



PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION NORTH WESTERN PROVINCE
YEAR END TEST 2016

Grade 10 **ENGLISH LANGUAGE - I** **One Hour**

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Answer all the questions on this paper itself.

Test - 1 Fill in the blanks in the following short exchanges using the words from the boxes. Write the correct letter in the blank. *The first one is done.*

- (A) Ranil : Shall we (1)**C**..... volleyball?
Rasika : I'm (2) I can't
Ranil : Why is that?
Rasika : I have to go to the English
(3)

(a)	class
(b)	afraid
(c)	play
(d)	have

- (B) Father : Son, please bring my (4)
of spectacles
Son : O. K. father, where did you
(5) it ?
Father : It's on my (6) of
drawers.

(a)	chest
(b)	pair
(c)	box
(d)	leave

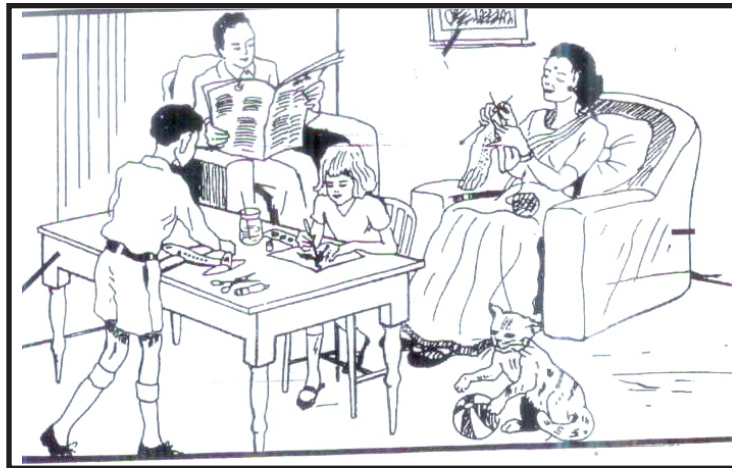
Marks 1 x 5

Test - 2 Read the paragraph and fill in the blanks with the correct form of the pronoun given within brackets. *The first one is done.*

Sugath and I are good friends (1)**We**..... (we)
study at the same school (2) (we) parents are farmers.
(3) (they) always work on
..... (they) paddy fields. In the evening, they help
(5) (we) to do our studies But we always try to do our
work (6) (we) without disturbing
them.

Marks 1 x 5

Test - 3 Study the picture and fill in the blanks.



This is a picture of a (1) The family (2) are engaged in some activities. The (3) seated on the chair is reading a (4)..... . He seems to be the (5) The woman is knitting a (6) She may be the (7) The boy is making an (8) The girl is drawing a (9) There is a cat. It is playing with a (10)

Marks
½ x

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5

Test - 4 Read the invitation and complete the grid. *One is done for you.*

Mr. and Mrs. Fonseka
 has pleasure in inviting
 Mr. Dissanayake

 at the marriage of their daughter
Niluka to Vihanga
 (Son of Mr. & Mrs. Sooriyaarachchi of
 Nagoda, Kalutara
On Monday 19th December 2016
from 10 a.m. to 03 p.m.
 at
Shalini Holiday Resort - Kurunegala.
 Poruwe ceremony - at 11.32 a. m.)

Type of Invitation	Names of bride and bridegroom	Girl's parents	Invitee	Date of wedding	Venue
1	2	3	4	5	6
<i>Wedding</i>					

Marks
1 x

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Test - 5

Read and match the jobs with their descriptions. Write the number of the description in the box provided. *One is done.*

Description

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| 1. I am an important person in the society. My job is to teach and guide students. | (a) Plumber | <input type="text"/> |
| 2. I use my hands with artistic sense. I use my skill and talent to make people look better. | (b) Journalist | <input type="text"/> |
| 3. I think, I'm a good communicator. I love reporting events and incidents for public. | (c) Teacher | <input type="text" value="1"/> |
| 4. I am a professional chief cook in a hotel or a restaurant. | (d) Customer care Executive | <input type="text"/> |
| 5. My job is to repair pipes and taps. | (e) Beautician | <input type="text"/> |
| 6. I am friendly and I care about people. I am capable of communicating with my customers. | (f) Chef | <input type="text"/> |

Marks 1 x 5

Test - 6 Read the following paragraph about a teacher and write a similar paragraph about a nurse or a postman Use the details given in the box.

