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ENGLISH

Paper – II

Max. Marks : 100

Time : 3 Hours

SECTION - A

1. Annotate ANY TWO of the following in about 100 words each. $(2 \times 4 = 8)$

- a) I have frequently found myself growing less dogmatic and cocksure through realising the possible reasonableness of a hypothetical opponent.
- b) Undoubtedly women in ancient India enjoyed a much higher status than their descendants in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries.
- c) The plastic instantly melts and coats the gravel without releasing toxic gases into the atmosphere.
- 2. Annotate ANY TWO of the following in about 100 words each. (2 × 4 = 8)
 - a) We are meeting today to wish her bon voyage.
 - b) The poetry of earth is never dead:
 - c) I knock and yet remain unseen.
- 3. Answer ANY TWO of the following questions in about 100 words each.

 $(2 \times 4 = 8)$

- a) What is the true test of the changed position of women in India?
- b) How did A.P.J. Kalam encourage Dr. Vasudevan and what has been the outcome?
- c) Explain how the old simplicity of Hindu life had broken up in Kalidasa's time.

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-) What is the central idea of the poem Goodbye Party for Miss Pushpa T S?
-) According to Keats, when does one hear a cricket's song?
-) Describe the feelings of the child when she knew that she was dead at the age of seven.

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- a) Describe the character of Arun, the boarding schoolboy.
- (b) Analyse the character of Della.
- (c) Attempt the character sketch of the lady in the story Lost.

SECTION - B

Read the following passage carefully and answer ANY FOUR questions given after it in a word or a sentence each.

The lady felt giddy and sank down on the floor, unable to bear the strain. The nurse attended to her and led her out. At about eight in the evening the patient opened his eyes and stirred slightly in bed. The assistant was overjoyed. He exclaimed enthusiastically, "Sir, he will pull through." The doctor looked at him coldly and whispered: "I would give anything to see him through but, but the heart"

(i) Who does the phrase the lady refer to in the passage?

- (ii) Why did she sink down on the floor?
- (iii) When did the patient open his eyes?
- (iv) Why was the assistant overjoyed?
- (v) Write the phrasal verb from the passage that means: get better after a serious illness.
- (vi) Write the antonym, from the passage, of the word indifferently.

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UBUNTU

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Ready ... **steady** ... **go**! The referee announced the beginning of th A basket of sweets was placed near a tree and the participating **African Children** were made to stand 100 meters away. The winner of the race get all the sweets in the basket. Every-one there was anxious to see the w To their surprise, all the participants held one another's hand, ran to towards the tree and divided the sweets equally among themselves. Wh amazed referee asked why they did so, all of them cried in one voice. **UB** meant **How can one be happy when the others are sad?** Ubuntu in language means, **I am, because we are.** It's a strong message for all genera Let's all have this attitude and spread happiness wherever we go.

- (i) What was the target in the race?
- (ii) To which continent did the participants belong?
- (iii) The referee was amazed because no one tried to run the Write true or false.
- (iv) What does the word **UBUNTU** mean in their native language?
- (v) Pick the word from the passage that means a person who takes in something.
- (vi) What message is advocated in the passage?

Study the advarticement given below and answer ANV FOID quartions a

- (iii) When is the International Women's Day celebrateur
- (iv) Gender Equality is for a _____. Fill in the blank.
- (v) Name any two fields in which the girl in the advertisement wants equality
- (vi) What does the girl mean by the announcement on the placard she is holding?
- 9. The **pie chart** given below provides information about some of the hobbies people have. Study the chart carefully and answer **ANY FOUR** questions given after it. $(4 \times 1 = 4)$



- (i) What does the pie chart show?
- (ii) How many hobbies are presented in the pie chart?
- (iii) Which is the most preferred hobby?
- (iv) 30 per cent of the people like dancing. Write true or false.
- (v) Which is the least preferred hobby?
- (vi) People who have the hobby of cooking are 18%. Write true or false.

