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Paper 1 Composition

May/June 2024

1 hour 30 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** topics in total:
 - Section A: answer **one** topic.
 - Section B: answer **one** topic.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 45.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

This document has 8 pages.

Choose **one** topic from Section A and **one** topic from Section B. Section B starts on page 5.

Section A – Letter, Report or Speech, Dialogue

1 From the topics listed below, write **one** composition of about **120** words in **Tamil**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

(a) வெளியூரில் வசிக்கும் உனது நண்பர் விளையாட்டுப் போட்டியொன்றில் பங்குபெறவள்ளார். அவருக்கு ஊக்கம் கொடுக்கும் கடிதம் ஒன்றை எழுதுக. Your friend who lives in another town is going to participate in a sports competition. Write a letter to encourage him/her. [15]

(b) உனது ஊரிலுள்ள நூலகத்தின் வசதிகளைப் பலரும் அறியும் வகையில் பத்திரிகை ஒன்றிற்கு அந்த நூலகம் தொடர்பான அறிக்கை ஒன்றை எழுதுக. Write a report to a newspaper about the facilities in your local library to promote the library to many people. [15]

(c) பாடசாலையில் காணாமல் போன தனது புத்தகத்தைத் தேடும் உனது நண்பருக்கு நீ கொடுத்த அறிவுரையை உரையாடல் வடிவில் தரவும். Write a dialogue about the advice you gave your friend who has lost his/her book at school. [15]

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Section B – Essay

2 From the topics listed below, write **one** essay of about **200** words in **Tamil**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

(a) உனது சிறு வயதில் நடந்த மறக்க முடியாத ஒரு நிகழ்வை நினைவுசூர்ந்து அதைக் கதையாக எடுதுக.

Recollect an unforgettable childhood memory and narrate it as a story. [30]

(b) நீ அண்மையில் சென்ற இரயில் பயணத்தில் கண்ட காட்சிகளை விபரிக்குக.
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(c) உயர்கல்வி ஒருவருக்குச் சிறந்த, வெற்றிகரமான எதிர்காலத்தை அமைக்க உதவுமா என்பது பற்றிய உனது கருத்துகளை விளக்குக.

Do you think that higher education will give a better and successful future to a person? Give your views. [30]

(d) “கலாச்சார நிகழ்ச்சிகள் மக்களுக்கு இடையில் ஓற்றுமையை வளர்க்கும் வகையில் அமைந்துள்ளன”. இதை நீ ஏற்றுக்கொள்கின்றாயா?

“Cultural events bring unity among people”. Do you agree? [30]

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