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Section I : Language Study

(20M)

A I Do as Directed:

1. Make a meaningful sentence by using the given phrase: (1M)
To run out of time.
2. Make a meaningful sentence with the given adverb: (1M)
Typically
3. Choose the correct alternative and fill in the blank: (1M)
a. I wanted to know _____ (weather/ whether) it was time to go home. (1M)
4. Spot the error and rewrite the correct sentence: (1M)
a. She often gived us cookies for tea.
5. Rewrite as a simple sentence: (1M)
a. She sat in her car and drove towards Saurav's school.
6. Identify the type of sentence: (1M)
a. She decided not to control her anger any more.
7. Use the verb in the form of a Gerund: (1M)
a. _____ is my favorite hobby. (to read)
8. Punctuate the given sentence: (8M)
a. So you thought you could reach the moon

A2 Do as directed:

1. Fill in the blank with a modal Auxiliary that denotes compulsion. (2M)
a. You _____ take care of yourself when you at the camp. (2M)
2. Rewrite using the Indirect speech: (2M)
"Don't eat food in the laboratory", She said.
3. Change the voice: (2M)
a. I will not answer any question now
4. Complete the word chain of Adjectives: (2M)
Pleasant, _____

B) Do as directed:

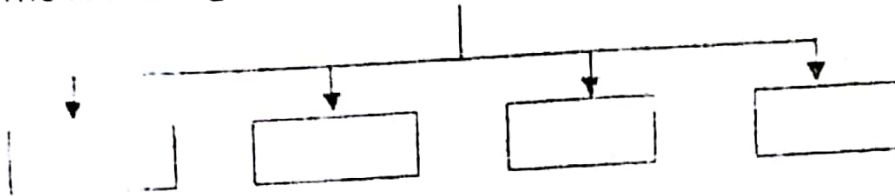
1. Use the given word to form names of various sports: (8M)
a. answer *as a noun and a verb*
- 2) Unscramble given words as a noun and a verb: (2M)
Odju, inengei, folg, nnites. *to form names of various sport*

Section II Textual passages:
(Reading Skills , Vocabulary Grammar)

Q2A. Read the following passage and complete the activities: (10M)

A1 Fill in the following web-diagram by picking out any four things from nature that teach us invaluable lessons:

The four things from nature that teach us invaluable lessons.



We saw small bits of grass peeping through the small cracks in a concrete pavement. It left us thinking however, impossible things may look, there is always an opening.....

We saw a tree bare of leaves in the cold winter months. We thought its ^cChapter was over. But three months passed, spring set in and the tree was back to its green majesty once again, full of leaves, flowers, birds and life. What if we too had the conviction that, however difficult things are right now, it will not remain so for ever. Remember, this too shall pass.

We saw an army of ants ^y logging a fly which was at least ten times the ant's size. The ants organized themselves around the fly, lifted it on frail feelers and carried it to quite distance. Their team work and perseverance were impressive. What if we too are consistent, organized, focused spider webs are delicate, yet very strong. A rainbow colours the entire sky. Oysters take in a grain of sand they open up with a pearl. Innumerable stars shine across the infinite sky. Clouds take new shapes with every passing moment. The wind makes trees dance with unhindered passion. Water, without hint of ego, changes its form according to the dictates of the sun and wind. When we see a caterpillar, turns into a butterfly, a flower turn into a fruit, we experience the alchemy of nature.... We touch it and become gold ourselves.

A2)

