

ENGLISH (Part C)

Mock 6-2024

PART-II

Question 4:-

- (a) Faheem wore glasses when he was younger, but now he had contact lenses.
- (b) Salma took her driving test five times so far without success, but she didn't give up.
- (c) Because I live a long way from work, I am wasting lots of time going to and from work.
- (d) Sir Azhar Afzal has been reading a novel for five days.
- (e) The price of onions has come down.
- (h) He wishes that he was a prince.

Question 5.

(A)
Punctuation

The Modja always wanted to learn something new, and one day he had a sudden inspiration to learn how to play the flute. He approached a music teacher and asked him, "How much do you charge for private flute lessons?" "Three silver pieces for the first month, after that one silver piece a month." "Oh, great!" exclaimed Hodja, "Then I'll start with the second month."

(B)

- (ii) He is addicted to smoking.
- (iv) I am waiting at the bus stop.
- (vii) I'd rather be single than in a bad relationship.
- (viii) We've put a lot of effort in this project.
- (v) I looked this word up in the dictionary, but I still don't understand it.
- (iii) He resigned from his job.

Question 6:- Pair of Words

(iii) Dual.

The governor is dual national.

Duel:

(v) The practice of duel was ~~deeper~~ deemed illegal in Britain.

Famous

This band is widely famous and they are currently on tour.

Notorious.

The notorious head of the Mexican cartel was caught during a raid at his warehouse.

(vii)

Bow

The king demands that his subject bow before him.

Bow

The arrow, shot from a bow hits its target.

(viii)

Shear

Be careful, the knife you're holding has a shear edge.

Sheer

The cloth hung as a curtain was useless because of how sheer it was.

(iv) Eminent:

He is an eminent scholar and people listen to him from around the globe.

Imminent:

It is imminent you pay heed to whatever is being said.

(B)

Maggie asked Tom about how much money he had given for the rabbits. ~~Tom replies that he~~ Tom had given five shillings and six pence. Maggie thinks and says that she probably has more than that in her box upstairs and that she ~~will~~ would ask her mother to give it to Tom. Tom question the reason for giving him money and says that he didn't want it. He had ~~got~~ got far more money. Maggie explains that she wanted to buy more rabbits.

QUESTION 2:

Topic

Title: Prevalence of Beggary in India.

India faces an increase in the number of professional beggars so much so that the foreign visitors in India call the Holy cities, the cities of Beggars. While their numbers are irrelevant to any reform in this matter, it is imperative to know how their presence affects society.

Though beggary in most cases is an ~~inherited~~ inherited profession, the number of beggars are growing because religious and non religious Hindus alike, after being encouraged by priest give more charity in order to go to heaven. For any reasonable person it is amusing to witness able-bodied individuals dressed up like beggars roaming through every neighbourhood in the country with the sole purpose of Begging. Beggars have prevailed through time because of the people who fear their curses and give more to the beggars than their need making them rich. Educated Indians are seriously thinking about this dire situation and ways to solve it while reflecting on how the West has criminalized begging.

Begging has many causes but the most important is that it is part of social consciousness and needs to be tackled.

People need to be educated on the evils of beggary and the state has to take strict measures especially in Holy cities to decrease their numbers. Finally for a better living standard we have to eliminate beggary ~~so much~~ which is on rampage to a point that it is difficult to actually recognize beggars.

QUESTION 3:-

(1) According to the author ----- future?

According to the author freedom will become more scarce in the future. Freedom to find time and space to think would be a luxury in a future with constant influx of information.

(2) What ability have people lost thanks to the constant inflow of data?

Because of constant inflow of data people are no longer in touch with themselves. They are no longer themselves but just another noise in the world filled with microphones blasting information. They are desperate to find the mental peace and freedom and to connect with themselves.

(3) Why does the author say-----

People have less time to say because they do not have the luxury of time to sit and ponder on the information they have. They don't realise the importance of maintaining those connections with other people because they are too busy drowning in things to do.

4) people are taking an active interest in old age fads for the sake of attaining mental peace and calm. They improve cognitive abilities and are able to pace themselves and make sense of their life.

5) Modern man is unable to empathise with others because empathy depends on neural processes like thinking that are deemed inherently slow and people in current high speed lives don't have them for them.