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অধিক অনুশীলনের মাধ্যমে সেরা প্রস্তুতির জন্য বোর্ড প্রশ্নপত্র ও মডেল টেস্ট এর প্রশ্নপত্র ও উত্তরমালা



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Part-A: Grammar

Unit-01: Gap Filling Activities With Clues

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Self-control is (a) — the root of all virtues. Let (b) — man give rein (c) — his impulses and passion and (d) — that moment he yields (e) — his moral freedom. He is carried along (f) — current of life and becomes (g) — slave of his strongest (h) — for the time being. To be morally free, to be more than an animal (i) — man must be able to resist instinctive impulse and this can only be done by the (j) — of self-control.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

justify conflict behave whimsically to the quality possess Rather symbol Gentility is the state of being gentle. And he who (a) —— this quality is a gentleman. He never hurts anyone (b) —... A gentleman is the (c) —... of peace and prosperity. He never wants any kind of (d) -. (e) ---- he tries to lead a peaceful life co-operating with others. His thoughts and (f) ---- show high moral values. One of the most positive (g) — of a gentleman is tolerance towards others. A gentleman may belong (h) —— any social class, upper or lower. He is not (i) —— by the amount of money. He is (j) — worthiest citizen of any country. So we should learn to be gentle from the beginning of our life.

3. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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Man is the (a) — of his own fate. (b) — he makes the proper division of his time and (c) — his duties (d) —, he will surly improve and (e) — in life. But if he does (f) —, he is sure to suffer when it is (g) — late. To waste time is as bad as to (h) — suicide. In fact, our (i) — is nothing but the sum total (j) — hours, days and years.

4. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman gave a (a) — speech on 7th March 1971 on Racecourse ground. He told (b) — Bengali people about the injustices of (c) — Pakistan. He said that we had (d) — everything for peace. But they gave us nothing (e) — pain and sufferings. A large number of people (f) — in that ground. Bangabandhu gave (g) — the idea of (h) —. Actually he gave (i) — primary declaration of independence on that day. His speech inspired (j) — people much.

5. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Wealth happy between for a responsibility over of Most men long (a) — wealth. Wealth, they think, brings (b) —. But often wealth brings (c) — great deal (d) — worry instead (e) — happiness. A millionaire is a very (f) — man, of course, but his great wealth is also a great (g) —. He may have many large estates and factories. Estates and factories usually need a lot (h) — attention and care. There may be disputes (i) — the millionaire and his workers (j) — one trouble or another. These disputes may lead to strikes.

Unit-02: Gap Filling Activities Without Clues

1. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Liberty does not descend on people automatically. People must raise (a) —— to it. It is a (b) —— that must be earned (c) —— it can be enjoyed, (d) —— freedom means freedom only (e) —— foreign domination is an outworn (f) ——. No freedom has any (g) —— value unless it also (h) —— freedom from want, disease (i) —— ignorance not merely freedom from (j) —— domination.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Learning is a completely continuous (a) ——. In fact, learning a language (b) —— on a process based on (c) —— skills. We need to practise (d) —— skills to learn a (e) ——. We learn by listening, speaking (f) —— and writing. But we should (g) —— by understanding but not by (h) ——. A child starts learning its (i) —— tongue by listening and lipsing, (j) —— speakers learn their language easily by listening and speaking.

3. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Electricity is the backbone of (a) —— society. Our (b) —— will go back to the primitive age without (c) ——. There is a need for rational (d) —— of electricity, as it is (e) —— produced from nonrenewable (f) —— like coal and water. Alternative (g) —— of electricity should be explored (h) —— meet the gap between its demand and (i) ——. We should take every step to conserve sources of electricity for (j) —— generations.

4. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

We live in society. So, we must (a) — how to live in peace and amity with (b) —. We have to respect others' (c) — and privileges and (d) — and dislikes as we (e) — others to respect ours. We have a lot of duties and (f) — to society. Education should (g) — at making each individual (h) — aware of these duties and responsibilities. It is true that (i) — has to learn how to earn one's (j) —.

5. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Environment pollution is a burning issue of the (a) — time. Our life is so deeply related to (b) — that any pollution of it causes dangers and (c) — about different kinds of disasters. In fact, a (d) — environment is the precondition of a sound living. (e) — our environment is being polluted in various ways. (f) — beings' unscrupulous activities are mostly responsible for all (g) — of pollution. Environmental pollution causes various health hazards (h) — breeds different kinds of germs and diseases which (i) — often prove to be fatal for human lives. (j) — we should be careful about environment pollution.

Unit-03: Substitution Table

1. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. ~ 1

| Arsenicosis | should find | the initial treatment of arsenicosis. |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--|
| Thousands of people in Bangladesh | are affected | by drinking arsenic contaminated water. |
| People | is | a great problem in a poor country like ours. |
| It | has been | safe source of water to remain safe. |
| Eating healthy balanced diet | | caused by arsenic poisoning. |

2. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| The people of the country | throng | a country of mixed culture and serene beauty. |
|--|------------|---|
| It | is | here with peace and harmony. |
| People from around the globe | are | the serene beauty of the country. |
| People of various cultures and religions | represents | very hospitable. |
| Bangladesh | live | here to enjoy the sights, scenes and culture. |

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Health | | wealth. | | | |
|--------------|------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| A person who | need | the root of all happiness. | | | |
| We is | | ill health cannot enjoy his life. | | | |
| It has | | good health to survive in the world. | | | |
| | | the blessing of God. | | | |

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Refugee crisis | be | the values of global community. |
|--|-------------|--|
| Migrants from Middle-East, Africa and Asia | can reduce | responsible for this problem. |
| Vast poverty, political conflict etc. | | a burning question at present world. |
| A recent photograph of a drawned child named Aynal | becomes | this problem. |
| Sustainable development and global peace | has stirred | a risky journey by sea for a safe abode. |

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Slum dwellers | know | be sympathetic to them. |
|----------------|---------|--------------------------|
| Their income | have to | very meagre. |
| Sometimes they | be | no bounds. |
| Their miseries | should | rootless people indeed. |
| We | | starve for want of food. |

Unit-04: Right Forms of Verbs

look

be

fish

expect

prefer

engage

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

| create | feel | be | become | quench | go | live | put | remain | realize |
|--|------|----|--------|--------|----|------|-----|--------|---------|
| Water (a) —— one of the excellent gifts of nature for the whole animate beings. All the (b) —— beings | | | | | | | | | |
| are alive provided water (c) ——. God (d) —— the other animals and plants for mankind. But if water | | | | | | | | | |
| (e) — dry, there will have no existence of life. The seeds (f) — forth seedlings under dried soil. | | | | | | | | | |
| Again, after (g) —— the thirst with water, a dire thirsty man really (h) —— regaining life. The value of | | | | | | | | | |
| water (i) — if water supply is hampered for a day at home simply. So truly the proverb (j) — | | | | | | | | | |
| water is lif | fe. | | | | | | | | |

help

motivate

speak

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

ask

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

marry

prevail

wander

lay

| The Bedouin are the Arab people who live in the desert and move from one place to another. Their |
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| name in Arabic means people who (a) —— and never stay still. They live in tents, the only place tha |
| they can (b) — their home. They often (c) — to travel alone. They sometimes have herds of goat |
| or camels or sometimes, if they live near the sea. they can get food from (d) They also earn |
| money (e) — people to travel across the desert. The Bedouin have very strict rules that (f) — |
| them how to live. Their women live with honour because they never know a man until they get (g |
| ——. Men have a different system. They must (h) —— after the honour of the women in their familie |
| and protect their homes. They must give food and a place to sleep to anyone that (i) —— for it. It (j |
| if that person is an enemy or if the Bedouin are very poor and haven't got much food fo |
| themselves – they must still give. |
| |

matter

find

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

afflict

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ make

| Bangladesh (a) —— with lots of problems. Among them child labour is an acute one. Today millions |
|--|
| of children are (b) —— in various odd jobs. "Today's children are the future adult people." If a large |
| number of our future adults are oppressed and exploited, we can (c) —— anything for the nation. We |
| all must (d) —— a way out of this problem. We believe that days (e) —— too far when Bangladesh will |
| be free from child labour. The govt now (f) —— emphasis on this issue. Different humanitarian |
| organizations are found (g) —— against child labour (h) —— in the country. The editors of different |
| newspaper also (i) —— a focus on this issue (j) —— people towards banning child labour. |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

commit dare

| | reach | has | go | take | expect | need | know | be | commit | dare |
|---|--|------------|-----------|------------|--------|------|------|----|--------|------|
| (| Corruption is opposite to honesty. It (a) —— like an infectious disease. If a corrupted man (b) —— | | | | | | | | | |
| ι | unpunished, he (c) — to (d) — another corruption. Measures (e) — against corruption. But | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | what we (f) — most is social awareness. We (g) — that a country (h) — at the peak of | | | | | | | | | |
| (| development if it is free from corruption. So, men in high position (i) —— to be honest. Then a | | | | | | | | | |
| I | oeaceful a | nd suitabl | e country | (j) —— for | all. | | | | | |

5. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| prevail | be | stop | respect | reign | feel | understand | triumph | preach | prosper |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Truth sha | ll (a) —— i | n the wor | ld. Falseho | ood (b) | – for th | ne time being. | Those wh | o (c) —— e | engaged in |
| (d) —— th | ie truth, a | re (e) —— | by the pe | eople. Tho | se who | (f) —— inter | ested in to | elling lies | cannot (g) |
| — in life. They may prosper seemingly. But they cannot (h) — all the time. Socrates throughout | | | | | | | | | |
| his life wo | ould preac | h the trut | h. He trie | d to make | e peopl | le (i) — wha | it was goo | d for ther | n. He was |
| troubled b | y the pow | erful peopl | e. Yet he r | never (j) — | — teac | hing good thi | ngs. | | |

Unit-05: Changing Narrative Style

1. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"How much do you want?" said the Mayor "A thousand guilders", said the pied piper. "All right," said the Mayor. "We'll pay you a thousand guilders. When will you set to work?" "Now" said the pied piper.

2. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Will you appear at the examination this year?" "No," "What!" "Yes," "But Why?" "My preparation is not good." What will you do now?" "Nothing," "Stupid," mother said to her son.

3. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"What do you want to be in future?" father asked his son. "I want to be a footballer," said the son. "Why?" "I desire to become a famous footballer like Lionel Messi," said he. "What an excellent idea!" said the father.

4. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The class teacher said, "Do you know what Dengu is?" "No, sir, please tell us about it clearly," said the students. "It's a disease which is caused by a mosquito named Aedes." "How can we save us from it?" asked the students. "By keeping us and our environment neat and clean we can save us from it," said the class teacher.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Hello, my dear students, do you know who I am?" "No, sir." "Oh, I see. Can you tell me what I should do now?" "Yes, sir, you should introduce yourself." "Very good," said the new teacher to the students.

Unit-06: Changing Sentences/Transformation

1. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Industry is the mother of good luck. (Interrogative)
- (b) An industrious man can easily reach his goal. (Complex)
- (c) Everybody loves and obeys an industrious man. (Negative)
- (d) We must be industrious so that we can lead our lives with flying colours. (Simple)
- (e) We must follow the paths of the industrious men. (Passive)
- (f) Although he has to toil, he remains happy. (Compound)
- (g) The great people of the history were very industrious. (Exclamatory)
- (h) Everything is achieved by the industrious. (Active)
- (i) An industrious man not only thinks about himself but also about others. (Affirmative)
- (j) No other man is as unlucky as an idle man. (Superlative)

2. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) We should read textbook regularly. (Imperative)
- (b) We read book to earn knowledge. (Complex)
- (c) The books of great writers are a great source of increasing our knowledge. (Interrogative)
- (d) Nobody gets perfection in life if he doesn't read the books of the great writers. (Simple)
- (e) Books are the greatest friend. (Comparative)
- (f) Some books having morality, can make us good citizen. (Compound)
- (g) So book is better than any other thing. (Positive)
- (h) They are always our active friends. (Negative)
- (i) How interesting a living book is! (Assertive)
- (j) So, books should be given priority by us over anything else. (Active)

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

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- (a) Illiteracy is one of the greatest problems in our country. (Positive)
- (b) It is not a blessing for the people of Bangladesh. (Affirmative)
- (c) This problem is compared to darkness. (Interrogative)
- (d) The literacy rate of Bangladesh is really low. (Exclamatory)
- (e) Living in darkness the illiterate can not take part in progressive activities. (Complex)
- (f) Mainly, excessive proverty cause illiteracy. (Passive)
- (g) We have to solve this problem so that we can be an ideal nation. (Simple)
- (h) It is illiteracy which is the impediment of our way to progress. (Compound)
- (i) We must remove illiteracy form our society. (Negative)
- (j) Some steps have been taken to prevent illiteracy. (Active)

4. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Sir Philip Sidney was one of the most kind-hearted gallants in the history of England. (Comparative)
- (b) He was at a time, a warrior, a globe trotter, a scholar, a singer and a poet. (Negative)
- (c) Once Sir Philip being severely wounded in the battle of Zutphen, was on the verge of death. (Complex)
- (d) His trained horse somehow managed to carry him to his tent. (Interrogative)
- (e) The great warrior suffered from a very unbearable death pain. (Exclamatory)
- (f) Since Sir Philip bled a lot of blood, he felt very thirsty. (Simple)
- (g) Hearing his cry for water, his soldiers brought him some water with much difficulty. (Compound)
- (h) No sooner had Sir Philip intended to drink that water, he noticed another wounded soldier. (Affirmative)
- (i) The soldiers cast a desirous look at the mug. (Passive)
- (j) Giving the mug to the soldier Sir Philip said," You<mark>r need</mark> is gr<mark>ea</mark>ter than mine." (Indirect speech)

5. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Refugee crisis has become a common affair throughout the world. (Complex)
- (b) It is one of the biggest problems modern civilization has ever faced. (Positive)
- (c) The reasons behind displacement of people may vary. (Negative)
- (d) There are many conflicting areas in different continents. (Complex)
- (e) Different countries respond to this crisis as they please. (Simple)
- (f) Only a few of them respond to the call of humanity. (Negative)
- (g) Bangladesh has set a very praiseworthy example. (Exclamatory)
- (h) When Bangladesh accepted the refugees, they honoured humanity. (Simple)
- (i) Bangladesh is showing great care and love to distressed humanity. (Negative)
- (j) The world should learn from Bangladesh. (Negative)

Unit-07: Completing Sentences

1. Complete the following sentences using conditionals, infinitives, gerunds and participles.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) It is hard labour ——.
- (b) —— we formed the habit of frugality.
- (c) Follow the rules of health provided ——.
- (d) in spite of his old age.
- (e) is a friend indeed.

2. Complete the following sentences using conditionals, infinitives, gerunds and participles.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Suman will swim after ——.
- (b) Would that ——.
- (c) catches at a straw.
- (d) But for your help, —
- (e) The boy behaved as though ——

3. Complete the following sentences using conditionals, infinitives, gerunds and participles.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Would you mind ——?
- (b) A man who is —— catches at a straw.
- (c) He feigned as though ——.
- (d) I went to London with a view to —
- (e) A tree is known ——.

4. Complete the following sentences using conditionals, infinitives, gerunds and participles.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) We must study hard in order that ——.
- (b) Five years passed since ——.
- (c) Scarcely had the party begun ——.
- (d) Had I been invited, —.
- (e) I went to Dhaka with a view to ——.

5. Complete the following sentences using conditionals, infinitives, gerunds and participles.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Examination is a system by which ——.
- (b) —— he can not do well in the exam.
- (c) Had I prepared well for the exam, ——
- (d) It is high time, ——.
- (e) Hardly had we thought for the examination, ——.

Unit-08: Use of Suffixes & Prefixes

1. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Rishi Sunak has been appointed as Britain's Prime Minister by King Charles on 25 October, 2022, following Liz Truss' recent (a) resign . Sunk, 42, only entered politics in 2015 and is the first British Asian and the first Hindu to ever hold the office of leader of the UK. He will also be the richest (b) residence in 10 Downing Street's history, with him and his wife having a combined wealth that even outranks the monarch. The (c) millionaire politician succeeded Liz Truss just seven weeks after she beat him in the Tory (d) leader contest but later resigned on October 20 after only 45 days in office. As he takes up the new role, here's what we know about the new Prime Minister including his huge personal wealth, his devout faith and the luxury homes he owns with his wife and two children. Before carving out a career in politics, Rishi Sunak (e) graduate with a first class degree in politics, philosophy and economics from Oxford and went on to work in finance. Rishi met his now wife Akshata Murthy while they were both (f) study at Stanford Business School. The pair married in 2009 and have two daughters, Krishna and Anoushka. His wife Akshata is the daughter of IT mogul N.R. Narayana Murthy, the sixth (g) rich man in India, who is reported to have assets worth around £3 billion. Rishi Sunak is a Hindu and the politician has been open about (h) practice his faith. Their main residence, where he lives with his wife and their two daughters, is a five bedroom mews house in Kensington, (i) belief to be worth around £7 million. The huge home features five bedrooms, four bathrooms and two (j) receive rooms spread over four storeys and it also has it own private garden.

2. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Gratefulness is the (a) <u>acknowledge</u> and (b) <u>appreciate</u> of help received from others. In the society, we cannot do all things alone. Sometimes, we need the help of others as we are (c) <u>dependent</u> in the society. A man may be in danger or in problem; it is a (d) <u>nature</u> instinct in man to come forward because of his fellow feeling, (e) <u>friend</u> and (f) <u>kin</u>, with help for the (g) <u>need</u>. To acknowledge and appreciate such help is gratefulness. It comes from the (h) <u>deep</u> of the heart and finds its (i) <u>manifest</u> in looks, words and deeds of the grateful man. The grateful man feels (j) <u>high</u> obliged for the benefit he has received.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

3. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

The freedom fighters are the heroic sons of our land. They fought to save our (a) <u>gold</u> Bangla in 1971. We have got the independence of our (b) <u>love</u> motherland by their (c) <u>super</u> sacrifice. Some of the (d) <u>free</u> fighters are yet (e) <u>live.</u> Most of the freedom fighters are now (f) <u>actual</u> above 70 years old. (g) <u>deed.</u> we are very lucky to see them (h) <u>direct.</u> As they are our (i) <u>hero</u> sons, we should respect them (j) <u>profound.</u>

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

In the present world (a) <u>advertise</u> is the most (b) <u>effect</u> and recognized way of making people know about products and goods of a company. With the (c) <u>introduce</u> of open market, the (d) <u>produce</u> system has become very (e) <u>compete</u>. But only producing quality goods is not the last thing to do. (f) <u>less</u> people know about the products, goods will not be sold on its own merit. Advertisement will serve the purpose of (g) <u>inform</u> people of the quality, price and (h) <u>available</u> of goods or products concerned. Even effective advertisement will (i) <u>motive</u> people to buy goods of even low quality. So, advertisement has got both persuasive and (j) <u>inform</u> quality.

5. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

For the want of (a) <u>democrat</u> values, a country can never be an (b) <u>idea</u> one for its people. From the (c) <u>manage</u> of Myanmar rulers this (d) <u>true</u> has come to light. No (e) <u>civil</u> state can admit such (f) <u>human</u> where there is an (g) <u>establish</u> democracy. There may have (h) <u>race</u> conflict in every nation but it must not exceed (i) <u>normal</u>. Every operation may have an (j) <u>object</u> but not going beyond humanity.

Unit-09: Tag Questions

The mother in her rose, ——? Nobody believes a liar, ——?

Let us settle the dispute, ——?

(e) His teacher praised him, ——?Make tag questions of these statements.

None of us can solve it, ——?

What he wants is known to me, ——?
The jury gave the unanimous verdict, ——?

A good friend scarcely let you fall in danger, ——?

I shall see you, ——?

(c)

(d)

(a)

(b)

(c)

(d)

| 1. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
|----|-----|---|------------------|
| | (a) | I think he is honest, ——? | |
| | (b) | What you need most to be happy is contentment, ——? | |
| | (c) | He as well as his parents visited Sylhet last year, ——? | |
| | (d) | None believes a liar, ——? | |
| | (e) | Strong Wei <mark>ll c</mark> an defeat <mark>frustra</mark> tion, ——? | |
| 2. | Ma | ke tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) | Great nature, ——? | |
| | (b) | Humans are part of nature, ——? | |
| | (c) | Humans have a responsibility to take care of nature, ——? | |
| | (d) | But everybody wants to destroy it, ——? | |
| | (e) | Hardly anyone tries to protect natural world, ——? | |
| 3. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) | Something is belter than nothing, ——? | |
| | (b) | Little monkeys have little tails, ——? | |
| | (c) | He let me go there, ——? | |
| | (d) | No living is above death, ——? | |
| | (e) | Nearly everybody was late, ——? | |
| 4. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) | Add this to that, ——? | |

Unit-10: Sentence Connectors

1. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Computer virus is a terror to the user of computers. (a) —— it is not a biological virus, it disturbs the operation of a computer. It usually deletes the files (b) —— are saved as useful documents. Sometimes the virus attacks the hard disk (c) —— harms it. The users have to face the loss (d) —— it starts to work. (e) —— antivirus program should be used.

2. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Pritilata Waddedar was an anti-British activist (a) —— was born in Chattogram. She dreamt of such an India (b) —— there will be no gender discrimination and no British colonial rule. So, she received combat training (c) —— she could fight against the British rule. Once, Pritilata joined Suiya Sen's Armed resistance movement who planned to attack on the Pahartali European Club in 1932 (d) —— was popular for its notorious sign "Dogs and Indians not allowed". Pritilata, disguised as a man, led the attack successfully (e) —— she could not escape from the Club and hence committed suicide by taking Potassium Cyanide to avoid shameful arrest.

3. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

A wise man is one who is able to think clearly (a) —— act in such a way that best results follow. Knowledge is very useful, (b) —— knowledge by itself does not make a man wise. We need a special kind of education (c) —— will train us to use our knowledge wisely. (d) ——, there has been a great increase in scientific knowledge during the present century. (e) —— the wisdom of man has not increased at the same rate.

4. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

A boy or a girl (a) —— studies regularly is sure to shine in life. (b) —— an inactive student suffers much (c) —— it is too late. Nowadays many students think (d) —— study is only for getting a job. (e) —— it is a false notion.

5. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Illiteracy is a curse of our country. (a) — we are responsible for our being illiterate. (b) ——, our government has taken steps to remove illiteracy from the country. Illiteracy causes great harm to us. (c) — we do not understand, we cannot take steps to improve our poor condition. (d) ——, we are lagging behind. We are dependent on foreign grants. (e) —— we are not aware of the importance of literacy, we will not be able to change our lot.

Unit-11: Punctuation and Capitalization

1. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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what is this exclaimed the emperor i know nothing of the nightingale is there such a bird in my garden in my empire even i have never heard of it.

2. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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read the passage once again but why there is a root point in the passage what go through it and you must get that thanks you are welcome rahat said to alam

3. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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have you said your prayer today i said no ive forgot it my brother replied.

4. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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good morning luba said emon how much preaparation have you taken for the ssc exam a great deal replied she ill get gpa 5 what a brilliant girl may allah bless you

5. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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a few days ago I went to Dhaka said Mr Karim why did you go there asked Mrs Sabina I wanted to purchase an air ticket for Russia replied Mr Karim

Key Grammar

Unit-01: Gap Filling Activities With Clues

- 1. (a) at (b) a (c) to (d) from (e) up (f) the (g) a (h) desire (i) a (j) exercise
- 2. (a) possesses (b) whimsically (c) symbol (d) conflict (e) Rather (f) behaviours (g) qualities (h) to (i) justified (j) the
- 3. (a) maker (b) If (c) does (d) accordingly (e) prosper (f) otherwise (g) too (h) commit (i) life (j) of
- 4. (a) fiery (b) the (c) then (d) done (e) but (f) gathered (g) them (h) independence (i) a (j) the
- 5. (a) for (b) happiness (c) a (d) of (e) of (f) wealthy (g) responsibility (h) of (i) between (j) over

Unit-02 : Gap Filling Activities Without Clues

- 1. (a) themselves (b) fruit (c) before (d) That (e) from (f) idea (g) real (h) means (i) and (j) foreign
- 2. (a) process (b) depends (c) four (d) proper (e) language (f) reading (g) learn (h) rote (i) mother (j) Native
- **3.** (a) a (b) country (c) it (d) distribution (e) mostly (f) energies (g) sources (h) to (i) supply (j) future.
- 4. (a) know (b) others (c) rights (d) likes (e) expect (f) responsibilities (g) aim (h) well (i) one (j) respect
- 5. (a) present (b) environment (c) brings (d) sound (e) However (f) Human (g) kinds (h) and (i) very (j) So

Unit-03: Substitution Table

- **1.** (a) Arsenicosis is caused by arsenic poisoning.
 - (b) It has been a great problem in a poor country like ours.
 - (c) Thousands of people in Bangladesh are affected by drinking arsenic contaminated water.
 - (d) People should find safe source of water to remain safe.
 - (e) Eating healthy balanced diet is the initial treatment of arsenicosis.
- **2.** (a) Bangladesh is a country of mixed culture and serene beauty.
 - (b) It represents the serene beauty of the country.
 - (c) People from around the globe throng here to enjoy the sights, scenes and culture.
 - (d) People of various cultures and religions live here with peace and harmony.
 - (e) The people of the country are very hospitable.
- **3.** (a) Health is wealth.
 - (b) A person who has ill health cannot enjoy his life.
 - (c) We need good health to survive in the world.
 - (d) Health is the root of all happiness.
 - (e) It is the blessing of God.
- **4.** (a) A recent photograph of a drowned child named Aynal has stirred the values of global community.
 - (b) Refugee crisis becomes a burning question at present world.
 - (c) Migrants from Middle-East, Africa and Asia undertake a risky journey by sea for a safe abode.
 - (d) Vast poverty, political conflict, etc. are responsible for this problem.
 - (e) Sustainable development and global peace can reduce this problem.
- **5.** (a) Slum dwellers are rootless people indeed.
 - (b) Their income is very meagre.
 - (c) Sometimes they have to starve for want of food.
 - (d) Their miseries know no bounds.
 - (e) We should be sympathetic to them.

Unit-04: Right Forms of Verbs

- 1. (a) is (b) living (c) remains (d) has created (e) becomes (f) don't put (g) quenching (h) feels (i) is realized (j) goes
- 2. (a) wander (b) call (c) prefer (d) fishing (e) helping (f) tell (g) married (h) look (i) asks (j) does not matter
- **3.** (a) is afflicted (b) engaged (c) not expect (d) find (e) are not (f) lays (g) to speak (h) prevailing (i) make (j) motivating
- 4. (a) is (b) goes (c) dares (d) commit (e) must be taken (f) need (g) know (h) can/ will reach (i) has (j) can be expected
- **5.** (a) prevail (b) may triumph (c) are (d) preaching (e) respected (f) feel (g) prosper (h) reign (i) understand (j) stopped

Unit-05: Changing Narrative Style

- 1. The mayor asked the pied piper how much he (P) wanted. The pied piper replied that he wanted a thousand guilders. The mayor said that it was all right. He (M) also said that they would pay a thousand guilders. He then asked the pied piper when he (P) would set to work. The pied piper replied that he (P) would work then.
- 2. Mother asked her son if he would appear at the examination that year. Her son replied in the negative. Mother exclaimed with wonder. Then her son confirmed her. Mother then wanted to know why he would not. Her son told her that his preparation was not good. Then mother asked what he would do then. Her son replied that he would do nothing. Mother then addressed her son as stupid.
- **3.** Father asked his son what he wanted to be in future. The son replied that he (S) wanted to be a footballer. The father wanted to know the reason why he (S) wanted to be a footballer. The son replied that he (S) desired to become a famous footballer like Lionel Messi. The father exclaimed with joy that it was an excellent idea.
- **4.** The class teacher asked the students if they knew what Dengue was. The students replied in the negative and respectfully requested the class teacher to tell them about it clearly. The teacher told that it's a disease which is caused by a mosquito named Aedes. The students asked the class teacher how they could save them from it. The class teacher replied that by keeping them and their environment neat and clean they could save them from it.
- 5. Addressing the students as his dear students, the new teacher asked them if they knew who he was. The students respectfully replied in the negative. Expressing wonder the new teacher asked them if they could tell him what he should do then. The students replied in the affirmative and told him that he should introduce himself. Then the new teacher told them that that was very good.

Unit-06: Changing Sentences/Transformation

- 1. (a) Isn't industry the mother of good luck?
 - (b) A man who is industrious can easily reach his goal.
 - (c) Nobody hates and disobeys an industrious man.
 - (d) We must be industrious to lead our lives with flying colours.
 - (e) The paths of the industrious men must be followed by us.
 - (f) He has to toil but he remains happy.
 - (g) How industrious the great people of the history were!
 - (h) The industrious achieve everything.
 - (i) An industrious man thinks both about himself and others.
 - (j) An idle man is the unluckiest one.
- **2.** (a) Let us read textbook regularly.
 - (b) We read book so that we can earn knowledge.
 - (c) Aren't the book of a great writers a great source of increasing our knowledge?
 - (d) Nobody gets perfection in life without reading the books of the great writers.
 - (e) Books are greater than any other friend.
 - (f) Some books have morality and they can make us good citizen.
 - (g) So, no other thing is as good as the book.
 - (h) They are never our inactive friends.
 - (i) A living book is very interesting.
 - (j) So, we should give priority to book over anything else.
- **3.** (a) Very few problems in our country are as great as illiteracy.
 - (b) It is a curse for the people of Bangladesh.
 - (c) Isn't this problem compared to darkness?
 - (d) How low the literacy rate of Bangladesh is!
 - (e) As the illiterate people live in darkness, they cannot take part in progressive activities.
 - (f) Mainly, illiteracy is caused by excessive poverty.
 - (g) We have to solve this problem to be an ideal nation.
 - (h) We want to progress but illiteracy is the impediment of our way to progress.
 - (i) We cannot but remove illiteracy from our society.
 - (j) Govt. has taken some steps to prevent illiteracy.

- **4.** (a) Sir Philip Sidney was more kind hearted than most other gallants is the history of England.
 - (b) He was not only a warrior but also a globe trotter, a scholar, a singer and a poet at a time.
 - (c) Once Sir Philip was so severely injured in the battle of Zutphen that he was on the verge of death.
 - (d) Didn't his trained horse somehow manage to carry him to his tent?
 - (e) What an unbearable death pain the great warrior suffered!
 - (f) Because of a lot of bleeding, Sir Philip felt very thirsty.
 - (g) His soldiers heard his cry for water and they brought him some water with much difficulty.
 - (h) As soon as Sir Philip intended to drink that water he noticed another wounded soldier.
 - (i) A desirous look at the mug was cast by the soldier
 - (j) Giving the mug to the soldier Sir Philip said that his (S) need was greater than his (P).
- **5.** (a) Refugee crisis is such an affair which has become common throughout the world.
 - (b) Very few problems modern civilization has ever faced are as big as it.
 - (c) The reasons behind displacement of people may not be same.
 - (d) There are many areas in different continents which are conflicting.
 - (e) Different countries respond to this crisis according to their pleasure.
 - (f) None but few of them respond to the call of humanity.
 - (g) What a praiseworthy example Bangladesh has set!
 - (h) At the time of accepting the refugees, Bangladesh honoured humanity.
 - (i) Bangladesh is showing great care and love to humanity which is distressed.
 - (j) Shouldn't the world learn from Bangladesh?

Unit-07: Completing Sentences

- **1.** (a) It is hard labour that brings prosperity in one's life.
 - (b) <u>It is high time</u> we formed the habit of frugality.
 - (c) Follow the rules of health provided you want to live a healthy life.
 - (d) He is still active and energetic in spite of his old age.
 - (e) A friend in need is a friend indeed.
- 2. (a) Suman will swim after he will have finished his study.
 - (b) Would that I were a child again.
 - (c) A drowning man catches at a straw.
 - (d) But for your help, I could fall into danger.
 - (e) The boy behaved as though he were a mad.
- **3.** (a) Would you mind opening the window?
 - (b) A man who is <u>drowning</u> catches at a straw.
 - (c) He feigned as though he had been crazy.
 - (d) I went to London with a view to <u>acquiring higher study</u>.
 - (e) A tree is known by its fruit.
- **4.** (a) We must study hard in order that we can cut a good figure in the exams.
 - (b) Five years passed since we had last seen each other.
 - (c) Scarcely had the party begun when the thunder struck.
 - (d) Had I been invited, I would have been present.
 - (e) I went to Dhaka with a view to visiting the historic places.
- **5.** (a) Examination is a system by which <u>students are evaluated</u>.
 - (b) Without studying hard he cannot do well in the exam.
 - (c) Had I prepared well for the exam, I would have passed it.
 - (d) It is high time, we took preparation for the upcoming exam.
 - (e) Hardly had we thought for the examination, when we became anxious.

Unit-08: Use of Suffixes & Prefixes

- 1. (a) resignation (b) resident (c) multimillionaire (d) leadership (e) graduated (f) studying (g) richest (h) practicing (i) believed (j) reception
- **2.** (a) acknowledgement (b) appreciation (c) interdependent (d) natural (e) friendship (f) kingship (g) needy (h) depth (i) manifestation (j) highly

- **3.** (a) golden (b) lovely (c) supreme (d) freedom (e) alive (f) actually (g) Indeed (h) directly (i) heroic (j) profoundly
- **4.** (a) advertisement (b) effective (c) introduction (d) production (e) competitive (f) Unless (g) informing (h) availability (i) motivate (j) informative
- **5.** (a) democratic (b) ideal (c) mismanagement (d) truth (e) civilized (f) inhumanity (g) established (h) racial (i) normality (j) objective

Unit-09: Tag Questions

- 1. (a) I think he is honest, <u>isn't he</u>?
 - (b) What you need most to be happy is contentment, isn't it?
 - (c) He as well as his parents visited Sylhet last year, didn't he?
 - (d) None believes a liar, do they?
 - (e) Strong will can defeat frustration, can't it?
- **2.** (a) Great nature, isn't it?
 - (b) Humans are part of nature, aren't they?
 - (c) Humans have a responsibility to take care of nature, don't they?
 - (d) But everybody wants to destroy it, don't they?
 - (e) Hardly anyone tries to protect natural world, do they?
- **3.** (a) Something is belter than nothing, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) Little monkeys have little tails, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (c) He let me go there, didn't he?
 - (d) No living is above death, are they?
 - (e) Nearly everybody was late, weren't they?
- **4.** (a) Add this to that, won't you?
 - (b) The mother in her rose, <u>didn't it?</u>
 - (c) Nobody believes a liar, do they?
 - (d) Let us settle the dispute, shall we?
 - (e) His teach<mark>er</mark> praised him, didn't he?
- **5.** (a) I shall see you, shan't I?
 - (b) None of us can solve it, can we?
 - (c) A good friend scarcely let you fall in danger, does he?
 - (d) What he wants is known to me, isn't it?
 - (e) The jury gave the unanimous verdict, didn't it?