This is what we learn from nature about difficult phases in life

1. However _____

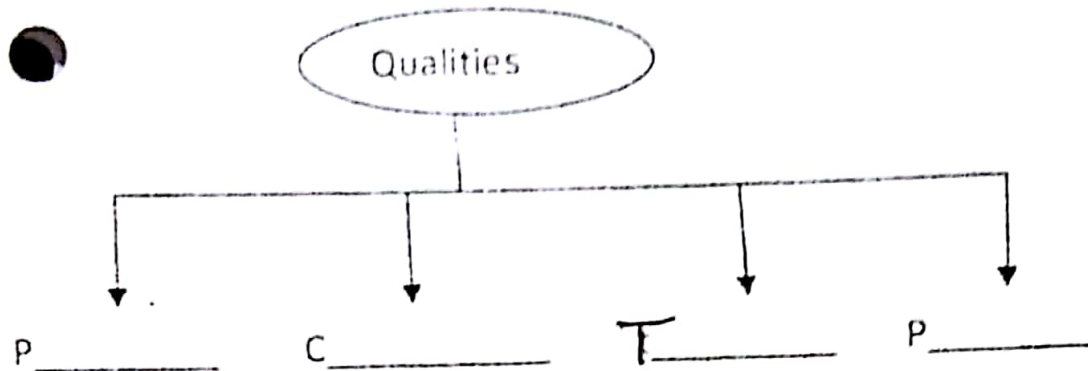
2. The difficult _____

A3) Prepare a word register for the names of insects mentioned in this passage. (2M)

A4) Rewrite the sentence beginning with 'Although' (2M)

- a. However impossible things may look, there is always an opening.
- b. Spider webs are delicate, yet very strong.

A5) Complete the following chart, filling in four qualities that one needs in order to tackle the trials and tribulations in life: 2M



Q2 B) Read the following passage and complete the activities: (10M) (2M)

- B) 1. Arrange in chronological order:
- a. Jobs underwent surgery.
 - b. Jobs was diagnosed with cancer.
 - c. Jobs was advised to get his affairs in order.
 - d. Jobs was cured of rare cancer.

My third story is about death.

About a year ago I was diagnosed with cancer. MY doctor advised me to go home and get my affairs in order, which is doctor's code for 'prepare to die'. I lived with that diagnosis all day. Later that evening I had a biopsy. It turned out to be a very rare form of pancreatic cancer that is curable with surgery. I had the surgery and I'm fine now.

This was the closest I've been to facing death, and I hope it's the closest I get for a few more decades. Having lived through it, I can now say this to you: Your time is limited, So don't waste it living someone else's life.

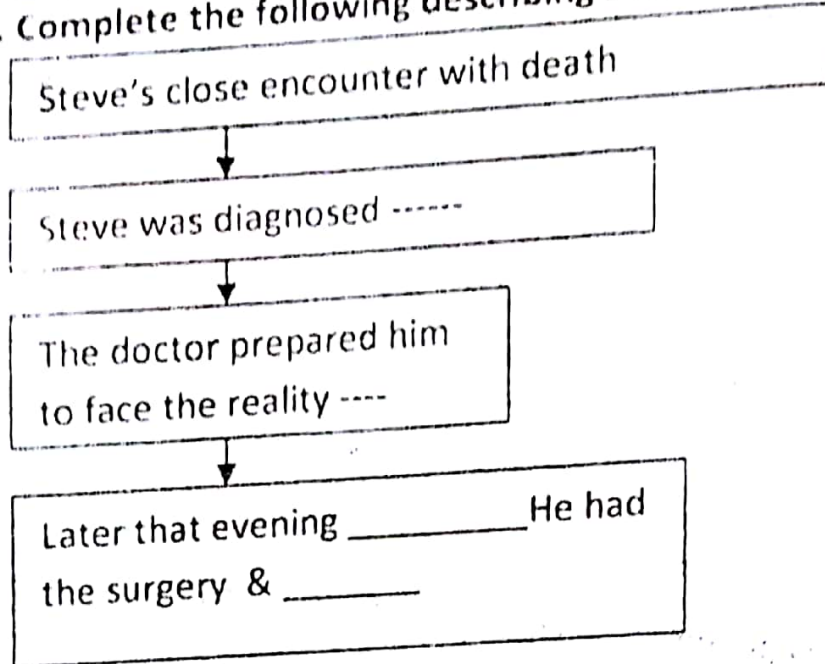
Don't be trapped by dogma- which is living with the results of other people's thinking. Don't let the noise of other's opinions drown out your own inner voice.

And most important, have the courage to follow your heart and intuition. They somehow already know what you truly want to become.

When I was young, there was an amazing publication called the whole Earth Catalogue. In the final issue, on the back cover they put a photograph of an early morning country road. Beneath it were the words : Stay Hungry, Stay Foolish. It was their farewell message as they signed off. I have always wished that

for myself. And now, as you graduate to begin anew, I wish that for you stay Hungry, Stay Foolish.

