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Friday

PRECIS COMPOSITION

QNO : 01

a.

Choose the word most similar meaning:

1. Gossulous	Gossipy	✓
2. Inexorable	Inevitable	✓
3. Extol	Enervate	✗
4. Obstreperous	Untamed	✓
5. Contort	Stubborn	✗
6. Demure	Spoiled	✗
7. Embolism	Blockage	✓
8. Harnaque	Reign	✗
9. Impassive	Intimation	✗
10. Labyrinth	Confusing	✓

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b.

Choose the word opposite in meaning:

1. Transgression	Observance	✓
2. Enervate	Energize	✓
3. Flout	Improve	✗
4. Coagulate	Dilute	✓
5. Daunt	Encourage	✓
6. Bolster	Weaken	✓
7. Amalgamate	Separate	✓
8. Propitious	Optimistic	✗
9. Prodigious	Small	✓
10. Intimidate	Augment	✗

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PART - II

QNO : 04

CORRECTION

1. The sceneries of Kashmir are
breathtakingly beautiful.
✓ The scenery of Kashmir is
breathtakingly beautiful.
2. The poet and philosophers are
honored for their works.
✓ The poet and philosopher is
honored for his works.
3. He is senior than me in the
office.
✓ He is senior to me in the
office.
4. The news are too good to
be true.
✓ The news is too good to
be true.
5. Neither of the two sisters are
coming to the party.
✓ Neither of the two sisters is
coming to the party.

QNO : 05

PREPOSITION

- A.

1. He distributed money **among** the poor. ✓
2. Success consists ~~of~~ **of** determination. ✗
3. His words do not correspond ~~with~~ **to** his actions. ✓
4. I was disappointed **with** Ali's insincerity. ✓
5. I shall pass your message ~~when~~ he gets free.

PUNCTUATION

B.

Early in the morning, as the sun rose, I decided to go for a walk.

The air was fresh and the birds were chirping loudly. Suddenly, I saw a small dog sunning across the park.

It seemed the lost and frightened.

Unsure of what to do, I approached it slowly, to avoid scaring it further.

Thankfully, a man came sunning

and said, "Oh, there you are! buddy, I've been looking for you everywhere."

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QNO : 06

A-

PAIR OF WORDS

Ingenuous

✓

We must be ingenuous in our dealings exhibiting good moral conduct.

Ingenious

✓

His ingenious storytelling kept the children captivated for hours.

Pour

✓

He poured the milk in ~~the~~ a cracked bowl.

Pore

There was a risk of infection on his open pores.

Casual

✓

The party theme at the college was casual dress show.

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Causal

✓

He explained the causal relationship between social media use and its addiction.

Placable

✓

She has a very placable personality even during the tough times.

Placeable

✓

Our furniture is very easily placeable anywhere in the house.

Setup

✓

They decided to set up a new business in our home town.

Set upon

✓

The family was set upon by the criminals on the motorway.

QNo: 06

- B.

SENTENCES

A bad lot
bolt from blue

✓

His unexpected resignation from the firm was a bolt from the blue for the team.

Hobson's choice

They always give us the

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Head over
the heels

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✓
Hobson's choice since our
joining.

She was head over heels
after seeing the recommen-
dation letter from army
for ISSB.

Break the
ice

✓

Before diving directly into
the topic, as a teacher
I prefer to break the
ice first with my students

A bad lot

✓

Despite ^{being} ~~from~~ a
leader of his state, he
was ^{still} regarded as a bad
lot due to his immoral
character.

QNO : 07

TRANSLATION :

World's greatest fragrance is not
any garden but in joy of hearts.
Sometimes we find value of our
life in things but truth reality is
that the greatest happiness is the
one ~~one~~ we feel deep from heart.
It does not lie in any office

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or luxurious life but in the moments when we reach our achievements and our soul is at peace. We often belittle our small joys and are in search of big accomplishments. But when we listen to the voice of our hearts, then we discover the fact that real happiness lies in the things that we get easily.

QNo: 01

PRECIS

4 Oratory : A Diminishing Art

The future of oratory is uncertain. Once regarded as a prestigious and valuable art, it has significantly declined in modern times. In ancient days, the words were shaped for the lasting impact like by the orator like Demosthenes, but today, the rise of writing press and broadcasting and modern day conversational style have shifted the focus from eloquence of delivery to the substance of the message, reducing interest in good

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public speaking. However, Sir Winston Churchill stand out as a remarkable orator from the golden age of oratory. His speeches were characterized by coherence and eloquence, addressing significant national and international issues. They have become an integral part of history, immortalizing Churchill as one of the greatest figure of his age.

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