

- (e) Why should people be cannibals ?
- (f) What did Ramanujan do with the solutions of the exercise he made ?
- (g) How can you say that a plastic surgeon is a sculptor ?
- (h) When did the problem of water pollution start ?
- (i) Why were the hungry victims not able to eat ?
- (j) With what is parental love compared by the author and why ?

2. (a) Read the following passage and answer the questions given below :

Of all the amusements which can possibly be imagined for a hard working man, after his daily toil there is nothing like reading an entertaining book. It calls for no bodily exertion of which he had enough. It transports him to a livelier and more interesting scene; and while he enjoys himself there, he may forget the evils of the present moment. If I were to pray for a taste which should stand me in good stead under every variety of circumstances, and be a source of happiness and cheerfulness through life, it would be a taste for reading.

Questions :

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- (i) What is the best amusement for a hard working man ?
- (ii) What for reading does not call ?
- (iii) Where does it transport to ?
- (iv) What does he forget when reading ?
- (v) Give a suitable title.

(b) Give noun forms of any **five** of the following words :

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- (i) Grow
- (ii) Digest
- (iii) Repeat
- (iv) Observe
- (v) Rotate
- (vi) Evolve
- (vii) Believe
- (viii) Saturate

(c) Give the synonyms of any **five** of the following words :

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- (i) Sorrow
- (ii) Amaze
- (iii) Happy
- (iv) Brave

(v) Design

(vi) Small

(vii) Fast

(viii) Attack

(d) Give the antonyms of any **five** of the following words :

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(i) Whole

(ii) Increase

(iii) Major

(iv) Close

(v) Easy

(vi) Expected

(vii) Natural

(viii) Good

(e) Make negative by using appropriate prefixes of any **five** of the following words :

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(i) Pleasant

(ii) Perfect

(iii) Advantage

(iv) Continue

(v) Successful

(vi) Willing

(vii) Leading

(viii) Able

3. Write a report on any **one** of the following in about 200 words : 10
- (a) NSS camp experience
 - (b) Problem of drinking water in your colony
 - (c) Uses and misuses of Internet
 - (d) Air pollution in your city
4. Expand any **one** of the following ideas in about 200 words : 10
- (a) All that glitters is not gold
 - (b) The pen is mightier than the sword
 - (c) Prevention is better than cure
 - (d) Haste makes waste
5. Do as directed on any **twenty** of the following : 20
- Insert 'a' or 'an' or 'the' in the blank space in the following sentences :
- (i) He is engineer.
 - (ii) Raipur is Indian city..
 - (iii) Ganga is a holy river.
- Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with suitable forms of 'have' or 'do' :
- (iv) I three books.
 - (v) How many cars they got.
 - (vi) not go in the dark.

Fill in the blanks with possessive or self forms :

- (vii) Dithi saw in the mirror.
- (viii) She cut while cutting vegetables.
- (ix) I have to blame for this error.

Put the verbs in the following sentences in correct tense of verb :

- (x) Prachi (live) in this apartment since 1999.
- (xi) She (work) all day, she must be very tired.
- (xii) They (live) in India many years ago.

Complete the following sentences by using the comparative degree :

- (xiii) You are not very tall. Your brother is
- (xiv) Your plan is not very good. My plan is

Complete the following sentences by using the superlative degree :

- (xv) Mother Teresa was very famous woman. She was the woman of India.
- (xvi) It is very pretty building. It is the I have ever seen.

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Fill in the blank spaces with appropriate modals :

(xvii) I speak Hindi well.

(xviii) He have missed his train.

(xix) He would not to break his promise.

Change the voice of the following sentences :

(xx) People welcomed the King.

(xxi) Who wrote this letter ?

(xxii) The lion was caught in a trap.

Fill in the blank spaces with appropriate prepositions :

(xxiii) He was born Sunday.

(xxiv) I will call and see you Monday.

(xxv) His birthday is 23rd of August.
