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ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION SKILL-II
2nd Exam/Common/2051-A/June'2015

Duration: 3hrs

M.Marks=75

Q1. Choose the correct one:-

1X10=10

- i. According to Pipa, God is in
(a) Temple (b) nature (c) heaven (d) India
- ii. The child was lost in the
(a) City (b) circus (c) fair (d) colony
- iii. The old Refugee saved the silver coin to buy
(a) seeds (b) milk (c) wheat (d) biscuit
- iv. The third stage in man's life is of a
(a) soldier (b) infant (c) school boy (d) lover
- v. The refugees were uprooted by
(a) landslides (b) earthquake (c) floods (d) war
- vi. In city, The grandmother fed
(a) rats (b) sparrows (c) cow (d) goat
- vii. According to the poet, India is
(a) aristocracy (b) democracy (c) plutocracy (d) gerontocracy
- viii. William Shakespeare divides human life into stages
(a) nine (b) five (c) seven (d) two
- ix. Dr. Abdul Kalam became the of India
(a) Governor (b) President (c) Prime minister (d) Ambassador
- x. The poet A H Clough says that "say not the struggle naught"
(a) faith (b) avail (c) vain (d) gain

Q2. Describe the turning point in the friendship of Khushwant Singh and his grandmother.

Or

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Explain Abraham Lincoln's letter to his son's headmaster.

Q3. Give the central idea of the poem

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"A view point"

Or

"Say not the struggle nought avail"

Q4. Write a letter for placing some order of electronic goods.

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Or

Write a letter to the General Manager telephone department for shifting a landline connection.

Q5. (a) Draft a memo warning an employee for misbehaving in the office.

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(b) Draft a Notice of a mobile phone found in the ground.

(c) Draft a telephonic message for meeting in the auditorium.

(d) Give two uses of internet.

(e) Draft a press release about the newly inaugurated open theatre of your college

Q6. Do as directed:-

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a) An animal which eats flesh. (one word)

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b) A person where one lives permanently. (one word)

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c) Give Hindi/Punjabi of:- attested copy, dearness allowance

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d) Use the idioms :- a bird of ill omen in a sentence

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| e) Form a word using suffix "hood" | 1 |
| f) He said, "I hungry". (Change the Narration) | 1 |
| g) what is your father (punctuate it) | 1 |
| h) Form a word using prefix "uni" | 1 |

Q7. Make précis of the following passage and give suitable title:- 10

' I want my photograph taken ,' I said. The photographer looks at me without enthusiasm. He was a drooping man in a gray suit, with the dim eye of a natural scientist. But there is no need to describe him. Everybody knows what a photographer is like.

'Sir there,' he said , "and wait"

I waited an hour. I read the Ladies "Companion for 1912, the girls" Magazine for 1902, and the infants " journal for 1888. I began to see that I had done an unwarrantable thing in breaking in on the privacy on this man's scientific pursuits with a face like mine.

Q8. Read the following passage and answer the questions give below:- 10

For oft, when on my couch I lie
In vacant or in pensive mode,
They flash upon that inward eye
Which is the bliss of solitude?
And then my heart with pleasure fills,
And dance with the daffodils.

- (a) When did the thought of daffodils come to the poet?
- (b) What is an inward eye?
- (c) What was the bliss of the solitude?
- (d) When does the heart of the poet with joy?