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Q. 4Answer:

- I- The government wants to keep the plan to itself.
- ii- The knowledge of computer science is very important nowadays.
- V- Running down the street, he fell the bag from his hand.
- viii- The lawyer tried to cite the correct law, but his opponent accused him of making false cites.
- iii- We met in breakfast yesterday.

Q. 5Punctuation AAnswer:

"Let us explore the meaning of the quote, 'Do unto others as you would have them

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do unto you," said the teacher. The student replied, "Does it mean that if I want kindness, I must show ^{first} kindness." The teacher nodded and said, "Exactly, it is about treating people the way you wish to be treated." The student smiled and added, "So, if I respect others, I am more likely to be ^{respected} in return." "Yes," the teacher concluded, "that is the golden rule of life."

(B)

i- The professor insisted on our completing the assignment before the deadline despite the university being closed ~~for~~ holidays.

ii- She has been working on a solution that lies hidden beneath the surface of the problem.

iii- Success often depends not

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merely on efforts but also on
the opportunities presented to us

vi - The old diary was discovered
from the ruins, carefully placed
between two broken bricks

vii - She remained silent through-
out the meeting, yet her eyes
spoke volumes ~~of~~ her dis-
agreement with the decision.

Q.6

Idioms

Answer:

ii - Donkey's year

Ali needs to work more on
his weaknesses this year; It is
donkey's year for Ali.

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iii - To have other fish to fry

It seems that Pakistan does not have other fish to fry in case of IMF loan.

iv - Sour Grapes

CPEC-2 is sour grapes for India against the enmity with Pakistan.

vii - To raise a red flag

Currently, Pakistan is facing several socio-economic problems, therefore, it need to raise a red flag to solve these problems.

v. To have a chip on one's shoulders

- Salma always has a chip on Umar's shoulder in order to convince her mother.

Q. 7TranslationAnswer:

Hellen Keller mentioned a strange wish in her old age that if I get eyesight for three days, how I would spend my life. She says, "on first day, I would see the faces of my beloved so that I may know how the light of love sparkle in their eyes." On second day, she wished to see marvels of nature like sunlight, greenery of trees, color of fruits and blueishness of sky. On third day, she wished to see the fun and colors of the world, businesses of markets, lighting of theater and entertainment models so that she may observe the constructive nature of human. According to her, the gift of these three days

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is equivalent to changing lifelong darkness into light.

Q. 3

Comprehension

Answer:

Q1: The humorous examples that the writer gives to show how food is linked with different situation in Pakistan are: Food has become the recreational plan for Pakistan, substituting Cinemas, parks, etc. The writer humorously says, "let's go for food," have a biryani of Gulshan-e-Wali. Food is not limited to recreation only, now it has become their life plan and retirement plan.

Q2: According to the text, Cricket matches in Pakistan often become more about food than the game.

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itself because the cricket matches are often stressful, therefore, linking it with food i.e. gol gappas is real win for them.

Q3: Following statement can be inferred about the author's attitude towards Pakistan's parks: Parks have become the venues of sitting, eating and enjoying photos and videos.

Q4: The writer says, "Ironically, this obsession with food entertainment has created a society where waistlines expand but horizons do not". It means that the people eat a lot and due to which they have got fat but they lack variety and different dimensions of enjoying life.

Q5: If Pakistan had developed entertainment industries like Disneyland

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or Broadway, the people's reliance on food for recreation have been to some extent different. People would prefer entertainment to food, and would have more horizons of enjoyment.

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Q-2

Precis

Answer

Title: The changing perception of civil service in Pakistan

The perception of civil service in Pakistan has changed from public service to obsession, necessity, tool for changing social status and self advertisement. For majority aspirants, it is stable, high paying, secure and respect offering government job as compared to private jobs. While for others, it has become obsession and self-worth success, leading to ignoring personal lives, hobbies and mental health. On top of that, coaching centers and youtube channels romanticize the stories of these aspirants. Due to increasing use of social media, the bureaucrats portray themselves

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as social media figuring, carrying designer handbags and posting videos and fascinating captions on TikTok and Instagram posts. One can criticize by saying they look better in cameras than in offices work. Resultantly, civil service in Pakistan has developed a hybrid civil servant who is half public servant and half social media influencer, creating two different youth segments - inspired youth and distracted from public service. The author argues that the image of authority and authority itself be powerful.

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