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MOCK Exam 4  
English (Precis And Composition)

Part - II

Q No 3

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:  
Questions

1. What is drought and what are its consequences?

A. When there is no rainfall for long period of time in a particular area. It is called as drought. Drought led to dire consequences such as streams and rivers dried up, cattle died due to lack of water / thirst and the crops ruined because of drought as crops require water for their growth. Therefore, no rainfall for long period of time is called drought and rivers, streams dried up, cattle died and crops ruined are the consequences of it.

2. Does the writer endorse the popular sayings about the red sky?

A. The writer endorses the popular sayings about the red sky by saying that many of weather sayings are still

heard today. The one most common is 'A red sky at night is the shepherd's delight. A red sky in the morning is the shepherd's warning.' It's sometimes right but more often wrong. Therefore, in such a way the writers endorse the popular sayings about the red sky.

3. **Is weather forecasting a science; if so, what is it called?**

A. Yes, weather forecasting is a science and it is called as Meteorology or weather science. Weather forecasting is a science in which atmospheric phenomenon and atmospheric pressure are studied that depicts impact on weather. Therefore, in such a way weather forecasting is carried out.

4. **Why is it not easy to forecast the weather?**

A. Forecasting the weather is not easy because it has always been difficult business to find out what will be the weather pattern in upcoming days. Major reason of difficulty is that many different things can affect the weather and it is necessary to carefully study before making any fairly accurate forecast. Therefore, it is not easy to forecast the weather as

Q. How would the moon help the people in forecasting weather?

A. The moon help the people in forecasting weather because it is believe by the people that moon is controlling the weather. They believe it hold alot of water, especially when crescent sickle-shaped moon it lay on its back. Even today there are people who think that the sight of moon flying on its back means that the rain is on its way. Therefore, such assumption and believes about moon help people in forecasting weather.

### Q No 4

Correct any five of the following sentences.

i. The priest joined the bride and groom together in holy wedlock.

The priest joined the bride and groom in holy wedlock.

ii. Allen Turing was a scholar, a scientist, and artistic.

Allen Turing was a scholar, scientist and artist.

iii. Tim let his son to swim with her friends.

Tim let his son to swim with

iv. He has his friends. subscription to  
that magazine.

He has four-years subscription to  
that magazine.

v. Your heritage is different than mine.  
Your heritage is different than me.

### Q NO 5 (A)

Punctuate the following passage.

A fly sat on one of the shafts of a cart, and said to the mule, "Who was pulling it? How slow you are! Do mend your pace or I shall have to use my sting?" As a goad. The mule was not in the least disturbed, Behind me. In the cart said, "He sits my master." He hold the reins and flicks me with his whip and him. I obey but I don't want any of your impertinence. I know, when I may dandle and when I may not."

### Part (B)

Rewrite the following sentences after filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.

i. We walked on the beach for several hours last night.

ii. Sam is going to the meeting at place of his brother, who has to work.

iii. If you study the material very in thoroughly, you will have no trouble in the examination.

iv. The course will commence on 1st March, 2025.

v. Prop this cycle with the wall.

### Q No 6 (A)

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

(i) Peel, Peel

Peel (تقشير) - (To take off skin (fruits vegetables))

Can you peel off these potatoes I have to cook food?

(ii) Room, Rheum

Room (غرفة) - (Room in house)

She decorated her room with lights.

(iii) Wreak, Reek

Wreak (اقتراض) - (situation of uncertainty, destruction)

The storm wreak havoc in the town.

(iv) Taught, Taught  
Taught <sup>تدریس</sup> / - (teaching or learned  
by teacher or person)

Our mathematics teacher taught us Mathematics in very easy way.

(v) Palate, Palette

Palette <sup>پالتی</sup> - (A thin board in which different colors are placed e.g. painting colors or cosmetic (eye shadow colors))

Her eye shadow palette have 85 colors.

### Part (B)

Rewrite the following dialogue, written in direct speech, in a paragraph form.

Judge asked Mr. Thompson you are seeking compensation for wrongful termination? Plaintiff (Mr. Thompson) said replied, Yes, your Honor it was unfairly dismissed. Judge asked that you were let go after eight months, correct? He said yes. Judge said that under the law, employees with less than a year aren't eligible

for relief unless there's evidence of discrimination or a specific rights violation. Plaintiff said, "I feel my rights were violated." Judge replied, "I understand but without those grounds, I can't grant relief." Plaintiff said, "So there's nothing I can do?" Judge replied, "Correct Mr. Thompson: My hands are tied by the law." Then Plaintiff said, "Thank you, Your Honor. I understand." Then Judge dismissed the case.

### Q no 7

**Translate the following into English.....**

Recently, In Lahore there was book festival aiming to promote literature activities. But there were a lot of food stalls that were selling non-literary items/things instead of promoting books and literature. Therefore controversy started that either it is Book and literature festival or food stalls festival. It put back actual purpose of festival. Many participants looked desperate and felt that festival became eating bazaar more. Instead of Books festival, in which Books, authors and dialogue writer

have given less importance and space. In the festival food stalls became more important instead of selling and purchasing of books. Therefore, discussion started that either this ceremony was fulfilling its purpose or it was only related to economic benefits.

Q No 2  
Make a precis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

Precis Title:

"Building a Future: From Weapons to Peace"

OR

"Man-Made Problems, Man-Made Solutions: The Pursuit of Peace"

Precis:

I speak ~~in favour~~ for peace over war, particularly in an age of devastating nuclear capability that are harmful for the humanity and future generations. Many powerful countries spent billions annually on making nuclear weapons and stockpiles to deter conflict. Such preparations can never create nor guarantee peace in this world.



I speak for a peace that is rational and shift of mind that is promoted by the citizens, leaders.

It is unachievable and unrealistic for some peoples. While it is man made problem and it has <sup>man-</sup>made solution.

Peace need not be impracticable and war need not be inevitable. It only requires strong <sup>global</sup> commitment and a clearer vision that peace is achievable and war is not inevitable.

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