

(Part II)

Q4. Correct the five sentences.

i- The committee who were appointed to investigate the matter they submitted their report last week.

The committee who was appointed to investigate the matter, it submitted its reports last week.

iv- Each of the students are required to submit their assignments before the deadline.

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vi- The number of unemployed graduates are increasing every year in the country.

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vii- The committee have been deliberating on the proposal since morning but has not yet arrived at any consensus.

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v. He not only distributed sweets among the children but also among the elderly persons.

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Q 5. (B) Re-write the following sentences (only five) after filling in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.

ii- We must abide by the rules of the institution.

iii- He is deficient in common sense despite his education.

viii- The judge dispensed ^{with} of the formalities and proceeded directly to the main issue.

vii- The minister expressed his disapproval ^{of} with the manner in which the enquiry was conducted.

i- The judge acquitted him of the charge of theft.

Q5. (A) Punctuate the following passage:

The minister addressing the gathering said, "My fellow citizens, we stand today at a critical juncture in our nation's history. We must ask ourselves, Are we ready to face the challenges ahead? or shall we succumb to despondency and inaction? Dr. Ahmed the renowned economist had warned us last year that unless immediate reforms are undertaken the economy will collapse, however his advice was not heeded. Now, we find ourselves in precisely the predicament he had predicted. Therefore, I urge you all to support the government's new economic policy which though painful in the short term will yield beneficial results in the long run. Let's not, he continued, repeat the mistakes of the past. Let's move forward with determination and courage."

Q6. (A) Use any five pairs of words in sentences clearly illustrating their meanings.

Viii- Eminent :

Allama Mohammad Iqbal is an eminent poet in the history of Pakistan.

Imminent :

While talking about Pakistan's nuclear success it is imminent to mention Dr. Abdul Qadeer Khan's role in the nuclear success.

Vii- Councillor :

The city councillor is working very hard for its public welfare.

Counsellor :

Many schools have now establish counsellor departments, for the well being of the students.

vi- Appraise :

Every one appraise him for his wonderful performance.

Apprise :

His meticulous speech apprise everyone

sitting in the hall.

v- **Ingenious:**

The ingenious people living in the remote areas are facing the climate vulnerabilities the most.

Ingenious:

Quaid-e-Azam comes in the ingenious personalities of Pakistan.

iv- **Prescribe:**

The doctor prescribe some anti-biotics to my mother.

Proscribe:

The law proscribe all the citizens to respect every religion in the country.

Q7. Translate the passage into English.

Literature is the soul of any society, which reflects its moral and spiritual condition. When the literature of any society begins to decline, one should understand that the nation is going to meet its destiny.

It's pity that the literature of today has become commercialized and it has been seized by the capitalists. Writer who sell his words for money, is actually selling his conscience. True ^{writer} literature is one which raises the voice of truth and takes up the pen against the falsehood, no matter how much sacrifices he has to face. But in today's era, such courageous writers are not found. Most of the writers are seen to bow their heads at the threshold of the power and are busy in pleasing the powerful one with their writings. This is a dishonesty with literature and a treachery to the nation.

Q3.

- 1- The fundamental error that the author identify in the popular understanding of tradition and progress is the error of seeing both the tradition and progress as an opposing

words without having any relation with each other. Considering them two things that are poles apart and have no relation in common. Viewing past and present two different approaches is considered as the great error, Author considered this perception harmful because separating past from present and no learning from the past in Present is very problematic. Because both are interlinked with each other and tradition preservation depends on past and progress of the present depends on the wisdom of the past.

- 2- The author use the historical instances of the European renaissance, great religious scholars and scientist who gained wisdom and success by looking to the past classical ancient's wisdom, writings and experimental mistakes. ~~am~~ By referring to the successes of these

historical personalities who took the aid of past to progress in future, the author very creatively challenges the idea that progress requires abandoning the past. Author's historic instances dismantle this myth and further strengthen the notion of relation between past and present for success is necessary.

3. When writers describe tradition as "a living conversation across generations" rather than "a static repository of dead customs", he means that tradition is a major element of progress that is present in all ages and its not static rather dynamic. Its the driver of generation's civilizations. Each next generation follows the wisdom of past and transfer it to next generation. It's an unstoppable cycle of transferring civilization

traits and norms to the following generation. And if we say that it's "a static repository of dead customs", means we are cutting ourselves from our ancestors norms, traditions, civilization then our future progress will not be possible because a plant cannot grow without roots. So, tradition is necessary for present growth.

4. According to the passage, a contradiction is present in the modern world that they try to find meaning in the world by cutting themselves completely from the past, and indulge themselves in the present movements, new techniques and ideas to search for innovation and progress. By suggesting to follow the tradition does not mean to utterly follow its norms and customs but to learn from past's mistakes to mold the present, is suitable for wisdom and innovation.

5- Yes, I agree with the author's stance that with intellect and judgement we can distinguish between the valuable traditions and harmful one. Because the past molds the present and present molds the past. Sticking on the rigid perceptions and no learning from the past means we are ignoring our own roots and bring no change in our intellect and judgement will prove poisonous. Therefore, with active intelligence and wisdom we can understand the past mistakes and change our present by not repeating them. Similarly, by learning from the past successes and ways we will improve our coming future. So, everything will be possible if we use our intelligence to connect past with present and relate tradition with progress instead of tradition versus progress.

Q2. Make a Précis of the following passage and a suitable title.

Fragmentation of Knowledge and Loss of Wisdom

The new trend of specialization in one knowledge opens a paradox of intellectual dependency in humans.

Reliance on specialist of one knowledge for solution of a problem that is multipronged will prove half addressed. As all the specialist are masters of their own field and are unable to resolve the matter that is beyond their knowledge. Moreover, providing the great power in the hands of experts for solution of a pity problem that is easy for a common being to solve is a passive approach. Therefore, it is necessary to promote the culture of broad learning of all subjects and need to adopt an active approach to use self-intelligence for pity issues. Instead of depending on the small picture expert, producing a larger picture expert is a good idea.

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