

**Eastern University, Sri Lanka
English Language Teaching Unit**

First Year Second Semester Examination in Arts & Culture



Index No:

Basic English CC -1202

Time: 02 Hours

Answer all questions on the paper itself.

Write neatly and clearly.

For Examiner's use only

Question Number	Maximum Marks	Marks Obtained
I	20
II	20
III	30
IV	10
V	10
VI	10
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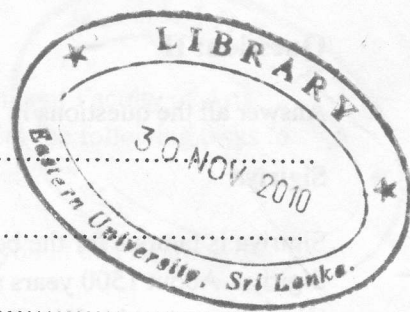
Examiner's Name :-

Examiner's Signature :-

Date :-

Question: I

Write full answers to the questions at least in three or more words.



1. What is your name?
2. How old are you?
3. Where are you from?
4. When were you born?
5. How many members are there in your family?
6. How much time do you spend on studies daily?
7. How far is the University from home?
8. How long have you been a student at the EUSL?
9. How often do you watch news on TV?
10. Who is your role model?
11. What do you like to be in the future?
12. When did you sit for the G.C.E (A/L) s?
13. Who was your favorite teacher at school?
14. Was English taught to you at G.C.E (A/L) s?
15. Are you satisfied with your English knowledge?
16. How can you improve your English knowledge?
17. Why do you want to learn English?
18. What are the skills you should have to use a language?
19. What are your responsibilities as a language learner?
20. How can the ELTU help you in your language learning?

(20x1=20 Marks)

Question: II

Answer all the questions in complete sentences.

Sigiriya

Sigiriya is famous for the beautiful frescoes or paintings. Many visitors from all over the world visit Sigiriya. About 1500 years ago King Kashyapa killed his father King Dhatusena and became the King. To protect his Kingdom from his elder brother Mogglana, Kashyapa moved his Kingdom from Anuradhapura to Sigiriya.

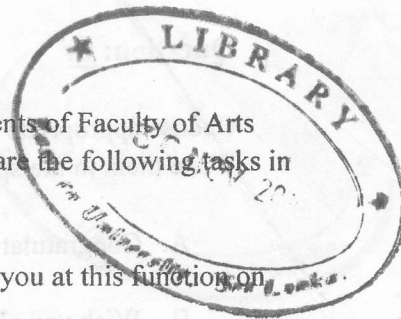
He built his palace on a rock. The entrance to the rock was in the shape of a lion's head. Its paws can be seen even today. This may be one of the reasons why it is called Sigiriya or Lion Rock.

To get to the top of the rock there are stone steps carved into it. As you go up, you can see the beautiful shining wall. Early visitors: monks, merchants, noblemen and ordinary citizens wrote poems on this wall.

1. What is Sigiriya famous for?
2. Who is Kashyapa's father?
3. Why did Kashyapa move his Kingdom to Sigiriya?
4. Why is it called Sigiriya?
5. How can you get to the top the mountain?
6. Where were poems written on?
7. Where can you see the frescoes?
8. What are frescoes?
9. Who does the word "He" in paragraph 2 line 4 refers to?
10. Have you ever been to Sigiriya?

(10x2=20 Marks)

Question: III



An English Day was organized by the ELTU for the first year students of Faculty of Arts Culture. Imagine that you were in the Organizing Committee. Prepare the following tasks in view of the English Day.

a] Write out the **Welcome address**, which was to be delivered by you at this function on behalf of the first year students.

A series of horizontal dotted lines are provided for writing the answer to the question. The lines are evenly spaced and extend across the width of the page.

(30Marks)

Question: IV

Choose appropriate messages from the list given below to match the following situations. Write them in the space given under the situations.

- A. Congratulations.
- B. Wish you all the best.
- C. Happy key birthday.
- D. Take care of your health.
- E. Carry on with your good work.

1. Key birthday of your beloved one.

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2. Your friend is going to face an interview.

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3. A telegram to your uncle who is sick.

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4. Your elder brother has been promoted in his job.

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5. Your colleague has got a job.

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Question: V

Assume that you are going to sit the semester examination.
Fill in the form neatly & correctly.



EXAMINATION ENTRY FORM

APPLICATION TO SIT:-

1.

part-1 To be completed by the candidate

2. Name of the Candidate:

3. Registration No:

4. Address of Candidate:

5. Address during examination period:

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6. Have you postponed sitting this
Examination due to illness by- MC:
or any other grounds
(if so give particulars)

7. Amount of fee paid for examination &
date of payment:

8. Medium : Tamil/ English

9.
Date:

10.
Signature of Candidate

(10x1=10 Marks)

