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पूर्णांक : 100
Maximum Marks : 100

Note :- (i) *All questions are compulsory.*
(ii) *The question paper has four sections - A, B, C, D.*

SECTION - A

Q.1 Read the following carefully and answer the questions given below-

A mechanical engineer is responsible for coming up with and designing mechanical systems. Mechanical systems can include machine design, heating and cooling equipment, power generation and product design. Products like the latest cell phone begin with an engineer coming up with the idea.

Mechanical engineers are in high demand right now. That means that there are a lot of job openings for mechanical engineers, but there aren't enough people to fill those jobs, Because, there is a high need for engineers, and the work requires specialized knowledge, engineers get paid more than some other careers.

Question:

- (1) What does a mechanical engineer do? [1]
- (2) What is mechanical system? [1]
- (3) Why are there more job openings for mechanical engineers? [1]
- (4) Mechanical engineers are.....demand. [1]
 - (i) in high
 - (ii) in no
- (5) Engineers get.....more than some other careers. [1]
 - (i) proper
 - (ii) paid

Q.2 Read the following passage carefully and answers the questions given below:

According to the popular tradition, Vikramaditya started the “Vikram Samvat” Era in 57 BCE, after defeating the Shakas. For this reason, those who believe him to be based on a distinct historical figure place him around the 1st century BCE. However, this era is mentioned a “Vikram Samvat” only after the 9th century CE. Other scholars argue that Vikramaditya is a mystical character as several of the legends about him are fantastic in nature. “vikranaditrya” was a common title adopted by several Indian Kings, and it is possible that the various Vikramaditya legends are embellished accounts of different kings, particularly Chandragupta II.

Questions:

- (1) “Vikram Samvat” is mentioned.....9th century. [1]
 - (a) in
 - (b) after
 - (c) before
- (2) is a common title adopted by several Indian Kings. [1]
 - (a) Legends
 - (b) Vikramaditya
 - (c) Chandragupta
- (3) Who started “Vikram Samvat” Era? [1]
- (4) Who argues that Vikramaditya is a mystical character? [1]
- (5) What was a common title? [1]

Q.3 Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below:

Time management is important in any situation and most people have difficulty getting started. Time management is a skill that you have to learn. Time management is a life style. The best place to begin working on time management is by changing your behaviour and your environment. The definition of time management is getting everything done in the allotted amount of time. It is a building process effectively using the time you have and getting rid of “useless” time, organizing your activities in a sequence that best utilizes your time. Time management includes your personal life and business life. Time management is efficiency of your time. Analyze your current time and think how you can make better use of your time.

Questions:

- (1) What is “Time management”? [1]
- (2) How can we work on time management? [1]
- (3) What is included in time management? [1]
- (4) Time management is getting rid of.....time. [1]
 - (a) useless time
 - (b) allotted time
 - (c) current time
- (5) your activities in a sequence that best utilizes your time. [1]
 - (a) Building
 - (b) Analyzing
 - (c) Organizing

SECTION – B

Q.4 Write a letter to your father telling him about your hostel life. [6]

OR

Write an application to your principal to issue you a new library card.

Q.5 Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below:

A good novel recreates life as it is. A Great novelist is gifted with a rare insight. His vision animates dead past and anticipates the unborn future. Thus we can wander into the dead maze of the past with a Scot or have a stunning glimpse of the future with a Huxley. And a novelist's revivification of life is more true than that of a historian. For, a historian is more concerned with bare facts that are often misleading whereas a novelist's field of study is human mind.

