# 311303

## 12425 3 Hours / 70 Marks

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Instructions – (1) All Questions are Compulsory.

- (2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
- (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (4) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

**Marks** 

## 1. Attempt any FIVE of the following:

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- a) Explain how plastic is an environmental hazard.
- b) Describe how Dr. Kalam explains the problem of unemployment of India's Engineering graduates.
- c) State Dr. Kalam's Views on 'dreams'.
- d) State the steps to be taken to achieve a mature and integrated personality.
- e) List the seven keys to success.
- f) List the qualities of emotionally stable people.
- g) State the qualities of Arunima Sinha that touched your heart.

## 2. Attempt any <u>THREE</u> of the following:

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- a) Describe the importance of a teacher in a student's life.
- b) Summarize the suggestions given by the author to make one's life remarkable.
- c) Explain the statement: 'I was re-born at the summit of Mount Everest'.
- d) Explain the importance of Mrs. Kumar in Ajay's life.

### 3. Attempt any THREE of the following:

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- a) Compose a paragraph on 'Celebrtion of Cultural Event.' (75 words)
- b) Compose a paragraph on 'My Favourite Book.' (75 words)
- c) Write a dialogue between two friends about the choice of a career. (8–10 dialogues)
- d) Write a dialogue between a student and a teacher about speaking English fluently. (8–10 dialogues)

## 4. Attempt any THREE of the following:

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- a) Write a technical description of the 'Smart Phone' in about 75 words.
- b) Write a technical description of the 'Bluetooth speaker' in about 75 words.
- c) Describe the following picture in about 75 words.



- d) You came across many children on the crossroads with begging bowls in their hands. Write a diary entry in about 75 words on the subject.
- e) You recently visited an 'Old Age Home' in Pune with your friends. Write your experience in your diary in about 75 words.

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a) Do as directed.

Party

Easy

v)

vi)

Attempt any TWO of the following:

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|    | i)   | Write a word beginning with the prefix : Un -  |  |  |  |  |
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|    | ii)  | Write a words ending with the suffix: - able   |  |  |  |  |
|    | iii)   | Write a word ending with the suffix: - ment  |  |  |  |  |
|    | iv)  | Write a synonym for the word: Scary  |  |  |  |  |
|    | v)   | Write a synonym for the word : immensely   |  |  |  |  |
|    | vi)  | Write an antonym of the word : modern  |  |  |  |  |
| b) | b) Do as directed.                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
|    | i)   | Construct a sentence using the collocation : take a break  |  |  |  |  |
|    | ii)  | Construct a sentence using the collocation : keep a secret   |  |  |  |  |
|    | iii)   | Construct a sentence using the collocation : come to the point.  |  |  |  |  |
|    | iv)  | Replace the underlined word with correct word and rewrite the following sentence:  I do not know weather my dad will come or not.            |  |  |  |  |
|    | v)   | Replace the underline word with correct word and rewrite the following sentence: payments can be made by check or in cash.                   |  |  |  |  |
|    | vi)  | Replace the underlined word with correct word and rewrite the following sentence:  We must try our best to <u>caste</u> away all prejudices. |  |  |  |  |
| c) | Write phonetic transcription of the following words: |  |  |  |  |  |
|    | i)   | Food   |  |  |  |  |
|    | ii)  | Mine   |  |  |  |  |
|    | iii)   | World  |  |  |  |  |
|    | iv)  | Young  |  |  |  |  |

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#### 6. Attempt any TWO of the following:

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- a) Your institute has organised an intercollegiate Technical paper presentation. Prepare a vote of thanks for the same.
- b) Answer the following questions.
  - i) Explain the importance of 'Eye contact' in communication.
  - ii) Explain the aspect of body language 'gesture and posture' with appropriate examples.
  - iii) State the guidelines for 'Dress and Grooming' at the workplace.
- c) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below.

Plants and trees have served mankind in various ways since life began on the earth. They have fed numerous mouths and cured diseases. Human beings are very much dependent on plants and trees for their survival besides feeding and protecting human life, they also protect soil from erosion, regulate atmosphere, maintain water supply for agriculture and prevent formation of deserts. Nature has taken millions of years to produce forests but man has been carelessly cutting down trees destroying forests for the shortsighted gains. Deforestation causes loss of soil fertility and soil erosion. The rapid destruction of forests in India, has caused much alarm in recent years. We should extend our helping hand to the government in making its scheme of Social Forestry and Afforestation- a success. Each individual should grow a tree. The Growth of forest development as an alternative source of energy and searching for wood substitutes are some of the long-term remedies for solving this problem.

- i) State the problem caused by deforestation.
- ii) Name the schemes that the government has launched in order to have forests.
- iii) State the importance of forest resources.
- iv) Describe the remedies suggested to save forests.
- v) Write the word from the passage which means -
  - (1) Cutting down trees over a large area.
  - (2) The science or practice of farming.