Unit-10: Sentence Connectors

- 1. (a) Though (b) which/ that (c) and (d) whenever/ when (e) So/ That's why
- **2.** (a) who (b) where (c) so that (d) which (e) but
- 3. (a) and (b) but (c) which (d) Undoubtedly/ Certainly (e) But
- **4.** (a) who (b) On the other hand/ On the contrary (c) when (d) that (e) However/ But
- **5.** (a) But (b) However (c) As (d) So (e) If

Unit-11: Punctuation and Capitalization

- **1.** "What is this?" exclaimed the emperor. "I know nothing of the neghtingale," "Is there such a bird in my garden, in my empire even? I have never heard of it."
- **2.** "Read the passage once again." "But why?" "There is a root point in the passage." "What!" "Go through it and you must get that." "Thanks." "You are welcome," Rahat said to Alam.
- **3.** "Have you said your prayer today?" I said. "No, I've forgot it," my brother replied.
- **4.** "Good morning, Luba," said Emon. "How much preparation have you taken for the SSC exam?" "A great deal," replied she. "I'll get GPA-5." "What a brilliant girl! May Allah bless you."
- **5.** "A few days ago, I went to Dhaka," said Mr. Karim. "Why did you go there?" asked Mrs. Sabina. "I wanted to purchase an air ticket for Russia," replied Mr. Karim.



Part-B: Composition

Unit-12: Writing CV with Cover Letter

Suppose, you are Sanjoy. You have completed MBBS from a renowned medical college, You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of a medical officer in a well-known medical college and hospital. Now, write a Curriculum Vitae with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.

Cover Letter

10 June, 2024

The Director

Bangladesh Medical College and Hospital

Dhanmondi, Dhaka

Subject: Application for the position of a Medical Officer.

Dear Sir,

I am writing in response to your advertisement published in "The Daily Star" dated 8 June 2023. The position requirements and my skills are a perfect match.

As you'll see on my enclosed Curriculum Vitae, I have the educational background, professional experience, and track record for which you are searching. In addition, I am motivated and enthusiastic, and would appreciate the opportunity to contribute to your hospital's success. I am available for interview for the next three weeks.

Sincerely

Sanjoy Chowdhury (Mugdha Ahmed)

Enclosure(s): (a) A complete CV of mine

- (b) Attested copies of all certificates, transcripts and experience certificate
- (c) Attested copies of 2 passport size photos
- (d) Attested photocopy of National ID Card

CV/Résumé

Curriculum Vitae Of

Sanjoy Chowdhury

E-mail: sanjoy2001@gmail.com Phone: 8913318, Mobile: 01713...... Photo

Career Objective
Present address
Permanent address
Building up career in the field of Medical Service.
House-15, Road-03; Sector-4, Uttara, Dhaka
House 45, Block-B, Halishahar, Chattogram

Personal Information

Father's name : Sajeeb Chowdhury
Mother's name : Romela Chowdhury
Date of birth : 10 December 2001
Nationality : Bangladeshi
Religion : Hinduism

Gender : Male
NID No. : 197×××××

Marital Status : Unmarried
Blood Group : O+(ve)

Educational qualification

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|-----------------|---------------|--|--------------------|----------|
| Name of Exam | Subject/Group | Institution | Year of Completion | Result |
| MBBS | Medicine | поѕрнаі | 2023 | CGPA-3.2 |
| HSC | Science | Adomjee Cantonment School & College, Dhaka | 2018 | GPA-5.00 |
| SSC | Science | Adomjee Cantonment School & College, Dhaka | 2016 | GPA-5.00 |

Experience

: Medical Officer, Addin Medical College and Hospital, Dhaka from

July 2023 till date.

♦ Fluent in both spoken and written English

References : Available upon request

To my best of knowledge, the information stated above is true and accurate.

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(Full name and signature of Applicant with date)

2. Suppose, you are Zannatul Mawa. You have recently completed your post Graduation degree from business studies discipline from a reputed university. Islami Bank Bangladesh Ltd is going to appoint some experienced "Principal Officer" for the bank. Remember! To apply for the post candidate must have banking diploma degree. If you are interested for the post, Please write a CV with cover letter for the same.
8
Ans.

Cover Letter

June 10, 2023

The Head of HR Islmai Bank Bangladesh Ltd Motijheel Dhaka-1000

Subject: Application for the post of a Principal Officer

Dear Sir,

In response to your advertisement published in "The Daily Star" dated on June 08, 2023, I came to know that you are looking for a candidate with exceptional educational qualification and experience for the post of a Principal Officer. I want to offer myself as a candidate for the same.

My enclosed résumé (CV) will demonstrate that I have those qualities which you require.

I, therefore, hope that you would kindly consider it. I am looking forward to having an interview with you at your convenient time.

Sincerely yours

Zannatul Mawa

(Zannatul Mawa)

Enclosure(s): (a) A complete Curriculum Vitae of mine

- (b) Attested copies of all certificates, transcripts and experience certificate
- (c) Attested copies of 2 passport size photos
- (d) Attested photocopy of National ID Card
- (e) A bank draft of tk. 200/-

CV/Résumé

Curriculum Vitae Of

Zannatul Mawa

Tel: 019399...... E-mail: mawa2000@yahoo.com Photo

Career Objective : Building up career in banking sector

Profile : I am an outgoing Postgraduate

Mailing address : House #10/12; Road # 08; Muradnagar, Cumilla Permanent address : C/O Md. Abdur Rahman; Village: Rampur;

P.O. + P.S.: Muradnagar; Cumilla

Personal Information

Father's name : Md. Azaharul Islam Mother's name : Mst. Rubina Khatun

Date of birth : 09.09.2000

Nationality : Bangladeshi by birth

Religion : Islam
Gender : Male
NID No. : 129 ×××××
Marital Status : Unmarried
Blood Group : O+(ve)

Educational qualification:

| Name of Exam | Subject/ Group | Board/ University | Year of passing | Result |
|-----------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| MBA | Finance | IBA, Dhaka University | 2023 | CGPA-3.50 (out of 4) |
| BBA | Finance | IBA, Dhaka University | 2022 | CGPA-3.43(out of 4) |
| HSC | Business studies | Dhaka Board | 2018 | GPA-5 (out of 5) |
| SSC | Business studies | Dhaka Board | 2016 | GPA-5 (out of 5) |

Work experience : I have been working as a Junior Officer in Markentile Bank Ltd.

Since March 2023 till date.

Other training : a. Computer Course, 2020

b. Spoken English Course, 2021

c. Banking Diploma

Language skill: Fluent in both Bangla & EnglishComputer skill: Diploma in ICT from BIAM

Interest : Travelling, fishing and playing chess

References :

Md. Rajib Ahmed Mr. Rezaul Karim
Lecturer General Manager
Notre Dame College, Mymensingh Markentile Bank Ltd., Motijheel, Dhaka

To my best of knowledge, the information stated above is true and accurate.

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(Full name and signature of Applicant with date)

3. Suppose, you are Tasin/Tasnia and you have passed MSc in Computer Science. You have seen a circular for the post of Software Engineer in a multinational company 'Soft Tech'. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.

8
Ans.

Cover Letter

June 15, 2023

The Director

Administration & HR Asian Textile Limited

House-9. Road-3

Gulshan-1, Dhaka-1212

Subject: Application for the post of a Software Engineer

Dear Sir

I would like to inform you that from the advertisement published in "The Daily Star" dated June 13, 2023, I have come to know that you are looking for persons with exceptional educational qualification and experience for the post of Software Engineer. I want to offer myself as a candidate for the same.

My enclosed curriculum vitae will demonstrate that I have those qualities which you require.

I, therefore, hope that you would kindly consider it. I am looking forward to having an interview with you at your convenient time.

Sincerely yours,

Mubarak Khan

(Mubarak Khan)

Enclosure: A complete CV

CV/Résumé

Curriculum Vitae

Of

Mubarak Khan

Email: kmubarak09@gmail.com Contact: 019127.....

Photo

Career Objective : Building up career in the Textile Industry.

Present Address Plot # 15, Road 71, Gulshan-2

: C/O Shahjahan Khan; Village: Kathadia; P.O.: Aldi Bazar; P.S.: **Permanent Address**

Tongibari; District: Munshiganj

Personal Details

Father's Name : Shahjahan Khan Mother's Name Sharmin Sultana Date of Birth 07.10.1998

Nationality : Bangladeshi by birth

Gender : Male NID No. : 104×××××× Marital Status : Unmarried Blood Group : A+(ve)

Educational qualification:

| Name of Exam/ Degree | Subject/Group | Board/ Institution | | Result (GPA/CGPA) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------|----------------------|
| MSc | Computer Science and Engineering | BUET | 2021 | CGPA- 3.50 |
| BSc | Computer Science and Engineering | BUET | 2020 | CGPA- 3.60 |
| HSC | Science | Dhaka Board | 2016 | GPA- 5.00 |
| SSC | Science | Dhaka Board | 2014 | GPA- 5.00 |

Work experience

: I have been working as an Software Engineer in Omicon Textiles

since May 2022 till date.

Other Training

Spoken English Course, British Council

Language proficiency

: Speaking, writing and reading skills of Bengali & English

Interest and hobby

: Fishing and singing

Computer skill References

: Good Keyword Skills, familiarity with Word, Excel & Corel draw

Dr Amanullah : a.

Professor

Textile Engineering, BUET Mobile: $016 \times \times \times \times \times \times$

Mr Abdul Jalil Principal

Madhupur Shaheed Smrity College, Tangail

Mobile: 017×××××××

To my best of knowledge, the information stated above is true and accurate.

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(Full name and signature of Applicant with date)

Unit-13: Formal Letters/Emails

Suppose, you are Raihan. You are a student of Govt. Muslim High School. There is insufficient sports materials in the school sports club. Now write an application to the Headmaster on behalf of the students of your school to buy sufficient sports materials for the sports club. 10 Ans.

25 February 2024

The Headmaster

Govt. Muslim High School

Subject: Application to buy sufficient sports materials for the sports club.

Sir.

I have the honour to invite your kind attention to the fact that our school sports club does not have sufficient sports materials. In proportion to the number of students, sports materials are quite insufficient. Many of us have to keep idle in gossiping during the off period or leisure time. There are only two chess board, one table tennis and a carom board in our sports club. If there were ample sports materials, we could pass our leisure time by playing those.

May I, therefore, pray and hope that your honour would be kind enough to buy sufficient sports materials for our school sports club and oblige thereby.

Yours obediently

Raihan

Suppose, you are Apurbo, a student of class Ten of "P" High school, Sapaher, Naogaon. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school for arranging a book fair in the school premises.

Ans.

15 February 2024

The Headmaster

'P' School

Sapaher, Naogaon

Subject: Prayer for arranging a book fair in our school campus.

Sir.

With due respect and humble submission, I, on behalf of the student of class X of your renowned school, would like to explain here that our classmates are very creative and productive. They have ability to write poems, dramas, short stories, etc. So, we want to arrange a book fair in our school compound. Besides, some of our classmates wrote about our language movement, liberation war and victory day. Their books have already been published. So, we want to make our deeds and documents highlighted by presenting them before the readers and general people.

I therefore, pray and hope that you would kindly allow us to arrange a book fair in our school compound and help us to develop our latent potentialities.

Yours obediently,

Zara

Class X Roll No. 1

On behalf of the students of the school

3. Suppose, you want to participate in an Essay Writing Competition organized by "The Daily Star". Write an email to the editor requesting him/her to send you the guidelines and other details of that competition.

Ans

To: officekushorganisation42@gmail.com

Subject: Providing guidelines and other details of the Essay Writing Competition

Dear Sir.

Thanks for your invitation. In fact, I'm very glad to be informed of the competition. I'm very much eager to participate in this competition. As I'm a college student, I think I'll be eligible in group-c. Hope you will inform me of the procedure to be enlisted for the competition.

I look forward to hearing form you.

Sincerely yours, Sanjoy Odhikari Mirpur, Dhaka

Unit-14: Writing Paragraphs

 Write a paragraph in 250 words, on "Reckless Driving". Ans. 10

Reckless Driving

Reckless driving has become an unannounced fashion amongst our drivers. They drive rashly causing serious accidents which cost a heavy toll of life. It has been identified as a punishable crime. But the situation remains the same as it was before and the drivers become more furious ever before, There is hardly any day when we do not have the pathetic scenes of accident. We do not know how long this reckless driving will continue leaving a heavy trail of death and destruction behind. I think skilled and responsible drivers can come forward to save our travelers from the cause

of reckless driving. Our traffic police should be instructed to impose traffic laws strictly into case of any reckless driving. Drivers should be trained in a way that they become able to understand 'life is more valuable than time.' We the passengers should not instigate or insist on them to drive recklessly. We should remember that an accident of a moment may be the cause of cries for years.

Write a paragraph on "Eve-teasing". Ans.

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Eve Teasing

Eve teasing means harassing women. It is a heinous act. Young girls are the common victims or the main targets of this heinous act. Young boys who have gone to the dogs are the common eve teasers. They get fun out of eve teasing. They say something objectionable about our girls, pull their cloths, push them back. Even they do not feel hesitant to harass girls sexually. Sometimes girls are physically assaulted by the eve teasers. There are some causes of eve teasing. Carelessness of guardians towards their issues, want of strictness of parents, influence of western culture and custom, looseness of character, want of social awareness and strict law and order are some of the causes of eve teasing. The effects of eve teasing are very dangerous and dreadful. The victims stop going outside, especially to academic centres. They lead a life of seclusion. Even being victimised by eve teasing they do not feel hesitant to commit suicide. It is the failure of our society to protect girls from committing suicide. Everybody really hates the eve teasers. The law enforcing agencies should be made alert to prevent eve teasers with iron hands. Moreover, social awareness among people of all classes should be raised to stop eve teasing.

Write a paragraph on "Water Logging Problem". Ans.

10

Water Logging Problem

Bangladesh faces a significant water logging problem every year during rainy season, when it rains a lot and the water doesn't have a good place to go. It stays in the fields and cities, making everything wet and muddy. People cannot move easily for it. It brings indescribable sufferings to the pastoral life of Bangladesh. People suffer from want of food, diarrhoea, typhoid, dysentery, cholera etc. In cities, there are water logging on the streets. Roads are damaged seriously and creates problems for people and vehicles causing severe traffic jam. In recent years, dengue fever has taken epidemic form infecting millions and taking away thousand of lives. The breeding of dengue is totally out of control due to water logging. To solve this problem we need good ways for the water to go away. Building better drains and planning our cities in a way that helps the water move. If we learn how to manage water better, it will make life easier for village and people living in the cities. Along with the Govt. everyone of us should come forward to face this challenge. Every citizen should be sincere about it. Thus we can face this challenge.

Unit-15: Compositions

Suppose few days ago, you went on a one-day study tour to some places of significance. Now write a composition on Your Recent Study Tour in 250 words.
 Ans.

A Study Tour I have Made

A study tour is of great importance for the students because of its entertaining and educative value. Recently I had an opportunity to go on a study tour to Chattogram.

Chattogram is the commercial capital of Bangladesh. During the summer vacation taking the financial assistance from our principal, we arranged this tour. We, some of the students of Humanities, went to Chattogram. Actually Chattogram is rich in natural beauty. It is famous for its sea-port. After we had reached Chattogram, we observed the export and import of different goods from this port. We watched many foreign ships full of goods. We experienced how the transaction had been actualised there.

We watched different industrial areas of Chattogram. Chattogram is industrially developed. It is rich in mills and factories. By observing these industries we learnt a lot. We were really overwhelmed with joy and surprised to see the large equipments used in different factories. Reaching Karnafuli, we observed Kaptai Hydro Electric Project. It is really strange. How the flow of water is maintained through machine and using the current of the river how the electricity is produced are really surprising experiences for the newcomers. We really learnt a lot from this tour. Besides, we observed the Chattogram city. We remained there for three days.

In fact, it was a new experience in my life to enjoy such kind of study tour. I think that a study tour really broadens one's views, power of thinking and thought.

Write a composition on 'Social Network and Its Impact on Our Life'. Ans.

The changing patterns of social Networking and its impact on our life

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With the passage of time we are encountering new media as a democratic means of communication. In this perspective, the changing patterns of social networking have great influence on our life. It has been argued that new media has brought sea changes in intrapersonal, interpersonal, group and mass communication processes and content.

Social media is emerging as a most vital tool of different kinds of communication which is equipped with the ability to share information, mould opinion, connecting individuals and communities and tool of active participation. Social media refers to the means of interactions among people in which they create, share and exchange information and ideas in virtual communities and networks.

Social media was created for social interaction and it is serving its purpose fully. It has enabled the communication faster, cheaper and anytime anywhere. This very feature which seems to be useful is becoming a problem in interpersonal communication. People are virtually connected all the time with updated status on social media sites. Most of the time netizens are so much engrossed in their virtual communication that they hardly find time to talk to those near and dear one who are present in their physical surroundings.

Once upon a time there used to be hardly 15-20 friends of a person with whom he used to interact regularly, but with the development of social media the number of friends whose update one can have is running into hundreds. Something that was shared amongst friends in inner circle, the very information gets disclosed instantly. Earlier relationships were maintained in secrecy and break ups were having silent tone. With changing times people have started committing on Facebook and that commitment is broken of Facebook itself.

In comparison to the age of mass communication which is more than four centuries old social media is in infancy. Despite the fact, it is influencing traditional mass media in every aspect– programmed formats, content, treatment and language. Most of the big newspapers. TV channels and radio channels monitor the content of popular social networking sites Facebook and Twitter to get the latest update of happening around the world.

Despite a billion users are registered on social networking sites yet social media is still an infant. Once a popular networking site 'Orkut' has lost its identity in virtual world. Same may happen to other sites as well. Teens are increasingly abandoning Facebook and turning to Instagram, Twitter, MySpace where they tend to have more privacy. Teens consider that site has become overrun by parents and leads to unnecessary 'social drama'.

