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Part "A"

Answer All 05 Questions   (5 x 1 M = 5M)

The Indian middle class consist of so many strata that it defies categorisation under a single term class, which would imply a considerable degree of homogeneity. Yet two paradoxical features characterise its conduct fairly uniformly: extensive practice and intensive abhorrence of corruption.

In the several recent surveys of popular perceptions of corruptions, politicians of course invariably and understandably top the list, closely followed by bureaucrats, policemen, lawyers, businessmen and others. The quintessential middle class. If teachers do not figure high on this priority list, it is not for lack of trying, but for lack of opportunities. Over the years, the sense of shock over acts of corruption in the middle class has witnessed a steady decline, as its ambitions for a better material life have soared but the resources for meeting such ambitions have not kept pace.

What is fascinating, however, is the intense yearning of this class for a clean corruption less politics and society, a yearning that has again and again surfaced with any figure public or obscure, focus on his mission of eradicating corruption. Even the repeated failure of this promise on virtually every man's part has not subjected it to the law of diminishing returns.

1. The intense Middle Class intensely yearns for
   - A. Better material resources
   - B. Extensive practice of corruption
   - C. Clean honest society
   - D. Law of increasing returns

2. Teachers are not high on the list of corruption because they do not have
   - A. Courage
   - B. Opportunities
   - C. Support
   - D. Ambition

3. The Indian Middle class is
   - A. Defiant
   - B. Mysterious
   - C. Homogeneous
   - D. Stratified

4. Who figure on top of the list of corruption?
   - A. Businessmen
   - B. Lawyers
   - C. Politicians
   - D. Policemen

5. This yearning, over the years, has
   - A. Persisted
   - B. Soared
   - C. Declined
   - D. Disappeared

Part-B

6. A. Sneha wanted to write a story but could not go beyond a line or two. Taking help from the information given below along with the lines Sneha wrote a complete story.

   Mr. Aggarwal was a very wealthy businessman. One day he was alone sitting at his dining table when...

   Outline: *Thief entered......... Mr. Aggarwal thanked......... to give company...... birthday ...... gave him good food and drinks....... gave a purse full of silver coins............ years passed by....... fortunes changed....... business was ruined......... Mr. Aggarwal became poor...... 50th birthday.......... alone....... no food....... no drinks........ bell rang .... a man emerged......... recognised......... the old thief........ came with fruits, sweets and drinks and a bag full of money.*

OR

B. Write a scary story using the following cues. Give a suitable title.

   Two friends – – – – – meet old man – – – – enter a house – – – – – realise something wrong is happening – – – – – only one escapes?

Part-C

Answer all the long answer questions either A or B each carrying 10 marks (1 x 10 M = 10 M)

7. A. What is Effective Communication. How van improve your Communication Skills? Explain it.

OR

B. What are Emotions? Explain positive actions to help you Manage Emotions?