Time : 3 Hrs

# MODEL QUESTION PAPER SET-1: 2021 - 22

**ENGLISH THEORY** 

**SOLUTIONS** 

**MM : 80** 

## **Entire Syllabus**

# SECTION I : LANGUAGE STUDY

# Q.1.(A)

A1

- 1. Compound word= sunlight, moonlight, clock tower. (Any sensible compound word will do).
- 2. The poor lady was ready to do any menial work for the sake of feeding her small children.
- 3. They were both taking sitar lessons, but Anant was better than her.
- 4. play wright right, light, plight, trail, trial. (Any 4)
- 5. initiate, nominate, responsible, territory

#### (A2) 1.

- 1) The man said now if he lived, and if the king wished it, he would serve him all his life.
- 2) He said that he had never thought about it.
- 2. 1) Anything by Bing Crosby is liked by me.2) Somethings have to be trusted
- 3. a) I love to watch the birds fly from tree to tree.b) I hate it when a fly lands in my soup!

## Q.1.(B)

- Noun Her stare scared me Verb - Please do not stare at the poor child.
- 2. She had seen the doctors shake their heads gravely.

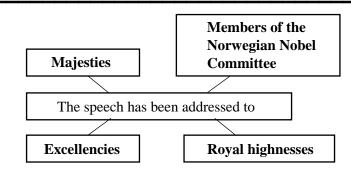
# **SECTION II : TEXTUAL PASSAGES**

#### Q.2.(A)

A1. Kailash Satyarthi:

- 1. Wants to do this, so that no one is left behind in any corner of the world walk together
- 2. Wants to do this, to show respect to his late parents **bow to them**
- 3. Feels if we do this, our minds will come together speak together
- 4. Feels this, each time he frees a child from slavery liberated.

A2.



## A3.

Words	Meaning
(1) Podium	A small platform
(2) Aspiration	An ardent wish
(3) Pursuit	The action of trying to achieve something
(4) Recall	To remember something

# A4.

- 1. The potential to liberate humanity
- 2. Let knowledge be created for all
- A5. The children of today face a lot of problems. In many countries, due to poverty, security or cultural factors, female children are not educated. Many children who live in conflict zones have their education disrupted due to migration and disabilities. Early marriage and child labour are another set of problems faced by children. Natural disaster leave the children homeless and orphaned. Financial problems where a child cannot pay fees disables him from education. Violence at home and ragging in school also is another problem faced by children.

# Q.2. (B)

**B1.** The food items mentioned in the passage are caviar muttonchops, salmon, asparagus, (meat)

# B2. The sentences that indicate that the lady was doing exactly the opposite of what she was saying.

- 1. "I don't believe in overloading my stomach."
- 2. "Why don't you follow my example and just eat one thing

# **B3.**

- 1. The <u>task</u> to rescue the flood victims was very difficult.
- 2. I was thinking about buying a new vehicle and <u>wondered</u> if we had the money.
- 3. The restaurant **menu** Seemed to be tempting.
- 4. You cannot **<u>afford</u>** to waste time with friends during exams.
- B4. 1. Not only did she eat the caviar but she also ate the salmon
  - 2. She told him that he was unwise to eat meat.
- **B5.** I will surely prefer home-made food to restaurant food e eating home-made food is usually much cheaper and healthier than eating at a restaurant or buying processed foods from th market. Eating at home brings the family together. Home-mad food contains healthier ingredients as we exactly know ho much of ingredient is going into our food. We can contr the portion one can eat at home but not when we dine in restaurant.

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# **SECTION III : POETRY**

# ALLEN

- Q.3.(A)
- **1. A1. 1**) Men would say

They were **exceeding** good.

- 2) Albeit in the general way.
- 3) They were **queer**, so very queer.
- 4) Poet is a **sober** man.

## A2.

Words	Rhyming words		
	from the poem	of your own	
i) way	Pay	Day	
ii) good	mood	Crude/hood	

- A3. Tautogy wonderous and merry have the same meaning.
- Q.3 (B) "All the world's a stage" is taken from William Shakespeare's play "As You Like it". The poem is written in a narrative style without any rhyme scheme. It is in the 'free verse' form.

The poem is more like symbolism using simile and metaphor to depict the seven stages. "All theworld's a stage" is a metaphor.

The theme of the poem is cycle of life. This is expressed by the infant who progresses to an invalidold man through the seven phases.

## SECTION IV : NON-TEXTUAL PASSAGES

# Q.4(A)

- 1. A1. 1) False Men are selfish because they do not want to be educated.
  - 2) Listening to a quack may have fatal results. True
  - 3) False There are some valid reasons why women should not be educated.
  - 4) Men sometimes neglect necessary work to read sensational novels. True
- A2. Benefits of education for women .....
  - i. Sphere of womanly duty.
  - ii. Knowledge of the means of health preservation and improvement.
  - iii. Modern books.
  - iv. Children and husband when disease attacks her household.

