

PART - II

Q5.

A. Punctuate the following passage: 04/05

Let us explore the meaning of the quote: "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you", said the teacher. The student replied, "Does it mean if I want kindness, I must show 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. Re-write the following sentences (ONLY FIVE) after filling in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions. 04/05

- ii. She has been working ^{towards} on a solution that lies hidden beneath the surface of the problem.
- iii. Success often depends not merely on effort but also upon the opportunities presented to us.
- vi. The old diary was discovered among the ruins, carefully placed between two broken bricks.
- viii. The cat leapt gracefully onto the shelf above the fireplace and curled itself around the vase.
- v. His reputation rests on principles he never strayed from, even under severe pressure.

Q6

A. Use only FIVE of the following in your own sentences to bring out their meanings.

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i) A different kettle of fish

Travelling abroad for leisure is fun, but moving there for work is a different kettle of fish. ✓

ii) To have other fish to fry

She didn't attend the meeting because she had other fish to fry at the office. ✓

iv) Sour grapes

Her comment about the award being meaningless was just sour grapes, as she wasn't nominated. ✓

v) To go bananas

He went bananas after hearing the news about his promotion. ✓

vii) To raise a red flag

To signal a warning of danger or trouble.

~~The criminal's inconsistent statements during the investigation raised a red flag.~~ ✗

The sudden drop in sales raised a red flag for the company.

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Q7. Translate the following into English, keeping in view the idiomatic / figurative expression.

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Hellen Keller, in her biography, has a peculiar

wish that if she gets can see for three days how

if she were granted eyesight for only three days, how she would spend her life.

will she spend her life. She says that on the

first day she would like to see the faces of her

loved ones so that she can experience that how

love reflects from one's eyes. On the second

day, she wishes to see the nature's glory, like

the sun rays, vegetables on trees, colours of flowers

and the blueness of the sky. On the third day

she wants to see the hustle and bustle of the

Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner, the vibrancy of

Focus on grammar please

Do not attempt word by word

theatres, types of fine arts so that she can

witness the merits of creations of humans. According

to her, this fragile three-day gift would be

synonymous with transforming a lifetime of

darkness into light.

Q4 Correct any FIVE of the following sentences.

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i. The government wants to keep the plan to itself.

iii) We met at breakfast yesterday

iv They left the hotel in the car in which they had

In a car, they left the hotel where they had been staying.

v. Running While running down the street, he accidentally dropped the bag from his hand.

vii At the end of the fall comes the difficult test

Length of Answers is enough

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Avoid Irrelevant Ideas and Detail

Avoid Repetition of Ideas

Q3. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Q1. What humorous examples does the writer give to show how food is linked with different situations in Pakistan?

The author states that the connection between food and entertainment has grown deep that it is no longer considered an activity, it is an emotion. He then gives examples of how food is related to different situations like on rainy days, people eat pakoras, on a hot sunny day a cold falooda and if one is depressed haleem is a great option. On cricket match days the gol gappas served outside the stadium are more important than the match. And lastly, the author humorously states that if aliens were to land in Pakistan ^{write in 3rd person} ~~we~~ would offer them nihari.

Q2. According to the text, why do cricket matches in Pakistan often become more about food than the game itself?

The cricket matches are more about food because the game is stressful but the gol gappas outside the stadium are the real victory. This primarily happens because there are limited options of entertainment in Pakistan.

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Q3 What can be inferred about the author's attitude towards Pakistan's amusement parks?

The author is of the view that if one takes a ride in ^{an} amusement park of Pakistan they will need an MRI because of the back pain.

It can be inferred from this that the rides are not safe and are bumpy, the seats on the rides are ^{com}uncomfortable which gives a person terrible back pain. It can also be inferred that ^{the rides} are not up-to-date and are ancient.

Q4. The writer says, "Ironically, this obsession with food entertainment has created a society where waistlines expand but horizons do not." What does this mean?

The writer states the ~~obese~~ obsession with food has caused ^{the} waistlines to be expanded.

It means that due to overeating people have become obese and their waistlines which is their tummies or abdomen have become really big. The second part which states that horizons did not expand means that except for food the society do^{es} not think of anything else.

Q5 If Pakistan had developed entertainment industries like Disneyland or Broadway, how might people's reliance on food for recreation have been different?

The people's recreation would not have been different but rather it would ^{have} been diverted

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Somewhat because these modes of entertainments like Disneyland and Broadway also do serve food and snacks. Globally, food is a source of entertainment as the countries which have these modes of entertainment like the USA are also having food as a source of entertainment. Food have been revolutionized and now on the era of social media, food is seen on the videos from ^{all} over the world as the primary source of entertainment.

Q2. Make a précis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

From Public Service to Personal Branding The Allure of CSS in Pakistan.

In Pakistan, government jobs gained through the CSS exam are highly coveted for stability, respect, and upward mobility. The intense competition has made the exam a cultural obsession, where success ensures

authority, social recognition, and even digital fame through coaching centres and social media. While bureaucrats once embodied rigid officialdom, many today present themselves as influential public figures, showing how the CSS exam remains both a path to power and a reflection of evolving social values.

Approx passage words: 356

Work on length of Précis, it should be 1/3rd of original passage
total words: $411/3 = 137$

The civil service in Pakistan, once a symbol of public service, has transformed into a complex blend of necessity, obsession, and social status.

Overall understanding the idea is ok
Title needs improvement
Grammar is ok.

Focus on clarity, logical flow and Avoid disjointed sentences.

Write clear and short sentences

Avoid complicated sentences

Follow the order of précis's original passage

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