

ENGLISH, Paper - I

(Third language)

Parts A and B

Time : 2½ Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 50

Instructions :

1. Answer *all* the questions under **Part-A** on a separate answer book.
2. Write the answers to the questions under **Part-B** on the question paper itself.
3. Start answering the questions as you read them.

Part - A

Time : 1½ Hours

Marks : 20

Note : Use a separate answer book to answer the questions in this part.

(1-10) Answer ANY FIVE of the following questions in two or three sentences each.

5×2=10

1. 'I call it my chicken drumstick,' joked Nick. What does 'it' refer to? How does it help him? *(Attitude is Altitude)*
2. Discuss the irony in the title 'The Dear Departed'? *(The Dear Departed-II)*
3. Why was the author reluctant to carry his own luggage? *(The Journey)*
4. How was Ray perceived by the outsiders? *(Rendezvous with Ray)*
5. Who was Bayaji? What was Bayaji's dream? *(The Storeyed House-I)*
6. How are peoples' basic needs connected with the environment? *(Environment)*
7. If one wants to bring a change in social system, what qualities should one possess? *(My Childhood)*
8. Why did the white man feel surprised at the narrator's outburst? *(Human Jamaican Fragment)*

9. What did Socrates suggest as the secret to success ?
(Every success story great failures)
10. When did people shake hands with their hearts ? (Once upon a time)

11. Read the following stanza.

We, Indians, are proud to be a strong nation,
Our roots, we declare, cannot be shaken.
Then why these fights,
which leave us in poor plight ?
Irrespective of our region,
forget the castes,
which makes us lose our charm.

(A Plea for India)

Now answer the following questions.

5×1=5

- (a) Why are we proud ?
(b) What cannot be shaken ?
(c) 'Which' leaves us in poor plight ?
(d) Which makes us lose our charm ?
(e) What kind of feeling do we get from the above lines ?

12. Read the following lines.

The forested mountains were the source of water and the source of rain, so when you deforest, you cause a shortage of water and a change of rainfall patterns and therefore people are not able to get food and water.

(Environment)

Now answer the following questions.

3×1=3

- (a) What were the source of water and rain ?
(b) What is the effect of deforestation ?
(c) What is the ecological problem coined in the above line ?

13. Read the following lines.

A burning desire is the starting point of all accomplishment. Just like a small fire can't give much heat, a weak desire can't produce great results.

(Every success great failure)

Now answer the following questions.

2×1=2

- (a) What is necessary for accomplishment ?
(b) Why should one avoid weak desire ?

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Part - B

Time : 1 Hour

Marks : 30

Note : (i) Answer **all** the questions in this part on the question paper itself.
 (ii) Candidates must use **CAPITAL LETTERS** while answering the multiple choice questions.

14. Complete the passage, choosing the right words from those given below. Each blank is numbered and for each blank, four choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) are given. Choose the correct answer from these choices and write (A), (B), (C) or (D) in the blanks. $5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2}$

Kapil Dev(1) a former Indian cricket player. He(2) always be remembered as(3) most(4) all-rounder in the game(5) cricket.

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|-----------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1. (A) is | (B) was | (C) has been | (D) is being |
| 2. (A) would | (B) will | (C) can | (D) could |
| 3. (A) a | (B) the | (C) an | (D) and |
| 4. (A) exciting | (B) excited | (C) excite | (D) excitement |
| 5. (A) of | (B) in | (C) at | (D) as |

15. Match the parts of sentences under 'A' with those under 'B'. Write the letter of the sentence part in 'B' against the sentence part in 'A'. $5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2}$

'A'		'B'
(i) If I had a car	[.....]	(A) he missed the train.
(ii) Since it was a holiday	[.....]	(B) I would have given you a ride.
(iii) As he over slept himself	[.....]	(C) we went to sleep.
(iv) It's time	[.....]	(D) my mother had left.
(v) When I reached home	[.....]	(E) he woke up late.

16. (a) Raju must cut down his expenses. 1
 (b) Roja must cut the plant.
 Q. Who do you think is in trouble ?

