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English Preels and Composition

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Q. 2

Questions

- 1- The author traced intelligence from ancient times to the modern age. ~~The author~~ He explains that in ancient times intelligence was associated with wisdom, that came from reflection and moral reasoning. During the industrial period it was measured by ~~efficiency~~, ~~planning and calculation~~ efficiency doing operations or tasks. Now, in this digital age, it is defined by quick responses, deprived ~~of~~ of understanding.
- 2- The author warns that prioritizing speed over reflection leads to diminish our wisdom. There will be prompt responses but without any depth or understanding. It may produce individuals who will react instantly but lack independent reasoning.
- 3- With vast amount of information available in seconds, technology diminishes the human capacity

to turn that information into wisdom; to pause and reflect. Thus, while technology provides data they do not provide meaning, which comes with time, reflection and interpretation.

- 4- The author believes that, with this fast-paced world, the future belong to those who can think independently and with clarity. Intelligence if it can help humanity will be only if we balance knowledge with moral and deep reflection. Otherwise we might end up with a generation that has a lot of superficial knowledge.

Q.3

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| 1) JUBILANT | a) Blissful |
| 2) LATENT | c) Mammoth |
| 3) RUSE | c) Sagacity |
| 4) QUAGMIRE | c) Quandary |
| 5) PANACEA | b) Alleviate |
| 6) MAGNANIMOUS | a) Deride |
| 7) LANGUID | c) Malevolent |
| 8) MODICUM | d) Lilliput |
| 9) NEOPHYTE | c) Green |

10) HAPLESS b) Unlucky

Q.1Title :-

The Illusion of Certainty

Potential :-

A physics teacher's experiment with a feather and hammer in a vacuum challenges students' assumptions about gravity and reveals how easily accepted beliefs can be challenged by evidence. Education system discourage curiosity ^{and learning} by rewarding rote-memorization ~~discouraging~~. This leads to fixed mindsets and beliefs which have discomfort with scientific uncertainty. This mindset explains the public's confusion when scientific findings change, as ~~many~~ science progresses through evidence, revision of theories, and constant testing of assumption, which many fail to grasp. By portraying knowledge as static rather than evolving, ~~it~~ this reflects the ~~a~~ humans clinging for certainty in an uncertain world.

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