[NOTE: Answere of the second s

10. Rewrite the following passage / sentences using EIGHT punctuation marks ($8 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4$) wherever necessary.

but in all our dramas which still retain their fame such as *Mrit-Shakatika Shakuntala Uttara-ramacharita* nature stands on her own right proving that she has her great function to impart the peace of the eternal to human emotions

11. Match ANY FOUR of the following words in Column 'A' with their meanings/ definitions in Column 'B'.
(4 × 1 = 4)

Column A	Column B		
(i) bouquet	() a. a substance that can act against the effect of poison		
(ii) antidote	() b. fear of blood		
(iii) drought	() c. that which will happen and cannot be avoided		
(iv) hematophobia	 d. one who is indifferent to pleasure or pain 		
(v) inevitable	 e. prolonged period of abnormally low rainfall 		
(vi) stoic	 f. a bunch of flowers tied together to be given as a present or to welcome someone 		

12. Fill in **ANY FOUR** blanks in the following sentences with suitable **idiomatic expressions** given below. Make necessary changes in the **idioms** if needed.

 $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

an arm and a leg	on cloud nine		-
bite one's tongue	donkey's years		
in the blink of an eye	no spring chicken		

The announcement of Intermediate results reached every corner _____

It cost me _____ to study in the USA.

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4. I am _____, you know. How can I uans-

I have been teaching grammar for _____.

6. Sitara wanted to speak out about the unfair decision. But she

13. Make FOUR meaningful sentences from the verb pattern given below $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

An example is given as a model.

S. No.	There	Verb – 'be'	Subject	Adverbial	
1.	There	are	five rooms	in the house.	

14. Fill in **ANY EIGHT** blanks of the given **deposit form** based on the information furnished below. $(8 \times \frac{1}{2}) = 4$

Mr. L. Srinivas wants to deposit an amount of Rs. 9600/- on 22.05.2022 ir his Savings Account with the SBI, Asifabad branch. His account number is 63217569982. He carries the amount in the denomination of Rs. 500 notes 18 and the remaining are Rs. 200 notes. His mobile number is 9848123456. Fill the details in the following voucher to deposit the amount.





16. Describe the temple town of Yadagirigutta using the hints given below. $(1 \times 4 = 4)$

[Hints: Yadagirigutta – Bhuvanagiri district of Telangana State – 60kms from Hyderabad – Sri Lakshmi Narasimha Swamy temple – moderate climate – thousands of tourists – to make it world famous]

Describe about the **Telangana Martyrs Memorial** using the hints given below. [Hints: monument – location – designer – materials used – height – completion date – dedicated to – symbol for]

Or

17. Write a **letter** to the principal of your college requesting to issue your transfer, bonafide and conduct certificates as you completed your intermediate course and you are about to join a medical college. $(1 \times 4 = 4)$

Or

Write a letter to your father asking him to send Rs. 15000 to pay the college term fee.

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18. Read the following passage and make notes. Add a suitable title. (1 * 4 * 4) In December 2019, the novel coronavirus called SARs-CoV-2 had resulted in a respiratory illness called COVID -19. 'CO' stands for corona, 'VI' for the virus, D stands for disease '19' is the year in which it broke out. This virus was unknown before its outbreak in Wuhan, in China, in December 2019. Coronavirus is a family of viruses that may cause disease in animals and humans. It causes respiratory infections ranging from the common cold to more severe diseases, India has approved seven vaccines. It's currently using only three vaccines, India has approved seven vaccines. It's currently using only three vaccines, india has proved seven vaccines. It's currently using only three vaccines, india has approved seven vaccines. It's durrently using only three vaccines, india has approved seven vaccines. It's currently using only three vaccines, india has approved seven vaccines. It's durrently using only three vaccines, is are still learning how COVID-19 affects people, aged people and people with pre-existing medical conditions like high blood pressure, heart disease, lung isease, cancer etc. appear to be at greater risk than others.

can reduce the chances of being infected with COVID -19 by taking simple autions. We should clean our hands with sanitiser or wash them with soap because this action kills viruses on our hands. Everyone must maintain distance from others. Once contaminated, hands can transfer the virus to res, nose or mouth, so avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth. Droplets of oread the virus. So distance needs to be maintained. Good respiratory protects the people around you from viruses such as cold, flu, and Therefore meaks used to be maintained.

. Therefore masks need to be worn.

ess for ANY EIGHT of the following words: ii. partial v. practical vi. addressee viii. zoology x. energetic X. enjoy

etween a salesman and a customer who has sold a defective

Or

 $(1 \times 4 = 4)$

 $(8 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4)$

en a passenger and a booking clerk who wants to book