

Q. 2 Make a précis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

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Twenty centuries ago, when the Chinese decided to live in peace, they built the Great Wall of China. They had a thought that perhaps no one could climb it because of its height. However, in the 100 years after its construction, the Chinese were invaded 3 times more. Enemy infantry and foot soldiers never had the need to climb or penetrate the wall because they always bribed the guards and got in through the gates. The Chinese had spent their resources in building high and thick walls; but they couldn't build the character of the wall guards. It leads to the fact, building human character is different, more important and a greater job, indeed. It precedes the construction of everything else. This is what the new generation needs to be envisioned today. An orientalist said; "If you want to destroy the civilization of a nation, there are three ways: destroy the family structure; destroy the education system; belittle and demean their role models and references. To destroy the family; belittle and degrade motherhood. To destroy the education system; do not give importance to educators and teachers and reduce their reputation in society, so that their students will despise and belittle them. Belittle the reputation of role models; work insidiously to destroy scholars and scientists, so that they are suspected and no one listens to them or follow them. I am leaving you a question. When the conscious mother is lost, dedicated teachers are lost and role models are discredited, who will teach "HUMAN VALUES" to our young people? A nation which set its priority by rewarding its singers, dancers, actors, and entertainers and make its scientists and teachers sit in back rows, has no future at all.

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Precis :

Twenty centuries ago, ~~the Chinese~~ the Chinese build the Great Wall of China to protect them; however, within 100 years of its building, it was invaded 3 times because the guards takes bribe and opened the gates.

This highlights the importance of character of human being. As an orientalist noted that if someone wants to destroy the civilization, one must undermines the family structure, ~~also~~ the education system, and degrade their role models.

If this happen no one will teach them human values, and then the nation will give importance to singers, dancers, and other entertainment rather than intellectuals with no future ahead.