

In comprehension answer each question comprehensively

Do not be irrelevant in your answer

Please enhance length of each answer

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Read the passage carefully

Q3

(i) What is drought and what are its consequences?

Ans A drought is natural phenomenon in which no rains fall for long periods of time.

It causes lakes, streams and rivers to dry, which results in loss of crops and livestock.

(ii) Does the writer endorse the popular sayings about the red sky.

Ans No, the writer does not endorse the popular saying. 'A red sky at night is the shepherd's delight. A red sky in the morning is the shepherd's warning.' However, the writer claims that the probability of this being right is less than being wrong. He says that if such sayings were true then there would be no need of weather science or technology.

meteorology

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

Explain with the understanding of the passage and question

Ans Yes, weather forecasting is a science as it is based on analysis of various environmental factors through technology. It is called meteorology.

(iv) Why is it not easy to forecast the weather?

Ans Weather forecasting or to find out what it will be like in several day's time, has always been a difficult task. There are a lot of different factors that affect the weather and these factors must be thoroughly analyzed before predicting the weather forecasting. Technological advancement has made it quicker to know the future forecast.

(v) How would the moon help the people in forecasting weather?

Ans In ancient times, before the invention of instruments like thermometer and barometer, people used to predict weather by looking at the objects in the sky. They believed that moon ~~controlled~~ all weather and it ~~was~~ full of water. They predicted weather by the shape of the ~~current~~ sickle-shaped moon and even today such practices prevails.

Q4

08/10

(i) The priest joined the bride and groom in holy wedlock. ✓

(ii) Alan Turing was a scholar, a scientist and an artist. ✓

(iv) Tim let his son ~~to~~ swim with his friends. ✓

(vi) He has a ~~four-year~~ subscription to that magazine. ✗

(vii) Your heritage is different from mine. ✓

Q5 (B)

03/05

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

(iv) John called his brother ~~in~~ <sup>to</sup> hopes of finding somebody to watch his children.

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

(vi) We were walking ~~to~~ the woods when, all of a sudden we heard a strange sound. <sup>through</sup> ✗

(vii) The course will commence ~~from~~ <sup>on</sup> 1st May, 2025. ✗

Qs (A)

02/05

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 ~~goal~~<sup>1</sup> the mule was not in the least disturbed. ~~Behind~~<sup>2</sup> ~~Avoid cutting~~

1) Behind me in the cart, said he, sits my master, ~~He~~<sup>3</sup> holds the reins and flicks me with his whip and him I obey; but I don't want any of your impertinence. I know where I may dangle and where I may not. <sup>1</sup>)

Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner

Focus on grammar please

Do not attempt word by word

Q7 Translation:

-04/10

Recently, a controversy broke out in a book fair in Lahore, as literature activities were outnumbered by the <sup>literary</sup> food stalls and stalls selling <sup>non-literature</sup> items, this over-shadowed the true essence <sup>of the book fair</sup>.

Many participants expressed utter disappointment and felt it was more like a food festival, where <sup>✓</sup> food was given more ~~attention~~ than books and literary discussions. Due to giving more attention to food stalls instead of books reading and purchasing, a debate started whether this event was serving its literary purpose or it was <sup>only</sup> prioritizing ~~✓~~ economic interests. commercial

# The Pursuit of Peace In a Nuclear Age

## Peace as a Practical Goal

The author advocates for peace in the new age of war. In an era where great powers have acquired nuclear weapons, even a single weapon can cause more disaster than all the Allied air forces did in the Second World War. Moreover, the consequences of a nuclear weapons exchange would be far-reaching, intoxicating the environment and causing severe damage to the future generations.

### General Instructions

Every year billions of dollars are spent on

the weapons to prevent their use, which

is necessary to achieve peace. However, the

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than the message of peace. People argue that hostile nations should enlighten themselves. The author wishes this would happen, but he also realizes that everyone must revisit their own attitudes on both individual and national levels. Everyone must understand that peace is not an impractical idea and that ~~now~~ is not an inevitable reality. By doing this, we can take steps towards peace and instill hope in masses.

Don't use "I,we,our,us" in precis

It is blunder in precis

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