Social media is creating a new kind of social order. It is strengthening social network but weakening inter-personal relations. User-generated content will lead to new challenge for Intellectual Property Rights, a new form of addiction for younger generation, an age of over communication and alienation on the other hand. Mass media's dependency on new media may lead to new media's supremacy, leading to more representation and more participation in public sphere.

5. Write a composition on "Women's Contributions to the Development of Our Country". 12 Ans.

Women's Contribution To The Development Of A/ Our Country

Women are nowadays as important as men in society. They constitute nearly half of our total population. No nation can make real progress keeping a full half of its population idle. Women's contribution is indispensable for the socio-economic development of a country. If they get opportunity, their genius, powers and capacities will bloom fully. So for the development of a country, full participation of women in the economic activities is essential.

Today women play an important role in all spheres of life. They are no longer confined within the four walls. They have come out of the kitchen and work hand in hand now with men. By receiving higher education they are becoming pilots, doctors, engineers, teachers, administrators, etc. Women are now engaged in agro-based sector, manufacturing and transportation sector, marketing sector. They have been able to prove their worth. They are contributing much to the economy of the country. Most women work because pressures of children's education and day to day expenses are becoming so high that many families actually welcome the added income. It is the women who are the main bread winners in some cases.

With their earning power women have already started influencing the important decisions in the family. There is of course still a long way to cross by the women. In some cases they are still deprived. As development continues and society evolves, the number of women entering the workforce is increasing. For a developing country like ours, the only way of the development is to get the whole women community involved in the workforce.





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01 ✓ DHAKA BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

[$\emph{N.B.}$ The figures in the right margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the bla | nks with | the word | s from th | e box. You | may ne | ed to chan | ge the forn | ns of some of |
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| | the words. Yo | u may n | eed to use | one wor | d more tha | n once. | | | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
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| he Kaptai Lake is located in the hilly district of Rangamati. This is the (a) —— lake in Bangladesh. |
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| The (b) —— beauty of this lake is well-known to all. This huge lake stretches for miles touching |
| lifferent parts (c) —— Rangamati district. There are rows of high mountains all around. Between the |
| tills flows the lake water in a zigzag (d) ——. The bottoms of the (e) —— are submerged in water. |
| When we look at them from a distance, it seems that (f) —— hills are floating on water. Being |
| ttracted (g) —— its captivating natural beauty, every year a great number of nature lovers (h) —— |
| t. There is an arrangement for boat journey as well. A number (i) —— colourful boats are ready to |
| velcome the tourists. A (j) —— breeze is always blowing. It cools the tourists and soothes their |
| ninds. |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Students teachers' relationship is regarded as the relationship (a) — parents and children. A teacher is next (b) — parents. Parents (c) — up children. On the (d) — hand, a teacher guides the students to materialize their (e) —. A teacher spreads the (f) — of education to remove the (g) — of ignorance. As a (h) —, a student can see the path of prosperity. Thus a teacher helps build up a civilized (i) —. So he is really called (j) — architect of a nation.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| (a) | Good health | does not mean | a vital role in attaining this wealth. |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------|--|
| (b) | Bulky body | makes | the soundness of both body and mind. |
| (c) | To be a healthy men one | leads | our life happy and enjoyable |
| (d) | Food habit | should have | an unhappy life. |
| (e) | An unhealthy man | plays | good health. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ entertain make order want need wish become be take arrive

A birthday party is arranged to celebrate the day when one was born. It (a) —— a happy occasion. Recently it (b) —— a tradition to organize a birthday party. For organizing such a party, one (c) —— to spend both time and money. He/she starts (d) —— preparation from some days ago. A birthday cake (e) —— earlier. Then, he/she invites his/her close friends and relatives. Usually friends (f) —— to miss such a party. On the appointed day, he/she puts on the best dress and eagerly waits for the invited guests to (g) ——. After the arrival of the guests, he/she cuts the birthday cake. By singing happy birthday to you, everybody (h) —— him/her. The guests are highly (i) —— with delicious foods and snacks. Sometimes there is arrangement for music with a view to (j) —— the party more enjoyable.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Why are you putting up the foods in your pockets, sir? Why don't you eat?" asked the noble man. "I'm doing the right thing. My dress deserves these foods, " replied Sheikh Saadi, "I don't understand what you want to mean and I'm sorry, " said the noble man.

| | Part-C: Model Test | ২৭ |
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| 6. | Change the sentences according to directions. | 1 × 10 = 10 |
| | (a) How charming a moonlit night is! (Assertive) | |
| | (b) It presents a very beautiful sight. (Exclamatory) | |
| | (c) It dazzles our eyes and soothes our heart. (Negative) | |
| | (d) People of all ages enjoy a moonlit a night. (Interrogative) | |
| | (e) Little boys and girls make merriment to enjoy themselves. (Complex) | |
| | (f) Everybody likes a moonlit night. (Passive) | |
| | (g) Though the moon gives us light, it does not have the light of its own. (Compo | ound) |
| | (h) Very few beauties of nature are as charming as a moonlit night. (Comparativ | |
| | (i) Unless one enjoys the beauty of a moonlit night, one cannot explain it prope | |
| | (j) In fact, a moonlit night is very pleasant. (Negative) | J C P -> |
| 7. | Complete the sentences. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) 1971 is the year when ——. | 1 ^ 0 = 0 |
| | (b) Bangladesh gained her freedom after ——. | |
| | (c) Our brave sons sacrificed their lives so that ——. | |
| | (d) We should pay due tribute to those heroes who ——. | |
| | (e) Unless we work unitedly, ——. | |
| 0 | • | diwan in the |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words a parenthesis. | given in the $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | Books are our best friends. They introduce us to the realm of (a) <u>limited</u> knowledge | |
| | great (b) <u>write</u> contain noble thoughts and great ideas. We can (c) <u>rich</u> our mind b | |
| | The reading of books brings (d) <u>perfect</u> . No spiritual progress and worldly (e) <u>pros</u> | - |
| | (f) with reading books. (g) true speaking, reading books is such a thing which has | |
| | So, we should read books on (i) <u>vary</u> topics so that we may bring proper (j) <u>develor</u> | |
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| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Many people hanker after money, ——? | |
| | (b) But money is not as valuable as morality,—? | |
| | (c) Let us always keep this truth in mind, —? | |
| | (d) Money can hardly bring happiness, —? | |
| | (e) So, we should never have greed for money, ——? | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | It is known to all (a) — gold is a valuable metal. There are many metals cheaper | |
| | they look like it. (b) —— they glitter for sometimes, they fade away in the long rur | |
| | there are also many people (c) —— are outwardly very gentle and polished. Later | |
| | identity is revealed (d) —— they do not exercise moral value. That's why people sa | ıy, "All (e) —— |
| | glitters is not gold." | |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | what kind of stories did Aesop tell said Abdullah fables replied mr rahman do you | ı know what fables |
| | are no replied abduallh well continued mr rahman fables are stories with a messa | age or a moral |
| Par | t-B: Composition [40 Marks] | |
| | Suppose, you are Habib/Habiba and you have recently obtained MBA from C | umilla University. |
| | You have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The New Nation' that a renowned | - |
| | is going to appoint an Assistant Marketing Officer. Now, write a CV with a co | |
| | post. | 8 |
| 12 | Suppose, you are Shuvo/Sova, a student of class IX. Your school is a repute | |
| 13. | is no canteen in your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of | |
| | setting up a canteen in your school. | 10 |
| 1.4 | | |
| | Write a paragraph on 'The Life of a Farmer'. | 10 |
| 15. | Write a composition about 'The Importance of Reading Newspaper.' | 12 |
| | | |

02 \(\text{RAJSHAHI BOARD-2024} \) English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

give a evil contrary from enough justice ensure deeds result

Self purification means to keep the soul free (a) — all kinds of sins as well as from (b) — deeds.

This divine quality is (c) — must in our every day life. Only physical priority is not (d) — mental purity should be (e) — more priority. Self purification inspires one to do good (f) — On the (g) — a bad man indulges in various sinful thoughts and deeds. He does not hesitate to do (h) — or any wrong doing. As a (i) — social peace and order are disturbed. So the usefulness of self purification is undeniable for (j) — peace and harmony in the society.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

throw

kill

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

The Padma multi-purpose bridge has (a) —— a new era in the history of Bangladesh. This mega project has been implemented (b) —— any foreign aid. The southern 21 districts were cut (c) —— from the main-land by the mighty Padma river. So, this vast area could not keep pace (d) —— the other parts considering economic development. But direct connection with (e) —— capital by this bridge is going to expand trade and commerce. Besides, tourism is also (f) —— to speed up. All these are contributing much (g) —— our economic growth and surely reduce the poverty of those (h) ——. The construction of the bridge (i) —— was our long-cherished (j) —— at last came true.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| | <u> </u> | | |
|-----|--|------------|--|
| (a) | Global warming | is rising | mainly responsible for it. |
| (b) | Irrespons <mark>ib</mark> le ac <mark>tivities</mark> of human beings | refers | due to global warming. |
| (c) | Sea level | is | to the increase in the temperature of the globe. |
| (d) | As a resu <mark>lt,</mark> the coastal areas | can reduce | to be vulnerable. |
| (e) | Using of re <mark>newable energy</mark> | are going | temperature rise to a great extent. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

release

have

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| Rivers generally (a) —— from a mountain or a lake. They (b) —— very much important for our |
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| existence and economy. But unfortunately we are (c) —— our rivers by throwing industrial and |
| domestic wastes. Most of the industries (d) —— waste treatment plants. These kinds of industries |
| are (e) —— liquid wastes directly and continuously (f) —— the water. Our unconscious people also |
| (g) —— different kinds of waste materials into rivers. So, to keep the existence of fishes and other |
| species (h) —— in the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the people (i) —— |
| together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment can't be (j) |
| —— for the next generation. |

ensure

live

originated

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

work

5

"What are you reading?" Rifat said to Sifat. "I am reading an interesting drama written by Shakespeare. What an interesting drama it is! I have collected it from our school library", said Sifat. "Please lend me the book", said Rifat.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Water is one of the most useful elements in nature. (Positive)
- (b) It is a very important asset. (Exclamatory)
- (c) We cannot pass a single day without water. (Interrogative)
- (d) Its main source is the rain that creates streams, lakes and rivers. (Compound)
- (e) We have rain during the monsoon. (Complex)
- (f) Heavy rainfall often causes flood. (Passive)
- (g) Crops are damaged. (Active)

| | Part-C: Model Test | ২৯ |
|-------------|---|---------------------|
| | (h) Our winter is dry and rainless. (Negative) | |
| | (i) Does rainless winter bring good harvest? (Assertive) | |
| | (j) We can grow more crops if we can make the best use of rain. (Simple) | |
| 7. | Complete the sentences. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Hardly had he heard the news ——. | 1110 |
| | (b) She went to Dhaka so that ——. | |
| | (c) It is high time ——. | |
| | (d) Five years passed since ——. | |
| | (e) If I had been sincere to my studies, ——. | |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given | in the |
| | parenthesis. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | The nature of mother's love is the same in all countries. It is (a) <u>universe</u> . For our (b) <u>everous</u> we (c) <u>great</u> owe to our father and mother, (d) <u>special</u> to our mother. A mother's love is and unique. A child's (f) <u>relate</u> with its mother is (g) <u>heaven</u> and (h) <u>spirit</u> . We can (i) <u>has</u> mother (j) <u>different</u> to her children. | (e) <u>parallel</u> |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Bangladesh came into being at the cost of a bloody war, ——? | |
| | (b) So, everyone has some duties and responsibilities to this country, ——? | |
| | (c) As a citizen of this country, we can hardly forget our duties, ——? | |
| | (d) I am proud to be a citizen of this country,——? | |
| | (e) Let us work together to build up our country,——? | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | Facebook is a social medium (a) —— is very popular. (b) —— it provides the users with | ı various |
| | information, all do not use it for positive purposes. Many Facebook users (c) —— some | |
| | youngsters sometimes use it whimsically which creates (d) — misunderstanding (e) - | —— destroys |
| | social peace an <mark>d o</mark> rder. | |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | do you know me yes i know you from my childhood, whats your name my name is sun | non thank you |
| | a lot said mr Jamal. | |
| Par | t –B:Composit<mark>ion</mark> [40 M<mark>arks]</mark> | |
| 12 . | Suppose, you are Samira/Shamim and you have passed B.Sc (Hons) Chemistry. Y | ou have seen |
| | a circular for the post of a Medical Representative in a renowned company. Now, | write a CV |
| | with a cover letter for the post. | 8 |
| 13. | Suppose, you are Samin, a student of Rupnagar School. You are interested to go | |
| | tour. Now, write an application to the Headteacher of your school seeking permis | ssion to go on |
| | a study tour. | 10 |
| 14. | Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag". | 10 |
| | Write a composition on "Your Favourite Hobby". | 12 |

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03 ✓ JASHORE BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

focus

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| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 1$ |

| | common | the | possible | of | by | language | in | medium | with | them |
|---|--|-----|----------|----|----|----------|----|--------|------|------|
| | Language is the means (a) —— which we share our thoughts and ideas (b) —— others. It is our | | | | | | | | | |
| | primary (c) —— of communication. There are thousands of (d) —— in the world but it is (e) —— for a | | | | | | | | | |
| person to learn (f) —— all. English is (g) —— language of international communication. It is the most | | | | | | | | | | |
| (h) —— used language in the world. It also plays an essential role (i) —— our lives. So, the | | | | | | | | | | |
| | importance (j) —— learning English cannot be ignored. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

The earth is a vast planet. It is (a) —— in shape. One third of its total area is land while the other three portions are covered with (b) ——. The water areas are divided into oceans, seas and (c) ——. The surface of the land area is (d) —— of variety. There are high hills, green forests (e) —— stretches of deserts. The land mass is divided (f) —— some continents. Under each continent, there are a (g) —— of countries. The interior of the earth is (h) —— in mineral resources. There is existence of life only on (i) —— earth. But, this existence of life would be impossible (j) —— sunlight. In fact, sunlight is the prerequisite for the existence of all types of living beings.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| (a) | A man without an aim | | a definite aim. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| (b) | So, everybody | be | m <mark>ore difficult th</mark> an the choi <mark>c</mark> e of a profession. |
| (c) | But nothing | becomes | li <mark>ke</mark> a sh <mark>ip</mark> wi <mark>th</mark> out a rudder. |
| (d) | Because there | should have | ve <mark>ry diffic</mark> ult <mark>for</mark> a s <mark>tud</mark> ent. |
| (e) | That is why, to choose a profession | | many paths and courses open to all. |

understand

read

upgrade

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

write

wait

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

play

be

| Text books are the rich sources of information and knowledge. They (a) —— a vital role in teaching- |
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| learning activities. If a student (b) —— the text books thoroughly, hc/shc can get a clear idea about |
| different topics. In the class room, teachers (c) —— on the texts well. Unfortunately, some students |
| (d) —— the importance of reading text books. Again, in many schools guide books are (c) —— in the |
| class room. The concerned authority should monitor the class rooms with a view to (f) —— this |
| unexpected activity. Besides, teachers (g) —— conscious of their duties and responsibilities. A strong |
| foundation of knowledge is impossible without reading the text books well. These living sources of |
| knowledge (h) —— by the highly qualified educationists. The government is working relentlessly to (i) |
| —— the standard of the text books. The nation (j) —— eagerly for the days when our students will |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

control

5

Mother said to Nafi, "What are you doing now?" "I am doing my homework, " said Nafi. "Why did not you do it yesterday?" asked mother. "I was ill yesterday, " said Nafi. "Can I help you?" said mother.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Water is a liquid substance. (Interrogative)
- (b) It is used for various purposes in our daily life. (Active)

lend Bangladesh applying their knowledge, skill and wisdom.

