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ENGLISH PRECIS AND COMPOSITION:

Part - II

Question: 2

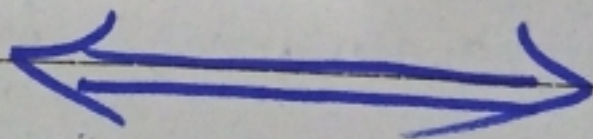
Make a precis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

Title : The Cycle of Societal Progress

Sheikh Rashid, founder of modern Dubai, discusses the cyclical nature of societal development in an interview. He uses a metaphor of generational change from camels to luxury vehicles and potentially back to camels to illustrate historical patterns. Rashid emphasizes how adversity builds resilience and strength, crucial for progress, while prosperity can lead to complacency and decline.

His call "raise warriors, not parasites" urges future generations to embody resilience and responsibility. Education play a key role in shaping resilient societies capable of sustaining prosperity. Rashid's insight stress the need for continuous effort and foresight in preparing for challenges ahead, ensuring societies face adversity with strength rather than weakness.

Original Passage = 511
Total words = 110



Question: 3

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Question 1:

Q: What were the conditions like for the five-year-old girl in the winter of 1950 when she was found by the Turkish soldier Suleyman?

Ans: The conditions for the five-year-old girl in the winter of 1950 were harsh. She was cold and scared, dressed in tattered clothes, crying loudly in the freezing weather that dropped to minus 5 degrees.

Question 2:

Q: How did the young Turkish soldier Suleyman come to find and take care of the Korean girl during the war?

Ans: The Young Turkish Soldier Suleyman found the Korean girl, named Ayla, during the war when he noticed her crying and alone. He learned that her entire family had been killed, prompting him to take under his care. Suleyman and the military camp became her new family.

Question: 3

Q: What actions did Suleyman take to try to reunite with Ayla after they were separated by the war?

Ans: After the Turkish Soldiers had to leave Korea, Suleyman tried to take Ayla with him to Turkey, but it was not possible due to circumstances of the war. He hoped to reunite with her during events like the Turkish National Football Team's World Cup match in South Korea in 2002.

Question: 4

Q: How was Ayla eventually rediscovered after many years, and what was her reaction upon being shown old photos?

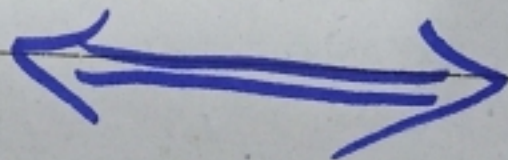
Ans: Ayla was eventually rediscovered many years later when a South Korean journalist investigated Suleyman's story. It was discovered that her official name was Kim Eunja, and she was living in South Korea. Upon being shown old photos, Ayla recognized Suleyman and tearfully affirmed that he was her hero.

Question: 5

Q: What impact did the story of Ayla and Sergeant Suleyman have, and how was it later commemorated in popular culture?

Ans: The story of Ayla and Sergeant Suleyman touched many hearts globally.

It inspired the Turkish film "Ayla: The Daughter of War", released in 2017 which became Turkey's official submission for the Best Foreign Language film category at the Oscars. Although the film did not make the final shortlist, the story continued to resonate, highlighting the enduring impact of their reunion and the bond forged during times of conflict.



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Question: 4

Q: Correct any five of the following sentences.

i Real good parents, always listen to their children.

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ii. Speech is silver, silence is gold.
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iii - Not only he was a teacher, but he was also a renowned researcher.

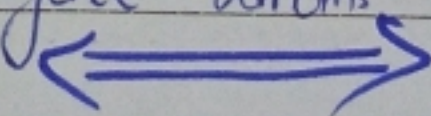
Not only was he a teacher, but he was also a renowned researcher.

iv. Looking through the view finder, some strangers could be seen.

Looking through the viewfinder, some strangers could be seen.

vii A little elegance is left in those arrogant youth.

A little elegance remains in those arrogant youth.

