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Mock #05

English (Precis & Composition)

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Part - II

Q NO 2 : Prec is

In this age of nuclear forces and explosive nuclear weapons, it is useless to talk about total war. Deadly poisons produced by nuclear weapons have far reaching effects even for generations yet unborn. Today world is busy in buying billion dollars weapons to live peaceful life though these stockpile will only make destructions. But being peace wisher we can make change because these problems are man-made.

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

We can do this by repairing of our attitude firstly as an individual and then as a nation. By making our goals clear and prioritizing peace we can make change and

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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 do precis

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

- ① Means of Peace in Nuclear Age
② Pursuit of Peace in Weaponary World

In comprehension answer each question comprehensively

Do not be irrelevant in your answer

Please enhance length of each answer

Read the passage carefully

Q NO 3: Reading Comprehension

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Answers:

(1) Drought is a condition or time period when no rain falls for days or even for many weeks. It has many consequences such as rivers and streams dried up. It also results in the death of many animals as they do not get water for drinking. Drought also destroys crops.

(2) Writer does not endorse the popular saying about the red sky. According to him these sayings are sometimes right but mostly wrong. If sayings like it were true, then there would be no need to develop meteorology or meteorology. So, these sayings are not correct always.

(3) Yes, weather forecasting is a science and it is called weather science or meteorology. In past times people forecasts by watching the flights of birds or the way smoke rose from a fire. But in modern times different instruments such as thermometer or barometer etc. are used to forecasts weather.

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(4) It is really difficult to forecast the weather or trying to find out what it will be like in several days' time. This is because there are different things that affect the weather and it is very important to study those factors and things carefully to make an accurate forecast.

Write factors affecting the weather

(5) Moon helped the people in forecasting weather because they thought that the moon controlled ~~the~~ the weather because it held a lot of water, especially when as a crescent sickle-shaped moon it lay on its back. Even today there are people who think that the sight of moon lying on its back means that it is going to be raining soon.

Q NO 4: Correction

- (i) The priest joined the bride and the groom together in holy wedlock.
- (ii) Allen Turing was a scholar, a scientist, and an artist.
- (iv) Tim let his son to swim with his friends.
- (iii) The dispute between the faculty and the administration was not resolved until they got better working conditions.
- (vii) Yours heritage is different than mine.

Q NO 5:(A): Punctuation

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A fly sat on ~~the~~ 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 sits my master, he holds the reins and flicks me with his whip and him I

obey but I donot want any of your impertience. I know when I may dandle and when I may not.

B- Appropriate Prepositions:

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viii- Prop this cycle against the wall.

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

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

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

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

Q NO 6:

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Part - A: Pair of Words

Faint, Feint

Sara called her friend in a faint~~ed~~ voice.

~~a deceptive movement~~ feint due to workload.

Both words should be "Correct" to get marks

Taut, Taught

Teacher taught a great lesson to the students.

Student sit on taut in the Boys' Government School.

Part - B:

Review the rules of narration

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In the courtroom Judge asked Mr. Thompson that you are seeking compensation for wrongful termination. In response Mr. Thompson said, yes, Your Honour. I believe I was unfairly dismissed. Judge further investigate you were let go after eight months, correct? Mr. Thompson replied yes. On this Judge said that under the law, employees with less than a year are not eligible for relief unless there is evidence of discrimination or a specific rights violation and I

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can't grant relief. On this Mr. Thompson said that my rights were violated. He further asked there is nothing I can do? Judge said my hands are tied by the law. Mr. Thompson thanks judge and judge dismissed the case.

Q NO 7: Translation

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A conflict arose in a recent book fair that held in Lahore because in that fair attention was on different stalls of food and other things rather than on books and literary activities. This detracted the actual purpose of book fair. Many participants felt bad about it and felt that it was more like a food market instead of book fair because books, writers and literature got least attention. As food stalls became center of attention, it initiated a debate that whether this event was fulfilling its literary purpose or it was just to promote trading benefits.

Translation

Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner

Focus on grammar please

Do not attempt word by word

or merely prioritizing commercial interests.