Job	Duty	Place of work	working hours	Dress	Qualities
Teacher	teaches the students	school	7.30a.m. to 1.30 p.m.	no uniform	kind-hard working
Nurse	treats the patients	hospital	day and night	a uniform	kind patient
Postman	delivers letters	post-office	7.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.	no uniform	friendly helpful

A teacher is a person who teaches the students. He works in a school. He works from 7.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. A teacher hasn't got a uniform. He is kind and hard working.

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Marks 1x 5



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Test - 9 Read the sentences and underline the most suitable word given in brackets. *One is done.*

1. I saw the (advertise / advertisement / advertiser) published in the Daily News last Monday.
2. We are going to (invite / invitation / invitee) the Zonal Director of Education for this function.
3. We have got a very good driver. He drives very (care / careful / carefully)
4. Most of the children have given the (correct / correctly / correction) response to the question.
5. You have to follow a course on Human Resource (Manager/Management/Manage) to apply for this job
6. They are having very (comfortable / comfort / comfortably) facilities in that hotel.

Marks
1 x
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5

Test - 10 Read the following passage. In each line one word is incorrect and it is underlined. Write the correct word in the space provided against each line. *The first one is done for you.*

Yala West National Park is well
recognize as one of the best (..... *recognized*)
park in the world to observe (.....)
leopards. A park covers (.....)
a area of over 10,000 (.....)
hectares and are divided (.....)
into five nice block. (.....)
Block one is the more visited (.....)
area since it contains the high (.....)
density for leopards. However (.....)
other areas had being closed to (.....)
visitors for sum years. (.....)

Marks
½ x
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5

Test - 11 Read the dialogue and fill in the blanks with the utterances given in the box below.
Write the letter of the utterance in the space provided. *One is done for you.*

Uditha : Come on Krishan, Aren't you ready yet?
We'll be late for school.

Krishan : (1).....(d).....
Let me put my books into my bag.

Uditha : (2).....?

Krishan : Oh, I almost forgot it. I'll get it in a minute.

Uditha : Hurry up Krishan (3).....?

Krishan : Yes, and I'm quite ready. Let's be off.

Uditha : Oh, dear, how cloudy the sky is !
(4).....

Krishan : Let's walk fast.
(5).....

Uditha : I'm afraid. We'll have to run. Come on.

Krishan : Don't run so fast, Uditha.
(6).....

Uditha : All right. Now we are very close to the school.

- (a) Where's your umbrella?
- (b) It may rain at any moment.
- (c) I nearly tripped myself.
- (d) Wait a minute.
- (e) We'll probably reach the school before the rain comes.
- (f) Have you taken everything now?

Marks
1 x
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5

Test - 12 Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given within brackets.

The first one is done for you

01. If you invite Nimal, he **will come** (come) to the party.
02. If I were the President of the club, I(refuse) the proposal.
03. If they (arrive) early, they could have caught the first train.
04. You (be) healthy and strong, if you engage in sports.
05. If we (protect) the environment, the world would be more beautiful.
06. If he (get) late, he will miss the lesson.

Marks 1 x 5

Test - 13 Read the following text and fill in the blanks with the words given in the box below.

we,	glass,	the,	difference,	a,	radio,	made
useful,	it,	film,	large,	happening,	have,	which

Television is one of the wonders of our age. By turning the switch on (1) box-like instrument in our house, (2) can see events that are (3) thousands of kilometres away. Watching (4) television is like watching a (5) at the cinema; the only (6) is that, instead of a (7) screen at the cinema, we (8) a small screen, made of (9) and fixed to a box (10) is not much bigger than a (11)..... Television is a very (12) invention of the 18th century (13) by the great scientist John Loggie Baird. (14) has made the world so close, easy and happy.

Marks ½ x 7

Test - 15 Read the passage and answer the questions.

