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## Instructions for the candidate:

- i) Attempt any Four of the six questions.
- ii) All questions carry EQUAL marks.
  - 1. Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow:

Our solar system consists of not only our star, the Sun, and the eight planets, but a lot of other things.

First, there are many satellites. A satellite is any small body orbiting a larger one. The moon is Earth's natural satellite. There are also many arthricial satellites orbiting Earth, which are used for observation and communication.

Within the space of our solar system are also countless asteroids. Asteroids are chunks of rock or metal that range in size from small planets to grains of sand. The heaviest concentration is the asteroid belt, where thousands orbit the sun between Jupiter and Mars. Sometimes, asteroids enter the Earth's atmosphere. We call these meteors.

Our solar system is also host to comets. Comets are chunks of rock, ice, and gas—that pass through our space. Occasionally we can see their telltale vapour tail. The best-known of these is Haley's Comet, which passes into our view every 76 years. Its next sighting should occur in 2061. https://www.dudelhi.com

i.	Name at least three types of objects in our solar system.	(2)
ii.	What is a satellite?	(2)
iii.	Where can we find the asteroid belt in space?	(2)
iv.	How are meteors different from asteroids?	(2)
٧.	What well-known comet will reappear in the year 2061?	(2)

- vi. Using your own words, write a summary of the above passage in about 50 words. (8.5)
- 2. Interview an eminent personality to learn about his/her journey to success. Write at least ten sentences. (18.75)
- 3. Write a dialogue (ten turns) between you and your friend talking about various tourist places to visit in Delhi. (18.75)
- 4. Write a speech in about 200 words on "Benefits of Reading". (18.75)
- 5. Your college organised a Van Mahotsav Day recently. Write a report for the college magazine covering the main points of the event. (18.75)
- 6. Write a letter to a health expert inviting him/her to deliver a lecture on the importance of physical and mental health during the pandemic time.

  (18.75)

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