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The Department of English Language Teaching is planning to publish Volume I Issue II of the Mindspark e-magazine for the benefits of the students and staff members at the end of 2021.

DELT, as usual, launches this e-magazine in order to improve the creativity, critical thinking and writing skills of all the students of the Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka and we would like to entertain the manuscripts including poetry, short stories, essays, reviews and articles not only from the students but also from the members of the staff.

Attached herewith are the e-flyer and the guidelines for your further information.

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