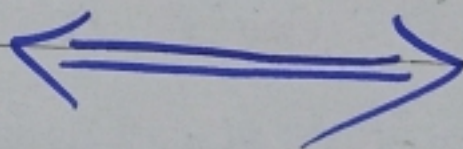


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Question: 5 Part (A)

Q: Punctuate the following passage.

"A young man recognized a minister. The minister was eating at a famous restaurant. After the meal, he asked for the bill. The waiter said, 'Sir, the guy sitting in front paid your bill.' He was surprised. He went to the young man and shook his hand. 'Why did you pay my bill?' the minister asked. 'Are you the minister?' The boy smiled. 'Yes,' the minister nodded. Then the boy said, 'We also pay your electricity, gas, and phone bills. Why not the food?'"



Question: 5 - Part (B)

Q: Re-write the following sentences
Only five after filling in the
blanks with appropriate prepositions.

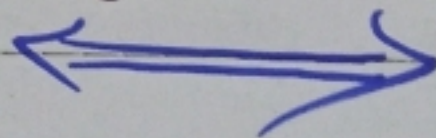
i. The book is lying on the desk.

ii. Send this book to my address.

iii. Pakistan is to the west of India.

iv. He has been away for the last two
months.

vii. He is arriving at 3:15 train.



(10)

Question: 6 Part (A)

Q: Use of only five of the following in your own sentences to bring out their meanings.

1. A fish out of water:

After moving from the countryside to the bustling city, Aiman felt like a fish out of water among the skyscrapers and busy streets.

2. To give the devil his due:

Despite their arguments, Laiba acknowledged his work hard and dedication — she always believed in giving the devil his due.

3. To play truant:

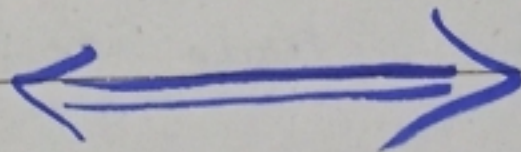
As a teenager, Ali used to play truant with his friends, sneaking out of school to explore the nearby woods.

4. Live wire :

Sarah is a live wire at parties, always energetic and engaging everyone with her stories and jokes.

5. On pins and needles :

Sana was on pins and needles waiting for the results of her college entrance exam, anxious about whether she would get accepted.



Question: 6 Part: (B)

Q: Choose the ANALOGY of words written in capital letters. Attempt any Five (5).

i. LION : ROAR

Goat : Bleat

ii. CLOT : BLOOD

Curdle : milk

iii. EXPEDITE : HASTEN

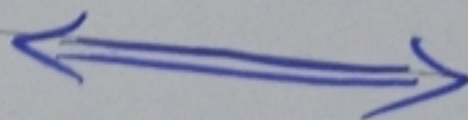
Facilitate : Make easiest

iv. SURGEON : DEXTEROUS

Acrobat : Agile

v. SHADOW : LIGHT

Image : Object



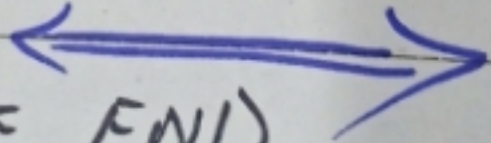
Question: 7

Q: Translate the following into English, keeping in view the idiomatic/figurative expression.

Translation:

If you have ever traveled internationally and taken a transit flight from Dubai, Qatar, Kuwait. You must have observed that the atmosphere at the gate where the passengers to Japan are waiting for the flight is calm. And they all look almost the same in their behavior, dress, style, discipline and appearance. You go walk in front of German gate, the same will happen there, Malaysia, China, Spain, Australia, Newzealand, visit all the gates, the conditions will be more or less the same, a national uniformity will be seen. When Pakistanis reach the gate, diversity is seen here instead of a single nation. The faces of the majority fell down. The sounds of children crying. Half dressed in pants shirts and jeans, some in shalwar kameez.

Newlyweds Somewhere Brides drink
mehndi for their hands, and old
mothers-in-law suffer from joint pain.
Someone young men who have come
to work abroad are sitting in the
corner, clothes on their shoulders and
children's bags in their hands. Toffees
are business class traveling bureaucrats
dressed in safari suits.



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