

ENGLISH

PRECIS AND COMPOSITION

QUESTION 2

PRECIS

TITLE

“The urgency of Peace in nuclear age”

The speaker emphasizes the need for peace in the context of modern warfare, particularly due to the destructive power of nuclear weapons which makes total war impractical. They argue that the enormous expenditures on nuclear armaments perpetuate fears rather than security. Instead there should be a focus on dialogue, cooperation and disarmament as rational means to achieve peace. The pursuit of peace is framed as an urgent and essential task for leaders to prioritize, benefiting future generations.

QUESTION 3

1. What is drought.....?

Drought is prolonged period of abnormally low rainfall. It leads to a shortage of water. Its consequences can be severe, including the drying up of streams and rivers, loss of cattle due to thirst and ruined crops. These effects lead to food shortage and economic difficulties.

2. Does writer endorse.....?

NO, the writer does not endorse the popular sayings about the red sky. He only focuses on the historical context of weather and how people in past attempted to predict the weather.

3. Is weather.....?

Yes, it is considered as science called meteorology. In this we study different weather

Conditions.

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

It is not easy to forecast the weather because many different factors affect it. The complexity of the atmosphere and the interactions between different elements like temperature, humidity and wind make it challenging to provide precise forecasts.

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

In early times, people believed that the moon could help in forecasting the weather. They thought that the moon controlled the weather and that its shapes and positions could indicate upcoming weather conditions. For example, the sight of a crescent sickle-shaped moon lying on its back was thought to mean that rain was on the way.

QUESTION 4

CORRECTION

1. The professor joined the bride and groom together in the holy wedlock.
7. Your heritage is different from mine.
2. Alan Turing was a scholar, a scientist and an artist.
6. He has four year subscription to that magazine.
5. Tim let his son to swim with his friends.

QUESTION 5

PUNCTUATE

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, "sit my master
He holds the reins and
flicks me with his whip,
and him I obey. But I
don't want any of you
impertinence. I know when
I may dawdle and when
I may NOT."

B

Re-WRITE

1. We walked along the beach
for several hours last night
8. Do this cycle against the wall.
7. The course will commence on
1st May, 2025

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

3. The article discusses for the most part the possibility of life on other planets.

QUESTION 6

SENTENCES

1. Creak

The floor creaked as I walked across it.

Creek

The creek flows gently through the forest.

2. Peal

The Peal of laughter filled the room.

Peel

I will peel the banana for my snack.

3. Wreak

The storm will wreak havoc on the town.

Reek

After the workout, he began to reek up sweat.

4. Taut

His muscles felt taut after the intense workout.

Taught

She taught her little brother how to ride a bicycle.

5. Rheum

I woke up with rheum in my eyes.

Room

I cleaned my room before my friends came over.

B

Mr. Thompson addressed the judge, stating that he was seeking compensation for wrongful termination. He expressed his belief

that he was unfairly dismissed. The judge confirmed that Mr. Thompson had been let go after eight months and reminded him that, under the law, employees with less than a year of service aren't eligible for ~~seep~~ unless there is evidence of discrimination or a specific rights violation. Mr. Thompson insisted that he felt his feelings but explained that without those grounds, he couldn't grant relief. Mr. Thompson then asked if there was nothing he could do, and the judge replied that his hands were tied by the law. Mr. Thompson thanked the judge and indicated that he understood, leading the judge to dismiss the case.

Question 7

TRANSLATION

Recently, a conflict arose at a book fair in Lahore because

Instead of focusing on books and literary activities, there were multiple stalls selling food and non-literary items, which overshadowed the primary purpose of the fair. Many participants expressed disappointment and felt that the book fair had turned into more of a food market with limited space and attention given to books, authors and literary discussion.