## A3.

Column 'A'	Column 'B'
i) Valid	True
ii) Sensational	Exciting
iii) Domestic	Homely
iv) Fatal	Bad

**A4.** 1) Interrogative sentence : Is there any valid argument?

2) Use 'could': Most women could do their household work all the better.

## A5. Personal response.

Every women has a right to education. An educated women is confident, independent andbrings values to the family, society and nation progress as women is educated. Today you findwomen in all professional field working as par with men.

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#### Height of Selfishness

Men appreciate themselves taking maximum advantage depriving women for the same saying that they have domestic responsibilities. They even say that women being educated would bury themselves in books thereby affecting their household work but the same is observed more in men. Infact women understand their responsibility more than what we think , if educated can handle the members well and problems of family like nursing in ill health etc. Once educated will not fall prey to superstitious quacks. So men should replace selfishness by selflessness.

#### **Note :** \*Title is compulsory.

\* Length of summary must be less than half page.

#### SECTION V : WRITING SKILLS

## Q.5. Letter Writing :

A1.

Deepak Madan A/105 Sai Apartments. Jalna Road, Aurangabad 17 October, 2019

The Chief Officer Pollution Controlling Office. Aurangabad

Sub : Campaign for celebrating Diwali without crackers

Sir.

This letter is with a humble request to organize an awareness. campaign among the general public for celebrating Diwali festival without crackers in order to stop air pollution.

We need to make the general public aware that celebrating Diwali without crackers does not ruin the festival of lights It will actually spare citizens from lethal dozes of toxic substances that are not measured in routine pollution checks such as mercury, lead and aluminium.

This campaign with the local people will spread the message of celebrating the festival with earthen lamps and a few sparklers. People who suffer from respiratory diseases will get relief from the toxic brew that goes into a seemingly innocuous fire cracker.

The Pollution Board needs to conduct a thorough campaigning by displaying the information about the harm caused by fire crackers much more aggressively Stringent measures are required to be taken by the Board for controlling the burning due to crackers which can only be done by putting a ban on bursting crackers and cautioning people against burning of crackers.

Thanking you Yours faithfully, Deepak Madan

OR

#### ALLEN A2.

A/105 Sai Apartments, Jalna Road, Aurangabad 17th October, 2019

## Dear Neelima,

Received your letter and was happy to read its contents on how you have scored the best marks in your semester exams. I know you are now ready to celebrate the festival of lights with great pleasure and fun.

This year we have decided to celebrate Diwali without crackers Burning of high decibel crackers causes the noise. levels to go up and causes pollution of the air during festivals increase in suspended particulars especially PM2.5 which are released into the air lead to diseases like heart strokes, asthma and even impact the mental health. Thus you see firecrackers during Diwali can certainly turn things dark for us.

Promise me that you too will use earthen lamps over electric lamps Not burn crackers to beat air pollution. Let's say no to crackers and have a safe, noiseless and pollution-free Diwali this year. Give my regards to elders at home Spread this message in your neighbourhood too. Happy Diwali to you.

Your loving friend, Deepika

# **Q.6.(A)** Information Transfer:

## A1. Verbal to Non-Verbal :

Points	Moral courage	Physical courage
1. Acquired through	1. Exercising the mind	1. Physical exercise
2. Pre-requisite for	2. Strong value systems	2. Nutrition and diet
3. Keep Away from	<b>3.</b> Desires of the material	3. Dominating others on the
	of world	basis of physical strength
4. Examples	4. Wrestlers and racers	4. Swami Vivekanand,
		Mahatma Gandhi

OR

## A2. Non-verbal to Verbal Information Transfer

## **Soil Erosion**

Soil erosion means wearing aways of the land's precious topsoil Soil erosion can be due to natural agents, like air, water or fire. The cause can also be man-made, as when there is excessive cultivation of land by farmers. The effects of soil erosion are dangerous and life-threatening. On the one hand it can result in floods which may kill a lot of people, and on the other hand it can lead to barren lands. To avoid disasters like floods and droughts, we must make an attempt to prevent soil erosion. We can do this by building dams at appropriate places and by practising contour farming However, there are many prevention and remediation practices that can curtail or limit erosion of vulnerable soils.

## Q.6(B)

# B1. 'Fit India, Happy India'

Respected teachers and my dear friends.

It is rightly said 'A healthy mind lives in a healthy body' is the main reason why our Prime Minister launched the 'Fit India Movement' as fitness has always been an integral part of Indian culture According to him this movement will lead India towards healthy future Lifestyle diseases and disorders are on a high rise. Small changes in our life-style can make all the difference. Yoga, physical exercise and fitness should be made an integral part of discussion in each family. If we are to elevate ourselves to success, we need to take the stairs, that is live healthy by exercising Every Indian should develop a passion for yoga and maintain a balanced diet. Everyone should practise one sport which keeps him fit. Yoga not only brings relief from many

ailments but daily meditation also helps managing stress. In order to keep oneself away from weight gain one should follow an ideal lifestyle of balanced diet and nutritious food.

