Exercises 01

Write the most suitable word in the blank.

For many years prices have been ..... (continue/ continuously/ continuation) rising. We may more and more for goods for the ....., (services/ serve/ sever) and workers. It is now very ..... (cost/costly/costing) to employ a workman. A house painter for example, we may want at least Rs. 1000/= for a ..... (day/daily/ days). Therefore many people learnt to do many work by ..... (himself/ oneself/themselves). House painting can be learn ..... (reason/ reasonably/reasonable) well in a short time.

Exercises 02

Read the following letter. There are some mistakes in that letter and they are underlined. Write the correct word in the space provided. *The first one is done for you.*

Dear Kanchana,

(1) Thanks you for your letter. It was very nice to hear from you. I am really (2) look forward to see you at Nuwara Eliya. But there are a few things that (3) me would like to ask you. What's (4) a weather usually like in the season? I don't really know (5) which to pack and don't have a big travelling bag. Can you come and (6) meeting me at the railway station? If not, just let me know how to get to the station (7) but you can pick me there. I have one more question. How (8) many money should I bring? Is it easy to use a credit card or would it (9) being better (10) for bring cash? Just let me know, I have to decide about it. Give my regards to (11) you parents. Please write soon.

Lots of love,

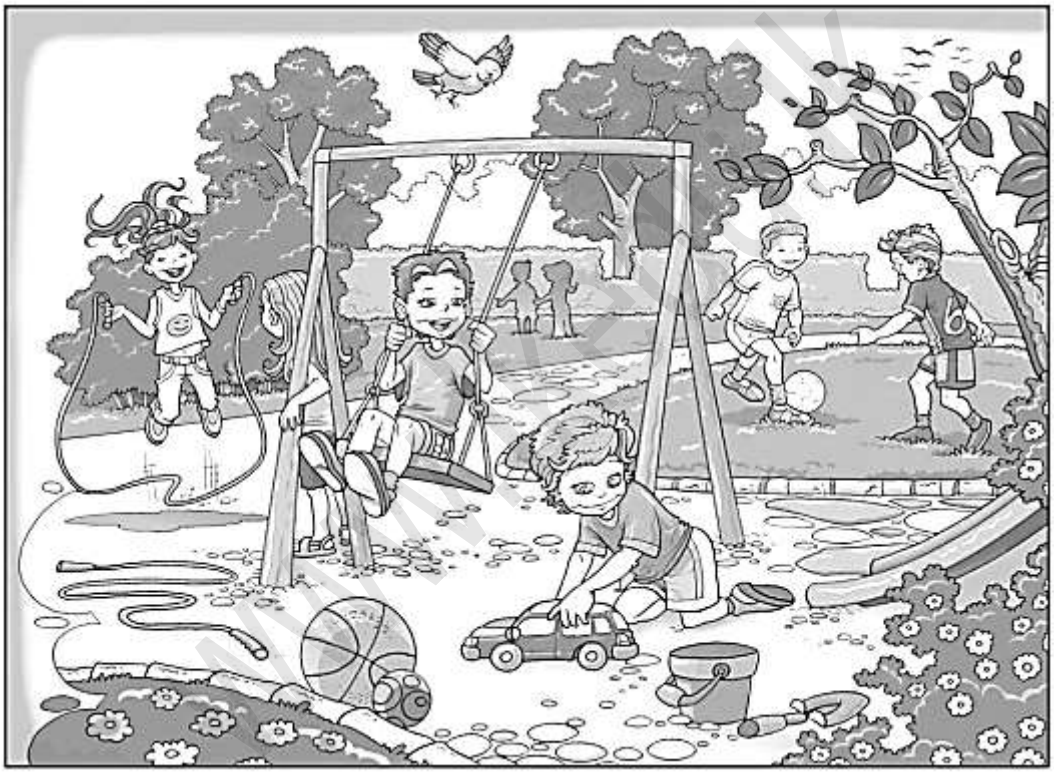
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1. Thank you
2. .....
3. .....
4. .....
5. .....
6. .....
7. .....
8. .....
9. .....
10. .....
11. .....

Exercises 03

Study the following picture and complete the paragraph. One dash (-) is for one letter. The first letter of the word is given.



This is a picture of a children's park. There are few **c**_ _ _ _ _ _ _ in the park. Two boys are playing with a **b** _ _ _. A girl is **s** _ _ _ _ _ _ _ . A boy is **s** _ _ _ _ _ _ _. Another boy is playing with a **c** _ _ _. There is a **b** _ _ _ _ _ near that boy. Some **b**_ _ _ _ are flying in the **s** _ _. There are many **t** _ _ _ _ around the park. Bushes are covered with **f** _ _ _ _ _ _

Exercises 04

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

1. What are the things that the man in the poem does in a day?

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2. What are the colours of his life? ……

3. How long does he work a day? ……

4. For what the other people in the world work? …….

5. What does he have though poor? ……..

6. Underline the correct answer.

The poem is about a

(a) fisherman

(b) farmer

(c) sweeper

I know I'm just a humble man
Who works from eight to four.
I rise and eat and work and sweep
And do my best, though poor.
The only colours in my life
Are dusty brown and grey.
Yet I know I must be content
To work for honest pay.
Some pray for money, some for fame,
Some for grate man's smile,
But all I ask for is the chance
To shine a little while
Just once before I leave this world
I'd like to play a part,
And show that, though a little man,
I have a lion's heart

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Exercises 05

Write a sentence against each picture. A sentence must have at least five words.

First one is done for you.

Ruwan 

Ruwan is playing football in the evening

Amali 

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Senuri 

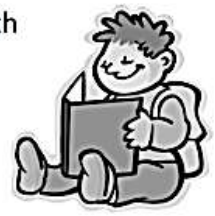
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Gayani 

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Yohan 

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Suneth 

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Exercises 06

The Commerce Day of your school will be held next month. Write an invitation to be sent to all the parents and past pupils. Include when and where it will be held and who the chief guest is. Mention the special events for the day.

Exercises 07

Write paragraphs on following topics. Use about 50 words.

a. Reading is the best way to spend one's leisure

b. Water – can we live without it?

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