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1st Mid Term Test - 2022 / 2023

Subject : English Language

Form : I

Name : **Duration : 1 ½ hours**

Candidate Number :

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Q. No	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	Total
Marks	15	08	20	10	10	12	10	15	100

Answer all Questions.

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Mrs. Brown was tired after her day’s shopping in London, so she went into a restaurant for a cup of tea before catching the train home. When she had ordered her tea, she suddenly remembered that she had to buy some medicine for her husband, who had a cough.

“Is there a chemist near here”, she asked the waiter. “Yes madam,” the waiter answered. “It’s only about three minutes walk away. Turn right when you go out of the restaurant, then take the second turning to the left and you’ll find a big chemist about a hundred yards of the road on the right hand side. It closes at five, but if you hurry, you’ll just get there in time”.

Mrs. Brown followed the waiter’s directions carefully and found the chemist’s shop, without any difficulty. She bought the cough Mixture and started to make her way back to the restaurant. But after she had walked for about ten minutes and there was still no sign of the restaurant, she realized that she must have made a mistake.

“Oh I’m stupid!” said Mrs. Brown. “I’ve left all my shopping in the restaurant and now I can’t find my way back” she was still wondering what to do when a police man came up to her and asked if he could help her. Mrs. Brown explained to him what had happened and the police man helped her to find the restaurant. Mrs. Brown thanked the policeman for his help and said “I can’t understand how I went wrong”. Then the police man smile and said “It’s no surprise to get lost in a big city like London.”

- (a) Why did Mrs. Brown go to the restaurant? [2]
- (b) What was she doing in London? [2]
- (c) What did she suddenly remember? [2]
- (d) From whom did she inquire about the chemist? [2]
- (e) Who helped her to find her way back to the restaurant? [2]
- (f) What did she buy? [2]
- (g) Who was tired after the day’s shopping? [2]
- (h) Underline the correct answer.

Mrs. Brown followed the waiter’s direction,

- (i) angrily
- (ii) carefully
- (iii) slowly [1]

Total for Question 1 = 15 marks

2. Punctuate the given sentences, where necessary with commas, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks.

- (a) Did you miss the school bus
- (b) Good morning Tom my father dropped me in school on his way to office
- (c) I'm going to sing a very popular song today
- (d) Sri Lanka is a beautiful country
- (e) He has a car jeep lorry and a van
- (f) When are you coming home

(1 × 8 = 8 marks)

3. Sort out the given **nouns** under the correct heading.

Sunday, team, hobby, hope, children, flock, January, committee, ambition, England, teacher, group, hunger, failure, woman, faith, mob, Poya day, balloon, John

Common nouns	Abstract nouns	Collective nouns	Proper nouns

(1 × 20 = 20 marks)

4. Write meaningful sentences with the given words.

- (a) artificial -
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- (b) thankful -
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- (c) worried -
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- (d) over-confident-
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- (e) far -
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(2 × 5 = 10 marks)

5. Add colons to the given sentences.
- (a) He wanted to see three cities in Italy Rome, Florence and Venice.
 - (b) We knew who would win the games the eagles.
 - (c) When I go shopping today I'll be buying books, colours and toys.
 - (d) My sister and I are really excited we're going to Disneyland.
 - (e) We have been to many countries America, Japan, China and Germany.

(2 × 5 = 10 marks)

6.

(a) Fill in the blanks with “**many** or **much**”.

- (i) There aren't cars in the street. [2]
- (ii) We are early. We have time. [2]
- (iii) You should not add sugar to eat. [2]

(b) Fill in the blanks with “**less/ few/fewer**”.

- (i) boys play cricket in school. [2]
- (ii) She has marks for Geography. [2]
- (iii) children were in the class today. [2]

Total for Question 6 = 12 marks

7. Underline the correct word.

- (a) knives / knives / knives
- (b) enemies / enemey / enemiy
- (c) potatoies / potatos / potatoes
- (d) stories / storys / storyis
- (e) tooths / tooth / toothes

(2 × 5 = 10 marks)

8. Write an essay on one of the given topic using 150 – 200 words.

- (a) The animal I like most
- (b) A ghostly experience I had
- (c) My favourite story book

Total for Question 8 = 15 marks

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 100 MARKS

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