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SECOND TERM EXAMINATION- 2018

English Language **Part I** **Grade 11**

Index No:..... **One hour**

Answer all questions on this paper itself

Test 1

Fill in the blanks in the following dialogue. Use the words given in the box. Write the correct letter in the blank. ***The first one is done for you.***

a) mother	b) spend	c) comb	d) *go*	e) some	f) see

Ravi: Where did you (1) …**d**…. yesterday?
Supun: I went to Colombo.
Ravi : Why did you go there?
Supun : To (2) ……. my uncle.
Ravi : Who with did you go?
Supun : I went with my (3)……..
Ravi : What did you take him?
Supun : Homemade food, a (4)……. of bananas and (5) ……. sweets
Ravi: How much did you (6) ……. to go there?
Supun : We spent about 3000 rupees.
Ravi: Whose money is that?
Supun: My mother's money.

(1 x 5 = 5marks)

Test-2

Underline the correct answer. ***The first one is done for you.***

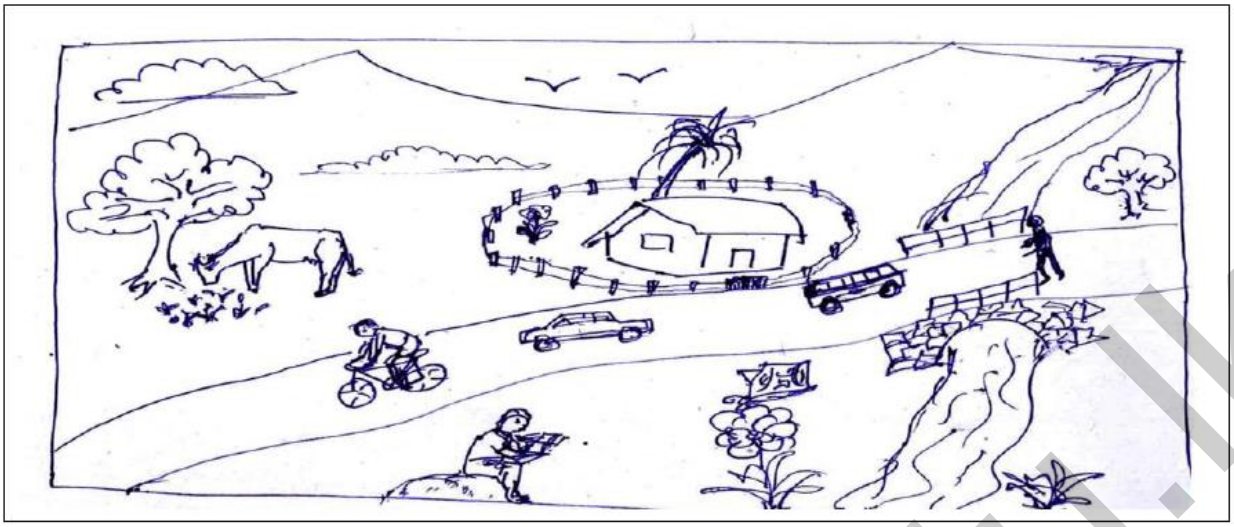
Hamsha:	Have you (1)…….the stream you want to follow?	(decide, <u>decided</u>)
Nila :	I don't know what to (2)……	(choose, chose)
Hamsha:	Me neither. I like almost all the subjects.	
Nila :	Come on! You (3)…….only select three.	(can, could)
Hamsha:	I (4)……to select Commerce stream.	(am going, go)
Nila :	I like it too, but my mother (5)……me to do Science.	(want, wants)
Hamsha:	That's a good decision. You are good in Science subjects.	
Nila :	I wish I (6)…… become an Accountant.	(could, can)

(1 x 5 = 5marks)

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Test-3

Study the picture and fill in the blanks in text given below. Use only **one** word in each blank.



