

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCE

THIRD TERM TEST 2024

Grade 08 -English Language

Answer Script

**Test 01**

1. There are lot of **historical ruins** in Anuradhapura. e
2. Children are playing **hopscotch**. d
3. The girl performs a wonderful **shadow dance**. c
4. We should learn about new **robot-technology**. f
5. Some birds create very **beautiful nests**. a
6. We arrange things for our **exhibition**. b

**Test 02**

- 2).yourselves 3).himself 4).ourselves 5).herself 6).myself

**Test 03**

Type of the event	Speech competition
Name of the event	<b>Touch the Sky</b>
Date	12 <sup>th</sup> February 2025
Venue	in the school main hall
Organized by	English literary Association of Gamunu Maha Vidyalaya
Starting time	from 8.00am

**Test 04**

Today is a (1).holiday. We are working together in the (2).kitchen. The (3).breakfast is already on the table. Our father is (4).cutting some vegetables to make a vegetable salad. I am (5).helping him. Both my father and I are wearing (6).aprons. My mother is (7).feeding my little brother. The postman is (8).waving his hand (9).behind the window. There is a (10).letter in his hand. The kitchen seems so (11).busy. We are enjoying staying together.

**Test 05**

- Maya : Hey! Long time no see! \_\_\_\_\_(c)\_\_\_\_\_
- Shenaya : I've been good, thanks! \_\_\_\_\_f\_\_\_\_\_
- Maya : I am also okay. Wow! \_\_\_\_\_e\_\_\_\_\_. Its longer than mine.
- Shenaya : \_\_\_\_\_a\_\_\_\_\_. You are so kind.
- Maya : There is a new coffee shop nearby. \_\_\_\_\_d\_\_\_\_\_
- Shenaya : Wow, that's good! \_\_\_\_\_b\_\_\_\_\_

**Test 06**

- 1). What is the name of the poem? **The Moon**
- 2). What does the moon look like?. The moon looks like a clock.
- 3). Where does the moon shine on? The moon shines on thieves, streets, fields, harbors, and sleeping birds.
- 4). Name 02 animals come out at night.
  - . Cats, mice, dogs, and bats
- 5). Write rhyming words for the following.
 

hall - wall	mouse- house
Moon - noon	day – way
- 6). What happens to things that belong to the day when the moon is out?
  - They go to sleep. /they close their eyes

### Test 07

- 1) We \_\_\_\_\_ (must / mustn't) destroy school properties.
- 2) I like to go to school every day. So, I \_\_\_\_\_ (usually / rarely) late for school.
- 3) I walk \_\_\_\_\_ (along / around) the street to school every morning.
- 4) We should walk \_\_\_\_\_ (along / through) the school gate to enter the classroom.
- 5) A good student \_\_\_\_\_ (should /shouldn't) always listen attentively in class.
- 6) As I want to be a good students, I \_\_\_\_\_ (always /never)waste my time .  
(1\*5 = 05 marks)

### Test 08

An old lion grew weak and couldn't hunt. He pretended to be sick and invited animals to visit.

When they came, he ate them A clever fox visited, but stayed far away. The lion asked the fox to come closer, but the fox refused. The lion got angry and roared, but the fox just laughed.

### Test 09

1. The trophies were brought by Kusal and Nisal.
2. The agenda was prepared by Diluki.
3. The certificates for all the winners are written by Sathya.
4. The stage is decorated by Shyam and friends.
5. The invitations and badges for the winners will be made by Rashin.
6. The whole event will be covered by the school media team.

### Test 10

1. What are jungle fowl?
  - o Answer: Jungle fowl are wild birds that look like chickens.
2. Where do jungle fowl live?

- Answer: Jungle fowl live in the forests of Asia.
- 3. What do jungle fowl eat?
  - Answer: Jungle fowl eat both plants and animals.
- 4. Why are jungle fowl important for the environment?
  - Answer: Jungle fowl help spread seeds and control insects.
- 5. What are jungle fowl related to?
  - Answer: Jungle fowl are related to domestic chickens.
- 6. Write the opposite word. Wild – Domestic

7. Underline the most appropriate meaning for the given words

I. An omnivore is an animal that eats,

a) Only plants                      b) Both plants and animals                      c) Only meat

II. Plumage refers to,

a) A type of a bird                      b) The beak of a bird                      c) The feathers of a bird