

## COMPREHENSION EXERCISE 5

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**Q.2. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:**

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Honesty is the surest way to success. The day at last comes when the dishonest man repents in sorrow and suffering. But no man ever needs to repent of having been honest. Even when the honest man fails through lacking other qualities such as energy, economy, or system, his failure is not the grievous thing it is to the dishonest man. He can always rejoice in the fact that he has never defrauded a fellow being. Even in his darkest hour, he finds repose in a clear conscience. Ignorant men imagine that dishonesty is a short-cut to prosperity. This is why they practice it. The dishonest man is morally short-sighted. He is like the drunkard who sees the immediate pleasure of his habit, but not the ultimate degradation. He sees the immediate effect of a dishonest act – a larger profit – but not its ultimate outcome. He does not see that an accumulated number of such acts must inevitably undermine his character, and ruin his business.

### Questions:

1. Why do honest men even fail some times?
2. How does failure affect honest men?
3. Why is the dishonest man morally short sighted?
4. Why do some people practice dishonesty in their dealings?
5. What is the ultimate effect of following a dishonest policy?



## Comprehension Exercise

Read the passage and answer the questions that follow.

### Questions:

Q1. Why do honest men even fail sometimes?

A: Honest men even fail sometime because of lack of some qualities such as energy, economy or system. Even being fail<sup>ed</sup> sometimes, the honest men stay calm because they feel inner peace that they have done their job honestly. Honesty becomes a success for them. So, Therefore, if honest men even fail sometime they don't feel sad about it they learn from it.

Q2. How does failure affect honest men?

A: Failure affects honest men in a very positive way. Even when they fail in some of their qualities they do not become grievous in their behaviour. Because they always admire the fact that they had never cheated their friend<sup>even</sup> in the the darkest hours of life. This way of thinking makes them strong and peaceful even at the time of failure.

Q3. Why is the dishonest man morally short sighted?

A: The dishonest man is morally short sighted because he only looks for the immediate / temporary results without



recognizing the afterword consequences of his dishonest act. He seems like drunkard who look for temporary pleasure / benefits without caring about the later results of that action.

Therefore, in such a way dishonest man is morally short sighted.

Q4. Why do some people practice dishonesty in their dealings?

A. Some people practice dishonesty in their dealing because they think that dishonesty is a short-cut to prosperity. They think that through dishonesty they would gain more profit rather than / instead of honesty. Therefore, they believe that dishonesty is a short-cut to achieve their goals so some people practice dishonesty in their dealing.

Q5. What is the ultimate effect of following a dishonest policy?

A. The ultimate effect of following a dishonest policy is that it led degradation of persons respect. He only look at the larger profit gained by the dishonest practices and does not see that these dishonest practices would undermine his character and would ruin

his business. Therefore, ultimate effect of following a dishonesty policy would undermine character and ruin business.

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# Precis: Writing

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difference in thinking perspectives

~~Thinking Perspective of Honest and Dishonest Man/Person~~

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Honesty is the best way to success. At last dishonest people suffer with pain of the dishonest actions while honest people do not. Honest people always rejoice that they never cheated any of his friend even in bad time. Dishonest people are morally short-sighted they <sup>are</sup> only concerned about instant benefit/profit. ~~They practice it.~~ The ultimate outcome of their dishonest action would undermine character and ruin business.

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