

Q1.

Punctuation

A.

It was almost midnight, when the young scholar returned to his rooms. He had left them in a state of revolt piles of books, lay like islands in a turbulent sea, papers fluttered on the floor as if impatient to be read, and on the desk a single lamp burned its halo warming. A photograph of his ^{grand} mother, which seemed to smile even in such disorder, who ~~he~~ would have thought, she once peddled tales to children in the village. He wondered, "would she have laughed at his neat theories written now in the margins of a book?"

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Q1.
(B)Narration

John greeted Sara and showed concern that she was still buried in her books. He offered her to take a little rest and join them for a walk along the river. Sara expressed her desire to go but mentioned that her examination was near and every minute felt precious to her then. John sighed at how examinations steal the joy of youth and wondered how she endured such constant pressure. Sara countered the examination as the sole purpose of work but highlighted about ~~her~~ the discipline and knowledge that come with sincere study. John negated her stance and said that weary mind grows dull and unproductive. Sara acknowledged, but she explained her belief that temporary weariness was a small price for the satisfaction of achieving what one had set his heart upon.

Q2.

- (i) The results will be announced by the committee next Monday. ✓
- (ii) The professor's briefcase has been stolen by someone from the stable room. ✓
- (iii) The new syllabus was being prepared by them before the inspection. ✓
- (iv) The new policy must be introduced by the government by the end of the quarter. ✓
- (v) Let that report be finished by them before the director arrives. ✓

(i)

Altogether

✓ He completed his project altogether at once so that he can focus on movie.

All together

✓ They met at the bar all together and enjoyed the party.

(ii)

Allude

✓ The poet alluded towards scenic beauty of nature through his poetry.

Elude

✓ The thief stole diamond necklace and eluded from the scene cleverly.

(iii)

Maybe

✓ Maybe his wife is an artist because his house is full of artistic photos.

may be

✓ Ali may be working for his new project.

~~in effect~~

(iv)

Moat

✓ The ancient castle had beautiful long pavement on its moat.

Mote

✓ She is allergic to dust so ^{even a} mote of sand irritates her respiratory system.

(viii)

Dinghy

✓

Ali crossed the sea on a dinghy to enjoy beautiful view of island.

Dingy

✓

Her dingy clothes clearly showed her hardwork in the project.