- (a) Make notes for the given passage [3]
- (b) Write a summary of the passage given above [3]
- (c) Write a title for the passage [1]

Q.6 Write a paragraph on any one of the following topic in about 60 words. [7]

- (i) Any festival
- (ii) Science in our lives
- (iii) Importance of games and sports
- (iv) Plantation drive

SECTION – C

Q.7 (A) Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct word from the bracket: (any five) [5]

- (i) He stood at last in the row. (a, an, the)
- (ii) The boy jumped..... the river. (in, into)
- (iii) You your family are invited today. (and, but)
- (iv) Salman is tallest boy in our class. (a, the)
- (v) The cat is hidden the box. (behind, before)
- (vi) He is performing the stage. (in, on)

(B) Fill up the blanks with the correct word: (any five) [5]

- (i) Do you like to have..... cup of tea. (a, some)
- (ii) Sohan is then Rohan. (tall, taller)
- (iii) This is a secret you and me. (for, between)
- (iv) I like tea I don't like coffee. (and, but)
- (v) Ganga is a sacred river. (the, a)
- (vi) Reema prefers traditional dresses..... modern dresses. (to, an)

Q.8 Do as directed: (any 5) [5]

- (i) I cut vegetables daily. (change in negative)
- (ii) He is working in this office. (make an interrogative)
- (iii) Raja plays cricket. (change in past continuous tense)
- (iv) It is raining since morning. (correct the sentence)
- (v) My teacher is the best teacher. (use comparative degree of adj.)
- (vi) This is my car? (frame a question)

Q.9 Choose the correct option in the given sentence: (any five) [5]

- (i)we get the permission we will go in. (As soon as, No sooner than)
- (ii) We are forty four in the sports team. (player, players)
- (iii) I like the gift you gave me. (what, which)
- (iv) you pay the fee you will not get admission. (If, Unless)
- (v) This is my house that is my brother's house. (as, and)
- (vi) The woman Is in blue sari, is my sister.(who, whose)

SECTION – D

Q.10 Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions below:

Kondiba's heart was beating painfully, he badly needed to breathe. He felt desperately for something to hold in order to pull Arvind up and out of the net he was in. Suddenly, he felt Arvind's belt. Holding it lightly with his right hand, he pulled the lad free, turned about and pushed up. His spine and muscles ached. This almost stopped his movements. His weak, starved body fought against what his mind told him he must do.

Questions:

- (1) Kondiba's heart was beating [1]
 - (a) painfully
 - (b) very fast
- (2) He badly needed to [1]
 - (a) breathe
 - (b) break
- (3) What his mind told him he must [1]
 - (a) help
 - (b) do
- (4) What did Kondiba's fingers touch in the muddy water? [2]

Q.11 Read the following extract carefully and answer the following questions:

The barber pulled the king's hair this way and that, and managed to cover the horns partially. The king put on his turban to hide the rest. "Now go and tell the court I am unwell. I will not see anymore". He sat up and looked angrily at the barber "And remember my warning".

Questions:

- (1) Barbar managed to cover..... partially. [1]
 - (a) horn
 - (b) hair
- (2) put the turban to hide the rest. [1]
 - (a) The king
 - (b) The barber
- (3) He sat up and looked..... [1]
 - (a) angrily
 - (b) amazing
- (4) What did the king say to the barber? [2]

Q.12 Answer any five questions given below:

[2×5=10]

- (i) Who did Tenali Raman bring to court?
- (ii) Why did the mountain goat look handsome?
- (iii) When did the author face trouble?
- (iv) What did Kondiba miss now?
- (v) What was the kings punishment?
- (vi) According to Naina what is the cause of noise?

Q.13 Ans any two questions from the following:

[2×3=6]

- (i) According to the village women, what do the men do?
- (ii) What did the tamarind drum sing?
- (iii) What reward d id Kondiba get?

Q.14 "When the dusk sends quickly,
The birds to rest,
The tall trees shelter them,
Safe in a nest.

Questions:

- (1) What is the name of the poem? [1]
- (2) Rhyming word of "rest" is [1]
- (3) Where do the birds rest? [1]
- (4) Who shelters the birds? [2]

Q.15 Why was Jijabai sad? [5]

OR

Where was Shivaji?

Q.16 Answer the questions given below (any three): [3×3=9]

- (i) Which historical character inspired young Indira?
- (ii) Why has Anju been called a special person?
- (iii) What was Sen's greatest contribution to Economics?
- (iv) What should we protect, nurture and build on?
