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English Language

Test 1

Fill the given homophones at its correct place in each sentence.

1. We are not …… to read …… in the library. (allowed, aloud)
2. The green bird that had ……, …… away. (flu, flew)
3. Don't …… near that tree as it has a …… hive. (bee, be)
4. …… saw the boy who got a black ……, when he fell. (eye, I)
5. Did you …… the little bird that sang ……? (here, hear) (5 marks)

Test 2

Fill in the blanks using the correct reflexive pronoun.

1. My little sister can dress herself.
2. We repaired the computer …… .
3. They spend hours looking at …… in the mirror.
4. Behave ……!
5. I hurt …… when I fell down.
6. The baby boy is not old enough to wash …… . (5 marks)

Test 3

Underline the opposite word for each underlined word.

1. It is not uncommon to find tigers around this forest
   a. under b. unusual c. hard d. usual
2. There are many active workers in the site
   a. busy b. lazy c. easy d. smelly
3. Raj is brave
   a. coward b. courageous c. tired d. aggressive
4. He is a foolish man
   a. strong b. wise c. brave d. enjoy
5. Raj is glum, because he couldn't attend the party.
   a. cheerful b. sad c. afraid d. sleepy
6. She is asleep
   a. tired b. stand up c. awake d. gloomy
7. The class was very noisy
   a. loud b. quite c. glad d. quiet
8. She knew all the correct answers
   a. wrong b. write c. right d. worry
9. The tame horse ran fast
   a. domestic b. fierce c. speed d. strong
10. This is the first victory for us
    a. win b. defeat c. strong d. active (10 marks)

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Test 4

Join the sentences using '**as**' / '**but**' / '**so**' / '**and**'. You can use the words more than once.

1. I can't come with you tomorrow …… I have an exam.
2. Julie doesn't know how to swim, …… she stays out of the pool in swimming hour.
3. Ram is very smart …… intelligent boy.
4. I know the answer, …… I won't tell you.
5. It's really cold outside …… I'm taking my coat with me.

Test 5

Study the picture given below and fill in the blanks using suitable words.



This is a picture of an activity room. There are ……. children doing different kinds of activities. Four children are sitting …… the table and playing with cubes and blocks. A …… , standing between two boys is playing …… while a boy is …… the picture of a …… . Two children are sitting on the …… and arranging the numbered ……. There is a picture of a …… on the wall and there are some books in the ……

(5 marks)

Test 6

Rewrite the sentences using **apostrophe** where necessary.

1. I cant come with you to Johns house.
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2. Students are listening to their class teachers advice.
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3. We celebrate Womens Day on 8th of March.
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4. Today is my fathers birthday.
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5. This is a boys school.
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6. Those girls bicycles were stolen outside the store.
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7. John only likes to sew mens dresses.
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8. All of my friends houses are near the park.
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9. The childrens toys are all over the floor.
   ……
10. This is my fathers watch.
   …… (10 marks)

Test 7

Your friend has invited you to his birthday celebration on coming Monday, but you are unable to attend the party as you have to go to Colombo to take part in English essay competition on that day. Write a reply note to him

Include the following

- Thanking him for the invitation and wishing him
- Reason for your inability.
- Your willingness to meet him on another day.

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(5 marks)

Test 8

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in the bracket. One is done for you .

Last summer I …… (travel) to Trincomalee with my family. We …… …… (stay) in my friend' s house. I played (play) on the beach, …… …… (go) for sightseeing, …… (swim) in the sea, and …… …… (write) postcards. We …… (not visit) to the pigeon Island. My brother …… (build) a sand castle but he ……. (not swim).This …… (be) a different holiday for me. Next time I …… …… (visit) to Batticaloa with my brother. (10marks)

Test 9

Fill in the blanks using the correct plural form of the words given below.

deer, calf, child, man, apple, knife

1. Yesterday I ate two apples .
2. Baby cows are called ……
3. It is dangerous to play with very sharp ……
4. Mr. John has three ……
5. I saw many …… at the zoo.
6. Jana said that he needs three strong …… to help him to carry the luggage.

(5 marks)

Test 10

Read the story carefully and answer the questions given below.

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Danny lived with his mother in a small house at the edge of town. They were poor and got by only with what his mother earned as a washerwoman. Although they were poor, they were always helpful to those in need.

One day, Danny was walking in town when he saw an old man carrying a huge bundle. The man looked tired and hungry. His bones were sticking out. He was walking around asking people to help him carry the bundle. No one agreed to help him. Danny offered to help him. The old man told Danny that he had no money to pay him.

With a laugh, Danny said that he was just trying to help. He took the bundle and hoisted it onto his shoulder. It was heavy ! Danny asked the old man where he wanted to go. He told Danny to follow him. As they walked, Danny realized that they were heading towards his house.

The old man stopped right in front of it. "This is my house !" exclaimed Danny. The old man did not say a word. He just turned around and told Danny, "This bundle is for you, use it well." Then he went off.

Danny opened the bundle and was surprised to find a huge amount of money inside. A note inside it said "Help comes to those who help." From then on, Danny and his mother lived happily. They continued to help those in need.

1. What is David's mother? ……
2. Was the old man fat or thin? Which sentence tells you this?
   ……, ……
3. Why didn't anyone help the old man?
   ……
4. Why was David given with the bundle of money?
   ……
5. Find the synonyms
   a. assist …… b. big ……
6. Find the antonym
   a. poor …… b. Village ……
7. What is the moral of the story?
   ……

(10 marks)

Test 11

Write one of the following

1. Good habits.
2. Letter to your pen friend about your school sportsmeet
3. My ambition

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