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First Semester Examination, 2024 (June)

[Advanced Reading and Writing Skills]

Time : 2 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 70

Note : This paper is of seventy (70) marks divided into two (2) Sections 'A' and 'B'. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein. Candidates should limit their answers to the questions on the given answer sheet. No additional (B) answer sheet will be issued.

SECTION—A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'A' contains five (5) long answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any two (2) questions only. **2 × 19 = 38**

1.(A) Change the following sentences as directed :

(i) The girl said, "How mesmerizing performance it is!"

(Direct to Indirect speech)

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(ii) The teacher said to the students, "Fee Defaulters will not sit in my class."

(Direct to Indirect speech)

(iii) She said, "My mother was working there two years ago."

(Direct to Indirect speech)

(iv) The stranger said to the boy, "Have you ever tried your luck in gambling?"

(Direct to Indirect speech)

(v) He said, "My friends have been suffering in this company for 3 years due to poor services."

(Direct to Indirect speech)

(vi) The old man told us that good boys ought to obey their parents.

(Indirect to Direct speech)

(vii) The little girl promised that she would dispose the garbage next day.

(Indirect to Direct speech)

(viii) The mother asked her daughter if she had cooked the food timely.

(Indirect to Direct speech)

(ix) John asked James if he would like to play cricket.

(Indirect to Direct speech)

(x) The teacher said that the Earth is round.

(Indirect to Direct speech)

(B) Change the following sentence from Active into Passive Voice :

(xi) The employees enjoyed the training sessions.

(xii) Are you following the rules and regulations properly?

- (xiii) The architect is drawing the map skillfully.
- (xiv) Our team has won the match yesterday.
- (xv) I prophesy a natural disaster.
- (xvi) I shall innovate a new method of teaching.
- (xvii) Who stole the new pen of Anaya?
- (xviii) He will have completed the task.
- (xix) The professor is going to show the students an old bone.

2.(a) Fill in the blank using the appropriate form of the verb :

- (i) He always _____ (persecute) the poor and helpless people.
- (ii) Good bats _____ (be) sold in Delhi.
- (iii) Rahim _____ (play) Sitar very well.
- (iv) Ram's Tiffin _____ (fall) into the river yesterday.
- (v) Where _____ (be) she live now?
- (vi) Many a man _____ (be) died at sea.
- (vii) The number of Corona patients _____ (be) risen.
- (viii) The public _____ (be) wise to take a judicious decision.
- (ix) Ten Lakh rupees _____ (is/are) big amount.
- (x) Work and experience _____ (bring/brings) wisdom to man.

(b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles : **10**

- (i) _____ village chief has started _____ utensil shop.

- (ii) Joya's father is _____ principal of our college.
- (iii) _____ Ganges flows from _____ Himalayas.
- (iv) Please give me _____ copy of The Times of India.
- (v) _____ Dhawans are particularly interested in music.
- (vi) _____ Market will remain closed for two days.
- (vii) She wrote _____ paper for _____ seminar.
- (viii) Rohan bought _____ cup of coffee.
- (ix) _____ earth moves round _____ sun.

3.(a) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions. **05**

- (i) Please sign your name _____ the dotted line.
(over/on)
- (ii) He swam _____ the pool. (across/through)
- (iii) I was born _____ August 10th 1956. (in/on)
- (iv) Rekha first met me _____ 1998. (in/on)
- (v) We can meet _____ the crossroads. (in/at)

(b) Put the correct punctuation marks. **14**

- (i) i like eating with my friends Suresh and Shyam
- (ii) we went to the singapore city.
- (iii) because of competitions everybody is tensed.
- (iv) My friend Prem speaks latin.
- (v) he said to me what a beautiful piece of work.

- (vi) hindus/Muslims/Sikhs/Christians live together in India.
 - (vii) don't you eat bread.
 - (viii) the taj mahal is so beautiful.
 - (ix) holi, diwali and christmas are enjoyed very much by one and all.
 - (x) He said to me the road is very risky.
 - (xi) are you in a hurry.
 - (xii) the principal teachers and students decided to organize a picnic.
 - (xiii) keep quiet will you.
 - (xiv) the students asked me to read the bible.
4. Explain and differentiate Past Indefinite and Past Perfect Tense with examples.
5. Discuss the rules of Subject Verb Agreement (Concord) giving suitable examples.

SECTION—B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'B' contains eight (8) short answer type questions of Eight (8) marks each. Learners are required to answer any four (4) questions only. **4 × 8 = 32**

1. Explain Verb Agreement.
2. Write a note on Conditional Sentences.

3. Make sentences using the following phrasal verbs in order to bring out their meanings :
Break down, carry out, get through, turn down, work out
4. Write a note on uses of affixes.
5. Explain prepositional phrases, giving examples.
6. Write note on the Present Perfect Continuous Tense. Give Examples.
7. Write a note on modals.
8. Write a short note on the use of definite Articles.
