



Third Term Test - 2023

Grade

09

Subject :- English Language

School Name :

Index Number :

Time : 2 ½ hours

Answer all the questions.

Test 01

Fill in the blanks using the words given in the box. *The first one is done for you.*

litter choir galaxy staff flight

- 1) A choir of singers sung a beautiful song.
- 2) I like to watch the of stars.
- 3) Aof ships travelled across the ocean.
- 4) We walked up a of stairs
- 5) A of employees had a meeting.
- 6) The of puppies started barking



(05 marks)

Test 02

Fill in the blanks of the telephone conversation using given utterances from the box. *The first one is done for you.*

- Roy – Hello, Sam . This is Ann.
 Sam - Hi Ann, 1)happy to hear from you.
 Roy – So 2).....
 Sam – Is there any urgent matter?
 Roy – Yeah..Our 3)..... is going to held next week.
 Will you come?
 Sam – 4).....
 Roy – Its great. 5).....
 Sam – Sure ,6)

Please bring some tools.
 happy to hear from you.
 Yes I will
 Shramadana campaign
 Anything else?
 do I

(05 marks)

Test 03

Fill in the blanks using the words given. *The first one is done for you.*



It's Sunday. We all are enjoying our
 (1) hobbies. Shani is climbing the tree to
 (2) some apples. Veroni is flying a
 (3) kite. I am drawing a picture
 of a (4)..... My brother is playing
 (5)..... a ball. Our pet dog , Bingo is
 (6) there to join him. Ashi is reading a
 book (7). under the apple tree. There
 is a small frog is (8).at her. Ravi is
 (9) on the ground and sleeping well.
 Ram is (10). some toys to
 (11)..... Its a great day.

lying	hobbies	looking	bringing	repair	with
pluck		beautiful	bee	also	sitting

(10 marks)

Test 04

Study the given dictionary page and answer the questions

cell (sel) noun [from Latin *cella*, "a small room"] **1.** a hut **2.** a room in a prison **3.** a small space, as in a bee's honeycomb **4.** a small unit of life

clever (klev' ar) adjective [from Norwegian *klover*, "skillful"] skillful, quick thinking, intelligent
 antonym: stupid, slow, dumb

epidermis (ep i dur' mis) noun [from Greek *epi*, "upon" + *derma*, "the skin"] the outermost layer of skin; it has no blood vessels and covers the next lower skin level, the dermis

exam (eg zam') noun [shortened from *examination* from Latin *examinare*, "to weigh"] a test of a person's knowledge or skill in a certain area, for example, a driving exam

exit (eg' zit) noun [from Latin *ex*, "out" + *ire*, "to go"] **1.** leave taking, as in "the actor's exit was dramatic" **2.** a doorway leading out of a room or building
 antonym: entrance

expensive (ek spen' siv) adjective [from Latin *expendere*, "to pay"] costly, high-priced
 antonym: inexpensive, cheap

eye (i) noun [from German *auge*, "to see"] the sense organ used for sight, one of the five senses; the other four are hearing, tasting, smelling, and touching

February (feb' roo wer e) noun [from Latin, *februum*, "purification"] the second month of the year, having 28 days in regular years and 29 days every fourth year—leap year

1. Write down any noun and an adjective from the given set of words.
 a. a noun - b. an adjective -

2. What is the meaning of the word “epidermis”?

3. Find the antonyms for the given words
 a. cheap - b. dumb -

4. Find the synonyms for the given words
 a. Intelligent - b. costly -

5. Define “leap year” .

(05marks)

Test 05

Write the following sentences in passive voice. (10 marks)

1. We organized an English Camp. - The English camp was organized by us.

2. Grade 6 students welcomed the chief guest.

3. Grade 7 students performed the welcome dance.

4. Savithri sang the welcome song.

5. Our parents prepared the refreshments.

6. We will organize a concert next year.

Test 06

Imagine you are the Secretary of the English Literary Association of your school. Write a notice to be put on the school notice board requesting the members to join the monthly meeting. Include the following information.

1. The date, time and place.
2. Special events.
3. Participants

(05marks)

<p>NOTICE</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>

Test 07

Fill in the blanks selecting the most suitable relative pronoun from the brackets. *The first one is done for you.*

(**who / whose / which / whom / where / that**)

1. My sister, **whom** I introduced yesterday, visited the book fair at BMICH.
2. Nithya, is my sister’s friend also there with her.
3. She has met Nimna, father is a writer .
4. I picked herwe decided before.
5. The book I am reading today is given by her.
6. I like to read adventurous arouses curiosity.

(10 marks)

Test 08

Fill in the blanks to complete the story using the given words. *The first one is done for you.*

One day, Mahadena Muttha decided he needs more 1.pupils and set out to find them. He was accompanied by his five pupils. By the time it was dark, so he decided to spend the 2. at an ambalama. It was now time for 3..... and Mahadena Muttha told the first pupil to go and buy some rice. He did so as he had some 4.....of arithmetic. Mahadena Muttha sent the second pupil to 5..... fish and vegetables.

The third pupil was asked to build a 6.....stove to cook the food. The fourth pupil was sent to bring 7..... leaves to use as plates. The last pupil was assigned the role of 8..... After a while, the first one 9..... empty handed and the second one too came without the fish and vegetables . The third one also 10..... without the banana leaves. The fourth too couldn't find 11.....stones exactly the same shape. As there weren't any provisions no dinner could be cooked. Mahadena Muttha and the fellows went to sleep hungry.

(10 marks)

returned	banana	came	knowledge	three	brick	dinner
cook	pupils	buy	night			

Test 09

Read the following paragraph and answer the questions.



The washing machine is an incredible invention that has changed our lives for the better. It has allowed us to spend less time doing laundry and more time doing things we enjoy. It saves time and energy, and money, and helps the environment by reducing water consumption.

The first washing machine was invented in the 1850s.

Before the washing machine, people had to wash their clothes by hand. This was a laborious process that could take hours and even days depending on how many garments needed to be cleaned.

The first domestic automatic washing machine was introduced in 1937 by Bendix Home Appliances, a subsidiary of Avco. James King invented the first mechanical washing machine in 1851. He created a drum-based device that used water pressure to agitate clothes and remove dirt. Hamilton Smith patented the rotary version of this design in 1858, which soon became more popular than its predecessor. In 1868 Thomas Bradford invented another commercially successful model that resembled today's washing machines

1). Mark **True** or **False**. **Underline the correct answer.**

- a) James King invented the first mechanical washing machine [T / F]
- b) The first domestic automatic washing machine was introduced in 1850. [T / F]
- c) Hamilton Smith invented the most successful model that resembled today's washing machines. [T / F]

(3 marks)

2). Write three benefits of using washing machines.

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..... (3 marks)

3) . Describe briefly how people used to wash cloths before the invention of the Washing machine.

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..... (2 marks)

4). Find the synonyms

- 1.unbelievable-
- 2. forerunner -.....

(2 marks)

(10 marks)

Test 10

Write an essay on any one of the following. Use about 100 words. (10 marks)

- 1. The most important person in my life
- 2. The value of English as a foreign language
- 3. Reading is useful