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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

SECTION A — (40 marks)

1. (a) Language Skills : (15 × 2 = 30)

(i) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles/prepositions :

Progress _____life depends a good deal _____ crossing one threshold after another.

(ii) (1) Write the antonym of temporary.

(2) Write the synonym of nexus.

(iii) Choose the correct forms of the verbs and fill in the blanks :

(1) I was _____ (given/give) a warm welcome.

(2) Good teachers _____ (is/are) respected everywhere.

(iv) Add prefixes and suffixes to form new words :

(1) Kind

(2) Logic

(v) Add question tags to the following sentences :

(1) He gets angry easily, _____

(2) You will be back soon, _____

(vi) Rewrite as directed :

(1) She said, "I lost my pen".

(into indirect speech)

(2) The principal appointed her as captain.

(into passive)

(vii) Substitute a single word for the following group of words :

(1) Medicine that kills pests

(2) A person who believes in God.

(viii) Combine the following simple sentences to form a complex and a compound sentence.

(1) My uncle is coming.

(2) My aunt is coming.

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(ix) Correct the errors in the following sentences :

(1) She has telephoned me yesterday.

(2) I found hundred rupees.

(x) Punctuate the following passage using capitals wherever necessary.

the chairman and managing director of the company is to preside over the meeting

(xi) Use any TWO of the following idioms/phrases in sentences :

Crocodile tears, birds of a feather, come across give away.

(xii) Complete the sentences with dependent/independent clauses :

(1) _____, he is generous

(2) The lamb followed Mary _____.

(xiii) Correct the error in the following sentences :

- (1) When you are going to Mumbai?
- (2) Sarala sung a sweet song.

(xiv) Rewrite the sentence in the logical order :

The weather according it forecast to will tomorrow rain.

(xv) Correct the spelling of the underlined words to give the correct meaning.

- (1) He writes Dairy everyday
- (2) They go to the alter for prayer.

(b) Write a paragraph of 100 words or any ONE of the following : (1 × 10 = 10)

(i) Drug Abuse.

Or

(ii) Health Care.

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SECTION B — (5 × 2 = 10 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in a sentences or two.

2. What have made man a toothless animal?
3. What is E.M. Forster's answer to the challenge of Our time?
4. Why is a woman oppressed today?
5. How do prayers help us?
6. What were the thoughts of the Gladiator when he was dying?
7. What does the Soldier want to give England after his death?
8. What was Prometheus's belief?
9. How does the poet feel about work in his beloved's absence?

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SECTION C — (2 × 5 = 10 marks)

Answer TWO of the following questions in about 50 words choosing atleast One from each group.

GROUP A

10. How has Spoonfeeding entered education?

Or

11. What are the human values necessary for Education?

Or

12. Give reasons why Plomer does not like the telephone.

GROUP B

13. How does Emerson describe the power of Godhead in 'Brahma'?

Or

14. How and why was Prometheus punished?

Or

15. Why has the city dweller lost his admiration for nature?

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SECTION D — (2 × 5 = 10 marks)

Write short notes in about 50 words on TWO choosing
One from each group.

GROUP A

16. What do Jim and Della do for each other?

Or

17. Why did Rosemary decide to take the young girl home?

Or

18. Briefly narrate the reasons for the unrequited love of Rahim and Radha.

GROUP B

19. Was Rakesh really unjust and cruel to his father?

Or

20. Describe in detail the author's search for his mother.

Or

21. How did Baron Hausberg help Hughie marry Laura?

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SECTION E — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Write THREE essays in about
200 words choosing One from each group.

GROUP A

22. What are the consequences of reading without pleasure?

Or

23. Why should woman stop considering herself as an object of pleasure?

Or

24. What, according to Prince Philip, are the qualities that a complete man should possess?

GROUP B

25. How does Wordsworth prove that nature turns the tables on moral philosophy and intellect?

Or

26. Describe Yeat's desire to live in close contact with nature with reference to 'The Lake Isle of Innisfree'.

Or

27. Bring out the image of the grandmother's house.

GROUP C

28. Comment on the significance of the title 'The Refugee'.

Or

29. Narrate the story of 'The Model Millionaire'.

Or

30. How did the Astrologer's Day end?