the clothes.

(½ X 10 = 05 Marks)

Test - 4

Fill in the blanks in the following dialogue using the words given in the box. *The first one is done for you.*

- between, to, of, from, about, for

Ravi : Hi, Suresh. It's very nice (1)to..... see you after a long time.
 Suresh : I'm the same. How (2)you? Are you still working at Cargills Food City?
 Ravi : No, I'm the Data Entry Operator (3)a private bank now.
 Suresh : Fine. My congratulation! Are you married?
 Ravi : Not yet. I am looking (4) a partner nowadays.
 Suresh : Yes, you better find one who could keep the balance (5) you and your parents.
 Ravi : Thanks. I always love to get advices (6)..... you.

(1 x 5 = 05 Marks)

Test - 5

Read the following dialogue and fill in the blanks given below it.

Upul : I have read an article about the world – famous clock situated in Landon recently.
 Nuwan : Is it “Big Ben”, you are talking about?
 Upul : Yes, of course. This clock was named after Sir Benjamin Hall, the creator of it.
 Nuwan : Don't you think it's a marvelous creation?

Upul : I too think so.

Nuwan : It's not only huge but also extremely accurate as well.

Upul : But I have heard that it went wrong once.

Nuwan : You know it's only once.

Upul : Yes, indeed. Don't you think showing accurate time is something good to apply in our country, too.

- (1) The name of the clock is
- (2) The name of its creator is
- (3) The clock's time has gone wrong
- (4) The clock is not only but also accurate.
- (5) The clock is a marvellous

(1 x 5 = 05 Marks)

Test – 6

You found a sports bag in the playground. You want to find the owner of it. Write a notice to be displayed in the school noticeboard. Use about 40 – 50 words.

- Include:
- The date and time it was found.
 - Things in the sports bag.
 - How to collect it.

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(C-02 + L 03= 05 Marks)

Test – 07

Read the following text and answer the questions.

Discipline is a mean of keeping the things in order. It inculcates in us a sense of duty and obedience to the voice of consequence. Discipline is not only in schools and colleges, but also in all walks of life. Absence of discipline will lead to chaos and confusion in life. Discipline is a training, especially of the mind and character aimed at producing self-controlled obedience. It is absolutely essential to the growth and development of an individual and a healthy society. It is indispensable for one and all in every walk of life. It is highly necessary at home, at school, in the playground, in a society, etc.

Discipline must be taught early in life. The home is the nursery, where we receive our first lesson of discipline, through obedience to parents and elders. The value discipline in the political, social and economic life of a country is no less important. Only a nation of disciplined people can rise to the occasion. An undisciplined nation invites its doom sooner or later. Hence, discipline is a precious treasure. Life without discipline is like a ship without a rudder and punishment is not a punitive way to reform a student.

01. What are the qualities that discipline inculcates?
a. Sense and duty b. Sense of duty and obedience c. duty and responsibility
02. What will lead to chaos and confusion in life?
a. absence of discipline b. absence of conscience c. absence of mind
03. When must discipline be taught?
a. in older age b. in early age c. in later life
04. Where do we receive the first lesson of discipline?
a. at a nursery b. at school c. at home
05. The most suitable title for this text is
a. Discipline and punishment b. fate and mankind c. The value of discipline
- (1 x 5 = 05 Marks)

Test - 08

Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics. Use about 50 - 60 words.

- a. The most interesting place I like to visit.
b. Let's recycle our waste.

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE - II

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Use separate papers for answering Test-14 & Test-16.

Test - 09

Complete the sentences with the correct form of words given within box. There is an extra word.

A.

Devi is (1) at the South Eastern University of Sri Lanka. She never had any money when she was a (2) She had almost to give up her (3)

B.

Farmers face great (4) when obtaining water for their crops. It is also (5) to get necessary fertilizer for the cultivation. There is a (6) between the traditional and modern farming.

C.

Monalisa is a great (7) of art in the world. The (8) of this world famous drawing is Leonardo Da Vinci. There is still confusion about this (9) piece of work done nearly 700 years ago.

D.

We, as adults, have (10) in moulding the characters of young generation.

(½ X 10 = 05 Marks)

Test - 10

Complete the following dialogue using the information given within brackets. *The first one is done for you.*

Mike : There was a storm on the coast last night.

Tara : Was anything damaged?

Mike : Yes. Some trees fell on cars. Fortunately, nobody (1)was killed..... (kill)

Tara : How many cars (2).....during the storm? (crush)

Mike : Three or Four.

Tara : (3)?(the trees / remove /)

Mike : Yes, they have. But the cars are still there.

Tara : When (4)?(the cars / remove)

Mike : Tomorrow, I hope.

Tara : (5)?(the cars / badly / damage)

Mike : Yes, they are. One of them (6).....?(completely destroy)

(1 X 5 = 05 Marks)

Test - 11

Fill in the blanks with the words given in the box. There is one extra word.