It is said that one needs to take care of four things to stay in good health, food, exercise, cleanliness and rest. Let us all create a fit India which is a happy India..

So let us all join our hands to conquer our life and our health through new found empowerment mind, body and spirit. Thank you!

OR

#### B2. Old persons are not a burden to the society.

In today's materialistic society, there is a general feeling that old people are a burden to society. It has been found that after retirement if elders are reemployed, they are more dedicated and take pains to do work than youngsters. Some may misunderstand that we know everything and the old people do not know anything, but with their type of experience we can learn a lot of things from them. The wisdom in an old head is worth all treasure of the world. The elderly people can contribute to share their expertise with the younger generation Turning to old age is a cyclic change which everyone has to pass through Hence at the time when old people require the help of youngsters one should always help them They can help the younger generation by giving them ideas from their experiences how to bring up their family. They share their own experiences with them thus their role of a guide, caretaker and supporter is very valuable They might be capable of giving us a sense of direction to our home and guardians of traditions and family structures

# SECTION VI : CREATIVE WRITING

# Q.7.(A)

## A1. Expand the theme :

Time and Tide wait for none'

A person who is lazy imagines that he or she has all the time in the world. The tardy person thinks that time is his slave and he or she can do things whenever he or she pleases. However this is not so. There is a saying that time and tide wait for no man. Tides have their fixed timings and do not wait for anybody. Similarly time waits for no man. The clock keeps on ticking. If we do not use every minute to do something worthwhile, we are simply wasting our lives.

They say, "Never put off for tomorrow what you can do today." So let us respect time and do things when they are supposed to be done. Let us not put off for tomorrow what we can do today. There is a time for everything. Work while you work; play while you play: study while you study. Let us not idle. away the hours in useless pastimes such as watching TV for hours, gossiping with friends or just lazing around the house doing nothing. It is only the person who uses every minute wisel who is sure to be successful and prosperous in life.

#### A2. News Report :

'Achievers narrate their success stories'

Benglaru , **25th November:** Some of the most powerful women in India narrated their journey in life at an event in India's southern city of Benglaru , as country head of Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation (HSBC) India, Naina Lal Kidwai released her book at the event on Tuesday 25th November, 2019.

The book, called '30 women in power, carries the voices of Indian women who have been pioneers and led large organisations in sectors like banking, law, media, advertising, government service, health care and many more..

Coming from all walks of life these empowered women discuss their many successes and dreams for the future. They also venture to disclose the setbacks that have preceded hard won conquests and the barriers, psychological or otherwise, that may have held them back at certain points. The event ended with the women being the speakers of the day thus inspiring the younger generation of women to make their way to success.

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## B1. Water A Precious Resource

A couple, Gopal and Siya, lived in a luxurious apartment in very posh locality of Mumbai, A city of dreams. They enjoyed all the required amenities without any problem knocking at their door. Gopal used to leave at 8 am and returning late night. Sie with everything to look after in the house would many a time: conveniently forget to close the tap water. Gopal a careful ma had many a times warned Siya not to waste water which is most precious resource Siya would ignore all warnings by Gopa saying "In this society one can never face any scarcity of water! Life took a turn for the pair when one of the taps in their house had a leakage Gopal was out of town for business while careless Siya did not bother about the leakage. It so happened that Siya's maid informed that there would be a water cut for a few days and the supply of water would be only available for two hours in the morning. Siya did not pay heed to her house. maids information and did not get the house tap repaired.

The next day Siya overheard that water was not supplied the same evening She quickly ran towards her house opening the door the first thing she checked was the water tap through which no water dropped. Gopal who was back from his busines! - tour the same day realised Siya's carelessness so uttered nothing to his wife bought some packaged water for drinking Washing, cleaning and other chores which required water posed a problem. Siya realised how her careless nature of not repairing the tap and not storing and using water wisely.

Not only Siya but also other people of the apartment suffered due to the shortage of water supply. Finally they realised the importance of water.

Maral : To save our planet conserve water

## OR

### **B2.** Narrating an experience:

It was summer vacation I was at home down from Mumbai to Benglaru to spend my long vacation with my mother. It was a well established tradition in our family to explore a new place together. After a day's brainstorming the elders decided that this year they would all go to Mangaluru a coastal town in Karnataka by car. It was going to be our first time on its famous beaches After days of preparation the day of the journey arrived

The car played an important role in teaching us the virtues of patience as halfway to Mangaluru, it decided to screech to a stop. We undertook the remaining journey in a bus. It was the ultimate dampener. We boarded a crowded bus which also broke down halfway. Then we had to board another bus. The drive was magnificent. On the way we encountered various small falls and streams The terrain was mountainous with forests on either side The bus driver stopped the bus for us to go and dabble in a string of pools and streams. It was one of the few untouched places. There were no resorts We really felt on with nature.

The breathtaking scenery filled us with an exhilarating freshness. It almost seemed as if the entire stretch was an enchanted land conjured up to rejuvenate us and keep the holiday spirit going. It was an experience which never fails to lift my spirits whenever I think of it.

Together we will make a difference