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Paper II : English Language

Time 3 Hours]

(Max. Marks Regular 30 / Private 35

(Min. Marks : Regular 10 / Private 12

Note : All questions are compulsory for all Regular and Private students. Please follow the instructions given. Marks distribution for all students are as shown in question paper. The blind candidates will be given 60 minutes extra time.

1. Attempt any four questions of the following : R-1×4=4 / P-1×4=4
- (i) Rabindranath Tagore is a well-known poet from :
(a) Orissa (b) West Bengal (c) Bihar (d) Kerala.
- (ii) Choose the correct synonym for the word - glad :
(a) broken (b) happy (c) open (d) round.
- (iii) Crowd was on the main street, which word is a collective noun :
(a) crowd (b) main (c) on (d) street.
- (iv) Who awoke 'at the stroke of midnight hour' :
(a) India, as an independent nation (b) Jawaharlal Nehru
(c) The people of India (d) The British.
- (v) The pen is than the sword :
(a) nicer (b) mightier (c) softer (d) harder
- (vi) Halycon is a :
(a) blue coloured bird (b) red coloured bird
(c) white coloured bird (d) black coloured bird.
2. Answer any three questions of the following : R-2×3=6 / P-3×3=9
- (a) What according to Swami's father, was disgraceful ?
(b) What does 'Service of India' mean ?
(c) What is reason compared with ?
(d) We wear clothes that reflect our mood. Give two examples.
(e) What was grandmother's reaction towards the music lessons ?
(f) What is the effect of the solitary reaper's song on the poet ?
3. Do as directed : (any eight) R 8 . P-6
- (1) Add prefix to the following words :
(a) agree (b) believable (c) correct (d) understand.
- (2) Add suffix to the following words :
(a) meaning (b) glow (c) king (d) adore.
- (3) Fill in the blanks using the correct homonym given in the bracket :
What is the (prize / price) of this bike ?
- (4) Choose the correct form of the verb given in bracket :
One of my sisters (is / are) going on a trip to France.
- (5) Change the verb in the bracket into simple past :
She (drink) too much coffee yesterday.
- (6) Fill in the blank with correct article - (a, an, the)
Camel is ship of desert.
- (7) Choose much / many :
He made mistakes.

- (8) Use the correct form of adverb given in bracket :
Children usually go to bed than their parents. (early)
- (9) Crowd was on the main street. Which word is a collective noun ?
(a) crowd (b) main (c) on (d) street.
- (10) Choose the correct option :
When Fatima saw the snake at the feet, she
(a) was screaming (b) had screamed (c) screamed (d) screams.
- (11) The TV has lost picture.
(a) it's (b) its
- (12) Did you that sound.
(a) hear (b) here.

4. Read the following passage and answer the given questions : R-6 / P-6
- We who live in the present-day world are proud to call ourselves civilized. Is it because we live and dress better than our forefathers? Of course, we have the advantages of the inventions of science which our ancestors had never known. But let us search our hearts and ask ourselves, "Has science solves our problems?" Frankly speaking the answer is "No". In fact, science has added to our worries. Perhaps, now, we can kill more easily and swiftly than ever before. And then we have not given up the old habit of fighting. That is why we have wars after a decade or two. If we wish to be really civilized, let us learn to live in peace. Let us achieve the brotherhood of Man.

Questions :

- (a) Who are proud to call ourselves civilized ?
(b) Why do we call ourselves civilized ?
(c) Has science solved all our problems ?
(d) What should we ask ourselves ?
(e) Is the answer positive ?
(f) Give a suitable title to the paragraph.
5. Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics in about 100 to 150 words : R-6 / P-8
- (a) Importance of Books.
(b) A friend is need is friend indeed.
(c) Honest is the best policy.

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