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whenever	hands	we	the	body	is	should	

Cleanliness is a good habit which is very necessary for the wellbeing of every one. We should keep ourselves neat, clean and well-dressed all time. Not only that, it (1) keeping our

home, and (2) environment clean. In other (3), we should maintain the (4) of the environment and (5) resources together with our (6) cleanliness to enjoy a (7) life on the earth. (8) keep ourselves clean, we (9) take regular baths, cut (10) nails, comb our hair (11) wear well washed clothes (12) possible. We should wash our (13) with soap every time (14) eat something. We should drink safe, clean and well purified water all throughout the day and avoid eating junk food as they may cause various illnesses.

(½ X 14 = 07 Marks)

Test – 12

Study the following extract from a dictionary and answer the questions.

<p>sanctity <i>n.</i> (pl. sanctities) 1 holiness. 2 the state of being very important and worthy of great respect: <i>the sanctity of human life</i>. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> Old French <i>sanctific</i>.</p> <p>sanctuary <i>n.</i> (pl. sanctuaries) 1 a place of safety. 2 a nature reserve. 3 a place where injured or unwanted animals are cared for. 4 a holy place. 5 the part of the chancel of a church containing the high altar. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> Latin <i>sanctuarium</i>.</p> <p>sanctum (<i>sangk tulum</i>) <i>n.</i> (pl. sanctums) 1 a sacred place. 2 a private place. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> Latin.</p> <p>sand <i>n.</i> 1 a substance formed of very fine particles resulting from the erosion of rocks, found in beaches, river beds, the seabed, and deserts. 2 (sands) a wide area of sand. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> 1 smooth with sandpaper or a sander. 2 sprinkle with sand. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> Old English.</p> <p>sandal <i>n.</i> a shoe with a partly open upper part or straps attaching the sole to the foot. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> Greek <i>sandalon</i> 'wooden shoe'.</p> <p>sandalwood <i>n.</i> the sweet-smelling wood of an Indian or SE Asian tree. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> sandal from Latin <i>sandalum</i>.</p> <p>sandbag <i>n.</i> a bag of sand, used for protection against floods or explosions. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> (sandbags, sandbagging, sandbagged) protect with sandbags.</p> <p>sandbank <i>n.</i> a built-up of sand forming a raised bank in the sea or a river.</p> <p>sandbar <i>n.</i> a long, narrow sandbank.</p> <p>sandblast <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> roughen or clean with a jet of sand driven by compressed air or steam.</p>	<p>sandboy <i>n.</i> (in phr. <i>as happy as a sandboy</i>) extremely happy or carefree. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> prob. first referring to a boy going around selling sand.</p> <p>sandcastle <i>n.</i> a model of a castle built out of sand.</p> <p>sander <i>n.</i> a power tool used for smoothing a surface.</p> <p>sandman <i>n.</i> (the sandman) an imaginary man supposed to make children sleep by sprinkling sand in their eyes.</p> <p>sandpaper <i>n.</i> paper with sand or another rough substance stuck to it, used for smoothing surfaces. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> (sandpapers, sandpapering, sandpapered) smooth with sandpaper.</p> <p>sandpiper <i>n.</i> a wading bird with a long bill and long legs, found in coastal areas.</p> <p>sandpit <i>n.</i> <i>BR</i> a shallow box or hollow containing sand, for children to play in.</p> <p>sandstone <i>n.</i> a rock formed of sand or quartz grains tightly pressed together.</p> <p>sandstorm <i>n.</i> a strong wind in a desert carrying clouds of sand.</p> <p>sandwich <i>n.</i> 1 two pieces of bread with a filling between them. 2 <i>BR</i> a sponge cake of two or more layers with jam or cream between them. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> 1 (sandwich between) insert between (two people or things). 2 (sandwich together) join (two things) by putting something between them. <i>MOON</i> <i>IN</i> named after the 4th Earl of Sandwich.</p> <p>sandwich board <i>n.</i> a pair of advertisement boards connected by straps by which they are hung over a person's shoulders.</p>
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- Write the name of a food made with two pieces of bread with a filling between them.
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- Fill in the blanks to complete the following sentences.
 - A strong wind in a desert carrying clouds of sand is
 - The sweet smelling wood of an Indian tree is
- Find the plural form for
 - Sanctity :
 - Sanctum:
- Replace the underlined phrases with a single word which has a similar meaning.
A shallow box containing sand was prepared for the child to play on his birthday.

- Tick (✓) for the correct word classes of the following words.

Word	Verb	Noun
Sandblast		
Sanctuary		

(1 X 5 = 05 Marks)

Test – 13

Read the poem and answer the question that follow it.

WHAT WILL YOU BE

What will you be when you grow up?
 A dancer? or A doctor?
 A teacher? or A cricketer?
 There are so many careers you can choose to do
 It's very hard to decide
 Sometimes you may keep on thinking
 Doing many jobs and never deciding.
 Monday you will be a street keeper.
 Wednesday you will chart with skies with the navy
 Thursday you will go with the army
 Friday you will be happy on the see as a sailor.
 Saturday you are back to be a tailor
 And on Sunday again you will keep wondering
 What the years that lie ahead will bring likely.

1. Write two jobs mentioned in the poem?
 (i) (ii)
2. How many careers are there in the world to choose?
3. Which day of the week is not mentioned in this poem?.....
4. On which day is the poet happy as a sailor?

