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Q1: Précis

Peace lies within the Individual

War is futile as it only causes destruction. ~~Nuclear weapon~~ There is no need to use nuclear weapons which cause ten times more destruction than it was caused by Allied powers in World War II. Every year billions of dollars are spent on deterrence ~~in order~~ to keep peace. But the powers which can only cause destruction can never keep peace which is relatively easier than war. People believe that it is impossible to avoid war but it is possible if people examine their own-self. Avoiding war lies within the attitude and believe of a person.

Q2: COMPREHENSION

Answer 1:

Drought is defined as the time period when no rainfall occurs, streams and rivers dries up, and there is shortage of water for humans, animals and crops. As a result, animals die from thirst and crops get ruined.



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Answer 2:

The writer talks about the prediction of weather in earlier times. People used to predict the weather by looking at the position of the moon. These types of predictions also exist today but most oftenly they are wrong. If they were true, why would the scientists ~~create~~ invented technologies.

ANSWER 3:

Weather forecasting is a science. It deals with the study of weather which is known as meteorology. Instruments such as thermometer and barometer are used for it.

Answer 4:

It is not easy to forecast the weather because many different factors affect the weather and knowledge about each factor is necessary to forecast the weather.

Answer 5: In early times, man used different methods to forecast the weather, one of which was looking at the position of the moon. He thought that the moon controlled the weather. They believed the ~~the~~ sight of <sup>the</sup> moon lying on its back means that the rain is on its way.

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## Q 4: Correction of the Sentences.

(ii) The priest joined the bride and the groom together in holy wedlock.

(iii) Allen Turing was a scholar, scientist, and artist.

(iv) The dispute between the faculty and the administration ~~was~~ did not resolve until they got better working conditions.

(v) Tim let his son with his friends to swim.

(vi) Your heritage is different than that of mine.

## Q 5: (a) Punctuation

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." "Is 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."



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I know when I may dawdle and  
when I may not.

### (b) Prepositions

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

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

(v) If you study the material very  
thoroughly, you will have no trouble  
in the examination.

(vi) We were walking in the woods  
when, all of a sudden, we heard  
a strange sound.

(vii) The course will commence on  
1st May, 2025.

### Q6: (A) Pair of words

(iv) Peel: She grinded the peel of an  
orange to use it in a  
remedy.

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(vi) Faint : She fainted as she was  
starving since morning.

Faint :

(v) Taught : Sir Ali taught us science  
when we were in grade 2.

Taut :

(iii) Palate :

Palette : The color palette is  
full of vibrant hues.

(i) Creak : We were walking on the  
road when a creaking voice  
came behind the tree.

Creek : ~~Str~~ ~~CREEK~~

### (B) Dialogue

The Judge asked Mr. Thompson that was he seeking compensation for wrongful termination. Plaintiff agreed with the Judge as he believed he was unfairly dismissed. The Judge confirmed that Plaintiff were let go after eight months. The Judge further said that under the law, employees with less than a year weren't



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eligible for relief unless there's evidence of the discrimination or a specific rights violation. Plaintiff immediately rejected and said he felt his rights were violated. The Judge answered that he understood, but without these grounds, he couldn't grant ~~that~~ relief. Plaintiff sorrowfully asked was there nothing he could do. The Judge replied that his hands were tied by the law. At last Plaintiff thanked the Judge and the case dismissed.

### Q7 Translation

Presently, in Lahore, there arised a conflict in a book fair because instead of the focus on the books and literature activities there were multiple stalls on which food items and things other than literature were <sup>being</sup> sold which lacked behind the main aim of the ~~book fair~~ book fair. Many participants were disappointed and felt that the "Book Fair" had become a food market: in which books, authors and literary discussion got less space and focus. In this fair, due to more focus on food stalls instead of promoting literature and book selling, a conflict started that

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whether this event was fulfilling its literary objective or just giving priority to the benefits of the trade.

