

# Mid – Term Test 2020

# Grade 08 – English

Time: 1hr 30 min

### Answer All the Questions on the Paper Itself.

### Test 01. Match the opposite words. (10 Marks)

A	В
Beautiful	Kind
Foreign	Urban
Sad	Ugly
Rural	Нарру
Unkind	Local

# Test 02. Fill in the blanks using the correct form of the words given in brackets. First one is done for you (10 Marks)

1). Nature is awonderful( w	onder) gift.
2). We saw	( beauty) birds in Bundala National Park.
3). My mother advises us very	( kind).
4). Ranali has got the	.( high) marks for English.
5). People can spend their leisure in a .	( profit) way.
6)( clean) is very	important for our health.

#### Test 03. Complete the following chart (10 Marks)

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
easy		
		most intelligent
	worse	
		best
	prettier	

#### Test 04 – Read the story and answer the questions. (20 Marks)

Patty the Milkmaid was going to market carrying her milk in a pail on her head. As she went along, she began calculating what she would do with the money she would get for the milk. "I'll buy some fowls from farmer Brown," said she, "and they will lay eggs each morning, which I will sell to the parson's wife, with the money that I get from the sale of these eggs, I'll buy myself a new dimity frock and chip hat and when I go to market. Polly Shaw will be so jealous; but I don't care. I shall just look at her and toss my head like this." As she spoke that, she tossed her head back and the pail fell off it, and all the milk was spilt.

01. What was Patty carrying to the market?.	
02. What did she plan to buy?	
a	b
03. Who would be jealous with her?	
04. What has happened to the milk in the pa	il?
05. The message of the story is: (underline)	
a. Patty should not sell milk.	
b. Day dreaming is not good.	
c. Jealousy is not a good quality.	
Test 05. Rearrange the words and make r i. English/spoken/all over the world/in/is	neaningful sentences. (10 Marks)
ii. my/scrap/this/book/is/sister's	
iii. spent/I/my/vacation/with/friend/my	
iv. is/biggest/the/Jupiter/planet	
v. system/eight/planets/there/in/the/solar/are	

## Test 06. Fill in the blanks with the correct preposition. (10 Marks)

## (through/across/over/without/along)

i. We	can't livewater.
ii. He	threw the stone the wall.
iii. I li	ke walking the street in the evening.
iv. He	is swimming the river.
v. Loo	k! The train is running the tunnel.
	7. These are some of the things that Himaya's mother does after cooking. Write in passive form. First one is done for you. (10 Marks)
1.	She sweeps the floor.
	The floor is swept.
2. She	cleans the cutting board.
	washes the plates.
	keeps the spoons and knives in the holder.
	cleans the wash basin.
	puts the waste into the pit.
Test 0	8. Write an essay on one of the following topics.(100 words) (20 Marks)
i.	My favourite person.
ii.	Haggala botanical garden.
iii.	An unforgettable day in my life.
