

Question No. 04: Correct any FIVE of the following sentences.

Solution:

- i- There are fewer apples in the basket.
- ii- The movie was very interesting.
- iii- At the end of the fall came the hard tests.
- iv- She was cooking dinner while he watched TV.
- v- I should have called my parents to let them know I'm running late.

Question No. 05 (A): Punctuate the following passage:

Solution:

A fast train raced along the border of the biggest cattle ranch in Montana. A passenger gazed at the huge herds, and when the train finally passed the other boundary of the ranch, he turned to the man who was sitting beside him and said, "what a huge herds of cattle! I counted 13,750 head." The man was surprised. "That's amazing," he answered. "I own that ranch, and you are exactly right. I have exactly 13,750 head of cattle. How were you able to count them so fast?" "It was easy," the passenger replied. "I just counted their legs and divided by four."

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Question No. 05 (B): Re-write the following sentences (only five) after filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.

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- i - He has great affection for his children.
- ii - Would you like to attend to this dispute for him?
- iii - She did not qualify herself in English.
- iv - He prevented his younger brother from going to the cinema.
- v - You should profit from his speech.

Question No. 06 (A): Use only five of the following in your own sentences to bring out their meanings.

Solution:

- i - A passing fancy: She thought her interest in painting was just a passing fancy, but it turned into a lifelong passion.
- iii - The writing on the wall: The writing on the wall was clear - the company was facing financial difficulties and needed to make drastic changes.

iv- to bring to book: The authorities promised to bring to book those responsible for the corruption scandal.

v- to drop in: I decided to drop in on my friend while I was in the neighborhood.

viii- elephant in the room: Everyone at the meeting avoided discussing the elephant in the room - the company's declining profits.

Question No. 06 (B): Rewrite the following dialogue, written in direct speech, in a paragraph form.

Solution:

Sarah asked Mark if he had heard about the upcoming competitive exams. Mark replied that he had and mentioned that he was contemplating whether he should take them or not. Sarah emphasized that competitive exams are indeed crucial in shaping one's future. She explained that they not only assess knowledge but also test problem-solving skills, time management,

and ability to handle pressure. Mark, Mark, intrigued by this perspective, expressed concern about the stress associated with such exams and how he would perform under pressure. Sarah reassured him that while feeling stressed is normal, viewing it as a challenge to overcome can lead to personal growth. She highlighted that competitive exams encourage individuals to strive for excellence and bring out their best qualities. Mark acknowledged the opportunity these exams provide to showcase abilities and stand out among peers. Grateful for Sarah's insights, he decided to give the exams his best effort, understanding their significance and the sense of achievement they can bring.

Question No. 07 Translate the following into English, keeping in view the idiomatic / figurative expression.

Solution:

A violinist played the tune for 45 minutes in the New York subway. A handful of people stopped, a couple clapped, and the violinist collected about \$30.

Little did anyone know the violinist was Joshua Bell, one of the world's greatest musicians. On the subway, Joshua played one of the most

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Complicated times ever written with a \$3.5 million violin. Two days before the subway incident, Joshua Bell performed in Boston, and he earned hundreds of thousands of dollars. Experience has shown that extraordinary things do not shine in ordinary environments and are often overlooked and undervalued. There are people of outstanding ability everywhere who do not get the recognition and rewards they deserve. So, go where you are appreciated and valued.

Question No. 02 Make a Precis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

Solution:

Title: The Importance of Building Human Character.

Precis: The passage discusses the significance of building human character over physical structures, using the example of the Great wall of China. Despite the wall's height and thickness, it failed to prevent invasions as enemies bribed the guards to gain entry. The author emphasizes the importance of nurturing human values, highlighting the role of family, education, and role models in

shaping the younger generation. This passage warns against undermining the pillars of society, such as motherhood, education, and respected figures, as it can lead to the erosion of society. Ultimately, the passage stresses the need to prioritize character-building over superficial rewards for a nation's sustainable future.

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Question No. 03: Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Answer No. 01:

The role of the courts in society is determined by the judges' perception of their function as well as by the expectations of the public, the executive, and the legislature of the courts. There is often a gap between the judges' perception and other's expectations, leading to differences in opinions on the concept of judicial function.

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Changing conditions and conceptions influence the role of the courts by suaying the judicial self-perception of their role and other's expectations. The role of the courts is dynamic and constantly changing. with its scope and boundaries being determined not just by the judiciary but also by other political and social institutions in a continuous process.

Answer No. 03

The public might criticize the judiciary for various reasons, such as judgements that are out of tune with popular feelings or insensitive to certain segments of the public. criticisms may arise from controversial cases charged with emotional, ideological, social, or political elements that transform routine legal matters into household controversies.

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Academic and professional critics typically describe the judiciary as timid, unimaginative, not active, not creative, orthodox, conventional, or conservative in its law-making functions. Some judges have been bestowed titles like "socially reactionary" or "the high priest of rigid

stare decisis and the limited role for the judiciary.”

In my opinion, Answer No. 05
Certain judicial rulings might become controversial due to factors such as conflicting with popular sentiment, insensitivity to certain groups, or being perceived as outdated or orthodox. Controversial cases can arise when judgments have broader societal implications or when they clash with prevailing social norms or values.
