

Q. No. 01

Effects of climate on human activities

The temperate climate of northern Europe has beneficial effects on human beings. In this moderate climate, he ~~can~~ uses all his energies by overcoming the obstacles. Like he builds houses and collects woods for fires by using the potential he has. This exertion causes the energy to deplete which is refilled by taking nourishing food. Unlike in extreme hot and extreme cold ^{climate} ~~area~~ he does not use his energy in daily activities thus leading to frustration. These daily activities like need of clothes or fire are different in the tropical climate. Human beings spend life in comfort thus requiring less amount of food. Similar pattern of activities of human beings are observed in different seasons of the same year.

Q. No. 02

(Ans 1)

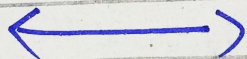
Najma could not heal herself after her heart was broken by her ex-boy friend.

(Ans 2)
The tragic incident of 9/11 has remained an achilles' heel for the Americans.

(Ans 3)
Punishment by a father on his son is actually a white heat for that son.

(Ans 4)
When a student become an aspirant of a job is similar to take the bull by the horns.

(Ans 5)
Disrespecting the old people is similar in creeping up his sneers.



Q. NO. 03

(Ans 1)
He placed the book in shelf.

(Ans 2)
The teacher was sitting on the table.

(Ans 3)

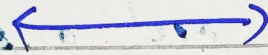
He must complete the project within two weeks.

(Ans 4)

They are looking for their lost book.

(Ans 5)

She should not count for selfish friends.



Q. No. 04

(Ans 1)

He requested his master to pardon him as it was his fault.

(Ans 2)

The beggar asked the rich lady if she ~~would~~ ^{not to} pay.

The beggar asked the rich lady not to pity the sufferings of an old and miserable man and help him with a rupee or two.

(Ans 3)

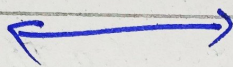
He asked his friend to let him go home then.

(Ans 4)

The constable asked the man whether had he steal his money.

(Ans 5)

He ordered to sit down over there and was not moved until he allowed me.



Q. NO. 05

(Ans 1)

She believed that Hira would come.

(Ans 2)

Her child cries as much as it was heart.

(Ans 3)

Unless you try, you will never succeed.

(Ans 4)

Which country he belongs to?

or

He belongs to which country?

(Ans 5)

When he will reach to manhood, he will visit England.

| Instructions | |
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| i. | All the parts (if any) of each question must be attempted at one place. |
| ii. | Write Q. No. in answer sheet in accordance with Q. No. in the Question Paper. |
| iii. | No. page/space be left blank between the answers. |
| iv. | Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered. |

| Time Allowed |
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| 1 Hour 30 Mins |
| Maximum Marks |
| 40 |

Q. No. 1 Write a précis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title. (20 Marks)

It is in the temperate countries of northern Europe that the beneficial effects of cold are most manifest. A cold climate seems to stimulate energy by acting as an obstacle. In the face of an insuperable obstacle our energies are numbed by despair; the total absence of obstacles, on the other hand leaves no room for the exercise and training of energy; but a struggle against difficulties that we have a fair hope of over-coming, calls into active operation all our powers. In like manner, while intense cold numbs human energies, and a hot climate affords little motive for exertion, moderate cold seems to have a bracing effect on the human race. In a moderately cold climate man is engaged in an arduous, but no hopeless struggles and with the inclemency of the weather. He has to build strong houses and procure thick clothes to keep himself warm. To supply fuel for his fires, he must hew down trees and dig coal out of the earth. In the open air, unless he moves quickly, he will suffer pain from the biting wind. Finally, in order to replenish the expenditure of bodily tissue caused by his necessary exertions, he has to procure for himself plenty of nourishing food.

Quite different is the lot of man in the tropics. In the neighbourhood of the equator there is little need of clothes or fire, and it is possible with perfect comfort and no danger to health, to pass the livelong day stretched out on the bare ground beneath the shade of a tree. A very little fruit or vegetable food is required to sustain life under such circumstances, and that little can be obtained without much exertion from the bounteous earth.

We may recognize must the same difference between ourselves at different seasons of the year, as there is between human nature in the tropics and in temperate climes. In hot weather we are generally languid and inclined to take life easily; but when the cold season comes, we find that we are more inclined to vigorous exertion of our minds and bodies.

Use these idioms in your sentences. (5 Marks)

1. After one's heart
2. Achilles' heel
3. At a white heat
4. Take the bull by the horns
5. Creep up one's sleeves

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Fill in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions. (5 Marks)

1. We placed the book _____ shelf.
2. The teacher was sitting _____ the table.
3. We must complete the project _____ two weeks.
4. They are looking _____ their lost book.
5. We should not count _____ selfish friends.

Convert the following into indirect narration. (5 Marks)

1. He said to his master, "Please pardon me as it is my fault."
2. The beggar said to the rich lady, "Will you not pity the sufferings of an old and miserable man and help him with a rupee or two?"
3. He said to his friend, "Let me go home now."
4. The constable said to the man, "Why did you steal his money?"
5. He said, "Sit down over here and don't move until I allow you."

Q. No. 5 Correct the following sentences. (5 Marks)

1. She believed that Hira will come.
2. Her child cries as though it was hurt.
3. Unless you do not try, you will never succeed.
4. What country he belongs to?
5. When he reaches to manhood, he will visit England.

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