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CC102 Basic English

Index No :

Time : 03 hours

Answer all Questions on this paper itself.

For Examiners use only :

<u>Q.No:</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Marks Obtained</u>
I	10
II	10
III	10
IV	10
V	15
VI	25
VII	20
Total	<u>100</u>

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Question 01

What would you say in the following situations? Write the correct number of the response in the boxes provided against each situation.

Situations

- I. One of your friends got through his examination. ()
- II. Your uncle met with an accident. ()
- III. The students in your classroom make a lot of noise. ()
- IV. You friend is celebrating the New year. ()
- V. You meet your friend in the morning. ()
- VI. You want the volume of the radio reduced. ()
- VII. You meet a friend of yours after a long time. ()
- VIII. Your friend is recovering from serious illness. ()
- IX. You want your children to keep the place tidy. ()
- X. Your friend is flying to the United States of America for his higher studies. ()

Responses

- a. Wish you a speedy recovery
- b. Wish you a safe journey
- c. Congratulations on your successful results.
- d. Happy New Year
- e. Please keep quiet
- f. I'm shocked by the incident
- g. Keep the room cleaned
- h. Glad to meet you
- i. Good morning to you
- j. Could you please reduce the sound?

(1x10=10Marks)

Question 02.

Put the correct form of the verb given in the brackets.
The first one has been done for you.

Eg: The employees have not finished (finish) their work yet.

- I. Raja (attend) lectures at the EUSL every week end.
- II. Tea and Garments (export) from Sri Lanka.
- III. The external students (submit) their assignments last week.
- IV. The earth (rotate) round the sun and itself.
- V. The cease - fire agreement (sign) between the government and the LTTE.
- VI. It (rain) since yesterday.
- VII. The sun (set) in the west.
- VIII. There (be) twenty five districts in Sri Lanka.
- IX. India and Pakistan (have) nuclear weapons.
- X. The Indo - Sri Lanka peace accord (sign) in, 1987.

(1x10=10 Marks)

Question 03.

Select the correct prepositions from the box and complete the sentences.

into, on, from, across, by, towards, at , along, among, in

- I. My mother gets up 6 O'clock in the morning.
- II. The Department of Immigration and Emigration is situated Colombo.
- III. The chief guest distributed the prizes the winners.
- IV. They travelled the Colombo road.