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### Question No: 04

- ii) If I know the answers,  
I would have passed the exam.
- iv) When I was looking through  
the view finder, some strangers  
were seen standing at the door.
- v) All kinds of stationary is  
sold here.
- i) I will be completing this  
project till this time tomorrow.
- viii) The mother was searching  
herself in her young daughter.

### Question No: 5

(A)

#### Punctuation

A boy was gathering  
berries from a hedge, when his  
hand was stung by a nettle.  
Smarting with the pain, he  
ran to tell his mother and  
said to her between his sobs,  
"I only touched it ever so

lightly mother". "That's why you go stung my son", said she, "If you have grasped it firmly it would not have hurt you in the least."

(B)

## Prepositions

- (i) I am broke with him because he is a selfish friend.
- (ii) The poor live in their honest wages.
- (iii) The thief did not swear to God.
- (iv) You have no right to jeer at the poor.
- (v) He is leaning against the wall as he is not feeling well.

## Question No: 6

(A)

- (i) Black and blue: I was black and blue all over, after falling from the roof.
- (ii) Keep fingers crossed: Ali is waiting for his result of CSS and he

keeps fingers crossed with confidence of success.

(iii) **Silver Surfer:** The number of older people becoming "Silver surfers" by establishing expertise in using new technology is growing fast.

(iv) **Bad hair day:** Cull is facing calamities such as missing the bus, forgetting to bring files in office, and then boss scold him. So, he is having a bad hair day today.

(iv) **Carry Coal to Newcastle**

Hamdan has many water bottles already. His aunt brought another for her. His mother said you just carried coal to Newcastle as he already had many.

(B)

(iii) **Monitor:** Ahmed is class monitor as he is brilliant of all.

**Mentor:** Mentor of English

Mazhar Elahi is dexterous in his subject.

(vii) **Beneficent**: He is beneficent for his family because he is wise and obedient in all matters.

**Beneficial**: Zahra's <sup>art</sup> innovation of painting pots proves beneficial in financially supporting his family.

(v) **Penitence**: Always seek penitence from God, for wrong doings.

**Penance**: Zafar brought up an orphan as the penance of doing wrong with his father.

## Question No: 07

### Translation:

Some students, ~~who~~ ~~are~~ preparing for competitive exams, consider that just to stare the book cover or by pulling the notes under the cushion they will become topper. These are the same people who seek recommendation <sup>even</sup> in prayers after two days of preparation. Reality is this that no one has a miracle stick, no ~~one~~ success short cut. If extraordinary results wanting then extraordinary hardwork also needs. So next time when you are thinking "study or not study" by holding the cup of tea. Remember that success does not come from mocking, it comes from hard work.

## Question No: 02

### Politician's Antics and Linguistic Acrobatics for Self-Preservation

Politicians are commendable in their verbal and evasive skills. In governance, they are dexterous in antics and unparalleled rhetorics. The esteemed leaders have same phrases to repeat in the intellectual discussions. The inquisitor remain confused because they are master in manipulation. Politician's promises are no more than autumn leaves that are swept away with the counting of ballots. They display sympathy with people by shedding tears at public forum or having a well timed photo with a baby or a stray dog, yields power for them. Their self preservation talent of escaping from scandals is not

less than Olympians. The antics of political class is to show perfect performance rather than serving the public.

## Question No: 03

(1)

The production of renewable energy sources can affect the environment because the cadmium and tellurium used in solar panels, whose extraction involves environmentally damaging mining practices. Similarly, wind turbines can cause have steel, concrete and rare earth magnets. Manufacturing of these can cause greenhouse gas emission and disruption of ecosystem and exploitation of finite resources. However, traditional fossil fuels can also <sup>contribute</sup> ~~effect~~ the environmental ~~by~~ degradation by relying on mining processes.

(2)

Electric vehicles (EVs)

are lauded as environmentally friendly but its production results in significant pollution. The manufacturing process needs mining of lithium cobalt and nickel and then to charge (EVs) electrically, it requires fossil fuels which diminishes environmental benefits. Battery disposal presents further challenges. So far, EVs are not environment friendly and ~~not~~ a complete solution to reduce pollution.

(3)

Solar panels and wind turbines have finite lifespans, typically ranging from 20 to 30 years. Recycling of these components resulting in the accumulation of toxic waste.

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Renewable energy is not pollution free because solar and wind power need backup from fossil fuel plants or reliance



on battery storage, which poses its own environmental challenges. Batteries are heavily on lithium and cobalt, both of which have supply chain notorious for environmental degradation and human right abuses.

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The limitations of renewable energy are complex because it has a sizable environmental footprint, issue of waste management, land use is another concern. Renewable energy requires vast expanses of land, potentially displacing wild life and communities, having a finite lifespan and does not reduce reliance on fossil fuels. This is an imperfect solution that require careful management and realistic expectations. ~~These~~ these are the limitations of renewable energy addressed in the article.