- (c) We drink water to satisfy our thirst. (Complex)
- (d) We get water from many sources. (Passive)
- (e) Surface water is not safe for drinking. (Affirmative)
- (f) We should drink tube-well water. (Imperative)

| | | Part-C: Model Test | ৩১ |
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| | (g) | Polluted water is very dangerous for our life. (Exclamatory) | |
| | (h) | If we throw wastage and dirts into water, we make it polluted. (Simple) | |
| | (i) | Pure water is one of the most valuable things for our lives. (Positive) | |
| | (j) | Who can live without water? (Negative) | |
| 7. | Cor | mplete the sentences. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) | A man is known ——. | |
| | (b) | while choosing a companion. | |
| | (c) | Students must avoid evil companions so that ——. | |
| | (d) | If a student mixes with evil companions, ——. | |
| | (e) | It is high time ——. | |
| 8. | Cor | mplete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given i | n the |
| | | renthesis. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | A c | omputer consists of both hardwares and softwares. The (a) touch components are cal | lled |
| | har | dwares. On the other hand the (b) touchable programmes are called softwares. Hardy | wares and |
| | soft | twares are interdependent. Without one, the other is (c) <u>value</u> . Software (d) <u>design</u> are | called |
| | soft | tware engineers. Software engineering is a (e) <u>demand</u> subject in a university. A well o | designed |
| | soft | tware can solve any problem. Business organizations (f) include banks are completely | dependent |
| | on s | softwares. In fact, office (g) manage can't be thought of without the application of pro | per |
| | soft | twares. For the (h) <u>develop</u> of our software industry, the government has already set u | ıp a number |
| | of h | nigh-tech parks. Our software engineers arc working (i) <u>restless</u> to develop newer softw | wares to |
| | mal | ke our life easy and (j) <u>comfort</u> . | |
| 9. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) | Patriotism persuades a man to do everything just, ——? | |
| | (b) | A patriot hardly fears anybody, ——? | |
| | (c) | Everybody respects a patriot,——? | |
| | (d) | What an outstanding quality it is!——? | |
| | (e) | Let's be patriots,——? | |
| 10. | Cor | mplete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | We | know that trees are very important (a) — they produce oxygen (b) — is a must for | r all living |
| | | atures. They are our best friends (c) —— we are not conscious of it. Time is coming (c | _ |
| | will | l be no tree left f <mark>or us. (e) ——</mark> , we should plant more and more trees for our own sake | 2. |
| 11. | Use | e capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | | n't you go to school today raju he said dad i feel feverish i dont want to go to school o | k take rest |
| | | w said he. | |
| Dar | | : Composition [40 Marks] | |
| | | ppose, you are Rashed Alnned/Rasheda Rahman and after graduation you have | completed a |
| 12. | | prose, you are kashed Anned/Rasheda Ranhah and after graduation you have turned on computer. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of a com | |
| | | erator in an organization. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. | . pute 1 8 |
| 10 | _ | - | |
| 13. | _ | ppose, you are Nabil/Nabila of City Model High School, Khulna. There is a library | - |
| | | nool but the facilities are not sufficient. Now. write an application to the Headm | |
| | _ | uesting him for increasing library facilities. | 10 |
| | | ite a paragraph on "A School Magazine". | 10 |
| 15. | Wri | ite a composition on "The Season You Like Most". | 12 |

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| | -A: Grammar [60 Marks] | V | . 4 4 4 - 14 1 | | £ | | |
| | Fill in the blanks with the words from the the words. You may need to use one wo | | ea to cnan | ge tne | | ome or × 10 = 5 | |
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| | | ability malnutrition | | rapid | | utrition | |
| | Adolescence or puberty is a period after c | | | | | | |
| | boys and girls is so (b) —— that they need are not (d) —— of this fact. So often they s | | | | | _ | |
| | Even some parents do not have the (g) — | | _ | | _ | | |
| | Sometimes it happens (i) —— to the parer | - | | | they he | cu. | |
| | Fill in the blanks with suitable words. | | v | ٠٥ | 0.5 | × 10 = 5 | |
| | Man is a social being. So he lives (a) —— | a society. Mutual und | erstanding | and co | | | |
| | — to ensure a peaceful society, (c) — | | | | | | |
| | contributes a (e) ——. A child's future beh | naviour is greatly influe | enced (f) — | — the c | culture of h | is | |
| | family, (g) —— a child is born and brough | | | | nent, he als | 80 | |
| | becomes (i) —— in behaviour and creates | - | | - | | | |
| | Make five sentences using parts of sent | tences from each col | umn of the | e table | below. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ | |
| | Physical fitness | | is | | | | |
| | physical exercise regularly. | Physical exercise | take | | | | |
| | a precondition <mark>to l</mark> ead a healthy <mark>life</mark> . | People of all ages | should take | | | | |
| | essential for achieving physical fitness. | Many changes | a <mark>b</mark> alanced di <mark>et</mark> . | | | | |
| | Beside physical exercise, everybody | | p <mark>la</mark> ce inside body due to physical | | | | |
| | Beside physical exercise, every sody | | e <mark>xercise.</mark> | | | | |
| | Complete the f <mark>ollo</mark> wing text with right | forms of the verbs gi | ven in the | box. | 0.5 | × 10 = 5 | |
| | ensure create waste divide | remain do a | appear | save | execute | end | |
| | Proper time management makes it possib | le to complete any wor | k timely. If | f a pers | on (a) —— | his | |
| | works into smaller portions and (b) —— t | | | | | | |
| | Time is not (d) —— because of doing the v | | | | _ | | |
| | Besides proper use of time (f) —— by doin | - | | _ | _ | | |
| | quickly, opportunity to do additional work | | to time mai | nageme | ent, no part | oi work | |
| | (i) — difficult and no work (j) — pendi | = | | | | = | |
| | Change the narrative style of the follow The teacher entered the classroom and sa | _ | e all of vou | nresen | nt today?" "I | 5 Except | |
| | Rina, all are present, sir," said the captain | | | | | | |
| | What a sad news it is! May her mother co | | | | | 011. | |
| | Change the sentences according to dire | | | | 1 > | 10 = 10 | |
| | (a) Strategy is the most important thing | | Comparativ | /e) | | | |
| | (b) No answer in the exam should be ela | | - | | | | |
| | (c) When a student gets the question pa | iper, he should read it | attentively | v. (Simp | le) | | |
| | (d) Initially the questions may seem diffi | icult. (Negative) | | | | | |
| | (e) A student should try to answer all th | e auestions to do acco | d in the eva | am (Co | mnlev) | | |

- (f) If a student answers all the questions correctly, he will get good marks. (Simple)
- (g) A student should not write irrelevant answers. (Affirmative)
- How irritated the examiners become to see such irrelevant answers! (Assertive)
- The examinee should not waste time by doing so. (Passive)
- By following the process, every student can achieve a good result in an examination. (Negative) (j)

| | Part-C: Model Test | 9 (|
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| 7. | Complete the sentences. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Five years have passed since ——. | |
| | (b) Hurry up lest ——. | |
| | (c) We love and help one another as if ——. | |
| | (d) We can learn moral values if ——. | |
| | (e) Students stopped playing after ——. | |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words give | en in the |
| | parenthesis. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | The other name of water is life. Clean water is (a) <u>drink</u> . Dirty water is (b) <u>safe</u> . Clean | |
| | <u>contaminate</u> and (d) <u>suit</u> for drinking. Bangladesh is a (e) <u>river</u> country. But we get | - |
| | for use. The water of most of our rivers is (g) filth and (h) poison. We should keep su | |
| | for our health and (i) long. The government should play an (j) act role to keep water | safe. |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Slow and steady wins the race, ——? | |
| | (b) The mother has risen in her to see the orphan, ——? | |
| | (c) He hardly cast a vote for me, ——? | |
| | (d) Kindly do me a favour, ——? | |
| | (e) I need not go there, ——? | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | | |
| | It is known to all (a) — about half of our population are women. They are entitled | |
| | and privileges (b) —— men enjoy, (c) —— in reality, they do not get their dues. For t | he true |
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05 ✓ CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |

| about | between | of | basic | no | educate | almost | right | will | light |
|---|---------|----|-------|----|---------|--------|-------|------|-------|
| Education removes our ignorance and gives us the (a) —— of knowledge. In respect (b) —— | | | | | | | | | |
| imparting education, there should be (c) —— discrimination (d) —— man and woman. Education is | | | | | | | | | |
| one of the (e) —— human rights. If we deprive woman of the (f) —— of education (g) —— half of our | | | | | | | | | |
| population (h) —— remain in darkness. No development can be brought (i) —— without the | | | | | | | | | |
| participation of woman. So, the government is doing everything to (j) —— the womenfolk. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Modern civilization is the (a) — of science. Science has worked (b) — a magician in the world. We can't do even a (c) — day without the help of science. Many quick means (d) — communication like telephone, telex, fax, telegram, satellite etc. are (e) — greatest wonders of science. Nowadays a message can be sent from one corner of the world to another in the twinkle of (f) — eye. Science has brought a revolutionary (g) — in all fields. In the field of medical science (h) — has got eyes, lame has got legs, deaf has got hearing power. (i) — diseases which were incurable in the past are now easily (j) —.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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| | gives | us n <mark>ews</mark> of hom <mark>e</mark> and abroad. |
| Newspaper | has | useful to all section of people. |
| It | are | great educative value too. |
| They | present | really part and parcel of our life. |
| | is | us the outside world like a mirror. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | command | prepare | claim | memorize | develop | help | do | think | make | exercise |
|--|---------|---------|-------|----------|---------|------|----|-------|------|----------|
| Most of the students of our country are expert in (a) answers. They do not (b) notes | | | | | | | | | | |

Most of the students of our country are expert in (a) —— answers. They do not (b) —— notes themselves. They get them (c) —— by their tutors. Their tutors (d) —— their brain for the students. So, the (e) —— power of the students does not (f) ——, They do not have any (g) —— of their language. They, of course, (h) —— well in the examination. But for this, they can (i) —— no credit of their own. This result does not (j) —— them in their later life.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

5

"I've got GPA-5 in the SSC Examination", said Abir. "Congratulations, brother!" I said. "What do you intend to do now?" "I wish to study in a reputed college" Abir replied.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Internet is a computer-based networking system. (Interrogative)
- (b) It is a speedy transmitting system of information. (Complex)
- (c) Its functions are not only smooth but also rapid. (Affirmative)
- (d) A man has an internet connection and gets a link soon. (Simple)
- (e) Many educational institutions are greatly benefited through the use of internet. (Complex)
- (f) A student can visit all the renowned libraries of the world without going there. (Passive)
- (g) It plays an effective role in the field of trade and commerce. (Exclamatory)
- (h) E-commerce has become one of the most popular topics to the customers. (Comparative)
- (i) It helps the customers to buy anything easily without going to market. (Compound)
- (j) What an amazing milestone it is in the modern world of communication! (Assertive)

| | Part-C: Model Test | ৩৫ |
|-------------|--|--|
| 7. | | 1 × 5 = 5 |
| | (a) Unless you study attentively ——. | |
| | (b) Walk fast lest ——. | |
| | (c) He will swim after ——. | |
| | (d) Danger often comes where ——.(e) We should take a rest so that ——. | |
| 0 | | |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in th parenthesis. | $6 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | Mobile phone is a great (a) <u>invent</u> of modem science. The (b) <u>consume</u> of mobile phone are in day by day. People are getting benefits. But it is (c) <u>fortunate</u> that mobile phone sometimes (c a cause of health hazard, especially the (e) <u>child</u> are affected much. According to the (f) <u>scient</u> mobile phone causes brain tumours, genetic damage and many other (g) <u>cure</u> diseases. They that (h) <u>visible</u> uncontrolled radioactivity of mobile phone causes (i) <u>repairable</u> damage to hur body. They say that the (j) <u>govern</u> should control radioactive sources. | acreasing d) <u>comes</u> ace to believe |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Everybody believes this truth, ——? (b) We hardly forget the golden past, ——? (c) Nothing was said, ——? (d) Don't disturb me, ——? (e) Let's be sincere in our life, ——? | |
| 10 | | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| 10. | Morning walk is a good habit for all classes of people. (a) —— it is a simple exercise, it is goo health both physically (b) —— mentally. (c) —— the morning air is fresh and free from any k noise and pollutions, it keeps us sound and healthy. Morning walk costs nothing (d) —— giv (e) —— we should make the habit of morning walk. | d tor ind of |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | the teacher said to the girl do you think that honesty is the best policy yes sir i think so said then learn to be honest from your childhood thank you sir said the girl may aliah bless you steacher | _ |
| Par | t-B: Composition [40 Marks] | |
| 12 . | Suppose, you are Omai Borua. You have recently passed HSC. You have found a job | |
| | advertisement in a national newspaper that there is a vacant post for the position of a | |
| | Salesman in a manufacturing company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the pos | t. 8 |
| 13. | Suppose, you are Munna/Munni, a student of Govt. M.C. Academy, Sylhet. You don't h | |
| | computer club in your school. Now, write an application to your Head teacher to set up | ра |
| | Computer Club. | 10 |
| 14. | Write a paragraph on 'The Life of a Farmer' in about 200' words. | 10 |
| 15. | Write a composition on 'Your Favourite Game' in about 250 words. | 12 |

06 ✓ SYLHET BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | with | for | compliment | of | from | in | the | leisure | idle |
|--|------|-----|------------|----|------|----|-----|---------|------|
| Leisure is the moment when a person is free (a) —— his work as well as his worries and tensions. It | | | | | | | | | |
| is (b) —— free time when we can enjoy ourselves (c) —— doing something. So leisure is pleasure but | | | | | | | | | |
| it is not wasting time in (d) ——. In fact, leisure and labour are (e) ——. In leisure we have freedom (f) | | | | | | | | | |
| —— doing what gives us pleasure and refreshes our mind. Our life is full (g) —— duties. Inspite of | | | | | | | | | |
| being very busy in the present age, we cannot deny the need of (h) —— in life. A little leisure | | | | | | | | | |
| refreshes our mind and we can start working again (i) —— renewed energy. Leisure makes us fit (j) | | | | | | | | | |
| —— doing more difficult work. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

give

enable

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

You are the students of class ten. (a) —— highest class of the school. To come to this (b) —— you had to undergo (c) —— lot of hardship and had to make effort. None of you can deny the fact of getting help (d) —— many dedicated and friendly teachers. This is however, (e) —— usual process. What tremendous jobs the teachers shouldered to bring you (f) —— this stage. All these have been done to you to help you (g) —— becoming a (h) —— person, having (i) —— ability and integrity (j) —— your own excellence.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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|--|-------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| Independence | went | the war. | | |
| No nation | joined | to the battle field. | | |
| Our war of in <mark>d</mark> epend <mark>ence</mark> | is | to save the country. | | |
| People of all walks of life | took place | it without struggle. | | |
| They | can achieve | in 1971. | | |
| | | the birth right of a man. | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

send

exercise

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ bring

be

| Science (a) —— simply miracle. It (b) —— about a change over the face of the globe. It (c) —— man to |
|---|
| control the forces of Nature and employ them to his service. With the help of science we can now (d) |
| —— messages across the seas, fly in the air like the winged bird. Modern science may (e) —— to |
| Aladin's magic lamp. Cinema, radio, television, gramophone, electric fan and watch (f) —— all the |
| gifts of modern science. The cinema (g) —— the moving and talking pictures of men and women. It |
| (h) —— a great influence in our daily life. The radio (i) —— us to listen to the talks of people living |
| hundreds of miles away from us across seas and mountains. The television (j) —— pictures seen |
| through the wireless. |

do

compare

mean

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

5

The teacher said to Shafin, "Why are you talking in the class? You should behave yourself." Shafin replied, "Sir, I am sorry. I am asking Sifat to lend me his pen. My pen has run out."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Who does not want to succeed in life? (Assertive)
- (b) Being industrious, everyone can prosper in life. (Negative)
- (c) It is not an easy thing. (Affirmative)
- (d) The idle always lag behind. (Complex)
- (e) We must work hard so that we can earn money. (Simple)
- (f) By working hard, we can improve our lot. (Compound)

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15. Write a composition on "Importance of Reading Newspapers".

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07 ✓ BARISHAL BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| female | organs | on | prevail | allow | no | cause | bites | breed | a |
|--|---|----|---------|-------|----|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Dengue fever is (a) —— tropical virus-infected disease. It is (b) —— in more than 110 countries. It is | | | | | | | | | |
| (c) —— by dengue virus. The fever is spread by (d) —— Aedes mosquitoes. When the mosquito (e) | | | | | | | | | |
| a man, | — a man, the virus enters the blood cell, grows-rapidly and attacks many (f) — of the body. | | | | | | | | |
| There is (g) —— specific medicine to treat dengue infection. So, we must put emphasis (h) —— | | | | | | | | | |
| preventive measures. For this we must keep our surroundings clean to stop (i) —— of Aedes | | | | | | | | | |
| mosquitoes. Again we must not (j) —— to accumulate water in any open space for more than two | | | | | | | | | |
| days. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Our forests are a part of our environment. To (a) —— ecological balance, forests arc necessary. But the amount of forests of the country (b) —— being shrunk day by day. Some people remain (c) —— with their personal benefits. They do not (d) —— of the environment. Trees produce oxygen and (e) —— the environment cool and prevent the rise of temperature. Whereas, some greedy people, out of their self-interest, (f) —— the forests by cutting down trees at (g) ——. They should know and realize that indiscriminate (h) —— down of trees destroys the ecological balance. They should also realize that if this destruction (i) —— one day our country may turn into a desert. We hope that they will ultimately realize the (j) ——.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| (a) | The Rep <mark>u</mark> blic of Maldives | faces | the tourists across the world. |
|-----|---|-------|-----------------------------------|
| (b) | The location of the country | be | the country every year. |
| (c) | Its heavenly beaches | visit | a south Asian country. |
| (d) | Millions of tourists from different countries | | the bad impact of climate change. |
| (e) | Unfortunately the country | be | in the Indian ocean. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| throw | kill | work | have | release | be | ensure | live | originate | pollute |
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| Rivers generally (a) —— from a mountain or a lake. They (b) —— very much important for our | | | | | | | | | |

Rivers generally (a) —— from a mountain or a lake. They (b) —— very much important for our existence and economy. But unfortunately we are (c) —— our rivers by throwing industrial and domestic wastes. Most of the industries, (d) —— waste treatment plants. These kinds of Industries are (e) —— liquid wastes and continuously (f) —— the water. Our unconscious people also (g) —— different kinds of waste materials into rivers. So, to keep the existence of fishes and other species (h) —— In the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the people (i) —— together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment can't be (j) —— for the next generation.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"What are you reading?" Rifat said to Sifat. "I am reading an interesting drama written by Shakespeare. What an interesting drama it is! I have collected it from our school library," said Sifat "Please lend me the book", said Rifat.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1\times10=10$

- (a) The Padma is one of the mightiest rivers of Bangladesh. (Positive)
- (b) It is a very turbulent river. (Exclamatory)
- (c) When it is winter, the river remains calm and tranquil. (Simple)

Students of your school feel the necessity of opening a canteen in the school campus. Now, write an application to your Head Teacher, on behalf of the students of the whole school,

14. Suppose, one day you visited a tea stall in your locality. You stayed there for about an hour and had some experiences about the stall. Now, write a paragraph on "A Tea Stall".

15. Suppose, as a student you are sincere in study and alongside your academic study, you read newspapers regularly. Now, write a composition on "The Importance of Reading Newspapers".

praying for opening a canteen in the school campus.

