

## Precis:-

### Requisites of Ideal General

Courage and physical power seem essential for general, as they are valuable at the time of danger.

There are many examples of soldiers who achieve high with their bravery and determination at the time of danger.

In addition to this, health is also a factor. But sometimes great spiritual power is a dominating factor.

Age is also a key factor in determining effectiveness of soldiers.

Many people thought that young men win more prizes which prove their effectiveness. On the

contrary, history full of many examples where commanders performed well at old age. However, many

of them started duty at <sup>early</sup> ~~the~~ age of ~~15~~.

Moreover, it is difficult to declare youth more powerful

and efficient. Because old generals

have more experience and knowledge and can better manage dangerous situations with their expertise. However, a young general still be more powerful than old one. Hence, the idea of young age generals seems right.

Words in the passage: 550

words in precis: 152

Q No 2:

Correct any Five of the Following.

a) Hardly he reached the station then it began to rain.

→ Hardly had he reached the station when it began to rain

b) The culture of our country is richer than any other country.

→ The culture of our country is richer than that of any other country.

c) we had better left before the police arrive.

⇒ we had better leave before the police arrive.

d) My mother forbade me to not to smoke.

⇒ My mother forbade me to smoke.

e) Many a child dream about becoming famous one day.

⇒ Many a child dreams about becoming famous one day.

### Question No: 3

Re-write the following sentences after  
----- prepositions.

1. Mr. Hawking was walking on a wood on a rainy day.

2. In some countries much of the natural environment have been transformed to farmland.

3. A drowning man catches on a straw

4. The man was blind to his left eye

5. He felt no qualms over borrowing money from his friends.

⇒ Punctuate the following passage:

Robert Whiting, an elderly US gentleman of 83, arrived in Paris by plane. At French Customs, he took a few minutes to locate his passport in his carry.

"On you have been to France before",

Monsieur the customs officer asked sarcastically. Mr. Whiting admitted that he had been to France previously.

"Then you should know enough to have your passport ready." The American said, "The last time I was here I didn't have to show it."

"Impossible Americans always have to show their passports on arrival in France", sneered the custom

officer. The American senior gave the Frenchman a long, hard look.

Then he quietly explained well,

"when I came ashore at Omaha

Beach, at 4:40am, on D-Day in 1944, to help liberate your country, I couldn't find a single Frenchman to show a passport to... you could have heard a pin drop.

Q No: 4

### Idioms:

1. Sitting Duck:

A deer came out of a long grass in open field, where he was a sitting duck for lion.

2. Scape Goat:

The poor always forced to become a scape goat for the evils done by the rich.

3. Cold shoulder:

Uncle John is such a cold shoulder, he never makes friends with

anyone.

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Q No: 4 Part B:

Rewrite, following passages. - - - - -

direct:-

1. Hassan Ali Gondal: Hi Shahab,  
when will your essay book be  
ready?

⇒ Hassan Ali Gondal greeted Shahab  
and asked <sup>him</sup> when your essay  
book be ready.

2. Shahab: I believe - - - - -

Shahab ~~sp~~ said that he believe,  
at the end of November.

3. Hassan - - - - - if it is

So, then it's gonna clear most of  
misconceptions - - -

Hassan Ali Gondal said that if it  
was so, then it was gonna  
clear most of misconceptions

about essay writing.

Q No: 5

Translation of the following  
----- expressions

Translation:

Millions of young people of Pakistan are included in Generation 'Z'. This is the generation who was born after year 2000 and now they have been 23, 24 years old. This generation is considered as ~~the~~ most the most weak physically and mentally psychologically ill in the history of whole universe. The era in which it has brought up used the most technology in the <sup>human</sup> history. This generation grew up using technology. They have access to internet, mobile phone, T.V channels and social media.

They have brought up by social media not by saints.

This generation has one common issue in the whole world that they are impatient and bad tempered.

They are physically fragile and weak. And in human history, this generation is taking more time to become independent.

Q No: 6

### Comprehension

Q No: 1: Infer from the passage how we "complicate our lives." list the ways in the in order given.

Answer:

According to the passage one can infer that we have complicated our lives in many ways. Machine The quagmire of technologies has complicated our lives. Although, machines lessen our burden in many ways. Still we cannot



freed ourselves from the miseries of physical pain and anxiety. All this had complicated our lives.

Q No: 2: In the passage, writer make a reference to The wisdom - - - - -

→ ?

Answer: The writer implied that we cannot go to the old simple times, but we can follow what our ancestors used to do. The writer implied to use simple language without ambiguity. Sometimes complicated language leads to misinterpretation and wrongdoings.

Q No: 3 what does "the new Tower of Babel" refer to? - - - - - ?

Answer:-

According to the information one can infer given in the passage, "new Tower of Babel"

refers to the chaos and unrest.  
This was resulted due to mis-  
interpretation of message. Americans are  
the chief designers of new Tower  
of Babel.

Q No: 4 Give one example, implied  
in the passage. --- --- ?

Answer:

According to the passage psychologists  
and sociologists have been telling  
us to teach children how to  
relax. while writer prefer to  
follow convention. According to  
writer parents should hide their  
anxiety and problems from children.  
This is the less harmful way to  
keep children calm.

Q No: 5 To what purpose, does writer  
imply --- --- choice?

Answer:

According to the writer we

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should use our power of choice and reasoning to reflect what happening around us. Moreover, use these powers to recognize the beauty of souls and avoid adopting what is going around in the world by using power of choice.