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ENGLISH

(Structural and Spoken English)

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Time : Three Hours] [Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Attempt **all** questions as directed.

Section - A

1. Fill in the blanks, choosing the correct articles a, an or the: 5

- (a) _____ earth moves round _____ sun.
- (b) French _____ easy language.
- (c) Which is _____ longest river in India?
- (d) The world is _____ happy place.
- (e) She is _____ untidy girl.

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2. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions: 5

- (a) We should not laugh _____ poor.
- (b) I am fond _____ music.
- (c) He spoke _____ me _____ Urdu.
- (d) The village was destroyed _____ fire.
- (e) It can not be done _____ offence.

3. Change the following sentences, as per directions given in the brackets: 5

- (a) He promised me a present.
(into passive voice)
- (b) Who does not know Mahatma Gandhi.
(into assertive sentence)
- (c) The Taj is better than any other monument in India.
(into superlative sentence)
- (d) Work hard, otherwise you will fail.
(into simple sentence)
- (e) Well behaved boys respect their teachers.
(into complex sentence)

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4. Correct the errors in the following sentences:

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- (a) My hairs have become white.
- (b) There is no quarrel between you and I.
- (c) Himalayas lie to the North of India.
- (d) You kept me waited.
- (e) Hard work is key for success.

5. Give in short the answers of the following:

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- (a) Give synonym of the word 'Arrogance'.
- (b) Write the Antonym of the word 'Diminish'.
- (c) Give one word for a person who does not believe in God.
- (d) Use a Prefix for word 'Certain'.
- (e) Use a Suffix for word 'Approve'.

Section - B

6. Write a letter to your father informing him of your choice of profession. 5

OR

Write a letter to the editor of a news paper about the insanitary state of the city area you live in. 5

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7. Write a report on any one of the following topics. 6

- (a) A visit to a historical place.
- (b) Importance of games and sports.
- (c) Problem of drug use in India.

Section - C

8. Tagore's prose is that of a poet, discuss with illustrations from the essay 'My Home Environment'. 7

OR

9. What is the importance of Chand Bhawan? How does Nehru want it to be managed after his death. 7

10. What are the major ingredients of civilization, according to C. E. M. Joad? 7

OR

11. Describe what goes to make 'Sarojini Naidu' a great poet? 7

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