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## COMMUNICATION SKILL IN ENGLISH - II

निर्धारित समय : 3 घंटे]

[अधिकतम अंक : 60

Time allowed : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 60

- Note :**
- (i) There are **three** sections **A, B** and **C** in the paper.
  - (ii) Answer all the **10** parts of the question No. **1** in section **A**. Each part carries **one** mark and all **10** parts have objective type questions.
  - (iii) Answer any **6** questions out of the **8** questions in section **B**. Each question carries **3** marks and to be answered within **5** lines/**50** words.
  - (iv) Answer any **4** questions out of the **6** questions in section **C**. Each question carries **8** marks and to be answered within **15** lines/**150** words.
  - (v) Solve all the questions of a section consecutively together.

### SECTION – A

1. (i) The person looks \_\_\_\_\_. I don't think it would be much fun to spend time with him.
- (a) unfriendly (b) unfriend  
(c) infriendly (d) infriend
- (ii) Select the option which is not formed by adding the prefix 'Un-' :
- (a) Untidy (b) Unsafe  
(c) Underdevelop (d) Undue
- (iii) Select the most appropriate synonym of the word 'tired' :
- (a) Fresh (b) Exhausted  
(c) Active (d) Energetic
- (iv) Select the most appropriate antonym of the word 'abundant' :
- (a) Ample (b) Lavish  
(c) Scarce (d) None of the above
- (v) A doctor who specializes in the diseases of the female reproductive system :
- (a) Cardiologist (b) Gynaecologist  
(c) Ophthalmologist (d) Paediatrician
- (vi) I don't \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ man is ready for this task.
- (a) know-no (b) no-no  
(c) know-know (d) no-know



- (vii) Choose the correctly spelt word :
- (a) believe (b) recieve  
(c) decieve (d) concieve
- (viii) What does an exclamatory sentence end with ?
- (a) Full stop (b) Exclamation Mark  
(c) Both (a) & (b) (d) None of the above
- (ix) A good precis has :
- (a) completeness (b) conciseness  
(c) coherence (d) All of the above
- (x) Which one of the followings is a type of essay ?
- (a) Argumentative (b) Narrative  
(c) both (a) & (b) (d) None of the above

(1×10)

**SECTION – B**

2. Fill in the blanks by adding a suitable prefix/suffix :
- (i) You should always install a good \_\_\_\_\_ software to protect your computer.  
(virus)
- (ii) I like to wear \_\_\_\_\_ clothes when I'm at home. (comfort)
- (iii) His biggest \_\_\_\_\_ is that he can't concentrate for very long. (weak) (3)
3. Fill in the blanks with the words opposite in meaning to those underlined :
- (i) Gold is an expensive metal while iron is \_\_\_\_\_.
- (ii) My application was accepted but his was \_\_\_\_\_.
- (iii) He is brave but his brother is \_\_\_\_\_.
- (3)
4. Use the following pair of words in sentences of your own so as to make their meaning clear :
- (i) principal, principle
- (ii) accept, except
- (iii) pray, prey (3)
5. Change the following affirmative sentences into negative ones : (without changing the meaning)
- (i) It was a brilliant idea.
- (ii) She is old.
- (iii) India is a very big country. (3)
6. Transform the following interrogative sentences into assertive ones :
- (i) Will he change ?
- (ii) Isn't this my stop ?
- (iii) Who would like to be poor ? (3)

7. Convert the following exclamatory sentences into assertive ones :  
(i) Hurrah ! we won the match.  
(ii) How strong he is !  
(iii) Oh, I were a king ! (3)
8. What steps are followed to write a precis ? (3)
9. Write in brief about the three parts of an essay. (3)

**SECTION – C**

10. Write short notes on the following :  
(i) Exclamatory sentences  
(ii) Qualities of a Good Essay. (4+4)
11. Describe the types of sentences with examples. (8)
12. Write an essay on ‘Social Media : Bane or Boon’. (8)
13. Write an essay on ‘Importance of Meditation’. (8)

14. Make a precis of the following passage and give it a suitable title :

Exercise is a crucial component of a healthy lifestyle, as it offers numerous physical and mental benefits. Regular exercise helps improve cardiovascular health, strength, flexibility, and endurance, while also reducing the risk of chronic diseases such as obesity, diabetes, and heart disease. Additionally, exercise has been shown to enhance mood, reduce stress, and improve cognitive function.

