

**Grade : 08**

## YEAR END TEST - 2019

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## Civic Education

## Part - 1

**Time : 2 Hours**

**Name / Index No:.....**

\* Underline the most suitable answer from question 1 - 30

01. Present Government has taken steps to develop schools spending more than Rs. 65 millions, based on a concept . What is it?

I. This is the school of your child  
III. "Shelter for all"

II. "Gamperaliya"  
IV. "The nearest school is the best"

02. Many steps were taken by the government to make the public transport service efficient : what is the development project launched under foreign funds?

I. Maintenance and repairing roads  
III. Construction of express ways

II. Addition of new buses for transportation  
IV. Improving private bus service

03. Protection of peace and security of our area and providing public security are the duties rendered by...

I. Grama Niladhari  
III.Three Forces

II. Samurdhi Development Officier  
IV. Sri Lanka Police

04. A social security network programme carried out by the government to fulfil the needs of man...

I. Forest conservation  
III. Welfare Programmes for senior citizens

II. Coastal conservation  
IV. Implementing programmes to prevent diseases

05. When was the Free education Act passed?

I. In 1940  
II. In 1945  
III. In 1948  
IV. In 1957

06. Scholars viewed "Democracy" in two ways what are they,

I. freedom and equality  
III. a way of living, a form of administration

II. democracy and dictatorship  
IV. a duty, a right

07. Emotions and related reactions are mentioned below. Select the in appropriate phrase..

I. Happiness → laughing, shouting  
II. Sorrow → Crying, Cheering  
III. Anger → Scolding, assaulting  
IV. Fear → Trembling, Stammering

08. A characteristic of a balanced personality

I. surbulent behaviour  
II. criticising others  
III. selfishness  
IV. not being impulsive

09. The qualities related to communication skills and human relationship of a leader are stated respectively,

I . presentation - sociability  
III. team work - friendliness

II .friendliness - planning  
IV. presentation - deciding the objectives

10. "Culture is that complex whole which includes knowledge, belief, art, morals, law, customs and any other capabilities and habits acquired by a human as a member of society " This definition was given by

I. Professor Wimal Dissanayake  
III. Sociologist T.H. Green

II. Sociologist E.B. Tylor  
IV. Sociologist Halord J Laski

11. According to the 2012 records of census department of Sri Lanka related to religions the highest percentage and the lowest percentage are depicted respectively by

I. Buddhism - Hindu  
III. Buddhist - Catholic / Christian

II. Islam - Hindu  
IV. Catholic/ Christian - Islam



25. Performance of one's duty with willingness and happiness is called,  
 I. self esteem II. nationalism III. dignity of labor IV. self dignity

26. Select the infrastructure facility that should be completed for the progression of the society.  
 I. food II. water III. houses IV. clothes

27. What is the act which has been imposed in order to project the right of the employees in Sri Lanka?  
 I. Act of employee's provident fund II. Act of Higher education  
 III. compulsory education act IV. Sri Lanka local service act

28. Who introduced 9 strategies of making customers satisfied?  
 I. Carl D Jerald II. Jerry Gregoire III. John Faster IV. Charls Babage

29. Select two plants that are recommended for urban school gardens  
 I. Avacado - Rambutan II. Alovera - Naipana  
 II. Margosa - Guava IV. Mara - Margosa

30. How do you contribute for sustainable Development ?  
 I. excessive consumption of resources  
 II. conservation of energy sources  
 III. proper garbage disposal  
 IV. disobeying of law and order

## Part II

\* The first question is compulsory : Answer 6 questions including the first one  
 (Altogether 6 questions )

01. I. Write two ways how the government receive money to maintain public services.  
 II. Write two services that had been stated during the British rule.  
 III. Write two common non- communicable diseases spread in Sri Lanka.  
 IV. The family can be categorized into two according to its nature. what are they?  
 V. Child rights can be categorized under 4 themes. Mention two of them.  
 VI. Write two situations in which leadership qualities are visible in the society.  
 VII. Write two countries where multi cultural society exists except Sri Lanka.  
 VIII. Write two important points you should consider when you use medicine (Drugs).  
 IX. Occupations in the world of work can be divided into three main fields. Write two of them.  
 X. There are four ways to improve personal professional qualities. Write two of them.

(10 X 2 = 20 Marks )

02. Public services are provided by government and private sector

I. Write two evidences to prove that public services had been evolved from Anuradhapura Kingdom. (2 Marks )  
 II. Write 3 public services which are available in your area. (3 Marks )  
 III. Name two societies you can join in your school and explain with examples you how they help to improve your qualities as a good citizen. (2+3=5 Marks)

03. Environmental conservation is very important among public service.

- I. Name two institutions which contribute to conserve environment. (2 Marks )
- II. Write three duties of above mentioned institutions. (3 Marks )
- III. Explain, using examples the duties that should be fulfilled by the citizens in relation to the **sustainability** of public services. (5 Marks )

04. The school is the closest institution to the child next to his home.

- I. Write two democratic features that can be seen in school. (2 Marks )
- II. School provides equal educational opportunities to everyone even though students are coming from different family backgrounds. Write 3 steps implemented by the school to provide equal opportunities for all. (3 Marks )
- III. a) Name two co-curricular activities in your school.  
b) Taking one of above explain how it helps to maintain democratic way of living. (2+3=5 Marks )

