

(b) Give a brief account of your first day at hostel of your Engineering college. 10

OR

Write in 10 steps the way of making tea for guests at your home.

7. Answer any *one* of the following questions. 10 + 10 = 20

(a) Two friends A and B talk to each other. A favours 'democracy' and B favours 'dictatorship'. Write an imaginative dialogue to express the content of their discussion.

(b) Write a group discussion on ways to rescue Agriculture in India. Use A,B,C, and D as spokesperson.

SECTION - D

8. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 1 × 20 = 20

(i) As a student of science compare the relative value of experiment and experience in your field. Use instances from the chapter by W. R. Nibellett to argue out your answer.

(ii) What does Indira Gandhi mean by Human Environment? Suggest ways to make it better by using the information gathered from the essay.

9. Answer any *two* of the following questions : 2 × 10 = 20

(i) What will be the impact on the earth's climate in case there is a nuclear war?

(ii) Discuss the value of experiment and experience to human knowledge bank in light of the essay by W. R. Nibellett.

(iii) Give a brief summary of the chapter 'Human Environment' by Indira Gandhi.

(iv) Write a note on any *two* technologies that Theodore J. Gordon mentions in 'The year 2050'.

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Paper : HUM-101-F

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[Maximum Marks : 100

Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.

Note : Attempt any *five* questions. Question No. 1 is compulsory. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Give synonyms of the following : 1 × 4 = 4

Neat, Live, Midicere, Lasting

(b) Give antonyms of the following : 1 × 4 = 4

Danger, Confess, Dark, Early

(c) Fill in the blanks with *correct* words : 1 × 4 = 4

(i) He is in Mathematics. (adapt / adapt)

(ii) He gave me a good piece of (advice/ advise)

- (iii) flashed across the sky. (Lightning /Lightening)
- (iv) Kerala has a growth of trees. (luxuriant/luxurious)
- (d) Transcribe the given words : 1 × 4 = 4
Fear, Fur, Seat, Book
- (e) Justify the title "The Mushroom of Death" in four lines. 1 × 4 = 4

SECTION - A

- 2. (a) Make words from the following : (Prefixes and Suffixes) 2 × 5 = 10
Pre....., Past, De, Ment, fon
- (b) Do as directed : 2 × 5 = 10
 - (i) Give the 'noun' and 'adjective' of the word 'Operation.'
 - (ii) Give the 'verb' and 'adjective' of the word 'Intend.'
 - (iii) Give the 'noun' and 'adjective' of the word 'Maintain'.
 - (iv) Use the word 'object' as 'noun' and as 'verb' in separate sentences.
 - (v) Use the word 'look' as 'noun' and as verb in separate sentences.
- 3. (a) Make sentences based on the following patterns : 2 × 5 = 10
 - (i) Sub + verb be + complement (adverbial)
 - (ii) Sub + verb + indirected object + direct object
 - (iii) Sub + verb + gerund.
 - (iv) Sub + verb + object + infinitive
 - (v) Sub + verb + to infinitive

- (b) Combine each set of the following sentences into or compound or complex sentences. 5 × 2 = 10
 - (i) The food was in short supply, rationing was introduced.
 - (ii) He had no money. He could not give any away (use infinitive)
 - (iii) Hurry Up. You will be late. (use conjunction)
 - (iv) The little girl saw a beautiful flower. She gave a cry of joy.
 - (v) The nurse could not sleep last night. The nurse was tired.

SECTION - B

- 4. (a) Write a short note on : 2 × 5 = 10
 - (i) Phonemes in phonetics
 - (ii) syllabus in phonetics
- (b) Transcribe any 10 of the following words : 1 × 10 = 10
Bird, Dept, Boil, Group, Private, Market, Form, Apple, Tax, Shirt, Cook, Hall, Part, Port, Sheet
- 5. (a) Write a group discussion on any *one* : 10 × 1 = 10
 - (i) Global Warming
 - (ii) Technological development in India
 - (iii) Child Labour
- (b) Prepare a debate in favour or against any *one* of the following : 10 × 1 = 10
 - (i) Science is a good servant but a bad master.
 - (ii) Capital punishment should be banned.
 - (iii) Mercy killing should be allowed

SECTION - C

- 6. (a) A Barometer. 10
OR
The working of internet.