

Subject Code : MIZ/VI/12 (a)

Booklet No. A 763

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2017

(6th Semester)

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TWELFTH (A) PAPER

(English Prose)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The questions are of equal value

1. "Reading maketh a full man; conference a ready man; and writing an exact man." Explain clearly how Bacon reveals the importance of reading and writing in his essay, *Of Studies*.

Or

What are the secrets that made Shakespeare a superior writer than his contemporaries in the essay, *Shakespeare and Others*?

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2. Write a critical appreciation of the essay, *Happiness* by Oliver Goldsmith.

Or

Describe in detail the principles of good writing according to L. A. Hill.

3. Give a critical appreciation of the essay, *Miseries of the Rich* by G. B. Shaw.

Or

What according to William Slim are the two types of courage? Explain in detail.

4. Describe why the chief of the Red Indian tries to make the Great President to understand their attitude and ideology towards nature.

Or

Attempt a summary of the essay, *The Other Side of the Hedge* by E. M. Forster.

5. Write a critical appreciation of the essay, *The Weather : An Explanation* by Robert Lynd.

Or

Discuss the theme of the essay, *What is Culture* by Nehru.

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. The Booklet No. of this scrip quoted in the answer scrip descriptive type question versa.
2. This paper should be ANSWERED and submitted within 1 hour of the commencement Examination.
3. While answering the question booklet, any cutting, erasing or writing or furnishing more answer is prohibited. Any answer if required, should be done in the main Answer Book. The answer given in each question should be followed for answering the question only.

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×10=10

1. They perfect nature, and are perfected by

(a) environment ()

(b) experience ()

(c) studies ()

2. I must acknowledge him the more correct

(a) poet ()

(b) writer ()

(c) essayist ()

3. Philosophy can add to our in no other manner but by diminishing our misery.

(a) understanding ()

(b) knowledge ()

(c) happiness ()

4. is a very great importance in good writing.

(a) Reading ()

(b) Presentation ()

(c) Writing ()

5. The only want that money can without satiating for more than a few hours is the need for food and drink and sleep.

(a) exchange ()

(b) buy ()

(c) satisfy ()

6. And while vary in the amount of their courage, they vary, too, in its type.

(a) man ()

(b) nations ()

(c) soldier ()

7. No peace to hear the leaves of or the rustle of insect wings.

(a) spring ()

(b) trees ()

(c) pond ()

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8. As we walked back through the I tried to convince him of his mistakes.

(a) meadows ()

(b) gate ()

(c) road ()

9. There is one more thing that might be done for the protection of

(a) nature ()

(b) wildflowers ()

(c) flowers ()

10. The wind, rooted in itself, should have its windows and doors open.

(a) civil ()

(b) human ()

(c) culture ()

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SECTION—B

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following in 2 or 3 sentences each : 3×5=15

1. Explain briefly, "Crafty men condemn studies : Simple men admire them".

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2. What are the two faculties by which man differs from other animals?

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3. Why did G. B. Shaw say, "I did not buy any of the luxuries in the London shops"?

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4. Explain the following :
“And if we do not protect nature in some such fashion, nature need assuredly protect herself.”

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5. What did Nehru say is the essential way to understand one another?

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