

# Past Paper 2016 Compulsory

**SUBJECT: ENGLISH (Compulsory)**

**TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS**

**MAXIMUM MARKS: 100**

**Q.1. Write a Paragraph of 200 words on any ONE of the following topics. (20)**

- Growing up in poverty.
- Life is either a daring adventure or nothing.
- The richest person is not he who has the most but he who needs the least.

**Q.2. Use the following idiomatic expressions in sentences to make their meaning clear. (10)**

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| (a) Dead wood                 | (b) Waiting in the wings         |
| (c) Lump in your throat       | (d) A chip on your shoulder      |
| (e) At the drop of a hat      | (f) Upset the apple cart         |
| (g) Take with a pinch of salt | (h) Think of the devil           |
| (i) Method in madness         | (j) A square peg in a round hole |

**Q.3. Write a letter to your father on your selection in PMS-2016. (10)**

OR

**Write an application to Higher Education Commission for allocation of funds for higher studies abroad. (5)**

**Q.4. Write the antonyms of the following words. (5)**

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|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| (a) Pessimist | (b) Chaos      | (e) Misanthrope |
| (c) Wise      | (d) Courageous |                 |

OR

**Write the synonyms of the following words. (5)**

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|---------------|----------------|-------------|
| (a) Ingenious | (b) Shroud     | (e) Haughty |
| (c) Sluggish  | (d) Prosperous |             |

**Q.5. Change the narration of any five of the following sentences. (5)**

- He said, "Where do you live?"
- She said, "Why are you so sad?"
- He said, "What a lovely garden."
- Mother said to me, "Would that your father were here today."
- He said to him, "Did you lose your pen here?"
- He said to her, "Consult a lady Doctor."
- I said to him, "When do you get up?"
- He said to me, "Are you going to school now?"

**Q.6. Change the voice of any five of the following sentences. (5)**

- Tom is writing the letter.
- Everyone understands English.
- This Surprises me.
- The fire has destroyed the house.
- The professor told him to not to talk in the class.
- She would have told you.
- The employees brought up the issue during the meeting.

**Q.7. Paraphrase the following. (10)**

Friends, Romans, Countryman lend me your ears.  
I come to busy Career, not to ???.  
The evil that men do lives after them.



The good is off interred will their bones.  
O judgment thou art fled to English beasts.  
And men have lost their reason.

Q.8. Make a parcels of the following passage and suggest a suitable title. (25)

The History of media in Pakistan shows that Pakistani print media came into existence with a mission to promulgate the ideology of Pakistan, which was seen as the best national option for the Muslim minority in British India and as a form of self defense against suppression from the Hindu majority. However over the last decade Pakistan's media has developed into a harsh terrain which has certainly helped shape Pakistan's views towards domestic and foreign policy for better or for worse. Society and institutions in Pakistan tend to be rule oriented, social media has changed the dynamics of the Pakistani society with a strong influence. social media has become a driving force to mobilize people for a collective action social movements and even protests. When there is any injustice or incident that demands public demonstration, Social media plays a key role in pushing them forward, today one can easily engage people from diverse backgrounds simultaneously for common agenda as it takes them up even if they are far across as elsewhere social media has become an important factor in Pakistan's domestic politics. Some believe that social networking technologies which offer an alternative to Pakistan's corrupt and state-controlled media, have the potential to transform Pakistani politics. In recent years, a growing number of Pakistanis have come to believe in the revolutionary potential of new media technologies, particularly in the political context.

Q.9. Translate the following passage into English. (10)

عصر حاضر علمی ترقی کی انتہاؤں کو چھو رہا ہے۔ ترقی یافتہ اقوام کا طرہ امتیاز اعلیٰ تعلیمی معیار ہے۔ اس مقصد کے حصول میں نصاب اور درسی کتب کو بنیادی اہمیت حاصل ہے۔ جن کو جدید تقاضوں سے ہم آہنگ کرنا حکومت کا تعلیمی میدان کو فوقیت دینا ثابت کرتا ہے۔ زندگی کے اعلیٰ معیار کے حصول میں علمی ترقی اور اعلیٰ معیار بنیاد کا درجہ رکھتے ہیں۔ حکومت اس معیار کی فراہمی کے لیے مقدر بھر کو ششیں کر رہی ہے۔ دعا ہے کہ نسل نو جدید تعلیمی تقاضوں کو مد نظر رکھ کر پاکستان کی تعمیر و ترقی میں بھرپور کردار ادا کرے۔

**SUBJECT: ENGLISH ESSAY (Compulsory)**

**TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS**

**MAXIMUM MARKS: 100**

Write an Analytical Essay of About 1500-1600 words on any one of the Topics Below, Begin by Giving a Brief Outline of Your Essay.

