

QUESTION : 09

The Pursuit of Peace

Total war is unnecessary in an era where nuclear capabilities threaten global annihilation. The destructive power of a single nuclear weapon surpasses that of all allied forces in the Second World War, and nuclear exchange would have eternal consequences for the present and the future. Presently, peace is maintained by investing billions of dollars, annually, in weapons that we never need to use, but this is the most efficient way of ensuring peace. The speaker emphasizes peace as the rational objective for humanity, acknowledging that advocating for peace may lack the drama of war and glory falls on deaf ears. Yet, the pursuit of peace remains urgent. Some argue that peace is unattainable without more enlightened attitudes

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from perceived adversaries, the speaker urges self reflection on our attitudes toward peace. Viewing peace as impractical is defeatist. Instead, by redefining and clarifying our goals we can foster hope and inspire collective efforts towards achieving global peace.

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Q Correct any 5 of the sentences

1, Allen Turing was a scholar, a scientist, and artistic.
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The dispute between the faculty and the administration was not resolved until they got better working conditions.

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Being thoroughly dissatisfied with the painting, it was hidden in the closet.

Being thoroughly dissatisfied with the painting, he hid it in the closet.

Tim let his son to swim with her friends.

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He has four-years subscription to that magazine.

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A. Punctuate the following passage.

A fly sat on 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 holds 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 dawdle and when I may not."

B. Rewriting with prepositions.

1/ We walked by the beach for several hours last night.

2/ Sam is going to the meeting in place of his brother, who has to work.

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3, We were walking through the woods when, all of a sudden we heard a strange sound.

4, The course will commence on 1st May, 2025.

5, Prop this cycle against the wall.

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A Sentences.

1a Creak:

The old wooden door began to creak as I slowly pushed it open.

1b Creak:

We sat up our campsite near the creek to enjoy the soothing sound of the flowing water.

2a Elicit:

The teacher's question was intended to elicit thoughtful responses from the students.

2b Illicit:

The police discovered an illicit drug operation in the abandoned warehouse.

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In court the Judge addressed Mr. Thompson confirming if he was seeking compensation for wrongful termination. Mr. Thompson affirmed, stating that he believed he had been unfairly dismissed. The Judge then clarified that he had been let go after eight months, and Mr. Thompson confirmed it. The judge explained that under the law employees with less than year were not eligible for relief unless there was evidence of discrimination or a specific rights violation. Mr. Thompson explained that he believed his rights were violated. The judge acknowledged his concern but stated that without those grounds he could not grant relief. Mr. Thompson inquired if there was anything he could do. The Judge reiterated that his hands were tied by the law. The plaintiff thanked the judge expressing his understanding. The judge dismissed the case.

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→ Answer the questions after reading the passage.

Q1 What is drought and what are its consequences?

Drought is a prolonged period of unusually low rainfall, leading to shortage of water in the region. Its consequences include the drying up of rivers and streams, cattle dies from thirst due to scarcity of water. It also impacts the growth and availability of crops.

Q2 Does the writer endorse the popular sayings about the red sky?

No, the writer does not entirely endorse the popular sayings about the red sky. He believes that sayings of such sort are more often ~~high~~ wrong than right. He further explains that if the saying about red sky and hundreds of other sayings like it were true, there would be no need for

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weather science or meteorology.

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

Yes weather forecasting is a science and it is called Meteorology. Meteorology involves studying the atmosphere and its processes to predict weather conditions. It uses scientific principles, data from satellites and weather stations to analyze atmospheric patterns, precipitation, wind and other weather phenomena.

4) Why is it not easy to forecast the weather?

Forecasting the weather, or trying to find out what it will be like in several days' time, has always been a difficult business. Many different things affect the weather and each one has to be carefully studied before we can make even a fairly accurate forecast.

5) How would the moon help the people in forecasting the weather?

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In early times when there were no instruments, man looked for tell-tale signs in the sky. In the past, and even today some people believe that the sight of the moon lying on its back means that the rain is on its way.

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Recently a controversy erupted in a book festival in Lahore. Instead of focusing on books and literary activities, several stalls were selling food and non-literary items. This pushed the actual purpose of the festival to the back. Many participants expressed disappointment, and felt that book festival has become a food market, where there is little space and attention for books, authors, and literary dialogue. Due to the reason of focusing excessively on food stalls in this festival, instead of promoting study and book sale → a debate initiated, whether this event fulfilled its literary goal, or simply

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preferred trade benefits.