In 1912 an American shipping company launched a new ship called 'Titanic'. It was the largest and most luxurious ocean liner of that time. It weighed forty six thousand tons and carried about two thousand two hundred passengers. Experts called it unsinkable. On April 14th 1912, the 'Titanic' sailed on her maiden voyage. It was going across the Atlantic from England to New York carrying men, women and children. Suddenly, just before midnight the ship struck an ice-berg. It was a terrible collision. The ice-berg tore a great hole in the ship's hull and the unsinkable "Titanic" began to sink.

There was much excitement on board. The Titanic was sinking. The alarm bells were sounded. Everyone rushed to the life boats, but there wasn't room for them all. There was room for only 1178 passengers. The life boats took mostly the women and children. It was a terrible scene. Wives were weeping because they had to leave their husbands to drown; children were crying because they had to say good bye to their fathers; the men had to remain on the ship. The Titanic signalled for help, but no help came. Another ship, the "Californian" was only 20 miles away, but her radio operator was asleep and did not hear the distress signal.

At 2.20 in the early hours of the morning the 'Titanic' sank to the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean Twenty minutes later, another liner, the "Carpathia" arrived on the scene and helped to rescue survivors from the icy-waters. But of the 2234 passengers, only about 700 survived.

01. Say if the following statements are "TRUE" or "FALSE" by writing (T) or (F) in the box.

- (a) The passage describes sinking of a great ship called "Titanic"
- (b) The ship weighed about 2200 tons.
- (c) It was sailing across the Atlantic from England to New York.
- (d) The name of the ship was "unsinkable"

($\frac{1}{2}$ x 4 = 2 marks)

02. Complete. Use only one word for each blank.

The "Titanic" was launched by an shipping company in
(1 mark)

03. Where did everyone rush when the alarm bells were sounded?
.....
(1 mark)

04. Who took the life boats mostly? .
 (1 mark)
05. How many miles was the ship Californian away when Titanic signalled for help?
 (1 mark)
06. Find words from the passage similar in meaning to the following phrases.
- (i) a sea journey
 (First paragraph)
- (ii) continued to live or exist
 (3rd paragraph) (1 mark)
07. How many passengers were rescued by the "Carpathia" ?
 (1 mark)

Test - 16 Write on any one of the following. Use about 200 words.

(1) An essay on " Sports for a healthy life"

- Include
- What is meant by healthy life
 - Types of sports. (in door - out door)
 - How one should select sports
 - How they help to lead a healthy life.

(2) An essay on "Environmental Pollution.

- Include
- What environment is.
 - Types of pollution.
 - bad effects of pollution.
 - how it can be prevented/ measures to be taken.

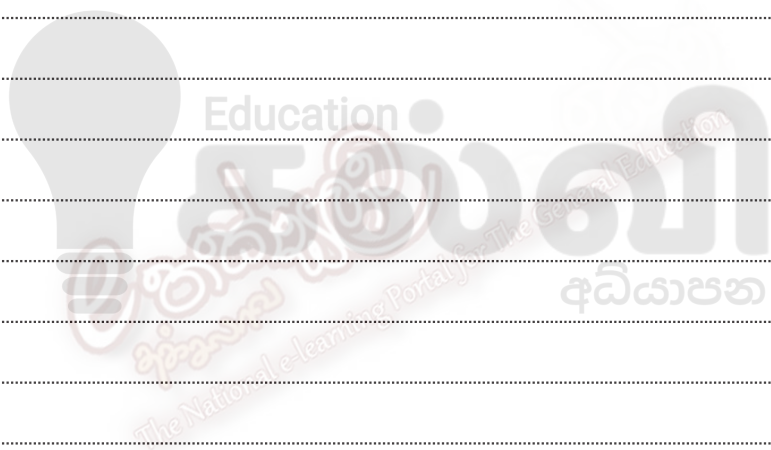
(3) Write a story or a folk tale you have heard of.

