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(Moral Values and Language)

Part B : English Language

Time : 1 1/2 Hours

(Max. Marks) : Regular 35 / Private 50

Note : Section A, B and C are compulsory for all Regular and Private students. Please follow the instructions, given in each section. Marks distribution for all students are as shown in question paper. The blind candidates will be given 25 minutes extra time.

Section A : Objective

Regular 5 x 1 = 5 / Private 5 x 1 = 5

1. The monthly expenditure of Mr. Kallenbach later on reduced to  
(a) Rs. 1,120 (b) Rs. 130 (c) Rs. 1,200 (d) Rs. 120
2. The washer woman has not sought God. True / False
3. She (Solitary Reaper) cuts and binds the grain. True / False
4. A paragraph has a thematic unity. True / False
5. bi- is a prefix of  
(a) Location (b) Size (c) Number (d) Time

Section B : Short Answer

Regular 2 x 5 = 10 / Private 1 x 5 = 5

Note : Regular students have to attempt any two questions and private students have to attempt all four questions.

1. How does the Solitary Reaper affect the poet?

OR

Why does the poet consider it needless to ask the caste of a saint?

2. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below (any five).

Since the birth in the middle of the nineteenth century, the women's rights movement has taken root and spread throughout the world. In many countries women have fought for the right to vote, the right to work, the right to be educated to their capacities, the right to own and dispose of property and for equal rights within marriage. The cause has penetrated world governments via the United Nations which in 1946 set up a social commission to study the worldwide status of women and make recommendations to the social and economic council on ways of improving it. UNESCO too exists in the advancement of women by seeking to involve them in educational and cultural programmes.

In addition, a multiple of women's organizations exist in individual countries to further, at national and international levels, the eradication of remaining areas of discrimination. Through their affiliation with international feminist bodies, they are in touch with women's activities and achievements in all parts of the world.

However, with half the world's population still illiterate - most of them women - they are in great disparity in what has been, and still has to be achieved. At one end of the scale, women's rights workers are still pressing for elementary education, at the other for the removal of early 'protective' legislation which is now felt to be discriminatory because it denied women certain freedoms : for example, the right to do night work if they choose. Nevertheless despite the fact that the women's movement has progressed unevenly and with varying success, women in general are emerging from 'chattelhood' and are beginning to find their place beside man as free and equal citizens.

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Wherever they have been granted the opportunity, women have demonstrated their ability to compete on equal terms with men. In time of war they have taken over from them in almost every sphere, building a record of distinguished service which has proved for all time that the power behind the throne is no less capable of ruling from it, and also that hand reeking the cradle is equally at home manufacturing it.

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- (1) What is the women's rights movement?
- (2) How is this movement being sustained?
- (3) Why has the movement not been completely successful?
- (4) Why is there a demand to abolish legislation which was earlier considered 'Protective'?
- (5) Why does the writer think that women are capable of competing with men on equal terms?
- (6) Has women's right movement already achieved its goal in India? Or is there a reason to continue it? Give reasons in support of your opinion.
- (7) Does the writer firmly believe that women can compete with men in all professions? What is your view in the matter?

3. Use the following words in sentences of your own. (any five)  
belong, battle, travellers, experiments, exclaim, familiarize, distinction

OR

Give the synonyms of the following words : (any five)  
achieve, mark, end, remainder, give up, perusal, observance

4. Find out the countable / uncountable nouns in the following sentences. (any five)
- (1) Freedom is my birth right
  - (2) The road is in a bad condition
  - (3) She wears dark glasses
  - (4) Thieves were arrested by the police yesterday
  - (5) Work is worship
  - (6) He fought with great courage.
  - (7) I bought this table cloth for Rs. 50

Section C : Long Answer

Regular 2+10+20/Private 2+12.5+25

1. Write a paragraph in about 150 words on the qualities of a "saint" as referred in the poem 'A Song of Kabir'.

OR

Write a paragraph in about 150 words on Satyagraha

2. Write an essay on any one of the following topics in about 300 words :

- (1) Environmental Pollution      (2) Poverty      (3) Women Empowerment

OR

Do as directed : (any ten)

- (1) Shyam and Mohan were quarrelling ..... their father's property. (Insert preposition)
- (2) She is waiting ..... the school bus. (Insert preposition)
- (3) His ambition is ..... an actor. (Insert an infinitive)
- (4) Rashmi has decided ..... this job. (Insert an infinitive)
- (5) The (derail) engine was lifted by a crane. (Insert the correct form of the verb)
- (6) (Spread) rumor is a crime. (Insert the correct form of the verb)
- (7) Please put ..... the lights. (Insert a preposition to make a phrasal verb)
- (8) You must give ..... smoking. (Insert a preposition to make a phrasal verb)
- (9) May is ..... hottest month. (Insert a, an or the)
- (10) Mr. Jain is ..... lecturer in English. (Insert a, an or the)
- (11) He meets his uncle. (seldom) Put the adverb in proper place.
- (12) Do you go to see films? (often) put the adverb in proper place.
- (13) Use the proverb make a mountain out of a mole hill in a sentence of your own.
- (14) Use the phrase crocodile tears in a sentence of your own.
- (15) You must reply ..... the notice. (Insert a preposition)