

# ENGLISH (PRECIS AND COMPOSITION)

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Question : 2

Precis Writing

## Respect of state institutions

Respect of state institutions is pivotal to an effective democracy. It is the responsibility of citizens as well as political leaders to respect state institutions. Judiciary is a fundamental institute which demands respect in order to carry out justice. Similarly, Parliamentary institutions being representative of people also needs to be respected without which the democratic ideals can not be attained. Lastly, executive branch must not only be respected but also requires to be trusted by citizens, in order to effectively perform its duties. Hence, respecting these institutions and preserving their sanctity will contribute to just, equal and developed society.

Words in Passage: 106  
Precis words: 100

### Question .3

Read Passage and answer Carefully

Q.1.

Answer

Hiroo is considered as a symbol of strength and loyalty for his extraordinary conduct in World War II. He was a soldier with sense of duty and dedication towards the orders of his superior command. He is a symbol of unwavering loyalty for the discipline and an enduring testament to resilience that he showed for thirty years.

Q.2

Answer.

During World War II, Onoda was sent to Lubang Island in the Philippines. He was sent with orders to disrupt the operations of enemy and engage in guerrilla warfare.



Q.3

Answer

Onoda and his unit remain isolated and unaware of Japan's surrender because they were sent to dense jungles of Lubang Island in Philippines where communication got cut off. Hence, they did not have any authentic source to confirm the surrender.

Q.4

Answer

Over the years, various efforts were made to contact and inform Onoda, which includes dropping leaflets, broadcasting of messages by Philippines government along with other ways to contact. However, the attempts were unsuccessful because Onoda and his men believed them to be an attempt by enemy to trick them and thwart their operation.

Q.5

Answer

Norio Suzuki was an adventurer and the extraordinary tale of Onoda gained his attention, in this way he got involved in Onoda's story. Norio faced some challenges to convince Onoda including venturing into jungles of Lubang in order to find ~~him~~ and convince him that war was over, finding Onoda's former commanding officer who flew to Lubang in order to relieve Onoda ~~from~~ of his duties and finally sought a confirmation from higher-ranking officers.

Question: 4

Correct any five

1- Hassan Ali Gondal will ~~rather~~ stay at home rather than going to polling station.

2. Advocate Malik Huzairfa always looked for an inspiration but none ever came.

5. I wish I could go to back to



earlier times.

8. Not only did Sir Majid grill a steak for Sir Azhar but also cooked biryani for Sir Shahab.

10. I was not satisfied with the education that I received from my university, therefore I took admission in NOA.

### Question. 5 A

#### Punctuation

Bill Clinton walked into a Karachi restaurant and asked the waiter, "do you have biryani?"

The waiter grinned, "of course, sir. Our biryani is so good, it will make you forget your own name!" Bill laughed, "I hope not! I need that for Imran!"

Later, during a power outage, Imran quipped, "in Pakistan, we do not need candles; our biryani alone can light up the room." Bill replied, "true, and if you add some spicy chutney, we might even have a disco party." They

both chuckled, realizing that in Pakistan, humor and hospitality go hand in hand, making every meal and unforgettable experience.

Question: 5 B

ii. The cat jumped onto the table and knocked over the vase

iii. We walked over the bridge to reach the other side of river

iv. He hid the gift under the bed to surprise his sister later

v. The book is in the shelf, right next to the encyclopedia.

vii. The plane flew over the clouds, offering a breathtaking view.



## Question : 6 A

### a- Elephant in the room

The ~~rate~~ atrocities of Israel in Gaza is an Elephant in the room yet United states is constantly ignoring it.

### d- Castles in the air

It is important to work hard rather than only making castles in the air.

### e- Crocodile tears

Israel shed crocodile tears about anti-semitism whereas carrying out atrocities in Gaza.

### f- Jump on the bandwagon

One must confirm any information before jumping on the bandwagon of misinformation.

j- Bite off more than one can chew  
United states has worked Yemen

to <sup>not</sup> bite off more than it can chew especially in reference to Yemen's role in middle east.

### Question : 6 B

- Meer asked Ranjha where he had been, she had missed him so much.
- Ranjha told Meer that he had to travel. He ~~said~~ <sup>but</sup>, his heart never left her. He asked how had she been.
- Meer told him that she was lovely without him. She asked him to tell her about his journey.
- Ranjha told her that it was a quest for self-discovery. He wandered through valleys and crossed rivers, but his thoughts were always with her.
- Meer then asked about what <sup>had</sup> he learnt on his journey.
- Ranjha told her that he learnt the value of struggle and the strength it gave.
- Meer told Ranjha that she had been counting the days until his return.



- Ranjha replied to Meer that he had been counting the moment until he could succeed in his final goal.
- Meer told Ranjha not to dwell on the time apart. They were together, and that was all that mattered.
- Ranjha ~~replied~~ <sup>negated</sup> Meer and said that the exams were near and he had to leave. He further said that his success shall conquer distance and time.

## Question .7

### Translation

All degrees are going to become useless in the next three years. The pace of technology and the urge to benefit from it is so rapid that our previous information and sources of information, even our curriculum and subject, everything ~~is~~ <sup>are</sup> becoming obsolete. When every sort of information becomes available on palm length mobile screen, then skill overshadows knowledge and action takes over thought. Now ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> question is how will ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> preachers on podium be able to grab complete

attention of the listeners and how  
will teachers teach the students about  
the secrets of universe, while sitting  
in class, ~~who~~ can benefit from internet.

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