



1. Answer the following questions in about 175 words each. 10
- a) Describe Nehru's vision on the Indian republic. 10
- OR**
- How does soil erosion occur and what are the chief factors that cause it?
- b) What are some of the problems that confront our civilization, according to Indira Gandhi? 10
- OR**
- What were the difficulties that mother Teresa experienced in establishing the missionaries of charity and how did she overcome them?
2. Answer the following questions in about 100 words each **any three**. 15
- i) When does the speaker in 'Sonnet 29' mourn his isolated state and why?
- ii) What does the poet compare the lady to in the first four lines of 'She walks in Beauty'?
- iii) Summarise the main ideas expressed in the poem, 'Stopping by wood on A snowy Evening'.
- iv) How do the followers of Gandhiji confront the threats that are raised to them?
3. Attempt **any three** of the following questions (a, b, c, d, e). 15
- a) State whether the following statements are true or false.
- i) While introducing ourselves, we need to give some personal information.
- ii) The introduction generally begins by grating everyone.
- iii) We usually use fixed expressions of politeness during informal phone calls.
- iv) One can also ask directly for a clarification.
- v) It is bad to ask the speaker to clarify.
- b) Suman talks to her new classmates during the lunch break and tells them about her compose her dialogue.
- c) Complete the following telephonic conversation.
(The phone rings in Dr. Ansari's Hospital).
Attendant :- Hello. Good morning. Primary
Heath Centre
Caller :- Good morning ---- , please.
Attendant :- Dr. Ansari is -----.
Caller :- Than you. ----- please.
Attendant :- I shall do that sir.
Caller :- -----.
Attendant :- You're -----.
- d) An art teacher tells his student how to make a kite compose a dialogue.
- e) Sanket is in a mathematics class. He does not understand an explanation and asks the teacher for a clear explanation.
Sanket : Excuse me, sir. -----
----- the definition of
a subject.
Teacher :- Right. -----
: ----- clear now?
Sanket : -----.

4. Write a paragraph on 'Health is wealth'. 5
5. a) Do as directed : 14
- i) All the members were present.
(Change it into negative sentence without changing the meaning).
 - ii) He did not deny that he stole money.
(Change it into affirmative sentence without changing the meaning).
 - iii) How he snores!
(Change it into Assertive sentence).
 - iv) Can we ever forget our national heroes?
(Change it into Assertive sentence).
 - v) The scene is very beautiful.
(Change it into exclamatory sentence)
 - vi) Everyone knows Mahatma Gandhi.
(Change it into interrogative sentence)
 - vii) It is very dirty.
(Change it into exclamatory sentence).
- b) Choose the correct form of the verb given in the bracket. 5
- i) Bose ----- English fluently (Speak, Speaks).
 - ii) Twelve inches ----- a foot. (Make, makes).
 - iii) Thousand rupees ----- a big amount (is, are)
 - iv) Neither Sumit nor his father ----- in the party. (Was, were).
 - v) Neither Murali nor Tara ----- the answer to this question (Know, knows).
- c) Change the degree of comparison **any three**. 6
- i) Sangita is not as tall as Surabhi.
(Change into comparative degree)
 - ii) Ramesh is the tallest boy in the class.
(Change into positive degree).
 - iii) Hamlet is one of the greatest dramas in English language.
(Change into comparative degree)
 - iv) Govind is more intelligent than any other boy in the class.
(Change into superlative Degree)
 - v) No other building in Agra is as beautiful as the Taj Mahal.
(Change into superlative Degree).
