

ENGLISH (PRECIS AND COMPOSITION)Part-IIQ.2

From Public Service to Personal Branding

The Evolving Civil Services

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The civil service in Pakistan, the most prestigious career paths, has evolved overtime.

Once seen as public service role is viewed as a ladder to social status and now sometimes a stage for personal branding on social media.

The reason behind the craze is job-stability,

respect and way out of uncertain private-sector.

Primarily, it is a secure and best job in an

secure atmosphere. For others, it is not just

about career but about the measurement of self

worth. They sacrifice their personal lives, hobbies and even mental health just for self satisfaction, spending on coaching centers and flooding youtube channels.

The bureaucrats themselves have shifted from

administrative briefings to Instagram and Tiktok

for self promotion. This results strange hybrid,

part public servant and part lifestyle influencers.

Some argue that these posts inspire youth, critics

say that this approach distracts from the tedious

work of governance. In this country symbols matter

more than substances.

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

Overall 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 precis's original passage

In comprehension answer each question comprehensively

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Do not be irrelevant in your answer

Please enhance length of each answer

Read the passage carefully

1- The examples given by writer are that when there is a family meeting, all conclusions lead to "Chalo bhai, kahi ikhanay chatey hain", come brother, lets go to eat somewhere, instead of visiting to cinemas, parks or even when it is raining or the weather is scorching. All that this nation thinks of is to go and eat something.

2- The ^{cricket match} match itself might be stressful during some times and for people to deal with that stress, it is necessary for them to eat.

3- The amusement parks have such kinds of rides that is uncomfortable and ^{risky} risking and can lead to back-pain according to author.

4- In these lines the writer means that the obsession with food is so deep that people have been obese but their horizons, focus, revolves still around eating.

5- The creation of Disneyland or Broaching would not have affected the reliance on food as Pakistan already has a good number of amusing places and historic museums. The focus of state should be on promotion of physical health and exercise.

(Q4)

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(i) The government want to keep the plan to themselves. ✓

(ii) Knowledge for Computer Sciences is very important nowadays. ✗

(iii) We had breakfast yesterday. ✗

Running down the street, he dropped the bag.

(iv) While running down the street, the bag fell from his hand. ✗

(viii) The lawyer tried to cite the correct laws, but his opponent accused him of making false sights citations. ✗

(Q5)

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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 that if I want kindness, I must first show kindness?", the teacher nodded and said, "Exactly, it is about treating people the way you wish to be treated." The student smiled and said added, "so if I am more likely to be respected in return?", yes the teacher concluded, "that is the golden rule of life."

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(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 merely on effort but also on the opportunities presented to us.

(iv) The lawyer argued against the proposal while standing in front of very committee that had voted in favor of it last year.

(v) His reputation rests on principles he never strayed from, even when under severe pressure.

Q6/

It is about situation or matter

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(i) After he left the city, he was a different kettle of fish than our last meetup.

(ii) The journey of a student preparing for civil service examination is donkey's years therefore he should stay motivated.

(iv) After he failed to pass the exam, he labelled it as sour grapes. ✓

(v) After she heard of clearing CSS, she went to go bananas.

(vi) The Balfour Declaration of November 2, 1917 was a red flag that the ~~A~~rabs failed to recognize. ✓

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Hellen Keller in her autobiography has expressed that if she gets her sight for 3 days, ~~she would spend it on the first day~~ if she were granted eyesight for only three days, how she would spend her life.

~~She~~ will look at the faces of my loved ones and will see how the light of love reflects from their eyes. On the second day, she wishes to see wonders of the ~~world~~ nature like the rays of sun, the vegetables of plants, colors of fruits and the blue color of sky. On the third day, she wishes to see the colours of world, the hustle and bustle of markets, the lights of theatres, and the funny shows which represent human's intellectual inventions. In her view, the sight of these three days will replace the ~~darkness of forever~~ darkness of her life.

Attempt in idiomatic and proverbial manner
Focus on grammar please
Do not attempt word by word