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COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH-I

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[Max. Marks : 100

[Min. Pass Marks : 40

Instructions :

1. The Question Paper is divided in *five* Units. Each unit carries an internal choice.
2. Attempt *one* question from each Unit. Thus attempt *five* questions in all.
3. *All* questions carry equal marks.
4. Candidate should write his/her Roll Number at the prescribed space on the question paper.

Unit I

1. (a) Choose the correct form of verb to make the sentence meaningful :
 - (i) He.....(win) a gold medal in hundred meters race.
 - (ii) She.....(ask) for a cup of tea.
 - (iii) They.....(say) in unison.
 - (iv) We.....(need) five meters of khadi cloth.
 - (v) The concert.....(start) at 8 o'clock tonight.

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(b) Identify the various types of sentences given below :

- (i) Sunflowers bloom in summer.
- (ii) Which is your favourite fruit ?
- (iii) What a good player Kohli is!
- (iv) This is an interesting exercise.
- (v) Did you like the biscuits ?

Or

2. (a) Complete the following sentences using suitable prepositions :

- (i) The cat is sitting.....a mat.
- (ii) Father is talking.....a visitor.
- (iii) Grandmother is looking.....her glasses.
- (iv) He looked.....me.
- (v) She loves.....drive.

(b) Insert suitable articles :

- (i) India has.....ancient heritage.
- (ii)Rajdhani Express starts on time.
- (iii) Ruskin Bond wrote.....amazing ghost stories.
- (iv) Oliver Twist was.....little boy who lived in..... orphanage.
- (v) Please give me.....book that is lying on.....table.

UNIT-II

3. (a) Use appropriate tense of the word in the following tenses :

- (i) I.....football yesterday. (play)
- (ii) I am.....to go to the club. (plan)
- (iii) Samar.....to Bangalore to meet his grandparents. (go)
- (iv) My father.....with his company for many years. (be)
- (v) Maria.....her lost book. (find)

(b) Change the voice :

- (i) Sunita is singing a song.
- (ii) Grandfather watered the plants.
- (iii) Mother is making some spinach soup.
- (iv) The farmer ploughed the fields.
- (v) The school provided the meals.

Or

4. (a) Change the narration :

- (i) He said, "I like you."
- (ii) "Can you see anything", said James.
- (iii) Ravenna said, "Come and sit with me."
- (iv) Akashi said, "Please help me!"
- (v) They said, "He was put behind the bars."

(b) Use correct modal :

(i) If you try, you.....do it. (Ability)

(ii)I come in madam. (Permission)

(iii) I.....go there. (Determination)

(iv)you please pass me the salt. (Polite request)

(v) You.....help the poor. (Necessity)

UNIT-III

5. (a) Read the following passage and answer the following questions :

Some cats are wild and the others, tame. The tiger, lion and the leopard belong to the wild type. The household cats are the tame kind, and are kept as pets. Some other wild cats are the puma, cheetah and panther. Cats kept as pets include the Persian, Siamese and Manx cats besides the ordinary striped cats.

Cats are clean animals and often clean their fur. They will fiercely fight back if someone attacks them. They always fall on their feet and don't get injuries easily. The two large members of the feline family are the lion and the tiger, The lion is sometimes called the 'king of the beasts'. It is found on the great plains of Africa, In India we can see lion in the Gir Wildlife Sanctuary in Gujarat. Unlike other cats, the lions like to roar loudly and hunt in company with other lions. India's national animal is the tiger. The brownish-yellow coats marked with broad black stripes makes this animal look magnificent, and dangerous.

Some cats are dangerous to man. The leopard kills for pleasure as well as for food. Sometimes leopard wanders into villages and eat domestic animals, or even attack a human being. Cheetah, a type of leopard, is the fastest runner in the cat family.

From childhood we grow up listening to stories about cats. In stories the cat and the mouse are portrayed as enemies, as in the cartoon series 'Tom and Jerry'. In the stories of Shikari Shambhu the hunter catches a tiger or a leopard, always by fluke. Mowgli's enemy in The Jungle Book is the lame tiger Sher Khan.

There are many idioms that refer to cats. For example, 'let the cat out of the bag' means to make a secret publicly known. You will find several such idioms and sayings under the entry 'cat' in a dictionary.

- (1) What are the *two* general types of cats ?
- (2) Write something about the appearance of tigers.
- (3) Name the largest members of the feline family.
- (4) What makes the lion different from the other cats ?
- (5) Give meanings (any two) :

Fluke, tame, magnificent.

- (b) What do you understand by note-taking ?

Or

6. (a) Write a report of the sports event held in your college.
- (b) Apply for the post of an Assistant Manager in a multinational company.

UNIT-IV

7. (a) Write a paragraph in about **100** words on *one* of the following topics :
- (i) Importance of discipline in one's life
 - (ii) The common things in great people
 - (iii) Save trees, save earth
- (b) Make sentences to show differences in meanings :
- (i) Sour–soar
 - (ii) Fair–fare
 - (iii) Plain–plane
 - (iv) Course–coarse
 - (v) Sell-sale

Or

8. (a) Make *two* words using each of the following prefixes :
Pre-, un-, in-, a-, under-
- (b) Make *two* words using each of the following suffixes :
-less, -ty, -ly, -ed, -tion

UNIT-V

9. (a) Correct the following sentences :
- (i) The sceneries here are not good.
 - (ii) Each of these boys play games.
 - (iii) Every people know this.
 - (iv) Ram said can he go home.
 - (v) He wrote me.
- (b) Write your views on any *two* of the following :
- (i) Look before you leap.

- (ii) Is India a developing nation ?
- (iii) Technology today.
- (iv) The use of internet.

Or

10. (a) Give antonyms of the following :

- (i) love
- (ii) like
- (iii) build
- (iv) swift
- (v) sorrow
- (vi) anger
- (vii) early
- (viii) strong
- (ix) rough
- (x) develop.

(b) Give *one* synonym of the following words :

- (i) pain
- (ii) avoid
- (iii) cease
- (iv) wisdom
- (v) peace
- (vi) evil
- (vii) furious
- (viii) protect
- (ix) idle
- (x) pause.