One popular form of exercise is cardiovascular exercise, such as running, cycling, or swimming, which increases heart rate and promotes better cardiovascular health. Strength training exercises, like weightlifting, help build muscle mass, increase bone density, and improve metabolism. Flexibility exercises, such as stretching or yoga, enhance joint mobility and reduce the risk of injury. Endurance exercises, such as long-distance running or hiking, improve stamina and endurance levels.

Incorporating exercise into daily routine can be achieved through various activities, such as walking or biking to work, taking the stairs instead of the elevator, or participating in group fitness classes. It is important to find a form of exercise that is enjoyable and sustainable for long-term adherence. Prior to starting an exercise program, it is recommended to consult with a healthcare provider to ensure safety and appropriateness based on individual health status.

In conclusion exercise is a vital component of a healthy lifestyle with numerous physical and mental benefits. Incorporating regular exercise into daily routine can lead to improved cardiovascular health, increased strength and flexibility, reduced risk of chronic diseases, enhanced mood and cognitive function, and overall improved well-being. Finding an enjoyable and sustainable form of exercise and consulting with a healthcare provider are essential steps towards achieving a healthy and active lifestyle.

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15. Read the passage carefully and answer the following questions :

Maria and her younger brother, Max, were eagerly waiting for their parents to come home. They were excited because their parents had promised to take them to the new amusement park that had just opened in the town.

Finally, their parents arrived, and Maria and Max couldn't contain their excitement. They quickly put on their jackets and rushed to the car.

Maria : "Mom, Dad, are we really going to the amusement park ?"

Dad : Yes, we are ! It's going to be a fun day for all of us."

Max : "Yay ! I can't wait to go on the roller coaster !"

Maria : "Me too ! And I want to try the Ferris wheel."

Mom : "We'll make sure to try all the rides, but first, we need to get there."

They all got into the car and drove to the amusement park. As they entered the park, they were amazed by the colourful lights and the sounds of laughter and excitement.

Maria : "Wow, this place is huge !"

Max : "Look, there's the roller coaster !"

Dad : "Let's start with some smaller rides for Max, and then we can go on the roller coaster and Ferris wheel."

Mom : "Sounds like a plan !"

They went on several rides, including the merry-go-round and bumper cars. Max was thrilled with each ride and couldn't stop giggling.

Max : "That was so much fun !"

Maria : "I'm glad you're enjoying it, Max."

Mom : "Okay, it's time for the roller coaster and Ferris wheel now. Are you both ready ?"

Max and Maria nodded eagerly, and they headed towards the roller coaster.

Maria : "I can't wait to go on the roller coaster ! It's going to be so much fun !"

Dad : "Hold on tight, everyone !"

They screamed with delight as the roller coaster zoomed through twists and turns. After that, they went on the Ferris wheel and enjoyed the panoramic view of the park from the top.

Max : "This is the best day ever !"

Maria : "I'm so glad we came to the amusement park. It's been a blast !"

Mom : "We're glad you both had a great time. It's been a memorable day."

(1) Why were Maria and Max waiting for their parents ?

(2) Where were Maria and Max waiting for their parents ?

(3) What did Maria and Max want to do at the amusement park ?

(4) What rides did they go on before the roller coaster and Ferris wheel ?

(5) How did Max feel about the rides ?

(6) How did Maria and Max feel about their day at the amusement park ?

(7) Give synonyms of the words :

(a) Amusement

(b) Delight

(8) Give antonyms of the words :

(a) Glad

(b) Best

(8)