



FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION – 2020 FOR RECRUITMENT TO  
POSTS IN BS-17 UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
**ENGLISH (PRECIS & COMPOSITION)**

Roll Number

28649

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES

PART-I (MCQS)

PART-II

MAXIMUM MARKS = 20

MAXIMUM MARKS = 80

- NOTE: (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.  
(ii) Attempt ALL questions from PART-II.  
(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.  
(iv) Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.  
(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.  
(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

**PART-II**

Q. 2. Write a précis of the following passage and also suggest a suitable title: (20)

Manto was a victim of some kind of social ambivalence that converged on self-righteousness, hypocrisy, and mental obtuseness. His detractors branded him as vulgar and obscene and implicated him into a long-drawn legal battle questioning the moral validity of his writings. Without being deterred by their negative tactics, he remained firm in his commitment to exploring the stark realities of life offensive to the conservative taste of some self-styled purists. In the line of Freud, he sought to unravel the mysteries of sex not in an abstract, non-earthly manner but in a palpable, fleshy permutation signifying his deep concern for the socially disabled and depressed classes of society, like petty wage-earners, pimps, and prostitutes.

For Manto, man is neither an angel nor a devil, but a mix of both. His middle and lower middle class characters think, feel and act like human beings. Without feigning virtuosity, he was able to strike a rapport with his readers on some of the most vital socio-moral issues concerning them. As a realist, he was fully conscious of the yawning gap between appearance and reality; in fact, nothing vexed him more than a demonstrable duality in human behaviour at different levels of the social hierarchy. He had an unjaundiced view of man's faults and follies. As a literary artist, he treated vulgarity discreetly --- without ever sounding vulgar in the process. Like Joyce, Lawrence, and Caldwell, in Manto's work too, men and women of the age find their own restlessness accurately mirrored. And like them, Manto was also 'raised above his own self by his sombre enthusiasm'.

Q. 3. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given at the end. (20)

Globalization is viewed by its proponents as a process of cementing economic, cultural and political bonds between peoples of different countries of the world. One may regard it as a process by which they are welded into a single world society, to be termed as global society. It means internationalization of production and labour leading to integration of economies of developing and developed countries into global economy. To quote Rosabeth M.Kanter, "The world is becoming a global shopping mall in which ideas and products are available everywhere at the same time."

Globalization is a natural outcome of computer networking and electronic mass communication. Information technology has made it possible for nations of the world to contact one another beyond their national borders. Besides, globalization is also promoted through the growth and proliferation of multinational companies and corporations that operate as transporter networks. Anyhow the flow of capital technology and labour across the borders of countries has accentuated the process of globalization.

Deregulation, liberalism and privatization being assiduously pursued in the developing countries are some other manifestations of globalization. These countries are opening their economies to follow these trends. The size of the public sector is shrinking for the private sector to assume an increasingly important role in the economic development of the Third World countries. The downsizing of the public sector is in line with the spirit of market economy. This is suggested as a measure to cover up their fiscal deficit.

Questions: (4 marks each)

1. Define globalization. ✓
2. What is electronic mass communication? ✓
3. What does the term Third World denote? ✓
4. What is privatization? ✓
5. Explain 'liberalism' in the above context.

Q. 4. Correct only FIVE of the following: (10)

- (i) I won him in the race.
- (ii) He said that I am playing chess.
- (iii) Unless you do not try, you will never succeed.
- (iv) He wrote with ink.
- (v) What country he belongs to?
- (vi) When he reaches to manhood, he will visit to England.
- (vii) The new session commences from February 1st, 2020.
- (viii) Please send this letter on my address.

Q. 5. (a) Punctuate the following text, where necessary. (5)

Letters between relatives and friends are called personal letters the most important thing in such letters is the content don't begin with a hackneyed phrase like I was delighted to get your letter received your letter or I have often thought of writing to you use a vigorous clear chatty style

(b) Re-write the following sentences (ONLY FIVE) after filling in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions.(5)

- (i) I was annoyed ----- him.
- (ii) This train is bound ----- Gujrat.
- (iii) The pistol went ----- by accident.
- (iv) He kept ----- asking silly questions.
- (v) He was knocked ----- by the bus.
- (vi) Do not meddle ----- my affairs.
- (vii) The meeting was put ----- by the Chairman.
- (viii) He rounded ----- his speech with a quote from Ghalib.

