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General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level

SINHALA

Paper 1 Composition

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1 hour 30 minutes

Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

If you have been given an Answer Booklet, follow the instructions on the front cover of the Booklet.

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Choose **one** topic from Section A and **one** topic from Section B.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

This document consists of **2** printed pages.



Section A – Letter, Report or Speech, Dialogue

- 1 There are three topics given below. Choose any **one** of the topics and write a composition of about 120 words in **Sinhala**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

- (a) Write a letter to a large company that is recruiting young people for temporary work experience, stating your qualities and why you are ideally suited to the job.

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- (b) You are asked to give a speech at your old primary school based on your best memories of your time there. Write that speech.

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- (c) Write a dialogue in which you and your friend discuss a Sinhala film you have watched recently.

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Section B – Essay

- 2 There are four topics given below. Choose any **one** of the topics and write a composition of about 200 words in **Sinhala**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

- (a) Describe a recent sporting event that you saw.

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- (b) “Schools should teach students how to become good citizens.” Discuss.

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- (c) Write about a historical place you visited recently.

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- (d) Describe a situation where a younger brother or sister got you in trouble.

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