Ans :

OR

Report the following into Indirect Speech.

She said, "Honey is sweet."

Ans :

17. The policeman caught the thief. The thief was hiding in a cowshed. 1
(Combine the sentences with 'Who')

Ans :

18. **Re-write the following sentence in the Passive form.** 1
 They marketed our products.

Ans :

19. **Combine the following sentences with 'When'.** 1
 I fell asleep. I was reading.

Ans :

20. **Fill in the blanks with right contractions.** 1
 Mother, there(is) a strange man watching at the door with a familiar sort of face. I feel you(have) seen before.

21. **Fill in the blanks, choosing the right words from those given in the brackets.** 4x½=2

(a) They may feel jealous your success. *(at, of, in)*

(b) Radha, a precocious girl of ten was dressed colours. *(in, at, on)*

(c) India is famous its spiritual glory. *(for, of, in)*

(d) Siva gave smoking. *(up, at, off)*

22. **Replace the underlined words in the following sentences with the words from the box that have the same meaning.** 4x½=2

elaborate, bullying, erupted, degrades, exotic, sustain, set on

(a) Despite the risk of humiliation, his parents insisted Nick attend mainstream.

Ans :

(b) New schools are beginning to exist now.

Ans :

(c) The poster is offensive and disrespects women.

Ans :

(d) A sudden demand for tamarind seeds appeared suddenly in the market.

Ans :

23. Fill in the blanks with the words opposite in meaning to those underlined.

4x¹/₂=2

(a) The boys walked briskly uphill, the older people followed them.

(b) Man is mortal but nature is

(c) These children are very noisy, why can't they be

(d) He gathered the pearls.

24. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate forms of the underlined words.

4x¹/₂=2

(a) Vinoba Bhave led a simple life. His added to his greatness.

(b) Mix all the ingredients well. Add the to the curry.

(c) The forests produce many things. We have to increase their

(d) These are the seedlings that I got from the

25. Put the following words under the correct headings.

8x¹/₄=2

*birds, Cardiologist, Psychiatrist, language,
mind, Linguist, Ornithologist, heart.*

Person

Nature of study

1.

1.

2.

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26. Complete the following words by using ei, ie, ai, ia, ee.

2x¹/₂=1

(a) Th _ _ st

(b) Glac _ _ r

27. Complete the following words with the letters given in the brackets.

2x¹/₂=1

(a) extravag (ence / ance)

(b) accusa (tion / sion)

28. One word in each set is wrongly spelt. Rewrite it correctly in the space provided. 2×1/2=1

(a) *buraue* *austere* *dexterous* *gleam.* *Ans :*

(b) *lethargy* *sarcasm* *incite* *colapse.* *Ans :*

29. Look at the two sets of words given below. In each set, the letters underlined in the two words are pronounced in the same way. Find the words and copy them out. 2×1/2=1

(a) *cheat* *chase* *chees*e *chart.* *Ans :*

(b) *gadget* *hang* *agony* *budget.* *Ans :*

30. Arrange the following words in alphabetical order. 4×1/2=2
Tribute, Treasure, Training, Tradition.

Ans. :,,,

31. Your friend has gone out of town.
As he/she gets back, advise him to finish his/her homework. 1

Ans :

32. What do the following sentences mean ?
Put a (✓) mark against the right choice. 2×1/2=1

(i) Cuba is the capital of er Hawana.

(a) Hesitation [.....] (b) Surprise [.....]

(c) Pain [.....] (d) Agreement [.....]

(ii) We should complete this work by tomorrow evening.

(a) Advice [.....] (b) Offer [.....]

(c) Exclaim [.....] (d) Order [.....]

33. Change the following into a polite request. 1
You to the teacher : "I want to leave the classroom."

Ans. :

34. People started to shout at the driver for his careless driving.
What would you say to them ? 1

(a) Keep it on. [.....] (b) Be cool. [.....]

(c) Have a nice time. [.....] (d) Good. [.....]