Q. 6. Use ONLY FIVE of the following in sentences which illustrate their meanings. (10)

- (i) To break the ice
- (ii) Nip in the bud
- (iii) See eye to eye with
- (iv) For good
- (v) Tamper with
- (vi) The small hours
- (vii) Keep up appearances
- (viii) Prima facie

Q. 7. Translate the following into English by keeping in view figurative/idiomatic expressions. (10)

دنیا کی ہر قوم کا نظام تعلیم اپنی قوم کے مزاج سے ہم آہنگ ہوتا ہے جو قومی اور ملی مقاصد کی تشکیل و تکمیل کو یقین دہا کرتا ہے۔ اور قوم مطلوبہ مقاصد کے لیے سرگرم عمل رہتی ہے۔ چنانچہ کسی قوم کا نظام تعلیم وہ ہر گزیر نظام تربیت ہے جس کے تحت قوم کے افرادی ذہنی صلاحیتوں کو پروان چڑھانے اور ان کی سیرت و کردار کی تعمیر میں مدد دیتی ہے۔ نظام تعلیم انفرادی تربیت اس انداز سے کرتا ہے کہ افراد قوم کی تقدیر بدل دیتے ہیں۔

Q. N2

## Title: Manto and his writing

### Precis:

Manto was a victim of social ambivalence. His critics dragged him in legal battles for his writings. But he remained firm and committed in his doings. Man is a mixture of angel and devil near manto. He was able to get attention of his readers about socio-moral issues. As he was fully conscious of difference in appearance and reality, nothing had stopped him to demonstrate human behaviour in society. He used vulgarity discreetly in his writings. Restlessness of men and women of same age can be seen in his work, and also raised above his own self.

Q. No3

### a) Define globalization.

Globalization is a process of cementing economic, cultural and political bonds between people of different countries in the world. It means internationalization of production and labour leading to integration of economies of developing and developed countries into global economy.

## b) what is electronic mass communication?

It is the type of communication in which the medium is internet & globally connected system of computers. EMG is fast reliable and economic type of communication. Examples include, E-mail, social media chatting platforms. etc.

## c) what does the term 3<sup>rd</sup> world denote?

The third world means categorized as lower level. In case of third world countries it means economically under-developed countries lagging behind other countries.

## d) what is privatization?

Privatization is the process involving private sector in functioning of public sector institutions. One may regard it as selling off a bunch of any public sector entity to those of private buyers to mitigate fiscal deficits in free market economy.

## e) Explain Liberalism in the above context.

In the above context, liberalism means interaction of different nations beyond their national borders to communicate for economic activities.

Q. No 4

i) I won him in the race.

I won in the race from him.

ii) He said that I am playing chess.

He said that, Chess was played by him.

iii) Unless you do not try, you will never succeed.

Unless you do not try, you can never succeed!

iv) He wrote with ink.

He wrote in ink.

v) What country he belongs to?

which country, he belongs to?

vi) when he reaches to manhood, he will visit to England

when he reaches at manhood, he will visit to

England ~ or ~

when he reaches in England, he will visit manhood.

vii) The new session commences from February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020.  
The new session commence from Feburaty 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020.

Q. Nos

## Punctuation of Paragraph

(a)

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(b) i) I was annoyed by him.

ii) The train is bound in Aurat

iii) The pistol went on by accident

iv) He kept on asking silly questions.

v) He was knocked out by the bus.

vi) Do not meddle with my affairs.

vii) The meeting was put on hold by the chairman

viii) He rounded onto his speech with a quote from Chhalib.

Q. No 6

## To break the ice

- The role of international community will break the ice between Pakistan and India on Kashmir dispute.

## nip in the bud

- The announcement of new hydropower projects in country proved to be the nip in bud.

## For Good

- True companions are always think for good despite hundreds of disputes with each other.

## Tamper with

- Anwar-ul-Haq being a forensic analyst tried to tamper with most crucial evidence in murder case.

## The small hours

- Despite studying day and night, it was proved the small hours in aspect of preparation for CSS examination.

Q. No 1

## Translation

The education system of every nation in the world is similar to its nation's mood, which fulfill its national objectives. The nation remains pro-active for its desired objectives. Consequently, the education system of nation is such a complete system of training that helps to build characters and intellectual abilities of its people. It trains them in such a way that they change its nation's face.