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Language – Part II – ENGLISH – Paper II 305840

(Supplementary Reader and Communicative Competencies)

Time Allowed : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

- Instructions :** (1) Check the question paper for fairness of printing. If there is any lack of fairness, inform the Hall Supervisor immediately.
- (2) Use Black or Blue ink to write.

Note : In your answer book, use the Arabic numerals 1 to 39 of the questions you answer.

SECTION - A

[Supplementary Reader]

[Marks : 25]

- I. (A) 1. Write a paragraph by rearranging the following sentences in correct sequence. (The first and the last sentences are already in order.) 5
- One morning the Giant was lying awake in bed.
 - It sounded so sweet to his ears.
 - He had some lovely music.
 - It was really only a little bird.
 - He thought it must be the king's musicians passing by.
 - He jumped out of bed and looked out.

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(B) Complete the following by choosing correct answer from the options given : 5x1=5

2. Ivan Dmitritch's income was _____.
- (a) five hundred a year
(b) twelve thousand a year
(c) twelve hundred a year
(d) twelve thousand a month
3. Johnsy started counting backward _____.
- (a) nine (b) ten (c) eight (d) twelve
4. Morissot and Sauvage used to fish on every _____.
- (a) monday morning
(b) saturday morning
(c) sunday morning
(d) friday morning
5. The city dwellers noticed the refugees with _____.
- (a) happiness
(b) enmity
(c) great satisfaction
(d) increased bitterness
6. The girl, Vena said that her aunt's tragedy happened _____ years ago.
- (a) five (b) four (c) three (d) two

(C) Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow :

5x1=5

In the beginning of years, when the world was so new and all, and the animals were just beginning to work for man, there was a camel, and he lived in the middle of Howling Desert because he did not want to work, and besides, he was a Howler himself. So he ate sticks and thorn and tamarisks and milk weed and prickles, most 'scruciating idle, and when any body spoke to him he said 'Humph !' Just 'Humph !' and no more. Presently the Horse came to him on Monday morning, with a saddle on his back and a bit in his mouth, and said, "Camel, O camel, come out and trot like the rest of us".

Questions :

7. Where did the camel live ?
 8. What did the camel eat ?
 9. Describe the camel's attitude towards work.
 10. How did the camel reply if any body spoke to it ?
 11. What did the Horse tell the camel ?
- (D) 12. Write an essay by developing the following hints : 10

Ivan Dmitritch - Middle class man - wife bought a lottery ticket - Ivan saw the news paper - series 9499 - started dreaming - new estate - abroad - but number 26 - dream dropped - developed hatred.

OR

Two Friends - Morissot, Sauvage - Fishing - Paris under prussians - pleasant fishing - two met one day - drank absinthe - unsteady - fishing at new place - pass word at out post - caught the fish - prussians caught and tortured - did not reveal the password - shot dead.

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SECTION-B

[Learning Competency - Study Skills]

[Marks : 15]

II. (A) Answer the following :

5x2=10

13. What does the journal section in a modern library contain ?
14. Expand and Explain OPAC.
15. Bring out the meaning of cliché and use "Kith and Kin" in a sentence of your own.
16. Arrange the names of two authors John Keats and T.S. Eliot as found in the library catalogue.
17. Mention complete e-mail Id of any two service organisations.

(B) Read the following, spot the **errors** and **correct** them :

5x1=5

18. He is confident on his success.
19. Though she is weak but she is active.
20. He prefers coffee than tea.
21. Mohan is one of the best student in his class.
22. Neither she or you are active.

SECTION-C

[Occupational Competency - Job Skills]

[Marks : 15]

III. (A) 23. Write summary of the following in about 100 words :

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Acid rain is caused by air pollution. When coal, oil and petrol are burned, the smoke given off contains the gases like sulphur dioxide and nitrogen dioxide. These gases escape into the atmosphere where they dissolve in water droplets to form weak acids. These acids then fall to the ground in rain, snow or sleet. Acid rain is harmful to plants and animals. It has killed fish in the lakes of North America, Scandinavia, Scotland and Wales. Vast areas of forest are dying because of it, while in many European cities, statues and stone buildings are being eaten away by the acid. It corrodes metal work such as steel bridges and railings and even the water we drink is slowly being polluted by it. Acid rain in the soil washes away important plant foods. It changes certain metals, particularly Aluminium in the soil into a poisonous form. Aluminium then damages tree roots. When the aluminium is washed into lakes it affects the gills of fish and kills them.

(B) 24. Respond to the following advertisement considering yourself fulfilling the conditions specified :

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[Write xxx for your name and yyy for your address]

WANTED

A public sector company requires a computer operator for its office preferably a graduate with 5 years experience. Only persons with a good command over English need apply.

Apply within a week to P.O. Box 765

New Delhi - 110005

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SECTION-D

[Strategic Competency - Life Skills]

[Marks : 5]

IV. (A) 25. Fill in the blanks with non - lexical fillers in the following conversation : **2x1=2**

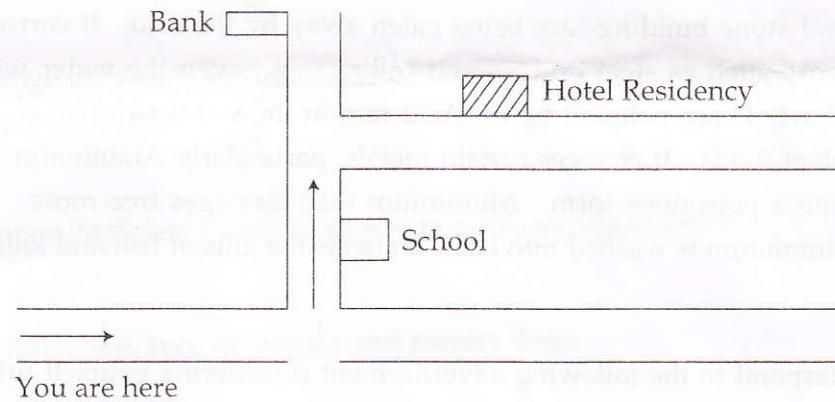
Policeman : Show me your licence.

Motorist : _____ sorry sir, I left it at home.

Policeman : Let me have your name and address.

Motorist : _____ Raju, No : 17, V Cross, Race Course Road.

(B) 26. Guide an old man to the near by Hotel Residency. Here you find the road map. Write three instructions by way of helping him. **3x1=3**



SECTION-E

[Creative Competency]

[Marks : 10]

V. (A) Match the proverbs with their meanings :

5x1=5

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| 27. Truth alone triumph | (a) Don't imitate others. |
| 28. Borrowed garments never fit well | (b) Good mind and good body is productive |
| 29. Haste makes waste | (c) Make use of every opportunity. |
| 30. Health is wealth | (d) Always speak the truth |
| 31. Strike while the iron is hot | (e) A steady growth leads to progress. |

(B) Match the slogans with their relevant products given below :

5x1=5

- | Products | Slogans |
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| 32. Watch | (a) Buy now pay later |
| 33. Credit card | (b) Flawless writing flows from this |
| 34. Ball point pen | (c) Sharp time for sharp people |
| 35. Lock | (d) Secret of my energy |
| 36. Boost | (e) It guarantees great safety |

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SECTION-F

[Extensive Reading]

[Marks : 10]

VI. Write a general essay in about 200 words on any one of the following : 1x10=10

37. National Integration
38. Preservation of environment
39. Television - its advantages and disadvantages.

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