05. Our face is the best mirror of our thoughts.

- I. Write two exercises that can be done to calm the mind. (2 Marks )
- II. Write three strategies you can follow to minimize the **mental stress** occur due to exams and educational activities. (3 Marks )
- III. Write a short article to a class wall paper on importance of managing emotions positively as a democratic citizen and mention a suitable topic. (5 Marks )

06. A man behaves according to a culture from his cradle to grave.

- I. What is meant by "Multi cultural society"? (2 Marks )
- II. Name 3 religious groups that live in Sri Lanka. (3 Marks )
- III. Briefly explain duties of a citizen in a multi cultural society. (2½ + 2½ = 5 Marks )

07. Train accidents have become a special type of accidents in present Sri Lanka.

- I. Write 2 main causes for train accidents. (2 Marks )
- II. Draw two road signs that help to prevent train accidents using standard colours and signs name them. (1 ½ + 1 ½ = 3 Marks )
- III. a) Write three suggestions to minimize road accidents. (3 Marks )  
b) Write 2 steps taken by your school to avoid accidents. (2 Marks )

08. A person has to face various challenges and problems in his personal life as well as in his social life

- I. Name two problems any person has to face. (2 Marks )
- II. Write 3 problems you face daily as a student. (3 Marks )
- III. a) Briefly explain, what a challenge is? (2 Marks )  
b) Write three psycho - social competencies you should master to overcome challenges. (3 Marks )

## **Year - End Examination - 2019**

## Civic Education Grade 8

## Answer sheet

01. 4	06. 3	11. 3	16. 3	21. 3	26. 2
02. 3	07. 2	12. 4	17. 4	22. 4	27. 1
03. 4	08. 4	13. 4	18. 3	23. 3	28. 2
04. 3	09. 1	14. 1	19. 2	24. 4	29. 3
05. 2	10. 2	15. 2	20. 1	25. 3	30. 2

## Paper II

II The school provides security and opportunities to develop various competencies of children equally/ Disciplinary rules within the school are common to all/ equally Uniforms, mid-day meals, library and laboratory facilities are provided to all equality, provides children opportunity to engage in co-curricular as well as extra curricular activities in order to develop their various competencies equally (3 Marks)

III Literary association/ religious associations/ sports clubs/ national festivals/ religious festivals / cultural festivals/ dancing ,singing , drawing competitions /bearing responsibilities as prefects, monitors subject monitors / cadeting , scouting ,first aid etc .. /give two marks for writing two points any point. should explained with related democratic way (3 Marks)

05. I. meditation growing plants/ enjoying the environment /engage in religious activities keeping pets II pre- arrangement /working according to a time table getting others support and advice/listening following rules/regulations customs and traditions/developing self confidence etc can be used

III Consider following facts and give 5 marks

1. writing a topic	(1 mark)
2. explanation of emotions	(1 mark)
3. examples for positive and negative emotions	(1 mark)
4. management of emotions positively	(1 mark)
5. clear, creative finish	(1 mark )

06. I. a society with multi cultural characteristics (2 marks)

II. Buddhist /Hindu/ Islam / catholic/christian (3 marks)

III. respecting all those who belong to every ethnic group

safeguarding the rights of the people of all ethnic groups

not discriminating any religious or an ethnic group

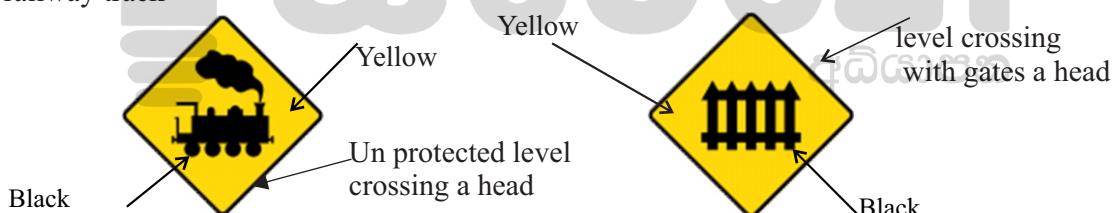
safeguarding the cultural heritages of all religious and ethnic groups

Listening to the duties honestly two points must be explained well (5 marks)

07. I. walking along the railway tracks carelessly cussing mobile phones /taking photos

During across railway tracks neglecting signals /technical faults in railways/ living recklessly on either side of railway track

II .



III a) Giving effective driver training/ use of tunnels/ use of flyovers / make aware of road signs (drivers/pedestrians) /Display of road signs properly /check the condition of vehicles on road/ strict punishment for violating road rules

b) awareness programmes for students /keeping students traffic controllers in front of the school get the help of police / prohibiting vehicles in front of schools ( school vans, private vehicles) (2 marks)

08. I. physical problems/ mental problems/ economics problem/ technical problems/ anatomical problems (2 marks)

II. problem of food and nutrition /absence of things one likes/ loss of security and protection/ scarcity of resources in some schools/economic difficulties

failure in examination/ loss of love/ mental pressure caused by the school environment /loss of time for sports or leisure /having to face examination competitively

III. a) various barriers that occur when winning the targets in life are challenges (2 marks)

b) Effective communication/ problem solving/talking correct decisions/ critical thinking/ creative thinking/ inter - personal relationships/ kindness/ delight/ self awareness/ controlling emotions (3 marks)