

## Precis and Composition

### Q. 2 Precis

Anatol Lieven in his book *Pakistan A Hard Country*, told that only strong moral and emotional pressure can break Pakistan's soldier's discipline and unity. They would only break if their obedience to superiors clash with their duty to defend Pakistan, and their conscience as Muslims. One such case is if US invade Pakistan and they are not given command to resist. Most of the soldiers would mutiny and fight, but only to extent of rebellion or civil war, but not <sup>to an extent</sup> ~~result~~ of a national revolution, as in Iran. Pakistanis are divided into regional identity as evident in 2008 elections and this is growing in politics <sup>and have no single identity.</sup> One example given by Hasan Ali is that Pakistanis can't unite behind revolution because they are divided into different sects of Islam and different regional biraditi.

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### Q. 3 Comprehension

① Guderian was a talented commander because he had initiative and leading from the front in the war. The introduction of Tanks to Army, its use and strategic use of Panzer forces brought him success. He was fearless against threats to his own. Although he was rebellious because he didn't communicate with his superiors and disobeyed orders and was not a team player.

(Q.2) He was the first who introduced tanks to the Army and taught its use as operative weapon. He favored strategic use of Panzer force which is a deep thrust into the enemy. Along with Panzer forces (infantry, artillery and engineers), supply services (petrol, food, ammunition) were also kept with fighting troops. This gave him success against Poland and France.



Q3. Germany's attack on Soviet Union resulted in severe crisis. Due to the Soviet Union's army resilience against Germans, the German army's supply line was cut off and General Busse failed to rescue encircled German troops. General Guderian wanted to retreat his army across Baltic Sea and abandoned their position on Moscow but Hitler disagreed to authorize a retreat. Guderian did not give in which finally led to his dismissal.

Q4. Since he was relieved from his command, he was not tried under law; involved in war crimes. Most of the other German generals became involved in war crimes. His non-involvement proved for him a blessing in disguise.

Q5. If Guderian was not sacked from command, he would have been involved in war crimes like the other generals which would have serious consequences to his life.

Q. 4(A) Correct

- (a) He is an actor, an athlete, and a debater.
  - (b) A ten-foot long snake was killed by the villagers.
  - (c) A summon was issued on speeding offence.
  - (d) Many girls were appearing in the examination.
  - (e) This is one of the most important speeches ever delivered at UN General Assembly.
- (B.)
- (1) He entered into a contract.
  - (2) Dr. Hassan Ali Gonda is fond of reading.
  - (3) Sir Majid is addicted to smoking.
  - (4) We should go with our parent's desire.
  - (5) He pulled off through the examination of matric.



Q.5 A ~~the~~ meeting was concluded by the Chair of the Governors, who said, "Although, it had been a difficult year, the staff of the school had managed very well. The financial cutbacks had hit hard and it was to be hoped"; "there would be no further cutbacks in the coming year." Library stocks were severely depleted and ~~he~~ <sup>she</sup> suggested, "there should be a series of fundraising activities to help raise money for books." He thanked all the staff for their hard work and hoped that the coming year would be successful. The headteacher then thanked

B: (1) Nosegay : Flowers :: Team : Players

2. OL Factory : Nose :: optical : Eye

3. Swaddle : envelope :: Rattle : Shake

4. Deffer : Postpone :: Proffer : tender

5. Rue : Regret :: Rule : Dominate

Q.6: 1. David and Goliath

The much anticipated match between India and Pakistan, ~~was~~ thought to be very competitive, proved to be a match between David and Goliath because Pakistan played much stronger team than India.

3. Break a leg

Before boarding his flight to US, Ali's father told him to break a leg and study hard to become successful.

Q.7. Apple of one's eye

The youngest member of every family is mostly believed to be the apple of everyone's eye in that family.

5. Fall off the wagon

After her husband's sudden unnatural death, Maria fell off the wagon and went into depression.

(4) Eager Beaver

Ali is an eager beaver and is always the first one to finish any task given him by his boss.

Q.7 Nowadays, in this selfish world, every individual takes care of own self-interest. No one cares about others. No <sup>person</sup> has true love in his heart, nor any care. Moral values have declined. We, not only, have self-centered relations with other humans, but also with our country. Have we ever thought collectively that once in this country where love was celebrated with vigour and musical instruments have now become laden with terrorism. Still, not all is lost. If we truly love Pakistan and look into our innerselves, we can overcome most of all our shortcomings. We <sup>all</sup> are builders of tomorrow. We should ourselves demolish racial differences, difference between rich and poor and great and small. We should improve the future of this country by ~~working~~ togetherness. Pray to God that every person must unitedly think about this country and nation because if Pakistan lives then we all will live.