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Time:2:00 To 5:00

Examination: Regular

Instructions:-

- (1) Attempt all Questions of both sections in same answer book / Supplementary
- (2) Use of Programmable calculator & any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
- (3) Instructions written on main answer Book are strictly to be obeyed.
- (4) Draw neat diagrams & figures (If necessary) at right places
- (5) Assume suitable & Perfect data if needed

SECTION-I**Q.-01 Supply a verb in agreement with its subject: -****07**

1. Slow and steady the race.
2. Eighty kilometers a good distance.
3. "Saurashtra ni Rasdhaar" written by Jhaverchand Meghani.
4. Each of the suspected persons arrested.
5. The wages of sin death.
6. The panel divided in their views.
7. One or the other of the guys broken the bench.

Q.-02 Read the following paragraph carefully and answer the following questions. 14

Happy is the man who acquires the habit of reading when he is young. He has secured a life-long source of pleasure and inspiration. So long as he has his beloved books, he need never feel bored. He is the possessor of wealth more precious than gold. Ruskin calls books 'Kings' Treasures' –treasures filled, not with gold and silver but with riches more valuable than these –knowledge, noble thoughts and high ideals. Poor indeed is the man who does not read, and empty is his life. The blessings which the reading habit confers on its possessor are many. Provided we choose the right kind of book, reading gives the highest kind of pleasure. Some books we read simply for pleasure and amusement –for example, good novels. And novels and books of imagination must have their place in everybody's reading. When we are tired, it is a healthy recreation to lose ourselves in some absorbing story written by a master hand. But to read nothing but books of fiction is like eating nothing but cakes. There are many noble books on history, philosophy, religion which we ought to read, and which will give us not only pleasure but education. Nor should poetry be neglected, for the best poetry gives us noble thoughts and beautiful imaginings clothed in lovely and musical language. Books are the most faithful of friends. Our friends may change or die but our books are always patiently waiting to talk to us. They are never cross, peevish or unwilling to converse. No wonder a reader becomes a book-lover.

1. Why is a man with good books a possessor of invaluable treasure?
2. What is the phrase Ruskin uses for books?
3. What are the benefits of reading good books?
4. Which are the major genres (forms) of books mentioned in the paragraph?
5. How are books our better friends than human beings?
6. Which is the book you loved to read? Why?
7. Write a suitable title for this paragraph.



OR

Write a paragraph on the role of youth in India's growth.

Q.-03

a) Report the following in Indirect Speech: -

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1. "Do you suppose you know better than your own father?" Shouted his angry mother.
2. Himad said, "How is your mummy now?"
3. The officer said, "Alas! Our project has been rejected."
4. "Keep quiet students," said the teacher.
5. "Have you anything to tell me, little bird?" asked Ulysses.
6. Gulzar said, "It gives me great pleasure to be here this evening in this Jaipur Literature Festival."
7. Anushka said, "What a pity she did not come!"
8. She said, "They shall go as soon as it is possible."
9. The policeman said to the boys, "Where are you going?"
10. Himanshu said, "Will you listen to such a person?"
11. "Where do you leave?" asked the traveller.
12. The student said, "I have cleared the viva."
13. Reema asked, "How is your brother's health now?"
14. He said, "The cat died in the morning."

b) Turn the following sentences from active voice to passive voice.

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1. A. R. Rahman is performing his famous compositions at present.
2. The guard opened the door.
3. They don't expect success.
4. Students will finish the assignment in a week.
5. The police arrested the culprits.
6. Why did your cousin write such a paper?
7. Anushka's teacher praised her today.
8. Virat Kohli scored eighty runs.
9. My brother has drawn that painting.
10. I have not sold my mobile yet.
11. The cat killed the mouse.
12. Who did this mischief?
13. It is known to all that Siddharth loves MAulik amongst all his friends.
14. Everyone loves this professor.

SECTION-II

Q.-04 Write one antonym for following words: -

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1. Failure
2. Sorrow
3. Hard
4. Regular
5. Smart
6. Impressive
7. Dependence



- Q.-05 a) What is the theme of the poem ‘*The Road not Taken*’? 07
b) Write a note on last stanza of ‘*Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening*’. 07
OR
a) Explain the bond of love in ‘*The Gift of Maggi*’. 07
b) Elaborate on the snake’s journey in ‘*Waiting for Death*’. 07
- Q.-06 a) Describe character of the mother in ‘*Photographing Mother*’. 07
b) Write on the expression of intimate emotions in Shakespeare’s Sonnet? 07
OR
a) Write about the father-daughter relation in Dhumketu’s *A Letter*. 07
b) Write about the beauty of Nature in *Evening Song* by Nalin Raval. 07

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