

Q7: Translation:

While Pakistan is going through very critical time, Arshad Nadeem has emerged like a hope of light for Pakistanis. Even in such difficult times, Pakistani people forgot all their pains and became happy for Arshad Nadeem over him winning the gold medal. Mother of the Indian athlete Neeraj Chopra also expressed happiness over Arshad Nadeem's success and said, "This silver medal is like gold for us and the one ~~won~~ who won the gold is also our son." Where did this shining star come from who all of a sudden became famous in the entire world and became everybody's favorite. Without a doubt, there is no lack of talent in our country.

Q6: (A)

i) **Bridal** : Everyone was shocked to see her in a black bridal dress on her wedding.

ii) **Bridle** : Ridding a horse with a loose bridle can be dangerous.

iii) **Sight** : In the accident, her eyes got hurt. As a result, she lost her sight.

Site: Supervisor of the construction team visited the site where new hotel was being constructed.

iii)

Reign: Ted Bundy's reign of terror ended with his execution.

Rein: Ali pulled his horse's reins tightly. This was a signal for the horse to stop.

iv)

Principal: The principal of the medical university resigned after being accused of corruption.

Principle: Life without principles and values is meaningless.

v)

Descent: He sold his car for a descent amount. It was not a bad deal.

Dissent: He dissented to my suggestion as he did not like it at all.

Q 6: (B) Direct / Indirect:

While pointing towards Ryan, Klaus asked Sarah to wink at him so he saw them.

Sarah rejected to do so, saying that winking would not work because he was too far to notice. Klaus countered that he was not. Sarah exclaimed in sarcasm and said that he must meant wane, not wink. She mocked him by asking that did the word "wink" meant "wane" in German.

Q 5: (A): Punctuate:

A lioness and a wren were talking together about their young and saying how healthy and well-grown they were; what beautiful coats they had; and how they were the image of their parents. "My litter of cubs is a joy to see", said the fox and then she added, rather maliciously, "I notice you never have more than one". "No", said the lioness grimly, "But that one's a lion".

Q 5: (B): Prepositions:

1. Ruth applied **at** a bank for a loan.
2. She died **of** starvation.
3. We all sat **at** the dinner table.
4. I pushed **through** the crowd.
5. Look **to** the left and you will see our destination.

Q 4: Sentence Correction

- i We accepted their offer on the grounds that something is better than nothing.
- ii The bag was so heavy that I could hardly lift.
- iii She advised me to never point my finger at anyone.
- iv Neither of the two applicants had suitable qualifications.
- v Shahab neither wants to study, nor he wants a job.

Q 2: Precis

False Information: A Threat to Democracy

With major elections around the world this year, there is a threat of spread of false information to harm democracy. False information can boost polarization and make electoral process untrustworthy.

There is also a threat of conventional and unconventional propaganda to negatively influence the voters. There might be a direct attack on the electoral process.

Public can be protected against misinformation through education and evidence-based campaigns. But deployment of these methods require consensus among

the religious and political leaders.

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Q 3: Comprehension

1. The main idea of Enzo Ferrar's quote is that people always remember those who win. But Yusuf Dikec's story challenges this idea. This is because he did not get fame for being a winner, but it was his skills, dedication, sportsmanship and humility that made him famous. This story tells that sometimes winning is not important but what is important is how you play.
2. Yusuf Dikec became an iconic figure in sport shooting because of his impressive and consistent performance at international sports competitions. From a very young age, he has been praised for his dedication and skills. With these qualities, he has not only earned various medals but also a lot of love and respect from people around the world.

3 Yusuf Dekec's second and third place wins were celebrated more than some of his first place wins because of two factors. Firstly, his excellent sportsmanship and humility. He gracefully handled both victory and defeat. Secondly, his incredible skills and determination, through which he made extraordinary comebacks during competitions. These factors made his defeat more memorable than his victories.

4 Media plays a significant role in shaping public perception of Dekec's achievements by covering stories of his journey as a sport shooter, the challenges he faced in his journey and his dedication to the sport. In this way, people became more aware of his overall journey as a sport shooter and praised him even more.

5 Yusuf Dekec's career teaches us that in sports, success does not always mean winning. It is more important to work hard and remain dedicated to one's passion. At the same time, one should remain humble and show sportsmanship to one's competitors. In this way, one could earn love, respect and a good reputation, which is a bigger success than winning a game.