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08 ✓ DINAJPUR BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

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

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 =$ |

| personality | between | beneficial | saying | for | participation | an | popular | physically | on |
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| Sports are very essential (a) —— us. There are various types of sports. Among them cricket, football, | | | | | | | | | |
| swimming etc. are very (b) ——. All types of sports are (c) —— to us. There is a relation (d) —— the | | | | | | | | | |
| body and the mind. A sound mind lies in a sound body" is a wise (e) ——. In order to gain success in | | | | | | | | | |
| life, we should have sound health which depends (f) —— regular (g) —— in games and sports. Sports | | | | | | | | | |
| keep us (h) —— fit. Sports play (i) —— important role in forming one's (j) ——. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

English is a widely (a) —— language. In our country we (b) —— it as a (c) —— language. It is not our (d) —— tongue. Naturally, it is very (e) —— to learn. We have a very poor (f) ——. on this language. As a result, we don't (g) —— interest in this language. For all these (h) —— English is (i) —— for us to (i) ——.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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| Everybody | creates | love which is the food of our soul. | | |
| Love should | | divine. | | |
| We | is | love. | | |
| It | need | insp <mark>iration</mark> to g <mark>o a</mark> head. | | |
| | | love all the creations of God. | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

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 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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| Bangladesh is fu <mark>ll of natural resou</mark> rces. The prosperity of the country (a) —— on the proper | | | | | |
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| utilization of the re <mark>sources. We s</mark> hould not (b) —— lazy life. We should all (c) —— up our country. | | | | | |
| For this reason, we have to (d) —— hard. No nation can prosper without industry. We should (e) —— | | | | | |
| that industry is the key to success. If we (f) —— the days away, we (g) —— behind. The nations that | | | | | |

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remember

(h) —— industrious (i) —— the pinnacle of development. So, we should (j) —— them.

depend

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Why did you not go to school yesterday?" said the mother to the girl. "I was ill mom," the girl replied. "How are you today?" The mother asked again. "Well" said the girl. "Don't worry for me".

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) A Journey by train is always enjoyable. (Negative)
- (b) People are fond of a journey by train. (Interrogative)
- (c) It is not unpleasant. (Affirmative)
- (d) When a man makes a journey by train, he can enjoy natural scenery. (Simple)
- (e) People like it as it is cheap. (compound)
- (f) There are class distinction in a train and people can buy tickets of various classes. (Complex)
- (g) Train is one of the most comfortable vehicles. (Comparative)
- (h) A man can enjoy a train journey. (Passive)
- (i) It was introduced by the British govt. (Active)
- (j) A train journey is very safe. (Exclamatory)

7. Complete the sentences.

lag

reach

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) If you are up and doing in studies ——.
- (b) Read attentively lest ——.
- (c) Failing in the examination ——.

Part-C: Model Test

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09 ✓ MYMENSINGH BOARD-2024 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 3 hours Full marks: 100

[$\it N.B.$ The figures in the right margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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| attract | fallen | through | and | subconscious | when | its | special | childhood | at |
| A man cannot remember everything that happened in his (a) ——. But certain events are vivid in his | | | | | | | | | |
| (b) — mind. They sometimes peep (c) — his mind's eye. Very simple and trifling things are the | | | | | | | | | |
| centre of (d) —— to a child. When a man grows up, he may laugh (e) —— those things. For example, | | | | | | | | | |
| at the age of 6 or 7, when children's teeth start to fall, they start looking for a rat's hole, (f) —— in | | | | | | | | | |
| villages. Because they have heard that if they put the (g) —— tooth in a rat's hole, the rat will give | | | | | | | | | |
| them one of (h) —— teeth. Believing that they find out a rat's hole (i) —— put the fallen tooth inside | | | | | | | | | |
| it. This incident makes them laugh (j) —— they grow up. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

To earn fame in life man has to possess some good qualities. Among them honesty is the best. The man (a) —— possesses this quality is the happiest man (b) —— the earth. All the people respect him (c) —— his honesty. On the other hand (d) —— dishonest man is hated by all. By telling (e) ——, a man may prosper for the time (f) ——, but finally he is to suffer a (g) ——. We must be honest (h) —— our thoughts and deeds. Childhood is the best time to (i) —— honesty. It is our moral (j) —— to give our children proper idea about what is right and what is wrong.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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| Culture | | | badly confluence by the negative impacts of western culture. | | |
| It be Very for | | be | Very fond of showing hospitality. | | |
| Hospitality | | represent | a term used for a way of life. | | |
| We | | | A society's beliefs, customs, languages, foods etc. | | |
| But nowadays our culture | | | a part of Bangladeshi culture. | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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There are several reasons why friendship (a) —— so necessary in human life. A man without a friend feels like a man (b) —— alone in an isolated place. Moreover, it (c) —— him lead his life in a better way. By (d) —— to a friend a man can get relief. The advice (e) —— by a friend is sometimes more reliable than his own judgement. Thus, it (f) —— that friendship is really important. But a man must (g) —— time while (h) —— a friend. If he (i) —— to select the right person as a friend, he (j) —— in the long run.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The teacher said to Rafiq, "Why didn't you come to school yesterday?" Rafiq said. "Sorry, sir. I took my mother to the hospital." The teacher said. "How sad the news is! May she get well soon."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Corruption is one of the worst evils. (Positive)
- (b) A corrupt person can do any thing against morality. (Complex)
- (c) People hate a corrupt person. (Passive)
- (d) Nobody respects him. (interrogative)
- (e) Though we have strict laws, we are still affected by this evil. (Compound)
- (f) No other person is as hated as a corrupt person. (Superlative)

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| | (g) | We hope that Bangladesh will be free from this evil. (Simple) | |
| | (h) | Everybody avoids a corrupt person. (Negative) | |
| | (i) | A corrupt person leads a very unhappy life. (Exclamatory) | |
| - | (j) | Let us all work together to make Bangladesh a corruption free country. (Assertive) | |
| 7. | (a) | nplete the sentences. $1 \times $ Walk fast lest ——. | 5 = 5 |
| | (a) (b) | I saw the baby ——. | |
| | (c) | Ten years have passed since ——. | |
| | (d) | Though he works hard, ——. | |
| | (e) | If I were a bird, ——. | |
| 8. | | nplete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | |
| • | | enthesis. 0.5×1 | 0 = 5 |
| | _ | without leisure and (a) <u>relax</u> is dull. Life becomes (b) <u>charm</u> if one does not have any time to | |
| | | by the (c) beauty objects of nature. (d) monotony work hinders the (e) smooth of work. Leisure | |
| | rich | our spirit to work. Everybody knows that (g) work is (h) harm. Leisure does not mean (i) idle | <u>e</u> . It |
| | give | es freshness by (j) <u>charge</u> our energy. | |
| 9. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. $1 	imes 1$ | 5 = 5 |
| | (a) | Patriotism is a noble virtue, ——? | |
| | (b) | Wise people teach us to love our own country, ——? | |
| | (c) | We should remember that motherland is above everything, ——? | |
| | (d) | Some people forget it, ——? | |
| | (e) | We hope that everybody will love his motherland, ——? | |
| 10. | | | 5 = 5 |
| | | can't deny the importance of tree plantation, (a) — our lives on earth directly or indirectly | |
| | _ | end on it. (b) —— it is a matter of sorrow that we are cutting down trees indiscriminately. (c) | |
| | | es are planted more and more, soon our country will turn into a desert. (d) —, there will be | a |
| | | mful change in the climate. (e) —, we should plant more and more trees for our own sake. | |
| 11. | | capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | | Thorna, Im coming to Bangladesh next month Will you receive me at the airport said Meghla. | |
| | | nt worry Ill be there Jhorna said. | |
| Part | t–B | : Composition [40 Marks] | |
| 12 . | Sup | ppose, 'X' Group of Companies will appoint some Account, Officers. You, Tahsin/Tahsin | ıa |
| | | e completed your MBA and are interested to be an Accounts Officer. Now, write a CV w | |
| | a co | over letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. | 8 |
| 13. | _ | ppose, you are Tahmid/Tahmida You are a student of Kazi Nazrul Islam Memorial High | |
| | | ool, Bogura. The students of your class are interested to go on a study tour. So, you no | |
| | | permission of the Headmaster of your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster | aste |
| | of y | our school seeking permission to go on a study tour. | 10 |
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| 14. | Wri | te a paragraph in 250 words on Our National Flag. | 10 |

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| Part-A | Grammar | [60 Marks] |
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- Everybody is charmed with its beauty. (Active) (c)
- Who doesn't like the moon? (Affirmative) (d)
- (e) The moon is the most beautiful thing. (Positive)
- (f) Only the moon shines at night. (Negative)
- (g) Poets have composed many poems about the beauty of it. (Passive)
- (h) What an exiting scene the full-moon presents! (Assertive)
- (i) The moon is not as big as the earth. (Comparative)
- (j) We should go out at night to enjoy a moonlit night. (Imperative)

| 6. | Complete the sentences. $1 \times 5 = 5$ | | | | | | | | |
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| | (a) "Industry is the key to success," ——. | | | | | | | | |
| | (b) If we want to build up our career, ——. | | | | | | | | |
| | (c) —, we can reach our expected destination. | | | | | | | | |
| | (d) A hardworking student is sure ——. | | | | | | | | |
| | (e) It is high time ——. | | | | | | | | |
| 7. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | | | | | | | | |
| | parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$ | | | | | | | | |
| | Knowledge (a) (light) our mind. It enables a man to have (b) (master) over all forces of nature. There | | | | | | | | |
| | are so many wild beasts which are (c) (strong) than man. There are forces in nature such as (d) (light) | | | | | | | | |
| | and thunder, flood and earthquake etc. which can destroy a man and (e) (civil) in a moment. But a | | | | | | | | |
| | man rules over them all and makes them serve (f) (accord) to his wish. He makes use of the solar | | | | | | | | |
| | power to (g) (bright) the night. He is the (h) (conquer) of time and space. All discoveries and (i) | | | | | | | | |
| | (invent) are the results of (j) (know). It makes him (k) (doubt) the mightiest of all the (l) (create) in the | | | | | | | | |
| | universe. To maintain (m) (superior), man has to work (n) (through) his life. | | | | | | | | |
| 8. | Make tag questions of these statements. $1 \times 7 = 7$ | | | | | | | | |
| | (a) Modesty is a great virtue, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (b) The modest always respect their superiors, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (c) Everybody likes a modest person, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (d) A modest student hardly fails to reach his goal, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (e) Let's try to be modest in our way of life, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (f) Avoid the immodest companions, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| | (g) An ideal student is always modest in his behaviour, ——? | | | | | | | | |
| 9. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | | | | | | |
| | mehdi said to nitu whats your programme after the text examination nitu said i have decided to visit | | | | | | | | |
| | the padma brid <mark>g</mark> e wh <mark>at an excellent idea it is</mark> | | | | | | | | |
| Par | t-B : Composition [40 Marks] | | | | | | | | |
| | Suppose, you are Salam/Salma and you have completed your post graduation degree. You | | | | | | | | |

have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of an Assistant Teacher of English in a famous

11. Suppose, you are the inhabitants of Polashpur under Homna Upazila, Cumilla. The main road of your locality is severely damaged. Now, write a complaint letter to the DC, Cumilla

requesting him to take necessary steps for repairing the road immediately.

school. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post.

12. Write a paragraph on "Your School Library".

Part-C: Model Test

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| | | | [Ansu | ver all the | questi | ons. | Figures in | the marg | jin ir | dicate | full marks | .] | |
| Par | t–A : | Gran | nmar [60 |) Marks] | | | | | | | | | |
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| | (d) | Urbar | nization | | and | iv. should take | | | | iv. be extinct. | | | |
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| | (e) | As a r | esult, ma | ny animals | s | v. | have also | increase | d | v. united efforts to protect wildlife. | | | |
| | (f) | For o | ır own ex | istence, we | 2 | vi. | are going | to | | vi. def | forestation | to a great | extent. |
| 4. | Com | plete | the follo | wing text | with: | righ | t forms of | the verb | s gi | ven in | the box. | 1 | × 10 = 10 |
| | ol | oey | ensure | be | exp | ect | refer | have | rec | uire | respect | hamper | reflect |
| | Socia | al valı | ue (a) — | – to custo | ms, b | elief | s, special | practices | an | d norm | ns. It (b) - | — the cu | ılture of a |
| | | | _ | | | | | _ | | | | y much co | |
| | | | | | | - | | | | | | ı (e) —— ve | • |
| | of social value. But at present our social value is in a great threat. Young people don't (f) —— duly to | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | their elders that result in social degradation. As a result, peace and order and decent life are greatly | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (g) So with a view to (h) peace and order in the society, social value is badly (i) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | e we can't (| _ | | | ortable, h | appy | and p | eaceful life | | |
| 5 . | Cha | nge th | ie senten | ces accord | ding t | o di | rections. | | | | | 1 | $\times 10 = 10$ |

- (a) Newspaper is one of the most useful sources of knowledge. (Positive)
- (b) It carries both local and international news. (Negative)
- It reflects the whole world like a mirror. (Interrogative) (c)
- We cannot help reading newspaper daily. (Affirmative) (d)
- It contains daily news. (Passive) (e)
- (f) We are helped in many ways by it. (Active)

- (g) By reading newspaper, we can enrich our knowledge.
- (h) It is called the people's parliament. (Active)
- (i) Nothing is so important as it. (Comparative)
- (j) We should read newspaper to know the outside world more. (Imperative)

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) "Health is wealth," ——.
- (b) Everybody should realize this truth to ——.
- (c) If we follow the rules of health, ——.
- (d) One can keep oneself safe by ——.
- (e) Immune system can be developed by ——.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

Bangladesh is mainly a (a) <u>river</u> and (b) <u>agriculture</u> country. (c) <u>major</u> of her people live in villages and most of them are farmers. (d) <u>fortunate</u> the condition of our farmers is (e) <u>satisfactory</u>. They can (f) <u>hard</u> lead a carefree life. Their life is full of miseries and (g) <u>advantages</u>. They can't plough their land (h) <u>proper</u> due to (i) <u>finance</u> and (j) <u>technology</u> support. They need assistance from the (k) <u>govern</u> to come out of their age-old (l) <u>convention</u> method. Scientific system of cultivation is going to be (m) <u>gradual</u> successful and (n) <u>effect</u>.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) War is a curse of human civilization, ——?
- (b) Everybody suffers from it, ——?
- (c) Massive destruction is found everywhere, ——?
- (d) None can escape from the bombings of the enemy, ——?
- (e) Women and children are the worst suffers, ——?
- (f) Nobody supports the war, ——?
- (g) Let's avoid war to live in peace, ——?

9. Use capitals a<mark>nd</mark> punctuation m<mark>a</mark>rks where necessary in the followi<mark>ng</mark> text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

once my mother said to me who came to you my friend rafiq mom she asked what did he want i said his mother is ill he needs some money i have given him five hundred taka my mother said wonderful

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 10. Suppose, some junior officers will be appointed in Dhaka Bank Ltd. You, Samin/Samia are interested to be a junior officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the above post.
- 11. Suppose, you are Nadir/Nadira, a student of Nurpur school. There are lack of common room facilities. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster of your school to increase common room facilities as soon as possible.
- 12. Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag."

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12 JASHORE BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)– Second PaperFull Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | Computers are used (a) — many ways. For example, (b) — computer's memory i | may carry the |
| | names, addresses and flight numbers of air plane passengers. (c) —— ticket agent car | n find (d) —— |
| | almost instantly, by typing (e) —— flight number, whether there is a seat availa | ble (f) — a |
| | particular plane. At flight time, the computer can make a list of all the passengers (g) – | — the plane. |
| | Computers can also solve many problems. (h) —— many bits of information can be con | npared (i) —— |
| | one another. Mathematical calculations can then be performed (j) —— them. | |

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | way | fair | acquire | learners | supervise | degrade | suffer | case | assess | examination |
|---|---|------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|--------|------|--------|-------------|
| | Examination is the process of (a) —— the academic knowledge of the (b) ——. So, it should be | | | | | | | | | |
| | absolutely (c) $$. The authority should conduct and (d) $$ it in the best possible (e) $$. | | | | | | | | | |
| | Adopting unethical activities in the (f) —— is a great offence. It (g) —— the standard of education. In | | | | | | | | | |
| | (h) — of the students failure to (i) — true education, the nation will (j) — greatly. So all | | | | | | | | | |
| ; | students should make the best use of time in order to be truly educated. | | | | | | | | | |

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| Joynul Abedin | was honoured | pictures secretly. | | | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Не | drew | to Kolkata. | | | | | | |
| At the age of 15, he | was | not like the hard and fast rules of schools. | | | | | | |
| So he | went | born at a <mark>villag</mark> e in <mark>Kis</mark> hor <mark>ega</mark> nj in 1914. | | | | | | |
| Не | did | with the title 'Shilpacharya' for his artistic and visionary qualities. | | | | | | |
| At the age of 19, he | got | himself admitted into Kolkata Govt. Art College. | | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $1 \times 10 = 10$

| be | bring | neglect | spend | lose | possesses | claim | pay | neglect | lose |
|-------------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|---------|------------|------|
| Most of 119 | s (a) t | he wrong | mentality | of measur | ing success | in life Ma | ny noor | adults (b) | that |

Most of us (a) — the wrong mentality of measuring success in life. Many poor adults (b) — that the possession of wealth (c) — peace of mind in life. But it (d) — not always true. Many have (e) — their health to gain wealth, but later (f) — much of their wealth to regain health. Isn't that ironical? Again there are also a number of people who had (g) — high prices for possessing their present wealth. They have (h) — friends and family and have (i) — opportunities to spend precious moments with people around them. Besides, many have (j) — peace within themselves for wanting more and more of everything.

5. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) I am sure that man is the maker of his own fortune. (Negative)
- (b) A man has to make a proper use of his time to shine in life. (Imperative)
- (c) Who doesn't know it? (Passive voice)
- (d) The lazy suffer miserably in the long run. (Exclamatory)
- (e) To kill time is as harmful as to commit suicide. (Comparative)
- (f) Our life is only a sum total of hours, days and years. (Negative)
- (g) Youth is the most valuable season of life. (Positive)
- (h) In youth, our mind can be shaped easily. (Active voice)
- (i) We should utilize our time properly in youth. (Imperative)
- (j) It is called the seedtime of life. (Active voice)

| Part-C: Model Test | 8৯ |
|---------------------|----|
| i dit-O: Model Test | |

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) If we invest in girl's education ——.
- (b) —— is not a waste.
- (c) have higher income potential than those who are uneducated and unskilled.
- (d) Also, educated mothers are very careful in ——.
- (e) Therefore, we should try our best ——.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

In ancient time, textbook was the most (a) <u>resource</u> thing for a student. (b) <u>teach</u> were only guides and source of (c) <u>inform</u>. The students had to collect all (d) <u>inform</u> news from their teachers. There was hardly any guide book or other (e) <u>refer</u> book in the market. So, teachers gave (f) <u>deliver</u> of a lecture by studying the text books, and so the students had (g) <u>depend</u> on their teachers' (h) <u>proficient</u>. As a result, there existed (i) <u>measure</u> relationship between them. The (j) <u>popular</u> of these great teachers was never on the wane. Students had (k) <u>devote</u> to maintain a healthy relation with their (l) <u>honour</u> teachers. Teachers also maintained an ever bond of (m) <u>friend</u> with their (n) <u>affection</u> students.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) The habit of reading is good, ——?
- (b) But we hardly find it in us, ——?
- (c) Everybody loves a studious student, ——?
- (d) We ought to give him books, ——?
- (e) Books give us knowledge, ——?
- (f) To read good books is a choice, ——?
- (g) Let us try heart and soul to form this habit, ——?

Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Why are you putting the foods in your pocket Sir? Why don't you eat? asked the nobleman I'm doing the right thing My dress deserves these rich dishes replied Seikh Saadi. I'm sorry I don't understand what you mean to say said the nobleman.

- 10. Suppose, you are Rimon Khan/Rima Chowdhury. You have completed B.Sc Engineering and are looking for a job. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Financial Express" for the post of a Software Engineer of "Golden Company Ltd". Now, make a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 11. Suppose, you have bought some books on general knowledge. But the books are damaged and have printing mistakes. Now, write a letter to the publishing company "Diamond Publishing" complaining against it.
- 12. English is a global language. So, it is very important for all of us to learn English. Now, write a paragraph on "Importance of Learning English".

13 CUMILLA BOARD-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | Washing hands regularly is (a) —— important activity. It keeps us safe (b) —— coron | a-virus. How |
| | you wash your hand is also very (c) —— important. First, you have to wet your hands (c | d) —— clean, |
| | running water and apply soap. Then, rub your hands together with (e) —— soap to | create foam. |
| | Lather the backs of your hands, (f) —— your fingers and (g) —— your nails. Remember | , you have to |
| | scrub your hands (h) — at least 20 seconds. After that rinse your hands well with | th clean and |
| | running water. Finally, dry your hands using (i) —— clean towel or tissue paper. Learn | 1 the process |
| | (i) —— washing hands and also educate your friends about it. | |

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| daughter to any an and live such be the | and |
|---|-----|
|---|-----|

The development of a nation is not (a) —— easy task. It depends on the willingness (b) —— sacrificing attitude of the valiant sons and (c) —— of the soil. They don't work for (d) —— appreciation or reward for themselves. Their vision (e) —— to make the world a better place (f) —— live in. They are always proud of (g) —— selfless ventures. Their mission is to serve (h) —— greater interest of humanity. They spend their (i) —— for the welfare of people, the society (j) —— the country as a whole.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| Reading news <mark>pa</mark> per | is called | ur outlook and e <mark>nr</mark> iches our wisdom | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Newspaper | broadens | the news and views of home and abroad by reading newspaper. | | | | | |
| It be | | us false news which is harmful for a peaceful society. | | | | | |
| One gives | | a very good habit. | | | | | |
| Sometimes it | can get | the storehouse of knowledge. | | | | | |
| | | a source of entertainment too. | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

| can | be | find | have | fix | stumble | endow | evaluate | possess | consult |
|-----|----|------|------|-----|---------|-------|----------|---------|---------|

A proverb goes that a man without an aim is a ship without a rudder. Likewise, a man without an aim (a) — reach his goal. He (b) — in his way of life. So everyman should (c) — a definite aim. But nothing is more difficult than the choice of profession Students (d) — it very difficult to choose a suitable profession. Choosing profession becomes very difficult because there (e) — many paths and courses open to them. They should (f) — their aim according to the abilities they are (g) — with. All (h) — the same abilities and aptitude. Students may (i) — their teachers who are able to (j) — their abilities.

5. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) We are grateful to the freedom fighters. (Negative)
- (b) Their contribution is greater than any other thing. (Superlative)
- (c) You should never disrespect or forget our martyrs. (Imperative)
- (d) The national memorial has been built with a view to paying tribute to their memories. (Active)
- (e) A freedom fighter is the greatest son of the soil. (Comparative)
- (f) We got our independence for their sacrifice. (Passive)
- (g) They fought very bravely to snatch the red sun of independence. (Exclamatory)

- (h) Their courage was more powerful than their weapons. (Positive)
- (i) Their contribution will never be forgotten. (Active)
- (j) The government has taken some steps to improve their condition. (Passive)

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) It is price hike which is considered ——.
- (b) People of low income do not know how ——.
- (c) The businessmen —— are responsible for price hike.
- (d) Of course, there are some other issues —— for price hike like Russian-Ukrain war.
- (e) is really very difficult.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

Facebook is a social (a) <u>network</u> site. It has gained much (b) <u>popular</u> among the young (c) <u>generate</u>. Sometimes, our young generation waste their (d) <u>value</u> time by (e) <u>browse</u> facebook. So, in this respect parental (f) <u>supervise</u> is a must. Many people (g) <u>fine</u> facebook as an (h) <u>embarrass</u> (i) <u>invade</u> on others' (j) <u>person</u> privacy. However, it plays a (k) <u>signify</u> role in (l) <u>socialize</u> as well as (m) <u>nature</u> understanding and (n) <u>operation</u>.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) At present, everybody likes cricket, ——?
- (b) Students hardly miss watching this game, ——?
- (c) Nothing is more enjoyable to them than cricket, ——?
- (d) How exciting the game is! ——?
- (e) Let's play this game, ——?
- (f) Sakib Al hasan is my favorite cricketer, ——?
- (g) It would be difficult to think of Bangladesh cricket without him, ——?

9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Where are you going now Karim Said I am going to hospital My brother is ill Ive to stay with him in the hospital

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 10. Suppose, you are Mugdha. You have seen a vacancy for the post of a Medical Representative in the Square Pharmaceuticals Ltd. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 11. Suppose, you are Karim/Kabita, one of the inhabitants of Dinajpur City Corporation. Recently the roads of your locality have been unusable due to heavy rainfalls and the sewerage drains are being hampered to flow water. People and the school going students cannot go to their offices, shops, schools and other places. Now, write a letter to the Mayor of your City Corporation complaining about the sufferings of the common people.
- 12. Write a paragraph on "A street hawker" within 200 words.

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14 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | George Washington was the first president of America. This great man was obedien | t (a) —— his |
| | parents. (b) —— the age of 15 he decided to go (c) —— studies at (d) —— excellent scho | ool in Europe, |
| | where his brother was studying and had made all (e) —— preparations for crossing (f) | —— Atlantic |
| | Ocean. He ordered his people to put his necessary things (g) —— the ship. As he was | preparing to |
| | leave, he went to see his (h) —— mother. She was not happy thinking that her son had | to struggle (i) |
| | —— lot to acquire (i) —— education only at 15. So. Washington did not go. | |

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| added | brought | later | origin | when | seeds | chocolate | tree | vanilla | produce | |
|--|---|------------|----------|-----------|----------|-------------|------------|---------|-----------|--|
| About one thousand years ago, chocolate was so valuable that it was used as money! Chocolate | | | | | | | | | | |
| comes from the Cacao (a) —— that grows near the equator. (b) —— the trees are seen to (c) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| pods, the | farmers c | ollect the | (d) —— f | rom them. | Then sug | gar, cinnan | non, (e) – | , milk | and other | |
| spices are (f) — to the matured seeds. The (g) — of chocolate is interesting. Colombus (h) — | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cacao beans to Spain first. (i) ——, people learned how to change (j) —— from liquid to solid. And by | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1847, they | 1847, they started enjoying chocolate candy bars! | | | | | | | | | |

Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| Punctuality | is | the habit of doing a thing in its exact time | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|---|--|--|--|
| It | can be brought | the h <mark>abit of b</mark> eing punctual from one's childhood | | | |
| Nothing | should form | a good habit | | | |
| In a wide sense, it | | necessary for all human beings | | | |
| Maintaining punctuality | denotes | the process for proper utilization of time | | | |
| So, one | | to a conclusion without punctuality | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

appear

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

| visit | pay | hear | call | appear | live | visit | hear | live | think | |
|---|---------------|--------|------------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|-------------|--|
| Abdur Rahman is a student. He (a) —— in the SSC Exam this year. He (b) —— in Chattogram. He (c) | | | | | | | | | | |
| —— there since his birth, but he (d) —— St. Martins Island yet. He (e) —— a lot about the beauty of | | | | | | | | | | |
| St. Martin's | s Island. (f) | —— the | ose he bed | comes very | eager (g) | —— a vis | it there. | As he is f | ree now, he | |
| thinks that he (h) —— the island now. (i) —— this he becomes so excited that he (j) —— his friends | | | | | | | | | | |
| to a meeting. | | | | | | | | | | |

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

Copying in the exams is one of the greatest social crimes. (Positive)

- It is a very serious crime. (Exclamatory) (b)
- (c) A student copying in the exam only deceives himself. (Negative)
- Copying in the exam cannot bring any benefit. (Passive) (d)
- What a shameful practice it is! (Assertive) (e)
- (f) By resisting this malady, we can strengthen our education. (Passive)
- We all should come forward to stop it and save our students. (Imperative) (g)
- Our examination system should be moderated. (Active) (h)
- Nothing is as hateful as copying in the exam. (Comparative) (i)
- The government is sincere in removing this crime. (Negative)

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) A cobbler was happy to ——.
- (b) He had a neighbour ——.
- (c) The nighbour wanted to help him by ——.
- (d) —, the cobbler lost happiness.
- (e) But if he had not taken the money from his neighbour, ——.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

Vocabulary is very important in learning a language properly. To (a) <u>rich</u> your vocabulary, you have to read books and learn new words by knowing their meanings (b) <u>accurate</u>. You may use a dictionary to know the (c) <u>known</u> words or try to understand the (d) <u>context</u> meaning of them. Repeated reading will help you understand the (e) <u>specify</u> topic (f) <u>clear</u> and use them in (g) <u>vary</u> situations. Language learning is a (h) <u>continue</u> process and your (i) <u>proficient</u> will come today or tomorrow. What is needed most is (j) <u>continue</u>. It also needs your (k) <u>sincere</u>. A common language is required for (l) <u>interact</u> among people from (m) <u>differ</u> countries and contexts. Without a common language it is difficult to perform activities at the (n) <u>nation</u> level. English has assumed the position of that common language.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) Nobody trust a liar, ——?
- (b) A liar has to lead a miserable life, ——?
- (c) Speaking the truth is a good exercise, ——?
- (d) Everybody should have the habit of speaking the truth, ——?
- (e) Many are often found telling a lie out of fun, ——?
- (f) But it is not desirable, —?
- (g) Let us always speak the truth, ——?

9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

My dear friends I am here to tell you about an important discovery said the cunning fox I have discovered that our tails are unnecessary How strange Is it unnecessary said the other foxes

- 10. Suppose, you are Malek/Maleka. Recently you have passed MBA from a renowned university. You are in need of a job and have seen a job advertisement in a daily newspaper for the position of a "Junior Officer" in Almas Bank Ltd. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 11. Suppose, you are an inhabitant of Rahimanagar under Chandpur district. Your locality is badly affected by antisocial activities like eve-teasing, hijacking and taking drugs. Now, write a letter to the Superintendent of Police of your district complaining against the fact.
- 12. A rickshaw puller is a very familiar figure in our country. He plays a great role in our communication system. But he leads a very miserable life, for financial problem. Now, write a paragraph on "The Life of a Rickshaw Puller".

15 **✓** SYLHET BOARD–2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | There are two types (a) —— dreams. One is just (b) —— dream and completely base | eless. Anybody |
| | may meet (c) —— it while sleeping. Another dream is real. It is very desirable to (d) - | conscious |
| | and great person. Generally, it is called (e) —— future plan. To be a great person the | is dream is (f) |
| | must. Then go ahead (g) the working field. Really, if there is no real dream | m, there is no |
| | interest (h) —— action. True successfully depends (i) —— a real dream. Remember, a | life without (j) |
| | —— aim or dream is like a ship without a rudder. | |

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | compulsory | across | continuous | wide | environment | writing | second | learn | reason | vocabulary |
|--|--|--------|------------|------|-------------|---------|--------|-------|--------|------------|
| English language has a world (a) — importance. It is the (b) — language in our country. We | | | | | | | | | | |
| ; | study it as a (c) —— subject from class I to class XII. Even then, we are not able to (d) —— well. | | | | | | | | | |
| , | There are so many (e) — behind it. Firstly, there is no (f) — development of the syllabus | | | | | | | | | |
| á | according to the class standard. Secondly, the examinations are taken only based on (g) —— skill. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Thirdly, lack of (h) —— is responsible for it. Another problem is the lack of English speaking (i) ——. | | | | | | | | | |
|] | Finally, there is a shortage of English teachers (j) —— the country. | | | | | | | | | |

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| Tree plantation | | very essential for balanced environment. |
|-----------------|---------|--|
| Trees | provide | opposi <mark>te</mark> to tree plantation. |
| Deforestation | be | us with wood, fruits and flowers. |
| Afforestation | | dangerous for the environment. |
| Cutting trees | | called the air purifier. |
| It | | the main cause of environmental pollution. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

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ms of the verbs given in the box. $1 \times 10 = 10$ do make fall are utilize is

We should (a) — the life style of the ants and bees. They (b) — good use of their time and store food for the rainy days. They never (c) — a single moment in negligence or indolence. So they never (d) — into extreme crisis. We (e) — the best creatures in creation. We (f) — everything good and bad. We can (g) — better than the others. We should all (h) — every moment properly. Punctuality (i) — the best tonic in this regard. We should (j) — the footsteps of the famous persons.

5. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

(a) The student is known to me. (Active)

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(b) She gave me an interesting book. (Passive)

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- (c) Jashore is older than Magura. (Positive)
- (d) Truthfulness is the best quality of a person. (Comparative)
- (e) No other city in Bangladesh is as populous as Dhaka. (Superlative)
- (f) My friend is always punctual. (Negative)
- (g) He is a great fool. (Exclamatory)
- (h) How bright the student is! (Assertive)
- (i) We should obey our teachers. (Imperative)
- (j) Take care of your health. (Passive)

| Part-C: Model Test | C (|
|---------------------|-----|
| i dit-O: Model 1est | 4 |

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) If you eat a balanced diet, ——.
- (b) —— I would join the party.
- (c) is a good exercise.
- (d) His syllabus is ——.
- (e) —— is a great sin.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

Mr. Peter is a good student. He is very (a) <u>study</u>. He is always (b) <u>mind</u> to his studies and also (c) <u>duty</u> to his daily activities. He is very (d) <u>respect</u> to his elders. He is (e) <u>truth</u> also. Weak students find him as a (f) <u>help</u> figure. His (g) <u>think</u> power is admirable. He is really (h) <u>create</u> in any writing. He never forgets the benefit of (i) <u>punctual</u>. (j) <u>sincere</u> is another quality of his daily activities. He is also an early (k) <u>rise</u>. Any problem cannot make him (l) <u>attentive</u>. He always behaves very (m) <u>polite</u> with every person. His (n) <u>honest</u> cannot be expressed in a word.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) Fishes can swim, ——?
- (b) Help the helpless, ——?
- (c) 'She' is a pronoun, ——?
- (d) He put the bag here, ——?
- (e) They seldom come to me, ——?
- (f) The friendship rose in them, ——?
- (g) Let's go to the outing, ——?

Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Mainul Islam a qualified farmer in Naogaon. He lives in his village with his two brothers When he was asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could leave this village for a city life But it dinnt attract us

- 10. Suppose, you are Selim/Selima of Nowapara, Jashore. A cashier will be appointed in the National Bank, Dhaka. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the same. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 11. Suppose, people of your area have to suffer a lot because of irregular delivery of letters. Now, write a complain letter to the postmaster of Jashore head post office, Jashore.
- 12. Suppose, you have visited the book fair held in your town this year and you have a great experience. Now, write a paragraph on "Your Visit To A Book Fair" in your own words.

