

Southern Provincial Department of Education

Year End Test - 2020

Grade 10 English Language Answers

Test 01 - Vocabulary

Technique : Matching

Text type : Words and phrases

Competency : Building up vocabulary using words appropriately and accurately to convey precise meaning.

Competency Level : Uses collective nouns and compound nouns.

i. f ii. d iii. a iv. b v. c vi. e

Test 02 - Grammar

Technique : Fill in the blanks

Text type : Dialogue

Competency : Uses English grammar for the purpose of accurate and effective communication.

Competency Level : Uses prepositions appropriately.

i. on ii. in iii. to iv. in front of v. by vi. From

Test 03 - Vocabulary

Technique : Gap filling

Text type : A picture description

Competency : Extract necessary information from various types of texts.

Competency Level : Assess the ability to use visual clues to derive the meaning of the texts.

ii. sun iii. sky iv. watering v. sweeping vi. children vii. son viii. cat ix. bird x. tree xi. rabbits

Test 04 - Reading

Technique : Matching

Text type : Extracts and headings

Competency : Extract necessary information from various types of texts.

Competency Level : Assess the ability to extract specific information from various types of texts.

i. d ii. f iii. a iv. c v. b vi. e

Test 05 - Reading

Technique : Grid filling

Text type : A text

Competency : Extract necessary information from various types of texts.

Competency Level : Transfers information into other forms

1. Alexander Graham Bell
2. On 3rd March 1847
3. In Scotland 4. In Canada 5. A scientist engineer and an inventor 6. Telephone

Test 06 - Writing

Technique : Writing a notice

Text type : A notice

Competency : Uses English creatively and innovatively in written communication.

Competency Level : Assess the ability to write for official purpose.

Criteria for marking : Content - 2 Language - 3

Test 07 - Reading

Technique : Writing answers

Text type : A descriptive text

Competency : Extract necessary information from various types of texts.

Competency Level : Assess the ability to extract specific information from various types of texts.

- 1) Colombo International Book Fair
- 2) On 18th September 2020
- 3) Sri Lanka Book Publishers' Association
- 4) Ongoing coronavirus pandemic
- 5) b

Test 08 - Writing

Technique : Writing a composition

Text type : A descriptive text

Competency : Uses English creatively and innovatively in written communication.

Competency Level : Assess the ability to write simple compositions on different types of topics.

Criteria for marking : Content - 2 Language - 3

Answer Key - Paper 11

Test 09

(a) 4 (c) 1 (d) 6 (e) 2 (f) 5

(1 x 5 = 5 marks)

Test 10

(1) needs (2) ours (3) Needs (4) to (5) birds (6) will (7) creatures(8) start

(9) amazing (10) they (11) them (1/2 x 10 = 5 marks)

Test 11

(1) physically (2) make (3) needs (4) When (5) and (6) fat (7) not
(8) diseases (9) diabetes (10) by (11) you (12) Sports (13) healthy (14) be

(1/2 x 14 = 7 marks)

Test 12

(2) competed (3) were accompanied (4) had been practising (5) performed

(6) will win (1 x 5 = 5 marks)

Test 13

1) on 23rd September

2) send an email to sarada7@Fmail.com

3) at No.X, Fort, Galle.

4) electrical goods

5) to look after a baby

(5 marks)

Test 14

Criteria for marking

Content - 3

Language - 3

Format & Organization - 2

Mechanics of writing - 2

Total - 10

Test 15

(1) (a) True (b) False (c) Not given (d) True (e) False (f) False

(1/2 x 6 = 3 marks)

(2) to the Job Center

(01 marks)

(3) I lost my job

(01 marks)

(4) (a) envious (b) cafe

(02 marks)

(5) (a) people (b) clerk

(01 marks)

Test 16

Criteria for marking

Content - 5

Language - 5

Format & Organization - 2

Mechanics of writing - 3

Total - 15 marks

Answer Key - Paper 11

Test 09 Vocabulary

Testing Technique - Matching

Text Type - a short descriptive text

Competency Level - 4.3

Finds synonyms and antonyms for given words

Test 16 Writing

Testing Technique - Guided writing

Text Type - an article / essay / speech / story

Competency Level - 7.8

Writes Compositions

Test 10 Grammar & Language functions

Testing Technique - Editing

Text Type - a short descriptive text

Competency Level - 6.1 Construct simple sentences

Test 11 Reading - Language Proficiency

Testing Technique - Gap Filling

Text Type - A short descriptive text

Competency Level -

Test 12 Grammar & Language functions

Testing Technique - Gap Filling

Text Type - a paragraph

Competency Level - 6.1

Constructs simple sentences

Test 13 Reading

Testing Technique - Answering questions

Text Type - Advertisements

Competency Level - 5.2

Extracts specific information from various types of texts.

Test 14 Writing

Testing Technique - Guided Writing

Text Type - (a) a formal letter (b) bar graph

Competency Level - (a) 7.3 Writes for personal purposes

(b) 7.8 Writes compositions

Test 15 Reading

Testing Technique - True / False ? Not given & answering questions

Text Type - diary entry

Competency Level - (1) 5.8

Infers implied information

(2) 5.2 Extracts specific information from various types of texts.