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3 Hours / 70 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.

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- 1. Attempt any FIVE of the following: **10****
- a) Define the term : ‘Electronic Waste’ with suitable examples.
 - b) Write about the family background of Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam.
 - c) List the qualities of emotionally stable people.
 - d) Explain the statement : ‘Gurmeet Singh is like God’.
 - e) State any two qualities of Shiva that has inspired you.
 - f) Name the peaks climbed by Arunima Sinha.
 - g) Name the scientists, lawyers and economists, who flourished under the leadership of JRD Tata.

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- 2. Attempt any THREE of the following:** **12**
- a) Describe the initial struggle of Walter Edward Dandy, an American neurosurgeon.
 - b) Summarize the suggestions given by the author to make one's life remarkable.
 - c) Explain the statement : 'Life is a precious, irreplaceable gift'.
 - d) Summarize the success story of Mr. Lal.
- 3. Attempt any THREE of the following:** **12**
- a) Develop a dialogue between Rahul and Rohan discussing about the ways to improve their spoken English (8-10) dialogues.
 - b) Develop a dialogue between a class Representative and HOD of Civil Dept. regarding permission to celebrate 'Engineers' Day' (8-10) dialogues.
 - c) Write a paragraph on 'An online class v/s offline class'. (75 words)
 - d) Write a paragraph on 'Apple iPhone'. (75 words)
- 4. Attempt any THREE of the following:** **12**
- a) Make sentences using the following collocations.
 - i) Go online
 - ii) Keep cool
 - iii) Have a good time
 - iv) Catch sight of
 - b) Replace the underlined words with correct word and rewrite the sentences.
 - i) The professor made an illusion of Virginia Woolf's work.
 - ii) Everyone in my family is vaccinated accept my nephew.
 - iii) If we don't score another goal, we'll loose the game.
 - iv) My guiding principal is to treat others kindly.

- c) Write the meaning of the following idioms and make sentences of your own.
- Once in a blue moon.
 - A bosom friend.
- d) Choose the correctly spelt word from the following.
- knifes , knives , knivess
 - Prettiest , Prettyest , Pretiest
 - Nineth , nintth , ninth
 - quarelling , quarrelling , quarreling
- e) Change the voice.
- The mason is building the wall.
 - Shakuntala was written by kalidas.
 - Learn the poem.
 - The police has caught the robber.

5. a) Attempt any TWO of the following: 08

- Your favourable teacher is going to retire from the job. As a class coordinator, draft a farewell speech for your best teacher in about 100 words.
- As a student coordinator, draft a vote of thanks speech for a guest lecturer on 'Skill India' organised by your department.
- Draft a speech to introduce the chief guest for 'Parents' Meet' programme organised by your institute.

b) Change into indirect speech. (any two) 04

- The judge said, "Call the first witness."
- He said, "I am glad to be here this evening."
- He said, "I had already left".

6. Attempt any TWO of the following:

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a) Do as directed :

- i) The umbrella is an useful thing during rainy season.
(Rewrite the sentence using the correct article in place of the underlined article.)
- ii) Mr. Srivastava received a letter at his daughter who had been living in Chennai from many years. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct prepositions in place of the underlined prepositions.)
- iii) Dr. Kalam was though a scientist and an author of many famous books. (Rewrite the sentence using correct conjunctions in the place of underlined conjunctions.)

b) Read the following passage and answer the given questions:

Even though concentration is the key to acquiring knowledge - Concentration itself is not easy to attain. It is a skill that can be developed only through a lot of patience and practice. He who masters it is real 'Yogi'. To control our senses and to gather all our awareness into one focus is by no means an easy task. Life itself is complex and there are invariably several issues vying for our attention which makes it even more difficult to focus on only one thing. Even if we try to concentrate fully on the work in hand, our subconscious mind is scattered in varied directions and soon drags our conscious mind along, without even our realization. It therefore requires a lot of discipline, will power and self-control to focus or concentrate.

Questions :

- i) Why is concentration so difficult to attain? 01
- ii) List some qualities essential to attain concentration. 01
- iii) In your opinion, how does concentration help to acquire knowledge? 02
- iv) Which word in the passage means 'unchangingly'? 01
- v) Find the antonym of 'gathered' from the passage. 01
- 1) directions
 - 2) concentrate
 - 3) focused
 - 4) scattered

c) Do as directed:

- i) There I _____ (notice) how important it _____ (be) to communicate in English nowadays.
(Rewrite the sentence using the correct form of the verbs in the bracket.)
 - ii) Hurrah! We have won the match. (Convert the exclamatory sentence into assertive sentence.)
 - iii) While, I _____ (do) the language course, I _____ (meet) lots of young people from all over the world.
(Rewrite the sentence using the correct form of the verbs in the bracket.)
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