

Part - II

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Question no 2

Title : Schengen Visa Rejections for Pakistanis

Precis :

The issue of Schengen countries rejecting visa applications from Pakistani citizens is similar to a host of an event rejecting the attendee due to his outfit or a teacher dismissing a student's exam without reading it. On the other hand, if a western citizen applies for a Pakistan visa, Pakistan never hesitates in welcoming foreigners. Despite submitting heavy fees and endless documents, Schengen countries still refuse to grant visas. They need to remember that Pakistanis are humans, not dangerous terrorists.

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Question no 3

(i) Foreman transitioned from boxing to business due to financial hardships after his initial retirement. He was left broke in 1987 due to poor financial planning. Hence, his return to the ring was necessity, and it allowed him leverage his fame in new ventures outside boxing.

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(ii) His competitive advantage was its unique design that allowed grease to drain-off, making it a healthier cooking option. His personal branding also created a strong emotional connection with consumers.

(iii) If Foreman had not sold the name rights, he might have struggled with increased competition and market saturation. It allowed him to secure his financial future.

(iv) The story evokes contrasted sentiments of resilience and hope in Foreman's comeback in boxing at 45.

(v) The text successfully captures Foreman's journey from a boxing champion to a financially troubled individual and then to a successful businessman.

Question no 4

(i) Most of the shelves in the library are empty.

(ii) Chocolate or vanilla: which one do you prefer?

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(iii) The culture of our country is richer than that of any other country in the world.

(iv) Ten miles is a long distance

(vii) The student wrote a 20-page report last night.

Question no 5-A

Bill Gates once had coffee at a coffee shop. When the waiter was taking the dishes away, Bill Gates tipped his one dollar. "Whenever your daughter comes for coffee, she gives me a five-dollar tip," said the waiter. "She is the daughter of a billionaire," replied Bill Gates "and I am the son of a poor carpenter." This is why it is often said, "Never forget your past because your past is your greatest teacher."

Question no 5-B

(i) He poured the water into the glass

(ii) The government has tided over difficulties

(v) There were lots of shops along the main street

(vi) The thief ran away with some money

(vii) He wrote them a cheque for \$1000

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Question no 6-A

(i) • She took a quick peek at the gift
• His comment caused pique among the guests

(ii) • She is a voracious eater.
• He gave a veracious account

(iv) • The path was tortuous
• The heat was ~~too~~ tortuous

(v) • Farmers shear sheep early
• The cliff is sheer

Question no 6-B

(ii) After 30 years of teaching, she hung up her hat and retired.

(iii) He had to eat crow after his predictions went wrong

(vi) ~~fat~~ After the feast, he felt fat and sassy.

(vii) After the meal, I was as full as a tick