1. Human Rights is one of the most fundamental issue facing humanity as well as the most sensitive and controversial.
2. It is Not the Years in Your Life...





Question No.6:-

change the voice of the any five of the following sentences.

- 1- The letter is being written by Tom.
- 2- English is understood by everyone.
- 4- The house has been destroyed by the fire.
- 7- The issue had been brought up by the employees during the meeting.
- 3- I am surprised by that.

Question No.5:-

Change the narration of any five of the following sentences.

- 8- He asked me if I was going to school then.
- 7- I asked him when he got up.
- 6- He advised her to consult a lady doctor.
- 1- He asked where he lived.
- 5- He asked him if he had lost his pen there.
- 2- She inquired me why I was so sad.



## Question No. 9

Translate the following passage into English.

The contemporary era's educational progress is touching new heights. The <sup>distinguishing feature</sup> excellency trait of developed countries is higher educational standard. In order to achieve this aim, <sup>government</sup> a main importance is given to curriculum and textbooks. If Govt. is making curriculum compatible with contemporary demands, it proves that Government is <sup>achieve</sup> preferring education domain. In order to achieve high standard of life, educational progress and high standard of ~~life~~ education <sup>play</sup> plays the primary role. Government is making sincere efforts in order to provide this high standard of education. It is prayer to Allah that new generation plays its full role in building and progress of Pakistan, by keeping in view the contemporary educational demands.



## Question No. 8

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Make a Precis of the following passage & suggest a suitable title.

In the start, Pakistani print media promulgate Pakistan's ideology then gradually it start showcasing domestic and foreign policy and also the role of institution to shape it. Then came social media that gave birth to freedom, social and justice mass movements. It mobilize people of different ethnicities and from diverse backgrounds for common agenda. Social media change the course of Pakistan's domestic politics by over-shadowing state-controlled corrupt print media. Pakistanis believe that modern media technologies have potential to alter <sup>Pakistan's</sup> domestic political course.

Title:

Transformation from Print Media  
To Social Media To unravel Truth.

$\frac{1}{3}$  words = 74

Given = 80 words



Question No. 3:-

Write an application to HEC for allocation of funds for higher studies abroad.

To,

The Chairman,

Higher Education Commission,

City: A.B.C

Sir,

Most respectfully, It is stated that I am a student of M.Phil Chemistry. I completed my graduation from Qaid-e-Azam university, Islamabad two years back. After completing my M.Phil degree in two months, I want to broaden my chemistry research scope. In order to vast my research scope, I want to collaborate with renowned research groups of spectroscopy. For this purpose, I need funds. As I belong to a middle class family and I am unable to allocate a spend a huge money on this research work. I am here to request you that please allocate me funds for



higher studies so that I could complete my research work in due time. Also it will be the moment of honour for my country to get me access to such renowned research laboratory. I hope, you will allocate me handsome amount of funds for higher studies, by accepting my humble request.

Your Affectionately  
X. Y. Z

### Question No. 4:-

#### Words

Pessimist

Wise

Chaos

Courageous

Misanthrope

#### Antonyms

Optimist

Unwise; Foolish, Ignorant

Peace

Coward

Humanitarian, Philanthropist

Optimist



### Question No. 1:-

## Write a Paragraph of 200 words Growing Up In Poverty

It is not ~~ess~~ easy, to be grown up in poverty. ~~Pov~~ Growing up in poverty means growing up without basic and fundamental life facilities. A poor man is unable to give a good life-style to his family especially children. Children are grown up without proper nutritious food, and without proper living place like home. They often end up living in temporary camps without much needed food and water supplies. They are unable to get proper health facilities and education that severely impact their future life. As poor children are unable to get enroll in schools for primary education, they start child-labour. Child-labour is a curse that is eating, developing countries like Pakistan, rapidly. According to UNESCO, some 205m children are out of school, in Pakistan. One of the basic reason, to not get enroll



in schools, is poverty. According to official estimates, 40% of Pakistan's population is below poverty. It means 40% of people especially children living without basic necessities of health and education.

This lack of opportunities and facilities results in non-ending cycle of child-labour that impede poor children from getting their fundamental rights, that are enshrined in Pakistan's as well as UN's constitution. In child-labour, poor children bear the wrath of elites too, often in the form of severe injuries and ultimate death. Take the case of Zahra, a ~~the~~ domestic child-labourer that was beaten to death by ~~beuruvate~~ wife for unconsciously freeing<sup>up</sup> her pet bird. It is the need of the hour that poor children are given their due fundamental rights of free health services and free education access so that a perpetual ~~circle~~ circle of poverty can be ~~do~~ broken down.