This is a picture of a (1) …….. side. There is a house in the picture. There is a (2). …… around the house. A (3). ……. tree is behind the house. There is a (4). ……., flowing down on the right side of the picture. There is a (5). …….. walking over the bridge. The cow is (6). ……. grass under a tree. One boy is (7). …….. a bicycle along the road. There are some (8) ……. on the road. There are two birds (9). …… in the sky. A boy is sitting on a stone and reading a (10) …….. . **(½ x 10 =5 marks)**

Test-4

Match the extracts with the headings. Write the correct letter in the blank provided. *The first one is done for you.*

Extracts

i. Nowadays a large quantity of illegal drugs is consumed by children. (**c**)

ii. Heat only the sufficient amount of water you are going to use. (-----)

iii. At present people do less work, eat fast food and spend hours in front of T.V and computer. (-----)

iv. Mankind is the cause for pollution and destruction of the environment . (-----)

v. Jeyanthi was the first Sri Lankan to reach the summit of Mount Everest. (-----)

vi. Students of St.Mary's M.V visited Pinnawala orphanage and fed baby elephants. (-----)

Headings

(a) Great achievement

(b) The causes of obesity

(c) A burning problem

(d) A unique experience

(e) How we can save energy

(f) Disaster from the garbage mount

(1 x 5 = 5marks)

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Test-5

Read the following message and complete the role play. Use only **one word** in each blank. ***The first one is done for you***

Message 24.07.2018
Hamsa, Since you are absent to school, I am leaving this with your neighbour. Today, we had a discussion about the programme for our School Level English Day. Ragu would like to sing while Radha & Anu will perform a duet. Brian is ready to deliver a speech. There is a playlet by our class members. Segar is going to recite a poem. You can do the solo acting as you wish. But you have to confirm it tomorrow. Suresh

Teacher: Shall we discuss about our (1) ..**school** … level English Day programme now?
Ragu : Alright teacher, I would like to (2)…… .
Radha & Anu : We can sing a (3) ……... .
Teacher: Ok, fine.
Brian: I have already prepared a (4) …….
Teacher : Well, show me the script.
Riya : Our class will do a (5) …… .
Teacher: Very good. What else?
Segar : I am going to recite a (6) …… by William Blake.
Teacher: That's nice.
Suresh: Teacher, Hamsa wants to do a solo acting.
Teacher: Where is she?
Suresh: She is absent.
Teacher: We need to finalize the events tomorrow. Please send her a message.
Suresh: Ok, teacher. **(1x5= 5marks)**

Test – 6

One of the retired teachers of your school has met with an accident and is hospitalized now. Write a note to your friend, asking him/her to join you to visit the teacher in the hospital. *Use about 50 words.*

Include the following - Who the teacher is - What is the accident like
-Where the teacher is now - Propose date / time / place to meet

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(5marks)

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Test – 7

Read the following text and answer the questions.

George had a son named, Simon. George worked hard for many years. Simon lived a very happy life and all his needs and desires were met by his father. But, in the long run, Simon became a son who wasted his father's earnings. George wanted to teach him a lesson.

One day, George said to Simon, " Son, I shall give you my earnings only when you start working and earn money for yourself ".

Simon set out to earn money by working very hard in the fields. At the end of every day, Simon gave his wages to George. But, George threw it into the well! Seeing this repeated for many days, Simon asked George why he was throwing the money into the well.

George replied that he felt the same pain when Simon wasted his hard earned money. Simon understood the value of money only when he started earning it for himself. Pleased by this, George handed over all his earnings to Simon.

(1) Who is Simon? ……

(2) What did George ask Simon to do? ……

(3) Why was George throwing the money into the well? ……

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(4) Write the sentence which says that Simon realized the value of money because of his hard work.

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(5) Underline the correct answer.

Simon led a very ---------- life because of his father's earnings.

(a) comfortable (b) painful (c) busy (**1x5= 5marks)**

Test 8

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

(a) An interesting trip I went on (b) Uses of trees

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