A2. Complete the following describing Steve's close encounter with death: (2M)



A3. Use the following idioms/ phrases in sentences of your own: (2M)

- Sign off
- begin anew

A4. Do as Directed: (2M)

- I am fine now (Name the tense of the verb underlined)
- Don't waste it. (Rewrite without don't)

A5. Your time is wasted. So don't waste it living someone else's life. (2M)

- 1) What are your views about these statements?

Section III Poetry

Q3 A) Read the extract of the poem and complete the given activities: (5M)

A.1 State whether the following statements are true or false. Correct the false statements: (2M)

- Animals make the poet sick by discussing their duty to God.
- Animals Kneel before each other.

I think I could turn and live with animals, they are so placid and self-contained

I stand and look at them long and long.

they do not sweat and whine about their condition,

They do not lie awake in the dark and weep for their sins,

They do not make me sick discussing their duty to God,

Not one is dissatisfied, not one is demented with the mania of owning things.

Not one kneels to another, nor to his kind that lived thousands of years ago.

Not one is respectable or unhappy over the whole earth.
 So they show their relations to me and I accept them,
 They bring me tokens of myself, they evince
 them plainly in their possession
 I wonder where they get those tokens,
 Did I pass that way huge times ago and negligently drop them?

A2 Match the words with their meanings: (2M)

A	B
a) Whine	1) Show
b) Sin	2) Mental illness
c) Evince	3) An offence against religious or moral law
d) Mania	4) Complain in an annoying way

A3. Give an example of onomatopoeia from the extract. (1M)

Q3B) Write an appreciation of poem with the help of the following points: 10M

- Title
- Poet
- Rhyme scheme
- Favourite line
- Theme/Central idea
- Figure of Speech
- Special features : Type of the poem, Language tone, implied meaning etc
- Why I like /dislike the poem

Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high
 Where knowledge is free
~~Where the world has not been broken up into fragments~~
 By narrow domestic walls
 Where words come out from the depth of truth
 Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection
 Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way
 Into the dreary desert sand of dead habit
 Where the mind is led forward by thee
 Into ever-widening thought and action
 Into that heaven of freedom, My Father, let my country awake.

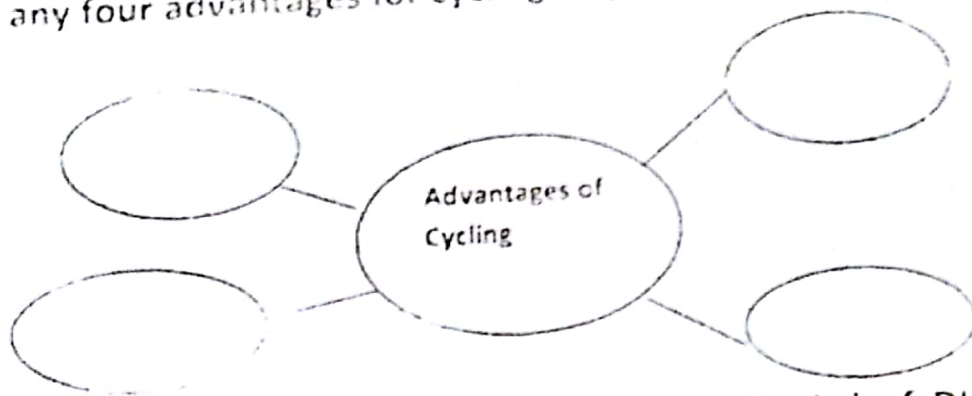
Section IV Unseen passages:

Reading Skill Vocabulary and Grammar:

Q4A) Read the following extract and complete the given activities: 10M

A1 Advantages:

Mention any four advantages for cycling as given in the passage:



Motor transport is killing us! So says Dr. Anuradha Lal of DHI (Doctors for a Healthy India) which met in Delhi yesterday. Thousands of people die every year in traffic accidents. Even more people die because they breathe polluted air from motor vehicles. (Delhi is one of the most polluted cities in the world.) So what is the answer? DHI says we should make cycling easier. Dr Lal outlined six reasons why:

