

# 17101

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**3 Hours / 100 Marks**

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- Instructions* – (1) All Questions are *Compulsory*.  
(2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.  
(3) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.  
(4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.  
(5) Assume suitable data, if necessary.  
(6) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

**Marks**

- 1. Answer the following in 2-3 sentences each. (Any Ten) 20**
- What are the measures to be taken to avoid the use of plastic bags ?
  - How did Ajay's teacher help him ?
  - What is the effect of eating too much ?
  - What does Dr. Kalam think about failures ?
  - State the principles, of capacitive touch screen.
  - What advice was given to Malathi Holla by her father ?
  - What is self-awareness ?
  - What are the types of touch screen ?
  - How does slouching affect the posture ?

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- j) Why did Narayana Murthy not join IIT ?
- k) When does Ajay recall his teacher ?
- l) Why does Dr. Kalam stress on the importance of acquisition of usable skills ?

2. a) **Answer the following in about 75 words. (Any Three)** **12**
- (i) What are the different ways to maintain good health ?
  - (ii) How can a person with a positive attitude contribute to the society ?
  - (iii) Explain the importance of a teacher in a student's life ?
  - (iv) What is the contribution of Infosys to the society ?
- b) **Change the narration. (Any Four)** **4**
- (i) She said, "I had never seen such a movie."
  - (ii) The mother said to the son, "Are you drawing your pictures ?"
  - (iii) Nita said, "I shall go tomorrow."
  - (iv) He said, "I am going to Mumbai tomorrow morning."
  - (v) Rani asked, "What do you want ?"
3. a) **Develop a paragraph on the following in 75 words. (Any One)** **6**
- (i) Effects of Water Pollution
  - (ii) Honesty is the best policy.
- b) **Write about 6-8 dialogues on the following situation. (Any One)** **6**
- (i) Two students discussing about the timetable of final exam.
  - (ii) A teacher and a student talking about the student's attendance problem.

- c) **Develop a speech on the following situation. (Any One)** 4
- (i) As an In charge of the Annual Social Gathering of your institute, prepare a vote of thanks for the event in about 100 words.
- (ii) As the class representative prepare a welcome speech of the chief guest for a seminar arranged for the first year students on 'Communication skills.'
4. a) **Write the meaning of the following pair of words and use them in sentences of your own. (Any Two).** 4
- (i) know-no
- (ii) see-sea
- (iii) quiet-quite
- b) **Make sentences using the following collocations. (Any Four)** 4
- (i) Have a good time
- (ii) Keep a diary
- (iii) Bird's eye view.
- (iv) Do nothing
- (v) Take a look.
- c) (i) **Write the synonyms for the following words. (Any Two)** 2
- (1) knowledge
- (2) beautiful
- (3) dangerous
- (ii) **Write the antonyms for the following words. (Any Two)** 2
- (1) guilty
- (2) lend
- (3) natural
- d) (i) Write two words beginning with the prefix - auto 4
- (ii) Write two words ending with the suffix - ness

5. a) **Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below.** 12

If you are not in the grip of avarice, you will choose a profession that appeals to you as the means of self-expression and social service, even if you cannot earn much money by it. Your daily duty is not just money - making drudgery; it is your contribution to social progress and the path of personal development. How sad must be the lot of the man or woman who must do uncongenial work simply for the sake or more money ! I know a younger professor who lived literature passionately and taught it admirably, but his salary was small, and he became a lawyer in order to secure a larger income I tell you that man was guilty of a crime and he will not be happy as a lawyer, though he may be a little more comfortable, a little better fed and dressed and lodged. A musician who is born a violinist can never be personally happy or socially useful as a prosperous merchant or stock-broker, as he will miss the violin all the time. Avarice puts round men in square jobs and square men in round jobs. At present many persons in all classes, rich and poor, are unhappy and restless because their daily work is not interesting. It does not provide an outlet for their creative impulse and the insistent urge of personality. Therefore, don't ask in youth, "How can I earn the biggest salary ?" Ask rather, "How can I truly be happy and do must good to society ?" Then you may have less money, but you will have more of life and joy.

**Questions :**

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| (i) How a man can choose a profession for expressing himself ?      | 2 |
| (ii) Why the author consider that the lawyer is guilty of a crime ? | 2 |
| (iii) What do you mean by the word drudgery ?                       | 2 |
| (iv) Why most of the people are unhappy at present ?                | 2 |
| (v) Who are the misplaced persons according to the writer ?         | 2 |
| (vi) What is the advice of the writer to the youth ?                | 1 |
| (vii) Give a suitable title to the above passage.                   | 1 |

b) **Rewrite the following sentences in active/passive voice. (Any Four)** 4

- (i) I love the children.
- (ii) The work was done by us.
- (iii) Get out.
- (iv) He had visited us.
- (v) She will pay you some money.

6. a) **Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles. (Any Four)** 4

- (i) England is \_\_\_\_\_ European country.
- (ii) He likes to play \_\_\_\_\_ flute.
- (iii) This world is \_\_\_\_\_ happy place to live in.
- (iv) She is \_\_\_\_\_ untidy girl.
- (v) \_\_\_\_\_ Titanic disappeared in the sea.

b) **Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. (Any Four)** 4

- (i) We are \_\_\_\_\_ the station.
- (ii) This road goes \_\_\_\_\_ the jungle.
- (iii) The directors did not agree \_\_\_\_\_ his proposal.
- (iv) Karan hid himself \_\_\_\_\_ the sofa.
- (v) A man is known \_\_\_\_\_ the company he knows.

c) **Fill in the blanks with appropriate conjunctions. (Any Four)** 4

- (i) She is intelligent \_\_\_\_\_ she is lazy.
- (ii) She will wait \_\_\_\_\_ you arrive.
- (iii) We love \_\_\_\_\_ honour him.
- (iv) You were not in office \_\_\_\_\_ I called you.
- (v) \_\_\_\_\_ he ran fast, he missed the train.

- d) **Fill in the blanks with appropriate form of the verbs.** **4**  
**(Any Four)**
- (i) He (come) next week.
  - (ii) The manager (visit) Australia recently.
  - (iii) The servant (work) since morning.
  - (iv) The task is being (complete) by us.
  - (v) I (speak) to her yesterday.
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