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First Term Test 2017

Grade 8

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ஆங்கில மொழி
English Language

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இரண்டு மணித்தியாலம்
Two hours

Name:

Answer all the questions on the paper itself.

Test 1

Read the word list in the first column and circle the correct antonym from the two words in the second column. One has been done for you.

1. legal	<u>Illegal</u> , legally
2. least	Less, most
3. happy	Sad, fear
4. absent	Present, pretend
5. rural	Foreign, urban
6. true	Correct, false
7. early	Late, now
8. Answer	Reply, question
9. clean	Dirty, old
10. hot	Dry, cool
11. fast	Slow, short

(05 marks)

Test 2

Fill in the following blanks using the given pronouns. One has been done for you.

Ourselves, themselves, myself, yourselves, himself, yourself

1. I made those cookies myself.
2. He hurt while playing in the playground.
3. The children can take care of
4. We blamed for the mistake.
5. Did you do this homework.....?
6. Raju and Binali , please sit down and make comfortable. (5marks)

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Test 3

Complete the dialogue using the utterances given in the box. One has been done for you.

Doctor : Good evening, take a seat please. 1. What's the matter with you?

Patient : I have a severe headache.

Doctor :2.....

Patient : About a week ago, I think.

Doctor : 3.....

Patient : No, I didn't suffer from fever.

Doctor : 4.....

Patient : How can I control my blood pressure?

Doctor : 5.....

Patient : Is that all doctor?

Doctor : 6.....

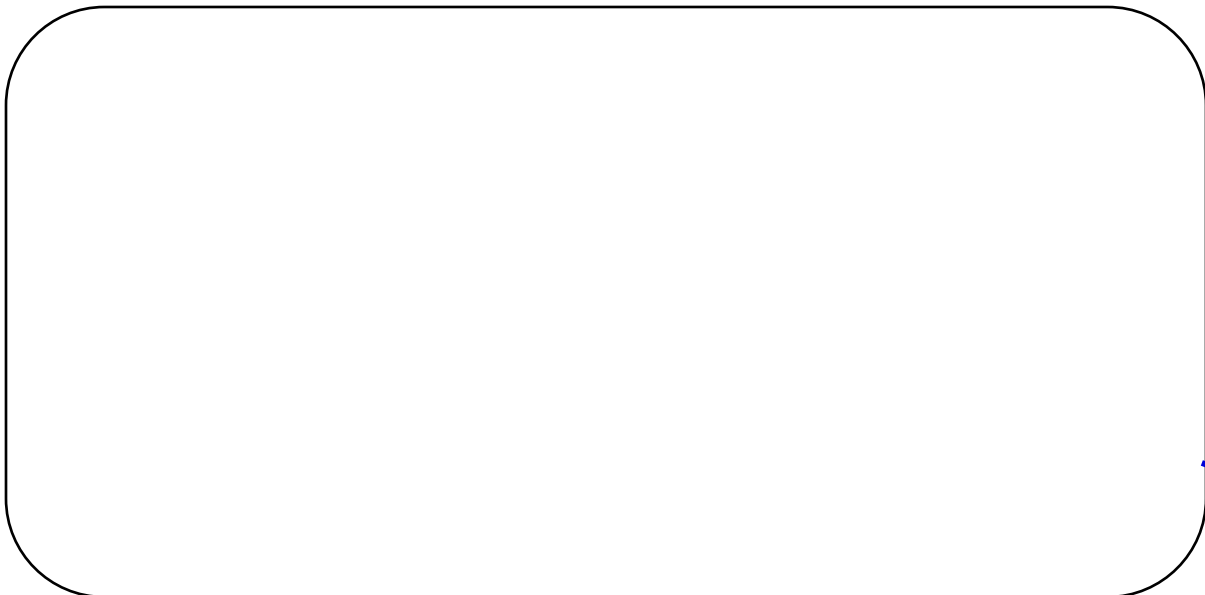
Patient : Thank you doctor.

- 1. No, you have to be careful about your diet also.
- 2. Did you suffer from fever?
- 3. What's the matter with you?
- 4. Your blood pressure seems to be high.
- 5. Don't worry, I'll give you some medicines.
- 6. When did you feel the headache first?

(5marks)

Test 4

Design a poster on 'Caring of elders' including an attractive slogan and pictures.



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(05 marks)

Test 5

Fill in the blanks using the plurals of given words. One has been done for you.

Set, slice, kilo, group, glass, drop

1. As there were some drops of water on my letter, I couldn't read it.
2. It is enough twoof rice for twelve persons.
3. Threeof people have gone to the jungle for searching the lost child.
4. He ate only twoof bread, as he was not hungry.
5. You should drink twoof milk everyday to have a good eyesight.
6. Two separateof rules were given for male and female students by the university.

(10 marks)

Test 6

Read the following library instructions and mark a tick (✓) for the correct ones and a cross (✗) for the incorrect ones in the given boxes. One has been done for you.

1. You must take the membership of the library to borrow books.
2. You must return books within two weeks.
3. You should keep silence in the library.
4. You must tear off the pages of the library books.
5. You must scribble the books.
6. You should not dirty the books.
7. You must not disturb others who use the library.
8. You should eat or drink in the library.
9. You must not take out the library books without permission.
10. You should collect your personal belongings when you leave.
11. You should not co-operate with the librarian.

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(10 marks)

Test 07

Read the following paragraph and fill in the blanks using given words

Keep, us, help, from, open, we, they, of, concrete, wash

Machines around us

We live in a world of machines. Machines 1 us to do most 2our work. Machines help 3..... to move earth and 4 for construction fields.5 help us to travel 6..... one place to another .7 can use them to 8 our clothes, to 9..... time and even to 10..... the doors. With the help of them we can do many things. They make our lives easier.

(10 marks)

Test 08

Describe the given picture using 5 sentences.



- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

(10 marks)

Test 09

Match the sentences in “A” with the sentences in “B” and **join** two sentences using **since** or **as**. One has been done for you.

A

B

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. I couldn't go to school. 2. Nimal is very happy. 3. I ate ten slices of bread. 4. The teacher punished Jenny. 5. He couldn't eat those mangoes. 6. They couldn't achieve the target. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. He has passed the examination. b. They didn't work hard. c. The roads were flooded. d. They were very sour. e. I was very hungry. f. She didn't do her homework.
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E.g.: - I couldn't go to school as the roads were flooded.

Or

I couldn't go to school since the roads were flooded.

(10 marks)

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

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Test10

Read the poem and answer the given questions.

Adventures of Isabel

Isabel met an enormous bear,
Isabel, Isabel, didn't care,
The bear was hungry, the bear was ravenous,
The bear's big mouth was cruel and cavernous.
The bear said, "Isabel, glad to meet you,
How do Isabel, now I'll eat you!
Isabel, Isabel, didn't worry.
Isabel didn't scream or scurry.
She washed her hands and straightened
Her hair up,
Isabel quietly ate the bear up.

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By Ogden Nash

1. What is the poem about? (1 mark)
.....
2. Whom did Isabel meet? (1 mark)
3. Who said "glad to meet you"?..... (1 mark)
4. What are the rhyming words for
Bear-ravenous- (2 marks)
5. Select the correct answer and put a tick (✓) for the correct one and a cross (✗) for the incorrect one.
At last bear ate Isabel
At last Isabel ate bear (2marks)
6. Find similar words for following phrases from the poem.
 1. Big as a cave –.....
 2. Extremely hungry -.....(2 marks)
7. Find and write an adverb from the poem? (1 mark)

