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**Important**

- ◆ Write your Name / Index Number clearly.
- ◆ The paper II consists of 8 questions. (Q.No. 9-16)
- ◆ Answer all the questions.

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**Test 9**

Select the word from the box which has a similar meaning to the phrases given within brackets and write it in the space given. There are three extra words. (1 x 5 = 5 marks)

Issuing , rivals , profitable , spend , discovering , gazing ,  
collection , fascinating

Stamp collecting has no limits and a (1) ..... (things that have been gathered) never has an end. Countries are always printing and (2) ..... (giving out) new stamps to celebrate great events, anniversaries and deaths. And the (3) ..... (holding the interest or attention) of collecting is trying to obtain these stamps before one's (4) ..... (the people who complete) Every sphere of stamp collecting has its fascination receiving letters form distant countries and (5) ..... (finding out) old stamps in dusty old books.

**Test 10**

The following paragraph has a mistake in each in each line. Underline the mistake and rewrite the sentence correcting the mistake. *The first one is done for you.*

Often we take for grant the gifts we enjoy .....  
Perhaps the most precious gifts is the love and the guidance of our parents.

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They give us the benefit of theirs knowledge and experience.

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In school, we receive awealth of information passed after us.

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Additionally, daily associate with teachers helps us to learn a lot

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If we remember these gifts to u, we could easily decide what to give in return

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(1 x 5 = 5 marks)

### Test 11

Fill in the blanks with the words given below. There are three extra words.

water , this , years , and , through , intervals , measures , the , tell , cast , was ,  
where , recorded , but , at , measured , she , since

The word 'clock' came into use in 14th century AD. The simplest way to (1) ..... time is to track (2) ..... movement of the sun (3) ..... the sky. The length (4) ..... Position of a shadow (5) ..... by a vertical stick (6) ..... one of the first (7) ..... of time thousands of (8) ..... ago. Marks were made (9) ..... the sun's shadow fell and (10) ..... in a consistent manner. (11) ..... was called the Sundial. (12) ..... it did not work (13) ..... nights. Then came the (13) ..... clock where the time was (14) ..... by the amount of water which dripped from a tank.

### Test 12

Read the following dialogue and complete the blanks using passive.

- Madawa : Hello friends! Am I late?  
Sasindu : Hmm. why were you late?  
Madawa : I have been searching some facts about seven wonders.  
Dulitha : The Great Wall of China (1) ..... (see) even you are in space.  
Pasan : Do you know that Petra (2) ..... (visit) by many local and foreign visitors these days.  
Rajeeva : Had any particular information been asked for?  
Dulitha : Pasan (3) ..... (tell) about all the wonders by his grand father.  
Pasan : Yes, and this is about The Eiffel Tower. It (4) ..... (make) of 15000 pieces of iron.  
Sasindu : Any more. The breathtaking Inca city of Machu Picchu (5) ..... (build) atop the Andes mountains in Peru.

**Test 13**

Read the following phrases of instructions and warnings display at a private hospital and a pharmacy. Put them in the correct column, 'HOSPITAL' or 'PHARMACY'. Write the letter of each instruction or warning in the correct column. *The first one is done for you.*

- (a) Please be patience in the queue till your chance come.
- (b) Wait till your number is called by the nurse
- (c) No polythene to the wards.
- (d) Don't accept any medicinal liquid if the seal is broken.
- (e) X-ray room: Remove your shoes and jewelry before entering.
- (f) Drugs won't be issued without a prescription of a doctor.
- (g) No entry for children below three years.
- (h) Get the advice of the staff if you have any doubts on what you buy.
- (i) Money won't be refunded on drugs returned.
- (j) Operation theater, be silent.
- (k) Check the expiry date of the drugs you buy.

Hospital	Pharmacy
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**Test 14**

You have visited a book fair held recently in your area. Write a letter to one of the managers who was at a stall asking him/her to donate some books to your school library. Use about 100 words.

- Include, ♦ A tough number of books you expect  
 ♦ Types of books you need  
 ♦ Requirement from both Sinhala and English

OR

The following chart shows the number of students who planted the following vegetables in their home gardens for consumption. Study the chart and write a description about it. Use the words given in the box. Use about 100 words. (10 marks)

Highest , least , almost , equal , lower than , higher than , most interested , less interested

Name of the vegetable	No of students
Beans	? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
Carrots	? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
Beetroot	? ? ? ? ?
Cabbage	? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
Tomatoes	? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?
Potatoes	? ?



old man was still able to earn a living, thought on this occasion, having partly paid for the monkey out of his own pocket, he did not feel inclined to throw any money into the hat.

25 But the performance was not yet over! Once again the old man let out a loud cry. Once again the monkey lay still on the pavement. The man picked up the monkey and clutching it in his arms began to weep. The same young man stepped forward and threw some money into the hat. Again the crowd followed suit-expect for Robert. Smiling to himself, he went on his way, amazed at the man's audacity.

Read the text and answer the questions.

Select the most suitable answer.

- (1) A small crowd had gathered at the entrance
  - (a) to see what was happening
  - (b) to see the performing monkey
  - (c) to throw a few pennies in the hat
- (2) Who let out a loud cry when the crowd began to move off?  
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- (3) What lay quite still on the pavement?  
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- (4) Write the phrase that says Robert was not encouraged to give money this time?  
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- (5) Select a word from the passage to complete the sentence.  
Robert was ..... at the man's audacity.
- (6) Find a word from the passage which has the same meaning as the following.
  - (a) Found out - .....
  - (b) Gathering - .....
- (7) What do the following words in the passage refer to?  
"his" in line 13 -  
"it" in line 20

**Test 16**

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

(a) An article to the monthly newspaper of your school on the following topic.

"Endemic animals, birds, trees in Sri Lanka"

You may include the following.

- ◆ What "endemic" means
- ◆ What endemic animals, birds, trees found in Sri Lanka
- ◆ Whether you like them or not
- ◆ The benefits we can gain from them

(b) An essay on, "A good deed" you did recently

You may include the following.

- ◆ What the good deed is
- ◆ Who helped to fulfil it
- ◆ The benefits of it
- ◆ How you enjoyed it.

(c) A speech you would made at the school assembly on "How I enjoy my favourite sport"

You may include the following.

- ◆ The sport you like most
- ◆ Why you like it
- ◆ How you enjoy playing it
- ◆ How you promote it to others

(d) Complete the following story.

I was at the beach looking at the kites in the sky. Suddenly I saw.....

(15 marks)

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