



# Grade 08 - English

## Monthly Evaluation Paper

### Unit 3 - Let's be Considerate

No. 04

Time: 2 hours

- Answer all the questions.

R. Thisari Ebansa

- 01. There are six mistakes in the passage. Re-write the correct word in the given space. (10 marks)**

During the British rule Anagarika Dharmapala is born in Hewavitharana family. According to the fashion of the day, he was name Don David. He had he education in a Christian College with Kotte. After his education he join Government Service is a clerk.

Incorrect	Correct
1. is	was
2. WAS	is
3.	

Incorrect	Correct
4. his	is
5.	
6.	

- 02. Fill in the blanks. Use as, since so, (10 marks)**

- He didn't go to school ..... as ..... he was ill.
- ..... as ..... it was a holiday, we didn't go to school.
- I was late ..... so ..... I took a taxi.
- ..... so ..... it was raining , we didn't go to school.
- We took a taxi ..... since ..... we were late.

- 03. Rewrite these sentences using contracted form. (06 marks)**

- We should not throw polythene to the environment.  
We shouldn't throw polythene to the environment.
- Next time we will go by the train. Next time we'll go by the train.
- I promise you I will do my best. I promise you I'll do my best.
- He would not tell the truth. He wouldn't tell the truth.
- Everybody says it is a beautiful drawing.  
Everybody says it's a beautiful drawing.
- They are not Australians. They aren't Australians.

**04. Join two sentences using “since” and “as”.**

(10 marks)

1. Piyal couldn't take the book from the shelf
  2. He didn't go to school
  3. The match was postponed
  4. I couldn't drink the tea
  5. I missed the train
- A. it rained heavily last night  
 B. it was too hot  
 C. I woke up late  
 D. he was ill  
 E. it was too high

(1) Piyal...couldn't...take...the.....  
 (2) .....  
 (3) .....  
 (4) .....  
 (5) .....

**05. Underline the right word.**

(06 marks)

1. She is a rich (lady, ladies).
2. Some (man, men) are fat.
3. A (thief, thieves) is not a good man.
4. The (woman, women) had two sons.
5. There are six (lady, ladies) in the shop.
6. There are a lot of (bus, buses) in the street.

**06. Rewrite the following sentences with the Past Tense of the verb in brackets.**

(12 marks)

1. Sunil's father (spend) a lot of money last year.  
 Sunil's father.....spendg.....a lob....op....money.....lest....year.
2. Those poor children (eat) nothing today.  
 Those....poor....chidren.....åte.....nothing.....today.
3. I (write) three letters this afternoon.  
 I.....Whiben.....three.....letttrs.....this.....afternoon.
4. Nobody (come) to see me this evening.  
 Nobbody.....eom.....came.....to.....see.....me.....this.....evening.
5. We (have) three English lessons this week.  
 We.....had.....three.....English.....less.ons.....this.....week..
6. The lazy servant (do) very little work today.  
 The....lazy.....servant.....did.....very.....little.....Work.....today.

07.

08.

**07. Use the below words to complete the sentences.**

(06 marks)

a piece of soap  
a piece of paper

a glass of water  
a lot of money

pieces of chalk  
cups of coffee

1. There are only three ....Pieces of chalk... in the chalk box..
2. The rich man has got ...a lot of lot money.
3. The men are drinking Piece of paper  
drinking CUPS OF COFFEE ..., but the little boy is
4. The pupil is writing on Piece of Water Paper
5. There are twenty Piece of SOAP in the cupboard in the classroom.
6. She is washing her hands with ...a glass of water.

**08. Complete the following dialogue by writing the questions you ask him. (12 m.)**

You : Come in and take a seat.

Person : Thank you very much.

You : .....

Person : I'm Tharusha Wickramanayaka.

You : .....

Person : I'm 15 years. I was born on 9th February 2000.

You : .....

Person : I was born in Ampara. I'm residing there still.

You : .....

Person : I'm in grade 8.

You : .....

Person : Ampara Madya Maha Vidyalaya.

You : .....

Person : My weight is 45Kg and I'm 4feet and 9 inches tall.

**09. Complete the following notice using the given words/phrases in the box. (10 m)**

## Notice

All the (i) ....Grade.....8..... students are requested to be present at the Grade 10 (ii) ...class...Room. at (iii) .11.:30..Am..... on the (iv) .....Annual...fair to discuss about the (v) 10th, November 2017....

## Principal

11.30am Annual Fair / Grade 8 / 10th November 2017 classroom

**10. Use past tense form of the verb.** (10 marks)

Once there ..... (be) a king who ..... (have) a strange problem. Even though he ..... (be) an honest and just king his people did not ..... (follow) his orders. No matter how hard he ..... (try) to make his people follow his orders, they did not obey him.

**11. Write a letter to a pen friend describing about your annual school trip you had last week. (08 marks)**