1. Most Indian cities are very polluted because every motor vehicles produces dirty fumes. Doctor says that city air is so dirty that thousands of people die every year from chest illnesses. Cycling is clean because it produces no fumes.
2. Cyclists don't have to spend on petrol, so bicycles are cheap to run. Cycle repairs are cheaper than motor repairs too because bicycles are quite simple machines.
3. Bicycles save money for our country too. All motor vehicles need petrol, which comes from oil. India does not produce much oil so we have to buy it from other countries. But we don't need to buy anything from foreign countries to ride bicycles.
4. If we get exercise every day, we became healthy. Cycling keeps us fit. Driving motor vehicles dose not!
5. In cities sometimes traffic doesn't move at all as there is no enough space on the roads. Bicycles are too small to take up much road space.
6. Motor traffic is very noisy. In contrast bicycle are quiet - except- for the gentle ' tring, tring,' of their bells.

A2 Finding Difference:

2M

Point out difference between cycle and other vehicles:

Point of difference	Pollution	Price	Health of a rider	Space on the road
Cycle	Clean	_____	Keeps healthy	_____
Other vehicles	_____	Costly	_____	Covers major space

A3. Vocabulary :

(2M)

point out the difference of meaning of the underlined words:

- i. Bicycles save money for country too
- ii. Bicycles are too small to take up much road space.

A4. Language study:

(2M)

- I. Delhi is one of the most polluted cities in the world.
(Begin your sentence with 'Very few _____')
- II. Cycle Repair are cheaper than motor repairs.
(Begin your sentence with 'Motor repairs _____')

A5. Personal Response:

How, according to you, will cycling be safer and easier in cities? (2)

Q4B) Go through the passage given below and write a short summary on it.

Suggest suitable title:

5M

India has the highest number of working children in the world. According to a Human Rights Watch Survey in 1996, they estimate between 60 and 115 million working children in India. There is no reason to believe that the number has reduced. Thousands and thousands of children in India today work as bonded labourers in industries manufacturing bidis, matchsticks, bricks or firecrackers or in other sectors such as agriculture or construction.

Children making silk thread in India dip their hands into boiling water that burns and blisters them, breath smoke and fumes from machinery, handle dead worms that cause infections and guide twisting threads that cut their fingers. Children working at rug looms are very often disabled with eye damage, lung disease, stunted growth and a susceptibility to arthritis as they grow older. Very often children working in matchmaking and firework factories are charred to death due to fire accidents. Those who survive will never recover completely.

Denied an education and a normal childhood, some children are confined and beaten, reduced to slavery, some are denied freedom of movement- the right to leave the workplace and go home to their families. Some are abducted and forced to work. Whether they are sweating in the heat of stone quarries, working in the fields sixteen hours a day, picking rags in city streets, or hidden away as domestic servants, these children endure miserable and difficult lives. They earn little and are abused much. They struggle to make enough to eat and perhaps to help feed their families as well. They do not go to school; more than half of them will never learn the barest skills of literacy. Many of them have been working since the age of four or five, and by the time they reach adulthood they may be irrevocably sick or deformed they will certainly be exhausted, old men and women by the age of forty, likely to be dead by fifty.

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Section V : Writing skills:

Q5 A. Formal letter writing :

Concession for students:

Student commuting daily to their schools by bus (S.T. or Local) may apply to, The Controller / Stationmaster

Documents required:

- i) Bonafide certificate
- ii) Latest photograph
- iii) Address proof

Write an application in response to the above advertisement, addressing the controller/ Stationmaster of your area

Q5 B) Dialogue Writing: (5M)

- Celebration to Tree Plantation Day in School.
- Every year continuity of deforestation.
- Speeches given on how trees are felled for fuel, firewood, poaching.
- Pollution increasing.
- Trees environment clean and fresh.
- Decrease pollution.
- Let us be cautious for lives of trees.

Dialogue:

Develop a dialogue between you and your mother on the celebration of the Tree 'Plantation Day in School' using above mentioned points.

