

Azza Shakil - Batch 72

Question #4: Correct any FIVE of following sentences.

Corrected sentences:

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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.

vi) She is one of the students who have passed competitive exams.

viii) The student learning to play the piano requires a lot of effort.

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

A.
Question #5: Punctuate the following passage:

bill gates once had a coffee teacher.

Solution:

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Bill Gates once had coffee at a coffee shop. When the waiter was taking the dishes away, Bill Gates tipped him 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. "I am the son of a poor carpenter." That is why it is often said, "Never forget your past," because your past is your greatest teacher.

Don't modify the passage just punctuate it

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B. Re-write the following sentences (only five) after filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.

iii) The people were driven to despair by the horrors of war.

v) There were lots of shop on the main street.

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

vi) The thief has run away with some money.

i) He poured the water into the glass.

vii) The government has tided over difficulties

viii) A grey mackintosh was folded over her arm.

Question#6: A. Use only FIVE of following in your own sentences to bring out their meanings.

Words	Sentences
i) Peek (to look quickly, ^{often} secretly)	She couldn't resist taking a quick peek at her surprise gift before her birthday.
Pique (to stimulate interest or curiosity)	His comment about her painting was enough to pique her interest in art history.
vii) Quaint (charmingly unusual or old-fashioned)	The little village had a quaint charm with its cobblestone streets & old cottages.
Queer (strange or odd)	The sudden disappearance of the artifact seemed like a queer occurrence, leaving everyone puzzled.
iii) Voracious (having a great appetite or eagerness)	He had a voracious appetite, devouring books & food alike at an incredible rate.
Veracious (truthful, accurate)	She is known for her veracious reporting, always presenting the facts truthfully.

(ii) Flounder (struggle or sluggish) The new company floundered in the first year due to poor management & lack of direction.

Founder (the owner or operator of a foundry) The founder of the tech startup was once a college student with an innovative idea.

(vi) Discrete (individually separate or distinct) The researcher focused on the discrete variables in the experiment to ensure accurate results.

Discreet (careful or tactful in behaviour) She was discreet in handling sensitive information & never revealed any secrets.

B. Use any five of following in sentences clearly illustrating their meanings. 05/05

(vi) fat & sassy (to be content, well-off, or complacent) After the big meal he felt fat & sassy, ready for a long nap.

(vii) As full as a tick (extremely full or satisfied, especially after eating) After the Thanksgiving feast, everyone at the table was as full as a tick.

(iv) Dead wood (People or things that are no longer useful and should be removed) The company laid off the dead wood to improve efficiency.

(iii) Eat crow (to admit a mistake or wrongdoing with embarrassment.) The manager had to eat crow after the employee's innovative idea saved the project.

ii) Hang up one's hat (to retire or stop working) After decades in the engineering field, Engr. Muzammil finally hung up his hat & moved to the countryside.

Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner

Focus on grammar please

Do not attempt word by word

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An African philosopher once said that when English people came to Africa, they had innovation capabilities & we had land. They said that we have come here to promote you. We trusted them blindly. When we regained consciousness, they had our land & we were left only with innovational capabilities. Similarly, when social networking came into being, they had Facebook & Whatsapp. They claimed it to be free. We again trusted them blindly & when we regained consciousness, we had Facebook & Whatsapp but they acquired our liberty & personal information. Hence, whenever something is free, we have to pay for it by giving away our freedom!

Question # 7 The Visa Dilemma of Schengen Countries for Pakistanis

Title: "Visa Inequities: A Tale of Double Standards"

The rejection of visa applications for Pakistani citizens by Schengen countries highlight the treatment between applicants from

Overall ideas ok
Title needs improvement.
Grammar is ok.

Precis should be one 3rd of original passage
Your passage reflect the original idea
Don't take direct sentences from the passage
It is not the narration do precis
Title should be self-defining and self-explanatory to the passage

different regions. Pakistani applicants often face discriminatory & dismissive attitudes, where their financial documents or intentions are doubted. In contrast, Pakistan welcomes western visitors with hospitality, offering cultural experiences without reciprocal respect. The process of acquiring a visa is difficult & expensive, leaving applicants disheartened even when successful. This unjust treatment portrays Pakistanis as burdens, neglecting their humanity & potential contributions. The narrative challenges Schengen countries to empathize by experiencing similar challenges, urging these countries to recognize that Pakistanis are human beings, not threats, and should be treated with respect and fairness.

Question #3:-

1) What were the reasons behind Foreman's transition from boxing to business? 10/20

Foreman's transition from boxing to business was driven by necessity & opportunity. After his retirement & financial mismanagement, he found himself broke by 1987. His return to boxing helped revive his public persona, but his true success came from capitalizing on his fame with the George Foreman Grill, a decision influenced by his willingness to take risks & listen to advice.

2) What was the competitive advantage of George Foreman Grill?

The George Foreman Grill's competitive advantage lay in its unique design that allowed grease to drain off one side, making it a healthier cooking option. Foreman's marketing strategy emphasizing

Length of Answers is enough
Avoid Irrelevant Ideas and Detail
Avoid Repetition of ideas

family & fun rather than the product itself, also helped the grill become a household name.

3. What would have happened if Foreman had not sold the name rights?

If Foreman had not sold the name rights, he might have faced challenges from increasing competition & market saturation.

By selling at the right time, he avoided potential declines in profit & ensured a substantial financial gain.

4. What kind of contrasted & complementary sentiments are evoked in this story?

The story evokes a contrast between failure & success, ridicule & respect, and despair & hope. Complementary sentiments include resilience, reinvention & balance between leveraging fame & maintaining authenticity.

5. How far is the text successful to present the true picture of Foreman & his struggle?

The text effectively portrays Foreman's journey of resilience & reinvention. It highlights his failures, challenges & eventual triumphs in a balanced manner, showcasing both his vulnerability & strategic acumen. This gives a holistic view of his struggles and achievements.

THE END

