English Second Paper

[According to the Syllabus of 2022]

Time: 2 Hours | Full Marks: 50 | Subject Code: 1 0 8

[N.B. The figures in the right margins indicate full marks.]

Part A : Grammar (30 Marks)

1. Fill in the gaps with suitable prepositions, articles and zero articles (a, an, the or x): 0.5 x 10=5

Road accidents have recently become (a)____ regular phenomenon in our country. As a result of the accidents, many persons fall a victim (b) ____ untimely death. It is reported that most of the accidents occur (c) ____ the violation of traffic rules, by (d) ____ unskilled drivers and unconscious passers-by. Many unlicensed and faulty vehicles also endanger (e) ____passengers and (f) ____ passers-by. So, in order to save us (g) ____the accidents (h) ____ government is trying to create awareness (i) ____ the people and has passed strict laws (j) ____the accused.

2. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 x 10=5

form	consider	owe	take	respect
understand	succeed	acquire	admit	forget

In an educational institution teacher-students relationship is (a) ____ to be the most important matter. It is such a relationship that is (b) ____ on the basis of mutual (c) ____. A student always (d) ____ his teachers because he cannot but (e) ____ help from them in case of (f) ____knowledge. The sensible students never (g) ____ their teachers. Moreover, they (h) ____their memorable teachers' role which helps them (i) ____ in life. So, they always (j) ____ their teachers.

3. Change the following sentences according to the directions: 1 x 5=5

(a) The freedom fighters are considered to be the real heroes of our country. (Active) (b) Their contribution will never be forgotten. (Affirmative) (c) Their sacrifice is greater than any other thing. (Positive) (d) By taking proper steps, we can improve their condition (Negative) (e) We must show proper respect to them. (Passive)

4. Complete the text adding prefixes, suffixes or both with the root words given in the parenthesis: 0.5 x 10=5

Life without leisure and (a) _____(relax) in dull. Life becomes (b) _____(charm) if one does not have any time to enjoy the (c) _____ (beauty) objects of nature. (d) _____(monotony) work hinders the (e) _____(smooth) of work. Leisure (f) _____(rich) our spirit to work. Everybody knows that (g) _____ (work) is (h) _____ (harm). Leisure does not mean (i) _____ (idle). It gives freshness to (j) _____ (create) our energy.

5. Make tag questions of these statements: 1 x 5=5

(a) Everyone is nostalgic in life, ___? (b) We hardly forget the golden past, ___? (c) The memories of childhood are always haunting us, ___? (d) The sweetest memories of childhood are colorful, ___? (e) Who forgets these memories, ___?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 x 10=5

go to bed now mother said you can complete your assignment in the morning no mom ill finish it now

Part B : Composition (20 Marks)

7. Suppose, a computer programmer will be appointed in the National ICT Research Center, Dhaka. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a C.V with a cover letter for the same. 10

8. People of all sections have to suffer a lot because of load-shedding. The economic frame of the country is going to be weak for it. Now, write a complain letter to the editor of a newspaper about the problem of frequent load-shedding over the country. 10

ANSWER

Answer to the Question no-01

(a) a (b) to (c) for (d) × (e) × (f) × (g) From (h) The (i) among (j) against

Answer to the Question no-02

(a) considered (b) formed (c) understanding (d) owe (e) take (f) acquiring (g) forget (h) admit (i) succeed (j) respect

Answer to the Question no-03

(a) Everyone considers freedom fighters to be real heroes of our country. (b) Their contribution will ever be remembered. (c) No other thing is as great as their sacrifice. (d) Without taking proper steps, we can not improve their conditions. (e) Proper respect must be shown to them by us.

Answer to the Question no-04

(a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) monotonous (e) smoothness (f) enriches (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) re-create

Answer to the Question no-05

(a) aren't they? (b) do we? (c) aren't they? (d) aren't they? (e) do they?

Answer to the Question no-06

"Go to bed now," mother said. "You can complete your assignment in the morning." "No, mom. I will finish it now."

Answer to the Question no-07

Try Yourself.

Answer to the Question no-08

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