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Answer all the questions.

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Test 1

Fill in the blanks with the correct question word. *The first one is done for you.*

(Marks 1 x5= 5)

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| 1. What.....is the capital of France? | Paris |
| 2. did the event start? | Around 10.00 a.m |
| 3. did you go for your last vacation? | to Badulla |
| 4. money do you need for the trip? | Rs.2500.00 |
| 5. didn't you come yesterday? | Because I was not well |
| 6. umbrella is yours? | The blue one at the corner |

When	What	Where	Which	How much	Why
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Test 2

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

(Marks 1x5=5)

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| 1) If it rains tomorrow, ...a.....
2) If I win a lottery,.....
3) If Mary studies hard, ...
4) If they had arrived earlier, ...
5) If I had known about that meeting, ...
6) If I knew our former principal's address,..... | a) We will stay indoors.
b) I would have attended it.
c) I will buy a new car.
d) I would send him an invitation for the sports meet.
e) They would have caught the beginning of the movie.
f) She will pass the exam |
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Test 3

Look at the picture. Fill in the blanks using the words given in the box. *The first one is done for you.*
(½ x10= 5 Marks)



playing	mat
them	huge
~~seven~~	sweets
elder	her
	parents
drinking	sister

Saroj and his family members went on a picnic and this picture shows what everyone is doing. There are (1) seven people in this picture, Saroj, his grandfather, his (2) and his two brothers and his (3) Four of them are sitting on a (4) His grandfather is (5) a cup of tea. His mother is arranging some (6) on a plate and his father is looking at (7) His younger brother and sister are (8) There is a (9) tree at the corner and his (10) brother is standing in front of it. Saroj is looking at all of (11) by hanging on a branch of the big tree. It is a fine day and it seems that all of them are enjoying the day.

Test 4

Complete each sentence using the word given in the brackets in its correct form.
The first one is done for you. (1x5= 5 Marks)

1. Sri Lanka is a**developing**.... (develop) country.
2. We must get a good (educate) to achieve success.
3. The small child played (happy) with his classmates.
4. Lions and tigers are (danger) animals.
5. Thomas Alva Edison is a great (invent).
6. Addiction to television, smart phones or computers is very (harm) to our health.

Test 5

Read the following instructions and put them into the correct box. Write the letter in the box.

The first one is done for you

(1/2 x 10 = 5 Marks)

Instructions

- Turn off your hand phones.
- Use the both sides of the paper.
- Take off your hats and shoes before entering.
- Don't use correction fluid.
- Write your index number on the space given.
- Walk slowly without disturbing others.
- Read the instructions carefully before start answering.
- Wear a descent dress.
- Be mindful and respect of the practices and beliefs observed in the place.
- Don't bring electronic devices inside the hall.
- Don't touch any statues.

At an examination hall	At a religious place
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Test 6

Fill in the blanks with the words given in the box. *The first one is done for you.* (1x10 = 10 Marks)

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An Igloo is a house made of snow. They are built by people who live in cold areas. However, they are not permanent houses. Normally it takes about one (1) **hour** to build an Igloo and (2) 3-4 days it starts melting. Igloos (3) doom-shaped. The entrance of an Igloo (4) very short and shaped like (5) tunnel. So, the air can't get out (6) The walls of the Igloo don't (7) outside wind enter. Thus, the (8) doesn't drop. On the other hand, the heat (9) by people's bodies remains inside. (10) are built in different sizes. (11) Igloos can be used as shelters for hunters, medium ones can be used as winter homes for families and larger ones can be used for gathering places and community living spaces.

Test 7

Complete the dialogue. Use the phrases given in the box. Write the letter of the correct phrase in the space given. *The first one is done for you.* (1x5=5 Marks)

- (a) Certainly! The Science Fair is scheduled for next Friday.
- (b) You're welcome
- (c) You can register online
- (d) Could you provide me
- (e) about the registration process
- (f) ~~How can I help you?~~

Caller : Hello, this is Alex. I'd like to speak with Ms. Browns.

Receiver : Hi Alex, this is Browns. (1)^f?

Caller : I'm calling to ask about the upcoming Science Fair. (2) some more Information please?

Receiver : (3) It will start at 10.00 am and end at 3.00 pm. Is there anything else you want to know?

Caller : Yes, could you also tell me (4)?

Receiver : Of course. The registration deadline is this Friday. (5) or at the school office.

Caller : Thank you for your help. I appreciate it.

Receiver : (6), Alex. Have a great day!

Test 8

Turn these direct speech sentences into reported speech.

