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පැය **2** இரண்டு மணித்தியாலம் *Two hours*

Test 1 Find out and write down the couplets which contain <u>similar sounds.</u> One is done for you.

	spiral	spring	nail	string	
	sprain	dribble	peel	snack	
	control	sold	enroll	flee	
	world	steam	viral	scheme	
	deal	tree	pebble	brain	
	quick	pail			
1)	spiral - viral		6)		
2)			7)		
3)			8)		$(\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 5 \text{ Marks})$
4)			9)		(½×10= 5 Marks)
5)			10)		

Test 2 Fill in the blanks with the correct prepositions given. First one is done for you.

(along /with /into /across /through /over)

Viraj - Hello, Malith.Let'sgo (i)along	the road to see river far	away.
Malith - O.K, but how can we walk (ii)	the fields?	
Viraj - Why? There is a small fence. Let's jump. (iii)	i	t.
Malith - I'm afraid. I can't go (iv)	the large forest.	
Viraj - Don't be afraid! Let's go (v)	many friends.	
Malith - Its better please put my phone (vi)	vour bag.	(1×5=5 Marks)

Test 3
Find antonyms for the following words underlined from the chart given.
First one is done for you.

(sad / early / complex / discourage / rural / minimum)

1.	Don't be <u>late</u> to go to bed. Get up <u>early</u> to start the day.
2.	Maximum number of students like hoppers while (i) number of students likes
	bread.
3.	The people in <u>urban</u> areas prefer to live in (ii) areas.
4.	Students like <u>simple</u> questions more than (iii)ones.
5.	He reminds happy moments of the life but forgets(iv) incidents.
6.	The picture encourages their minds to study. But these $words(v)$ their ability.
	$(1\times5=5 \text{ Marks})$

Test 4
Put the words in order to make meaningful sentences. First one is done for you.

1. Should / parents / obey / we / our /
We should obey our parents.

2. herself / designed / Mrs. / Pushpa / invitation cards / the

3. usually / at / get /up / i / clock / 6'

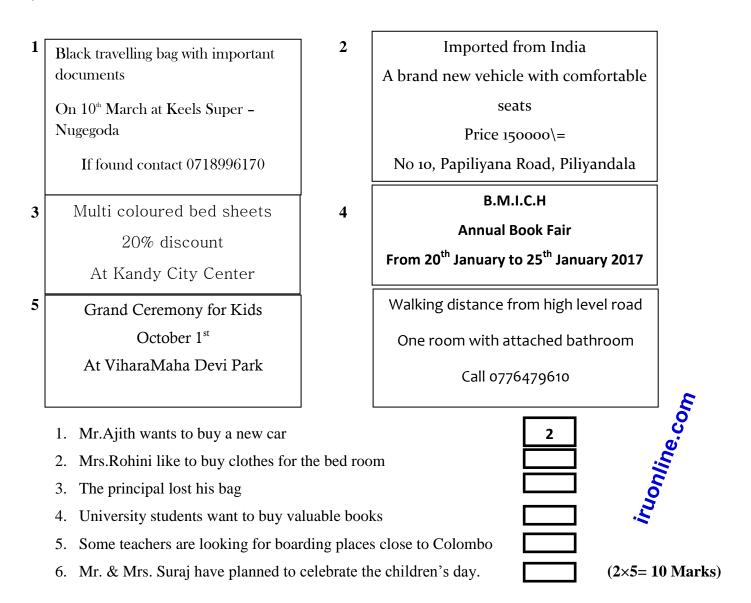
4. grown / tea / is / Sir Lanka / in

5. Natasha / girl / tallest / the / is / classroom / in my

6. Binara / clever / boy /a / is

 $(1\times5=5 \text{ Marks})$

Test 5 Match the following notices with the people. Put the number in the correct box. First one is done for you.



Test 6
Read and circle true or false.

I always get up early because I like to breathe fresh air to my body. I usually make a glass of orange juice but sometimes I drink a cup of tea. I never take my breakfast early morning. My friend Niluka and I rarely start jogging but I don't like to become tired in the morning. However we both spend the day happily and meaningfully.

1)	I get up early to take fresh air.	True / False	
2)	I never drink orange juice	True / False	
3)	Sometimes I drink a cup of tea	True / False	
4)	Niluka goes jogging alone	True / False	
5)	Niluka and I spend the day happily	True / False	$(1\times5=5 \text{ Marks})$

Test 7 Listening

Listen to the passage well and complete the chart.

1.	Name of the special day
2.	When it is celebrated?
3.	The year gained freedom
4.	Who raises the national flag
5.	One special item
	$(2\times5=10 \text{ Marks})$

Test 8 Read the poem and answer the following questions.

Mice

I think mice

Are rather nice

Their tails are long

Their faces are small

They haven't any

Chins at all

Their ears are pink

Their teeth are white

They run about

The houses at night

They nibble things

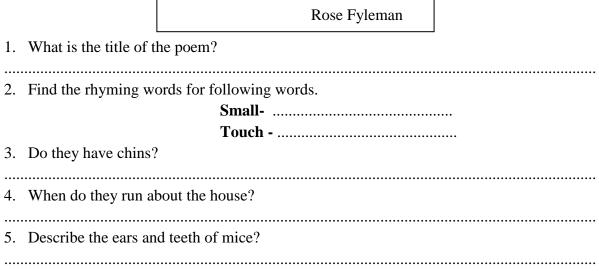
They shouldn't touch

And no one seems

To like them much

But I think mice

Are nice



Test 9 Use the past perfect tense to complete the sentences. First one is done for you.

1)	She was happy because she <u>had won</u> (win) the match.	$(2\times 5=10 \text{ Marks})$
2)	The teacher(start) the lesson when Nawodi came	to the class.
3)	I enjoyed watching Sigiriya because I never (see) it before	re.
4)	When I got the telegram my parents(go) to see the	patient.
5)	They got the medal because they(practice) well.	
6)	I passed the exam because I(read) many books.	

Test 10 Write down 5 sentences about the picture given below. Following words may help you. $(2\times5=10 \text{ Marks})$

(near, broom, vase, cleaning, picture, flower, cup, aprons)



3.
 4.
 5.

Test 11

Read the text and answer the questions.

The New Year festival

The New Year festival is in the month of April. Both Sinhalese and Hindus celebrate the New Year. They prepare a lot of sweet meats, wear new clothes and visit relations at this festival. The festival begins with lighting of hearth at the auspicious time. The whole family wears newclothes in the lucky and eats together the first meal also at the auspicious time.

The young ones worship elders on the special day by offering sheaves of betel leaves.

Write an essay on "A famous Write a letter to your grandpa Include followings -Name of the drama -Characters -Your role	Place" in Sri Lanka. Or arents about the drama you act -Costumes -Prizes -Certificates you got				
Write a letter to your grandpa					
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Write an essay on "A famous	<u>Place</u> " in Sri Lanka. <u>Or</u>	in the second se			
2		(10 marks)			
		(10			
What do you do at the New Yea	ar festival?				
What do they do at the auspicio	What do they do at the auspicious time?				
What do they wear on the day?					
How does the festival begin, quote the line?					
What do they prepare on the day	What do they prepare on the day				
	stival?				

