

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THIS PAPER ITSELF.
Paper I Total

## O Test 01

Match the following words with their descriptions. Write the correct letter in the blank. The first one is done for you.
( $1 \times 5=5$ marks)

| A | B | C | D | E | F |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| library | author | aeroplane | spectacles | chef | school |

1. A person who is skilled in preparing and presenting various types of food. ...E......
2. A place where a collection of books is available for borrowing or reference.
3. A flying vehicle used for transporting passengers and cargo
4. A person who creates written work, such as books, articles, or stories.
5. A place where pupils go to study.
6. A device for correcting vision, consisting of lenses

## O Test 02

Fill in the blanks in the following dialogue. Use the words given in the box. The first one is done for you.
( $1 \times 5=5$ marks)

> by, in, of, SH, to, from

A : Hi, have you started working (1)......on. $\qquad$ the Science project?

B : Yes. I am doing a project on climate change. Were you able to select a topic?
A : I'm thinking (2). $\qquad$ working on energy sources.

B : That sounds great! I'm also interested (3) $\qquad$ energy sources. Shall we go
(4). $\qquad$ the library? It is close (5) isn't it?

A : Yes. We'll be able to find some information (6). $\qquad$ .some books and articles.

B : That's a good plan.

## O Test 03

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

a) happily
b) window
c) T-shirt
d) play
e) spiders
f) vase
g) children
h) kettle
i) skirt
j) sitting
k) $\operatorname{girl}$

A mother and her two children, Raja and Maya are in the kitchen. The two children are (1)...sitting.... on the floor playing with some (2) The boy holding the spider seems to be enjoying and the (3) is asking for it. They are playing (4)

There is a box between the two (5)
The girl is wearing a (6) $\qquad$ and a pair of trousers. Kamani, the mother, wearing a long (7) is washing the dishes while watching the children at (8) $\qquad$ There is a (9) $\qquad$ with some flowers on the (10) $\qquad$ sill. There is a (11) on the ledge and it seems that the two children are waiting for breakfast.

## O Test 04

Read the following dialogue between Bhanuka and Anuk. Complete the paragraph given below.
The first one is one for you.
( $1 \times 5=5$ marks $)$
Anuk : Hi! How was your trip to Nuwara Eliya? Hope you enjoyed it.
Bhanuka: It was amazing. We climbed Piduruthalagala and met a lot of tourists.
Anuk : Did you make any friends?
Bhanuka : Yes, some Germans befriended with me and I got their contact numbers too.
Anuk : Really! By the way, were you able to go on a boat ride in the lake?
Bhanuka: Oh no. We didn't have time for that as my uncle wanted to come back soon. But we visited the park and some farms. We got the chance to eat some fresh strawberries.
Anuk : Really, did you bring some for me?
Bhanuka : Of course. Here you are.
Anuk : Thank you.

Bhanuka went on a (1). $\qquad$ to Nuwara Eliya. He climbed (2). $\qquad$ and they became friendly with some (3) .............................. He couldn't
(4) in the lake but visited the (5) and some
(6)

Bhanuka brought some strawberries to Anuk.

## O Test 05

Read the text and complete the table given below. The first one is done for you. $\quad(1 \times 5=5$ marks $)$
Russia has begun recruiting skilled Sri Lankan workers following a historic agreement between the two countries. Accordingly, fifty eight factory workers had already left the country for the Russian Federation after they were selected by the Sri Lanka Foreign Employment Agency. These workers left Sri Lanka to take up employment at two renowned textile manufacturing plants in Nizhny Novgorod.

Discussions are also under way between the Sri Lankan Mission in Moscow and Regional Government Authorities in Nizhny Novgorod to recruit 700 more skilled Sri Lankan seamstresses for that region. The Russian Federation is currently the host country for hundreds of Sri Lankan students as well.
(Adapted from Sunday Observer)

| 1. | The name of the country recruiting workers | Russia |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2. | The number of factory workers already left |  |
| 3. | The workers were selected by |  |
| 4. | The textile manufacturing plants are at |  |
| 5. | The number of skilled workers to be recruited |  |
| 6. | The type of skilled workers to be recruited |  |

## O Test 06

You are the secretary of the Photographic Club of your school. Write a notice inviting all the members of the club for a meeting to organize an exhibition. Use about 40-50 words. Include the following

- date, time
- venue
- the purpose of the meeting
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Read the following text and underline the correct answer.

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(1 \times 5=5 \text { marks })
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I started to walk towards the light and it did not go away. It came from a small house which stood alone. I was so tired that I went towards the front door of the house and peeped through the window. I could see two young women and an old woman through the little window. The two young women were having dinner. The older should be the mother, I thought. By this time, I was very, very weak. I stood watching them for a long time. I was unable to move. So I knocked on the door. I heard a dog inside, and after a few minutes the old woman came to the door.
"What do you want?" She asked angrily. "Why are you out alone so late at night? It's not right."
"Please....please," I begged. "I'm a stranger and I have lost my way. Can you give me something to eat? May I stay here tonight?"
"I'll give you some bread, but you can't stay here," she replied. "How do we know who you are? You may have some wicked friends near. They might come and kill us during the night." She went inside.

1. Where did the light come from?
a) a door
b) a small house
c) the garden
2. Who did the narrator see through the window?
a) two young women
b) an old woman
c) two young women and an old woman
3. What were the two young women in the house doing?
a) sleeping
b) reading and talking
c) taking their dinner
4. Where was the dog?
a) inside the house
b) in the garden
c) near the window
5. Why did the narrator go to the house?
a) to seek shelter and food
b) to ask for directions
c) to ask for something to eat

## O Test 08

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

1. A rainy day
2. My favorite author
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