5. Find a similar word from the poem for the following words.
 (a) jobs:
 (b) difficult:.....
6. Find rhyming words for the following:
 (a) navy-..... (b) tailor-.....

Test – 14

(05 Marks)

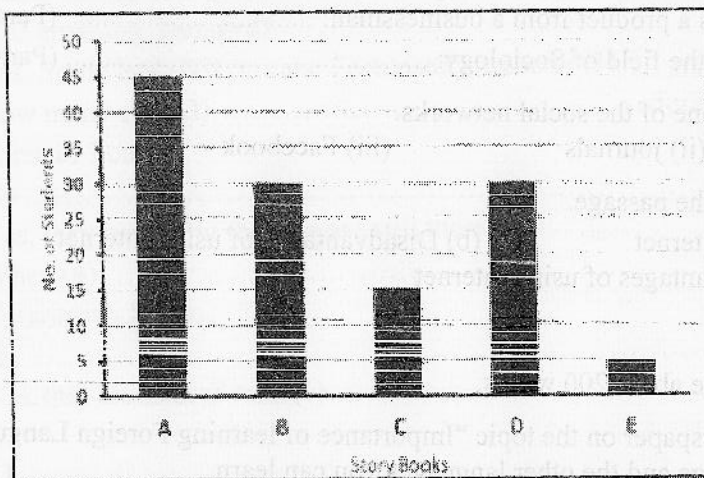
Write on one of the following.

- (a) Last February your school organized a programme to help the people affected by the Covid-19 Virus in your area. You were the chief organizer of the team. Write a letter to your friend who is in Colombo about your programme. Use about 100 words.
 Include - What you collected
 - How goods were transported
 - How you distributed
 - Your feelings about the event

OR

- (b) The given bar chart shows the favourite story books read by a set of G.C.E (O/L) students in your school. Study the chart and write a description. Use about 100 words. The following words may help you.

Most, lowest, popular, equal, more than, highest



- A – Harry Potter
- B – Oliver Twist
- C – Mill on the Floss
- D – Betel and Arecha
- E – Huckle Berry Finn

(10 Marks)

Test - 15

Read the following text and answer the questions given below.

- (1) With the advent of the internet, life has become easier with quick access to information and the number of tasks that can be performed online. But is it only convenient or are there any negative effects associated with its use?

- (2) Undoubtedly, the internet has many positive effects as internet search engines have advanced to provide quick information retrieval systems providing access to any kind of information for internet users within a short time. In addition, it has paved the way for some of the most effective means of communication among people, including email chat and skype. It has also enabled businessmen to do online transactions with their clients and customers without meeting them. In addition to these, it has also allowed the exchange of ideas among scientists, university professors, and students. It has also provided servers resource centres and online tools for their research and scholarly activities. Moreover, millions of books, journals and other materials have been made available online through the internets, which have enabled people to learn all sorts of new things.
- (3) Along with these positive things, the internet can have negative effects, too. One such negative effect is the misinformation that it may provide. Many people trust the internet for information. Students use it for research to help them in their homework while adults use it to find information on things, such as medical or financial advice. The internet, for all its wondrous abilities, is still unreliable due to bogus sites and misinformation. Addiction to the internet is another negative effect. Many cases have been reported where the addiction to online sources networks such as Facebook, Twitter, and online games have affected the studies and day to day work especially of students. Moreover, the convenience of the internet has allowed people to become less active.
- (4) As people are able to shop online, and with the amount of time they spent on checking e-mail and surfing the world wide web, they have become less active causing many healthy problems. Sociologists have also warned about the gradual decrease of interpersonal relationships among family members due to excessive use of internet.

Task 1

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

- i. Life has become easier with invention of the internet. (.....)
- ii. Online business can be done via internet. (.....)
- iii. The internet does not help people to learn many things. (.....)
- iv. Social networks like Facebook, Twitter etc never affect the studies of students. (.....)

Task 2

(2 Marks)

Complete the following statements.

2. Millions of, journals and other have been made available online. (2 Marks)
3. Read and find a word which has the same meaning as the following.
 - (i) One who purchases a product from a businessman: (Paragraph 2)
 - (ii) A person studying the field of Sociology: (Paragraph 4)
4. Underline the word that is one of the social networks. (2 Marks)
 - (i) engines (ii) journals (iii) Facebook
5. Underline the best title for the passage. (1 Mark)
 - (a) Advantages of using internet (b) Disadvantages of using internet
 - (c) Advantages and disadvantages of using internet

(1 Mark)

Test - 16

Write on one of the following. Use about 200 words.

- (a) Write an article to a local newspaper on the topic "Importance of learning Foreign Languages".
Include:
 - Your first language and the other languages you can learn
 - The language that you would like to learn and its advantages.
 - State how you would use it for your higher studies.
- (b) A speech you would make at the morning assembly on the topic "The Importance of Reading".
- (c) Write an essay on "The influence of Mobile phones on Children's Education".
- (d) Complete the following story.

Once I was travelling in a crowded bus. A young lady who was standing by me

(15 Marks)