

Precise and Composition (Mock.2)

Q.No.2

Precise :

Title: Progress vs Moral Decline

While modern society appears advanced and successful, it hides a deep moral decline. People today are more focused on material things than moral values. Buildings rise, markets thrive but inner peace has been lost. Places that once were religious institutions are now influenced by money. Decisions in business are made for profits, thus breaking the trust. Moral values are considered as old-fashioned. Wealth has gained value over character. Though people live in ease, they feel less satisfied. Without a return to moral values, modern progress will lead to social emptiness. (95 words)

Q.No.3

Comprehension

(1) After the recent conflict between Pakistan and India, Arab leaders changed their attitude towards Pakistan. Pakistan's approach towards

Indian's jets and its mastery over digital warfare impressed the Middle East. The victory of Pakistan made it evident that Pakistan was prepared to not only dominate the airspace (and) but also the digital arena. The nation's wounded pride was suddenly restored. Thus, this revival of respect strengthened the strategic partnership throughout the region.

(2) During the 10th May conflict, the blackout in Delhi influenced the psychological state of India. Pakistan adopted the cyber-warfare strategy by silencing the air defence system of India and disabling the communications ^{system} of enemy. Pakistan's non-traditional warfare proved a setback for India, thus exposing their lack of preparedness and poor psychological state during the conflict.

(3) If Pakistan had not launched digital warfare after the missile retaliation, the conflict would likely have remained limited to artillery duels and air strikes. It would possibly have prolonged the conflict with increased casualties.

Moreover, Pakistan might not have achieved the worldwide recognition, particularly from the Middle East. Thus, the digital strikes proved to be a game-changer in the recent conflict.

4) The passage shows the clear-cut contrast between the traditional military force and digital warfare. Initially, to show aggression Pakistan used traditional warfare tactics, but later on by using digital warfare, Pakistan paralyzed the communication system of India. Furthermore, using digital warfare proved to be more decisive as it shaped the world's perception towards power and. Thus, traditional military force damaged the infrastructure of India but digital warfare marked a stain on India's reputation.

5) The events of 10 May reveals that war in 21st century is not limited to using missiles and weapons, but one needs superiority in digital platform also. As in the contemporary era, cyber warfare is gaining importance. Thus, to gain dominance nations should master the tactics of cyber warfare.

Q.No4:

Correct sentences

(ii) He had better speak the truth or he will be punished.

(iii) She would rather read a book than watch television.

(v) A five-foot-snake was killed by the villagers.

(vi) Not only he was a thief, but also a murderer.

(vii) I defeated him in the race.

Q.No.5

(a) Punctuation

As the rain poured down over the flooded city, Adeel whispered to his friend, "Did you hear what the mayor said today?" His friend looked puzzled, and asked, "What did he say?"

Adeel replied, "He said we ignored warnings for years, and now the city is paying the price. Those were his exact words."

People around them sighed, and one man muttered, "It is strange how leaders only speak the truth when disasters strike."

(b) Preposition

- (i) He persisted in the teeth of overwhelming opposition.
- (v) The glass break into piece.
- (vi) She is married to him.
- (vii) Prop this bicycle against the wall.
- (viii) He is sitting in the shade of tree

Q No. 6

Sentences

(vii) Cry over spilt milk:

There is no use of crying over spilt milk.

(viii) Build castles in the air:

There was no truth in his talk; he was just building castles in the air.

(ii) move Heaven and earth:

Ali moved heaven and earth to achieve his goal.

(i) Throw cold water on

She threw cold water on my idea by saying it would never work.

(iii) Sail close to the wind:

After losing his job, he began sailing close to the wind by dealing in illegal business.

Q.No.7

Translation

Margaret, an elderly woman, visits the Embankment Station of the London (Underground) everyday just to hear the "Mind the Gap" announcement in the voice of her late husband, Oswald Lawrence. This announcement was recorded in the 1970s, and after his death in 2012, listening to it gave Margaret a set of belonging with her husband. In 2012, this recording was replaced with a digital version, Margaret contacted Transport for London. When the institutions learned about her emotions, they restored his voice at Embankment station. Now, the announcement is played everyday in the same loving voice.