(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)

1. "I have finished my homework," said Emily.

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2. "We will go to the museum tomorrow," said the teacher.

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3. "Can you help me with this problem?" asked Mike.

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4. "I will call you later," said Sarah.

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5. "The weather is going to be sunny," said the weather forecaster.

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Test 9

Read the poem and answer the questions.

(1 x 5 = 5 Marks)

The Sun and the Moon

The sun rises high in the sky,
spreading light and warmth from up high.
It wakes the world with a golden glow,
and helps the flowers and trees to grow.

When the day turns into night,
the moon appears, soft and bright.
It lights the dark with a silver beam,
and watches over us while we dream.

Together they dance, one in the day,
the other in night's gentle sway.
A pair that works, from dawn to dusk,
in a world that's both wondrous and just.

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1. What does the sun do in the poem?.....
2. According to the poem, how does the moon appear?.....
3. What does the moon do?.....
4. Find the rhyming words from the poem.
i. sky ii. night
5. Underline the correct answer. The main theme of this poem is,
(a) The beauty of the sky.
(b) The duties of the moon
(c) The harmonious relationship between the sun and the moon.

Test 10

Read the following note.

08.07.2024

Dear Kasun,

There is an exhibition on 'The World Nature Conservation Day' at Lumbini Hall on this Saturday. My sister wants to see it and I have to go with her. Don't you like to see it? Send me a message soon.

Venura.

Imagine you are Kasun and send a suitable reply to Venura. Use about 50-60 words. (5 Marks)

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Test 11

Read the following text and answer the questions given below.

(10 Marks)

The Adventures of Marco Polo

Marco Polo was a Venetian merchant and explorer who traveled extensively through Asia in the 13th century. His journeys took him through places like Persia, China, and Indonesia. He wrote about his experiences in a book called "The Travels of Marco Polo." This book offered Europeans a glimpse of the distant lands and cultures of Asia, which were largely unknown to them at the time.

One of the most significant aspects of Marco Polo's travels was his time spent at the court of Kublai Khan, the Mongol emperor. Kublai Khan was fascinated by Polo's stories of the West, and he employed Polo as an envoy, sending him on missions throughout the empire. Marco Polo's accounts of the wealth and sophistication of the Chinese civilization were particularly astonishing to Europeans, who were used to thinking of Asia as a mysterious and exotic land.

Despite skepticism about the accuracy of his tales, Marco Polo's book became incredibly influential. It inspired future explorers, including Christopher Columbus, who reportedly carried a copy of Polo's book on his voyage to the Americas. Marco Polo's legacy lives on, reminding us of the importance of curiosity and the desire to understand the world beyond our own horizons.

1. Who was Marco Polo?
2. What was he famous for?.....
3. What role did Kublai Khan play in Marco Polo's travels?
4. Why was Marco Polo's book significant to Europeans?.....
5. How did Marco Polo's book influence future explorers?
6. What do the underlined words in the paragraph refer to?
 - a. 'them' in paragraph 1, line 4
 - b. 'it' in paragraph 3, line 1
7. Find similar words from the passage for the following phrases.
 - a. A person who travels in searching information
 - b. A long journey by sea
8. Write the line which says that Marco Polo has revealed Asian countries to the world.
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Test 12

Write on one of the following topics. Use about 150 words.

(10 Marks)

The Importance of Reading Books.

Include the following:

- The benefits: how reading books can improve vocabulary, knowledge, and critical thinking skills.
- Personal experience: how reading has impacted your life or the lives of others.
- Compare the advantages of reading books to other forms of entertainment, Eg: watching TV or playing video games.

(b) My Favorite Hobby and Why I Enjoy It

Include the following:

- Description about your favorite hobby, what it involves and how you practice it.
- Why this hobby is important to you and how it benefits your personal life
- How others might also benefit from engaging in this hobby.

Test 13 Listening Test

Listen to your teacher and answer the questions.

1. What is this text about? (1 mark)
2. According to the paragraph, what is the role of the sun? (1 mark)
3. Fill in the blanks.
 - a. There are planets in our solar system.
 - b. Mercury is the planet to the sun.
 - c. The largest planet in our solar system is (1x3 =3 Marks)
4. Underline the correct answer.
 - a. 1. The sun is not a star. 3. Uranes is the last planet in the solar system.
2. Our earth is also a planet (1 Mark)
 - b. Asteroids and comets are,
1.planets 2. Celestial bodies 3. Icy bodies (1 Mark)
5. Why is it important to study about the solar system?
..... (1 Mark)