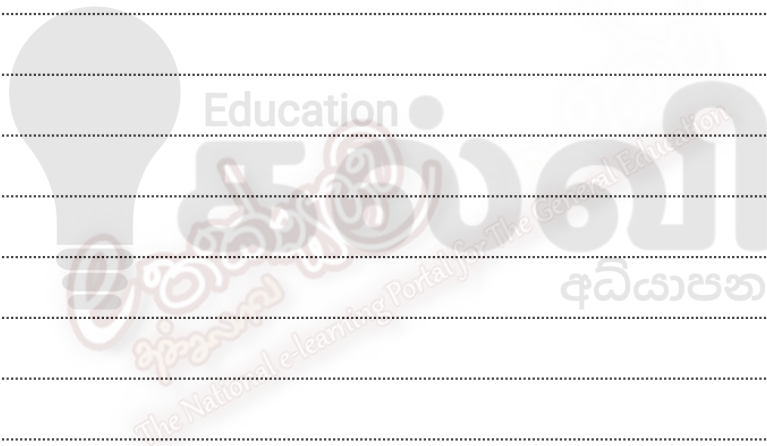
(4) Hasith thinks that English is a difficult subject to learn, Nimal wants to guide him to learn it easily. Now complete the following dialogue that takes place between the two friends on the above subject.

Nimal : Good morning Hasitha. Have you got your term test marks?

Hasitha : Good morning Nimal. Yes, I'm really disappointed about my English Marks. It's hard for me.

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Total
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15

Paper I

- Test 01 1) **c** 2) b 3) a 4) b 5) d 6) a
(marks 1 x 5 = 5)
- Test 02 1) **We** 2) Our 3) They 4) their 5) us 6) ourselves
(1x5 = 5 marks)
- Test 03 (1) living room / home / family (2) member (3) man / person (4) newspaper
(5) father (6) dress / cloth (7) mother (8) aeroplane
(9) picture (10) ball (½ x 10 = 5 marks)
- Test 04 (1) **Wedding** (2) Niluka - Vihanga (3) Mr. and Mrs. Fonseka (4) Mr. Dissanayake
(5) 19th December 2016 (6) Shalini Holiday Resort - Kurunegala. (marks 1x5 = 5)
- Test 05 (a) 5 (b) 3 (c) **1** (d) 6 (e) 2 (f) 4
(marks 1x5 = 5marks)

Test 06 Give marks for each grammatically correct sentence. Deduct one mark for more than three mistakes.

- Test 07 (1) a man (2) They were lying under a tree (3) a rupee (4) No
(5) Three lazy men - (any suitable answer)

Test 08 C - 2
L - 3
Total - 5

Content	2	All points included
	1	Most of the points included.
	0	Question copied / Totally irrelevant

Language

3	Almost no errors well - connected sentences, Correct spelling and punctuation
2	Some errors, well - connected sentences, some errors in spelling and punctuation
1	Only a few correct sentences
0	All sentences incorrect

Part II

- Test 09 (1) **advertisement** (2) invite (3) carefully (4) correct (5) Management (6) comfortable
(Marks - 1 x 5 = 5)
- Test 10 (1) **recognized** (2) parks (3) The (4) an (5) is (6) blocks (7) most (8) highest
(9) of (10) been (11) some (marks ½ x 10 = 5)
- Test 11 (1) **d** (2) a (3) f (4) b (5) e (6) c (marks 1 x 5 = 5)
- Test 12 (1) **will come** (2) would refuse (3) had arrived (4) will be (5) protected
(6) gets (marks 1x 5 = 5)
- Test 13 (1) a (2) we (3) happening (4) the (5) film (6) difference (7) large
(8) have (9) glass (10) which (11) radio (12) useful (13) made (14) It
(marks ½ x 14 = 7)
- Test 14 A & B Content - 3 Language - 3 Format & Organization - 2
Mechanics of writing - 2 = Total = 10
- Test 15 (1) a - T b - F c - T d - F (½ x 4 = 2 marks)
(2) (i) American (ii) 1912 (1 mark)
(3) to the life boats (1 mark) (4) women and children (1 mark)
(5) 20 miles (1 mark) (6) (i) voyage (ii) survived (1mark)
(7) 700 (seven hundred) (1 mark)
- Test 16 - C - 5 L - 5 O - 2 M - 3 Total = 15 (format & Organization)

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1ம் தவணை வகுப்புகள்

தரம் 6 முதல் 11 வரையான
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