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Q3. Comprehension.

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1. What is drought what are its consequences?

Drought is a natural calamity. During this period there is no rain and consequently the rivers and streams dry up. This results in the death of animals due to thirst. The crops are ruined due to lack of water. Avoid cutting.

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

'A red sky at night is the shepherd's delight. A red sky in the morning is the shepherd's warning.' The saying is not endorsed by the writer. In his opinion if this saying is considered right then there would be no need for the weather science.

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

Weather forecasting is indeed a science, known as meteorology. It involves the scientific method of observation, gathering of data and factors that effect that data and finally the results.

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

Weather forecasting is a difficult task. It involves studying of various factors carefully which affects the weather so that the weather can be predicted accurately.

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

Man looked for tell-tale signs in the sky. Like wise, he thought moon controlled the weather. It hold alot of water, especially when as a crescent - sickle shaped moon lay on its back. This position of the moon indicated of rainfall.

In comprehension answer each question comprehensively  
Do not be irrelevant in your answer  
Please enhance length of each answer  
Read the passage carefully



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Q4. Correct the sentences:

- i) The Priest joined the bride and groom together in holy wedlock.  
The bride and groom are joined together in holy wedlock by the Priest.
- iii) The dispute between faculty and administration was not resolved until they got better working conditions.  
The dispute until the faculty got better between faculty and administration will not resolve, until they got better working conditions.
- ii) Allen Turing was a scholar, a scientist, and artistic.  
Allen Turing was a scholar, a scientist, and an artist.
- v) Tim let his son to swim with her friends.  
Tim let his daughter swim with her friends.
- io He has four-years subscription to that magazine.  
He has four-years subscription of that magazine.

Q5. Punctuation:

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A fly sat on one of the shafts of a cart and said to the mule, "How slow you are; <sup>Pat</sup> mend your <sup>Pat</sup> 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 rein 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!"

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B. Write appropriate prepositions:

- 1) We walked on along the beach for several hours last night.
- 2) John calls his brother, in hopes of finding somebody to watch his children.
- 3) The course will commence on May, 2025.
- 4) If you study the material very thoroughly, you will have no trouble in the examination.
- 5) Sam is going to the meeting in place of his brother, who has to work.



## B- Rewrite dialogue in paragraph form:

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The Judge <sup>Review the rules of Narration then attempt</sup> asked Mr. Thompson, "you're seeking compensation for wrong full termination?" To which Mr. Thompson replied, "Yes, Your Honor, I believe I was unfairly dismissed." The Judge asked him, "You were let go after eight months, correct?" Mr. Thompson ~~agreed~~ <sup>agreed</sup>, "Yes." The Judge then told Mr. Thompson, "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." Mr. Thompson exclaimed, "But I feel my rights were violated." To which the Judge replied that "I understand but without these grounds, I can't grant relief." Mr. Thompson ~~pleaded~~ <sup>pleaded</sup>, "So there's nothing I can do?" The Judge replied, "Correct." Mr. Thompson put his hand over his face and said, "Mr. Thompson said, 'Thank you - Your Honor, I understand.' The Judge dismissed the case."



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Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner  
Focus on grammar please

Do not attempt word by word

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Recently, at an event of book fair in Lahore, a conflict arose because instead of focusing on the books and literary activities there were many stalls where food and non-literary things were sold. which detracted the real goal of book fair at the back end. A lot of people were disappointed in the

book fair because they felt that the event was not a food fair where books, authors and literary conversations were focused upon. In this event the main focus was food due to which a debate was rising that whether this event was fulfilling its purpose or it was just prioritizing the basic interests and profits.

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Precis:

## Peace as a Practical Goal

"Peace is not a myth."

The author advocates peace because war means use of nuclear weapons which have deadly implications even on the unborn generation. The purchasing of weapons by nations is done to ensure the peace. Most people would say that world peace is a myth until all the world leaders adopt enlightened attitude. We should evaluate our attitude towards peace. A lot of people think peace is impossible and believe war is the only way to achieve it. It is blind in precis which is a dangerous belief.

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## General Instructions

Precis should be one 3rd of original passage

Your passage reflect the original idea

Don't take direct sentences from the passage

It is not the narration of the passage

Title should be self-defining and self-explanatory to the passage