

**Tamil – Table of Specifications
Primary Five (SA1)**

Paper & Duration	Component	Content	Item Type	No. of items	Marks	(Weighting)
1 (50 min)	Essay Writing	Topic Essay (With 3-4 guiding questions) Picture Essay (6 pictures with the last being blank and 8 helping words) (not less than 80 words)	Essay Writing	2 Choose 1	40	(20%)
2 (1 hr 40 min)	Language Use and Comprehension	Booklet A				
		Section A: Language Application				
		Case Marker	MCQ	5	10	5
		Poetry , Proverbs	MCQ	5	10	5
		Adjectives, Adverbs	MCQ	5	10	5
		Cloze Comprehension	MCQ	5	10	5
		Section B: Comprehension 1				
		Reading Comprehension	MCQ	5	10	5
		Booklet B				
		Section C: Language Application				
		Sound Differentiation	FIB	4	8	4
		Section D: Comprehension 2				
		Graphic Stimulus	MCQ, Free Response	4	10	16
		Comprehension passage	Free Response	7	22	
Sub total				40	90	(45%)
3 Approx. (10 min)	Oral	Reading Aloud	OE	1	20	10
		Conversation with Video Stimulus		1	30	15
Approx. (30 min)	Listening Comprehension	➤ News ➤ Dialogue ➤ Advertisement ➤ Story ➤ Notice	MCQ	10	20	10
Sub total					70	(35%)
Total					200	100

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