Q6 A) Information Transfer / Non-Verbal to verbal: 5M

A1. Prepare a paragraph on ' Problems in Conservation of Wildlife and Solutions' using the points given in the following table:

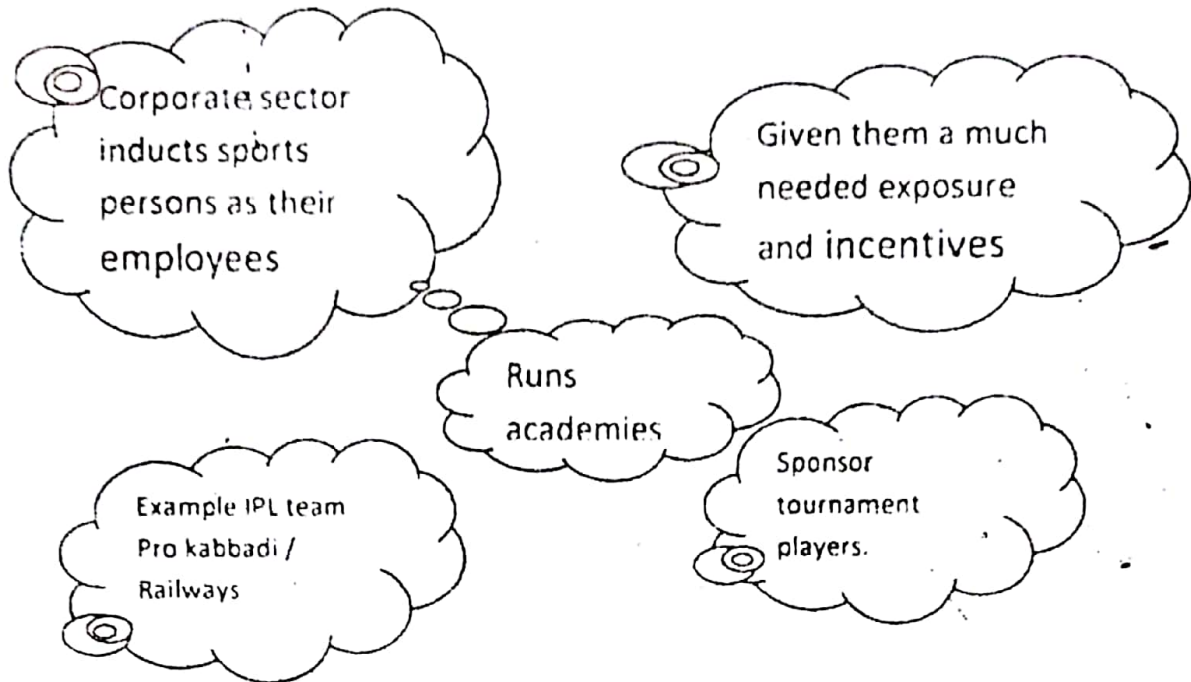
Problem in Wildlife Conservation and Solutions		
Man-made problems	Natural Problems	Solutions
1. Population explosion	1. Outbreak forest fires	1. Provision of strict laws and _____
2. Ever-growing need for agricultural land	2. Drought	2. Proper execution of the laws
3. Overexploitation of forests like wood, etc.	3. floods	3. Providing proper security to protect wildlife
4. Poaching to meet ever increasing international demand for animal hides		4. Arranging for check-posts to detect poaching etc.

Q6B) Speech writing:

5M

Prepare a speech on the 'The National Sports Policy, 2001 highlighting involvement of the corporate sector in sports promotion.

Value points:



Q.7 A) Report writing:

Look at the following news and prepare a report on the same:

5M.

Masti ki Pathshala on IIM – A Footpath

Medabad: Every morning some kids gather around a young man as he greets them with sweets and starts his class near Indian Institute of Management (IIM-A) wall. This class has no blackboard. The man hands over a chalk and charcoal and starts explaining alphabet and soon breaks into song as kids too join in. This is Masti ki Pathshala run by Ashish Vyās a 30 years old from Naranpura.

Q.7B) Story Writing:

5M

Write a story of 180 -200 words with the following beginning:

Once when Rohit was travelling to his work place he-----

Give it a suitable title.

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