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**அறிவுறுத்தல்:**

எல்லா வினாக்களுக்கும் இத்தாழிலேயே விடை தருக.

**Instruction:**

➤ Answer all questions on this paper itself.

**01) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences choosing the appropriate words given in brackets. *One is done for you.***

[potentials, maximum, beautiful, available, welcome, mindful]

1. The painting portrays a beautiful young woman in a blue dress.
2. We need to find new ways to help students realize their .....
3. Our principal rose from his chair to ..... the chief guest.
4. The doctor is usually ..... after 4 o'clock.
5. You should always be ..... of your responsibilities.
6. The ..... load for this elevator is eight persons.

(5 marks)

**02) Underline the suitable prepositions to suit the blanks. *One is done for you.***

1. My younger brother is good ..... playing cricket.  
(a) on (b) at (c) from
2. I bought a saree ..... my mother.  
(a) of (b) under (c) for
3. Humans cannot breathe ..... water.  
(a) under (b) between (c) on
4. I found the letter ..... his paper.  
(a) for (b) among (c) to
5. He prefers tea ..... coffee.  
(a) of (b) down (c) to
6. The one who sat ..... the pillar is my father.  
(a) beside (b) below (c) for

(5 marks)

**03) Fill in the blanks with the suitable form of the word given in the brackets. *First one is done for you.***

1. There is your pen. Where is a mine (I)?
2. .... (He) father is an engineer.
3. The dog is wagging ..... (it) tail.
4. Raja made ..... (he) a cup of coffee.
5. Don't try to blame ..... (she).
6. My name is Saman. What is ..... (you) name?

**(5 marks)**

**04) Fill in the blanks in the following dialogue between Peter and Heter at the annual book fair. Use the phrases given in the box. Write the correct letter in the blank. *One is done for you.***

Peter: It's good that we came early.

Heter: Yes we didn't have to wait .....

Peter: Where shall we go first?

Heter: I want to .....

Peter: Ok. Then we will go to that .....**f**.....

Heter: ..... in the right stall. Shall we go there too?

Peter: Sure. .... to buy a pocket dictionary.

Heter: I want to buy ..... for my brother.

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| <p>(a) buy some practice paper</p> <p>(b) A science fiction</p> <p>(c) In the long queue</p> <p>(d) There are English dictionaries</p> <p>(e) I also want</p> <p>(f) Big stall over there</p> |
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**(10 marks)**

05) Study the picture and fill the blanks using the words given in the box.



This is a ..... of village. There is a big ..... and it has a lot of ..... . A bird ..... also in it. There are two ..... and a girl. One of the boys is ..... a branch. They are ..... to make a swing. There are two small ..... . There are some ..... under the tree. The picture ..... very beautiful.

houses, looks, picture, branches, tree, trying, boys, flowers, on, is

(10x1/2=5 marks)

06) Combine the following pairs of sentences using appropriate connectives given below in the brackets.

1. He had to walk home. There was no bus at that time.  
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2. He looked everywhere for the lost book. He could not find it.  
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3. You will be punished. You do your home work.  
.....
4. Do you like tea? Do you like coffee?  
.....
5. John was not at home. Julia was not at home.  
.....

[but, either.... or, since, neither.... nor, unless]

(10 marks)



**09) Read the following text and fill in the blanks with the appropriate words given in the box. One is done for you.**

A vendor of precious stones once sold a ..... made of artificial stones to a Roman Empress. On ..... the fraud she was so furious that she ..... the Emperor, despite his reluctance, to condemn the ..... to the arena. On the appointed day the Empress ..... to the palace of execution with her maids. She anticipated with great, ..... the spectacle of the poor dealer being torn to ..... by a wild animal. The cage was opened, but ..... the ferocious animal there came out a lamb. The Empress, who was furious at being ..... In this way, reproached her husband but he replied, "I have punished the ..... according to the law of retaliation. He deceived you, in return he has been deceived."

**discovering, proceeded, has, pieces, man, instead of, necklace, persuaded, criminal, mocked, pleasure**

**(10 marks)**

**10) Read the following text and answer the questions that follow.**

A young child sent a letter to the post office, addressed to God. A postal employee not knowing exactly what to do with it, gave it to the local Rotary club. It read, "Dear God, My name is Ramesh. I am six years old. My father is dead and my mother is having a hard time raising me and my sister. Would you please send Rs.5000?"

The Rotarians were touched and decided to pitch in a few rupees each send whatever they collected for the family. They were able to collect Rs.3000. A couple of weeks later, the second letter from Ramesh was turned over to them. The boy thanked God but ended the letter with this request, "Next time, would you please deliver the money directly to our home? If you send it to the Rotary club, they deduct Rs. 2000".

- 1. Who did Ramesh write the letter to?  
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- 2. Who received the letter?  
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