

## Common Mistakes in Sinhala Letters Typing

### 1) Common mistakes with typing letters ට, ට, ධ and ධ

#### Example words

- ට - ටපියල
- ට - ටපය
- ධ - ධය
- ධ - ධ

ට and ධ can be mistakenly used, when typing in Sinhala.

#### Example:

- ටපියල can be typed as ධපියල
- ටපය can be typed as ධපය

#### ට, ට, ධ and ධ Letters typing sequence

- **For ට**

First type letter ට using R key, then type letter Q in the key board to generate "ට"

- **For ට**

First type letter ට using R key, then type letter Q together with Shift Key in the key board to generate "ට"

- **For ධ**

First type letter ට using R key, then type letter E in the key board to generate "ධ"

- **For ධ**

First type letter ට using R key, then type letter E together with Shift Key in the key board to generate "ධ"

2) The word එළුණු can be mistakenly typing in Sinhala. The correct letter is එළ. But it can be mistakenly typed as follows.

**Example:** As එළුණු or එළුණු

3) The word like පුරුකි

The accepted word format is පුරුකි. But according to the pronunciation of this word, this can be mistakenly written as පෘකි.

4) The typing sequence is important for the words. For example, the word like කායාපාලය, can be typed as කායාපාලය, if the typing sequence is incorrect.

**Example:**

- කායාපාලය - In this word, first need to type “Yansaya”, then “Repaya” and then “Alapilla” should be typed.
- But, when the “Alapilla” types before the” Repaya”, then it generates the incorrect word කායාපාලය.
- Therefore, the typing sequence is important.

**The word “කායාපාලය”**

- Proper keyboard sequence of writing the word “කායාපාලය” is,
- First type letter “ක”, then type “ා”, then type letter “ය”, then type “යංශය”, then type “රේඵය”, then type “ා”, and type letters “ල” and “ය”.
- If it types by changing the sequence, for example “යංශය”, “ා”, and “රේඵය”, then it generates the incorrect word කායාපාලය.

**The word “කොරාය”**

- Another example is the word කොරාය.
- Proper keyboard sequence of writing the word “කොරාය” is,
- First type “ො”, then type “ක”, then type “රකාරාය”, then type “ා”, then type “ර”, and type letters “ය” and “ය”.
- If it types by changing the sequence, for example “ො”, “ක”, “ා” and “රකාරාය”, then it generates the incorrect word like කොරාය

5) Instead of these errors, a person who is not familiar with the Sinhala Key board, can be mistakenly typed by changing some of the letters. For example,

- ට and ට
- ඹ and ඹ
- ඹ and ඹ
- ඵ and ඵ, are some of them.