16 BARISHAL BOARD-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | Covid-19 is (a) — infectious diseases which has taken away many lives (b) — | the world. It has |
| | created economic crisis (c) —— many countries of the world. Many people have los | t their jobs. Many |
| | small traders compelled to leave their trades. No doubt, it is a great disaster (d) —— | - the people of the |
| | world. Though the corona virus is very (e) —— deadly, it has created awareness (f) | —— mass people. |
| | Besides we have learnt many things (g) —— it so far. Earlier, we were indifferent (h | ı) —— some rules |
| | of health and hygiene. Due to Covid-19, people of the world have become more con | nscious regarding |
| | the rules of health. Now a days, we try to maintain social distancing. We avoid | l (i) — massive |
| | gatherings of people. We also have made a good habit (j) —— washing hands severa | l times a day. |

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| acquire | smooth | on | respective | process | human | place | to | able | without | |
|---------------|---|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|--|
| Language is | Language is a way of human communication. And the (a) —— to use any language is called the | | | | | | | | | |
| language sk | language skill. All (b) —— beings acquire this skill from their (c) —— environment. That is, human | | | | | | | | | |
| babies begin | (d) — ac | quire this | language sk | ill from ju | st after th | neir birth | . If this | process | continues | |
| (e) —— any | obstruction | n, a baby | can commu | nicate wit | h the peo | ople of t | he same | langua | ge (f) —— | |
| within 3 to | 4 years. D | uring this | period, the | baby does | s not nee | d to rea | d or wri | te for (g |) — the | |
| language sk | ill. The bab | y only go | es (h) —— li | istening, s | peaking, | pi cking | up word | s. This | process is | |
| called acqui | siti <mark>on</mark> of la | nguage ar | d this acqu | isition mo | stly takes | s (i) — | while le | earning | one's first | |
| language. W | language. We acquire the language skill of Bangla in this (j) ——. This is why, Bangla is called our | | | | | | | | | |
| first languag | first language. | | | | | | | | | |

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| (a) | Football | i. | was mainly played | i. worldwide by the female players also. | | | | | | |
|----------|--|------|-------------------|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| (b) | Previously it | ii. | is played | ii. | in any match in SAFF Women's | | | | | |
| | | | | | Championship-2022. | | | | | |
| (c) | But now a days it | iii. | defeated | iii. | ii. a popular game. | | | | | |
| (d) | (d) A few months ago our iv. touched women's football team | | | | by the male players. | | | | | |
| (e) They | | | is | v. | down at the airport, thousands of excited fans cheered and waved the national flag to welcome them. | | | | | |
| (f) | As soon as the champions | vi. | were not defeated | vi. | the Nepalese team by 3-1 goals in the final match and became champion. | | | | | |

| 4. | Complete | the follow | wing text | with right | forms of | $1 \times 10 = 10$ | | | | |
|----|----------|------------|-----------|------------|----------|--------------------|------|------|----|------|
| | make | kill | throw | see | ensure | originate | work | live | be | have |

Rivers generally (a) — from a mountain or a lake. They (b) — very much important for our existence and economy. But unfortunately, we are (c) — our rivers, choking it with toxic wastes from dyeing and textile factories. Most of the industries (d) — waste treatment plants. This kind of industries are (e) — releasing untreated liquid waste directly and (f) — the water polluted. Our unconscious people also (g) — different kinds of waste materials into the rivers directly. So, to keep existence of fishes and other species (h) — in the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the conscious people (i) — together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment for the next generation can't be (j) —.

parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

Bangladesh is blessed with many seasons. Winter is one of them. It is the (a) <u>cold</u> of all seasons. It is usually (b) <u>rain</u>. Though ours is a small country, the (c) <u>cold</u> of winter is not (d) <u>equal</u> felt in all regions. In some regions, (e) <u>special</u> in the (f) <u>north</u> districts, people experience (g) <u>bite</u> cold in winter. Nature looks dull and (h) <u>gloom.</u> During night and morning, the whole of nature remains (i) <u>cover</u> with fog and mist. Then the poor <u>suffer</u> (j) <u>great</u> for want of warm clothes. Again in some (k) <u>hill</u> areas there is (l) <u>severe</u> of cold. (m) <u>where</u> in the vast (n) <u>South</u> areas people experience less cold.

8. Make tag que<mark>st</mark>ions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

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- (a) SSC Examination is the first public examination in our country, ——?
- (b) Every student takes the examination seriously, ——?
- (c) Its result allows one to enter the next level, ——?
- (d) So, it is not less important than one's life, ——?
- (e) A student needs to take a good preparation for it, ——?
- (f) But one need not worry about the examhall situation, ——?
- (g) Face the exam boldly, ——?

9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ why are not you going to school said mother to her son he said i am waiting for my friend to come and go to school together

- 10. Suppose, you are Nasim Hasan/Nasima Hasna. You have completed your MBA degree and recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The Daily Star' for the post of an Accounts Officer in Jamuna Oil Company Limited. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the General Manager of the company for the post.
- 11. Suppose, you are Rafi/Rafia, a class 10 students of River View High School, Rajshahi. Your common room facilities are not sufficient to meet up your demand. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster on behalf of the students requesting him to increase common room facilities as soon as possible.
- 12. Write a paragraph about 'A Winter Morning'.

17 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | There is no doubt that youth is (a) —— best time of (b) —— life. This is the time when | n it is (c) —— |
| | most important (d) —— one to remember (e) —— maxim, "As you sow, so shall you rea | p." One must |
| | sow (f) — seeds (g) — industry, truthfulness and other virtues (h) — this season | ı (i) —— reap |
| | the harvest of prosperity and happiness. Whatever takes root in a man (j) the | nis time lasts |
| | throughout the rest of his life and moulds his future. | |

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| revolutionary | bless | wonder | social | needless | world | essential | present | closer | demerit | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|----------|-------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|--|
| All we know that mobile phone is the most (a) —— invention of modern science. Now a days, it is | | | | | | | | | | |
| very (b) —— for us. At (c) ——, it is very small and light. (d) —— changes have been brought about in | | | | | | | | | | |
| (e) — communication by mobile phone. The whole (f) — has now become smaller and (g) — | | | | | | | | | | |
| unbelievably in respect of communicating information. But it is (h) —— to say that mobile phone has | | | | | | | | | | |
| some (i) —— too. Over all, it is a great (j) —— for mankind. | | | | | | | | | | |

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| 'Pahela Boishakh' | inspires | in the programme to inspire the participants. | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| People from all walks of life | begins | early in the morning to enjoy the day wearing traditional clothes. | | | | | |
| The day | is | the day with traditional festivities. | | | | | |
| People | take part | just as sunrise. | | | | | |
| The cultural programme | wake up | the first day of Bangla New Year. | | | | | |
| The renowned artists of the country | celebrate | people to start life with renewed hopes and aspirations. | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $1 \times 10 = 10$ die need destroy go make keep cause get name cause

There are various types of fever. Dengue is one of them. It (a) —— by biting of mosquito (b) —— 'Aedes'. It (c) —— serious health hazard. Vomiting, high temperature, blood platelets etc. make the patient tormented. Many patients (d) —— if blood platelets (e) —— below 50. Much care and proper treatment (f) —— to save dengue affected patient. In order to (g) —— ourselves free from dengue, we (h) —— our environment clean. Living place of Aedes larva should (i) —— with a view to (j) —— ourselves aloof from mosquito bite. The use of curtain is also essential.

5. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Honesty can open a door of peace before a person. (Make it negative)
- (b) He accepted the invitation. (Make it passive)
- (c) Reading books is nobler than any other habit. (Make it superlative)
- (d) Loving country is a very essential virtue. (Make it exclamatory)
- (e) We don't measure our life by months or years. (Make it active)
- (f) Industry is the most important thing for success. (Make it comparative)
- (g) How attentive she was to her study! (Make it assertive)
- (h) Terrorism is one of the most corrosive problems of the modern world. (Make it positive)
- (i) We should do good deeds as our responsibility. (Make it imperative)
- (j) Everybody is fond of glittering things. (Make it negative)

| | (a) | If the sky is cloudy, ——. | | | | | | |
|----|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | (b) | —— which should be given up. | | | | | | |
| | (c) | Man is curious ——. | | | | | | |
| | (d) | If I had seen him, ——. | | | | | | |
| | (e) | I saw a bird ——. | | | | | | |
| 7. | Cor | nplete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | | | | | | |
| | par | enthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$ | | | | | | |
| | The | purpose of (a) educate is to make a man fully (b) equip to be (c) use to himself and to society. A | | | | | | |
| | (d) | true educated person should be self-reliant with regard to his (e) person needs. He should be | | | | | | |
| | well | l-mannered (f) thought, sympathetic and (g) operative. He should be (h) truth, honest, punctual | | | | | | |
| | and | (i) duty. (j) punctual is a virtue that makes a nation (k) prosper. An educated persons tries to (l) | | | | | | |
| | mov | \underline{move} the (m) \underline{suffer} of his countrymen. He also helps others in attaining (n) $\underline{self-reliant}$. | | | | | | |
| 8. | Mal | ke tag questions of these statements. $1 \times 7 = 7$ | | | | | | |
| | (a) | What he said was true, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (b) | Don't forget me, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (c) | How exciting the game is, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (d) | Let's try to make him understand the importance of literacy, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (e) | You, he and I did the work, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (f) | Deforestation is not good for us, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (g) | Books never leave us alone in danger, ——? | | | | | | |
| 9. | Use | capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | | | | |
| | Mai | nul Islam is <mark>a qualified farme<mark>r i</mark>n Naog<mark>aon He lives in his villag</mark>e with <mark>his tw</mark>o brothers When he</mark> | | | | | | |
| | was | s asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could | | | | | | |
| | leav | ve this village for a city life But it didn't attract us | | | | | | |

10. Mind that you are Ratul/Ratna. You have passed HSC and taken 6 months computer course on data base programme. Recently, you have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of 'A Receptionist' in R.K Medical Centre Hospital, Kushtia. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for

11. Imagine, you are Kamrul/Kanta, a student of class X reading in Rajnagor High School, Dhaka.

There is a canteen in your school but the facilities of the canteen are not enough. Now, write a complaint letter to your Headmaster, on behalf of the students, about the insufficient

Part-C: Model Test

Complete the sentences.

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

facilities of the canteen.

12. Write paragraph on 'A Winter Morning'.

the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.

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 $1 \times 5 = 5$

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18 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | There is no doubt that youth is (a) —— best time of (b) —— life. This is the time when | ı it is (c) —— |
| | most important (d) —— one to remember (e) —— maxim, "As you sow, so shall you rea | p". One must |
| | sow (f) — seeds (g) — industry, truthfulness and other virtues (h) — this season | ı (i) —— reap |
| | the harvest of prosperity and happiness. Whatever takes root in a man (j) th | is time lasts |
| | throughout the rest of his life and moulds his future. | |

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words.

| well | bookish | burning | competitive | newspaper | cannot | enrich | water | knowledge | current |
|--|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-----------|---------|
| A student must have the habit of reading newspaper everyday. Mere (a) —— knowledge is not | | | | | | | | | |
| enough in this (b) —— world. Newspapers help him (c) —— his general knowledge and make him | | | | | | | | | |
| aware of the (d) —— issues both inside and outside the country. A man who doesn't read (e) —— is | | | | | | | | | |
| like a frog in a narrow (f) ——. Being ignorant of the (g) —— affairs, he (h) —— take part in the talks | | | | | | | | | |
| and discussions in an enlightened society and feels like a fish out of (i) $$. By reading newspapers | | | | | | | | | |
| one can widen one's range of (j) $$ in the field of science, history, geography, literature etc. | | | | | | | | | |

Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 6 = 6$

| The Taj | built | it most o <mark>n a mo</mark> onlit <mark>ni</mark> ght. | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|--|--|--|
| It | is | it as a tomb for his wife. | | |
| Emperor Shaj <mark>ah</mark> an | wants | at Agra in <mark>Indi</mark> a. | | |
| People | like | one of the most beautiful buildings in the world. | | |
| Everybody | stands | to see the Taj Mahal. | | |
| I also | want | to visit the Taj Mahal. | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. idle follow work remember be lag reach lead depend

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|----------------|-------------|-----------|------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----|
| Bangladesh | n is full c | of natura | l resource | es. The prosp | erity of | the cou | untry (a) | on | the pro | per |
| utilization of | of the reso | urces. W | e should n | not (b) —— a 1 | azv life. | We all sl | hould bed | come indu | strious. | We |

all should (c) — up our country. For this reason, we have to (d) — hard. No nation can prosper without industry. It should be (e) —— that industry is the key to success. If we (f) —— the days away, we (g) — behind. The nation that (h) — industrious (i) — the pinnacle of development. So, we should (j) —— them.

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Simplicity is a great virtue. (Exclamatory)
- (b) Everybody appreciates this quality. (Negative)
- It is one of the best qualities. (Positive)
- One should practise this virtue. (Passive)
- Very few men are as happy as a simple man. (Comparative)
- By practising simplicity one can earn people's favour. (Negative) (f)
- A simple man leads a very carefree life. (Exclamatory) (g)
- No other person among us is as happy as a simple man. (Superlative) (h)
- Everybody should like simplicity. (Imperative) (i)
- So, a simple life should be led by all. (Active) (i)

6. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) I feel like ——.
- (b) Babies do not know ——.
- (c) I saw a beggar ——.
- (d) Were I a rich man, ——.
- (e) If you do not work hard, ——.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 14 = 7$

The freedom fighters are the (a) <u>hero</u> sons of our land. They fought to save our (b) <u>gold</u> Bangla in 1971. We have got the (c) <u>independent</u> of our loving motherland by their (d) <u>super</u> sacrifice. Some of the (e) <u>free</u> fighters are still (f) <u>lives</u>. Most of the freedom (g) <u>fight</u> are now (h) <u>actual</u> above 70 years old. (i) <u>deed</u> we are very (j) <u>luck</u> to see them (k) <u>direct</u>. As they are our heroic sons, we should respect them (l) <u>profound</u>. We must remember them (m) <u>ever</u>. Because they laid down their lives (n) <u>keep</u> all behind.

8. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 7 = 7$

- (a) The unfed should be fed, ——?
- (b) He let me do the work, ——?
- (c) The Titanic sank on its first voyage, ——?
- (d) There is no school in our village, ——?
- (e) The father rose in him, ——?
- (f) Good morning, sir, ——?
- (g) I have little water, ——?

Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Mainul Islam is a qualified farmer in Naogaon He lives in his village with his two brothers When he was asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could leave this village for a city life But it didnt attract us

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 10. Suppose, some Account Officers will be appointed in Meghna Bank. You, Monir/Monira, are interested to be an Account Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 11. Suppose, you are the Headmaster of Bangabandhu Secondary School, Safderpur, Kotchanderpur, Jhenaidah. Your school will remain closed due to summer vacation from 3 June to 19 June. Now, write a notice about it.
- 12. Write a paragraph on 'Tree Plantation" in your own words.

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19 ✓ DHAKA BOARD–2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours Full marks: 50

IN.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.

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| Pa | rt-A : Gra | mmar | [30 Marks] | | | | | | | |
| 1. | Fill in the | e blanks | with preposition | ons & a | articles (a | , an, th | e & zero a | rticle). | 0 | $.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | It was 4 i | n the aft | ernoon. Hamid | was st | udying (a) | —— th | e library v | when his cell | phone ra | ang. It was |
| | his young | ger sister | , Runa. She sa | id that | t she was | standiı | ng (b) —— | front of (c) | sho | pping mall |
| | opposite I | Hamid's | office and asked | l him t | o meet he | r there | as soon as | possible. Ha | amid hur | ried out of |
| | (d) —— lil | orary. As | he went (e) — | – the s | treet, he i | noticed | that Runa | was not alor | ne. She w | as holding |
| | (f) — th | ree to fo | our years old g | irl (g) - | — hand | . (h) — | — child w | as crying an | d Runa | was trying |
| | frantically | (i) —— | to pacify her. S | ome pa | assers-by | were lo | oking (j) — | — them sus | spiciously | . When he |
| | reached h | er, she s | tarted to explair | 1. | | | | | | |
| 2. | Complete | the foll | owing text witl | h right | forms of | the ve | bs given i | n the box. | 0 | $.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | build | idle | remember | be | work | lag | reach | depend | lead | follow |
| | Banglades | sh is fu | ll of natural re | esource | s. The pr | rosperit | y of the c | country (a) - | on | the proper |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | utilization of the resources. We should not (b) —— a lazy life. We should all (c) —— up our country. For this reason, we have to (d) —— hard. No nation can prosper without industry. It should be (e) | | | | | | | | | |
| | —— that | industry | is the key to su | iccess. | If we (f) — | — the | days away, | we (g) —— 1 | behind. T | he nations |
| | that (h) — | — indus | trious (i) —— th | e pinn | acle of dev | elopme | nt. So, we | (j) —— them. | | |
| 3. | Change th | he sente | nces according | to dir | ections. | | | | | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Bangladesh is a low-lying country. (Change it into Interrogative) | | | | | | | | | |
| | (b) Ever | y year n <mark>a</mark> | tural disasters | visit us | s. (Change | it into j | passive <mark>vo</mark> i | ce) | | |
| | (c) Who | does not | know the conse | equenc | e of Tsuna | ami? (Cl | nange it int | to Assertive s | entence) | |
| | (d) The | recen <mark>t</mark> flo | ood <mark>w</mark> as very dev | <mark>zas</mark> tatir | ng. (Chang | e it <mark>in</mark> to | Exclamate | ory sentence) | | |
| | (e) Dhaka is <mark>th</mark> e most risky city <mark>in</mark> the earthquake zone. (Change it into Positive degree) | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. | Complete | the te | xt adding suff | ixes, p | refixes o | r the l | ooth with | the root w | ords giv | en in the |
| | parenthe | sis. | | | | | | | 0 | $.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | The aim o | The aim of (a) educate is to make a man fully equipped to be (b) use to himself and to society. A (c) | | | | | | | | ciety. A (c) |
| | <u>true</u> educ | $\underline{\text{true}}$ educated person should be self-reliant with regard to his (d) $\underline{\text{person}}$ needs. He should be well- | | | | | | | | ld be well- |
| | | | ught, sympathe | | - | | | | _ | |
| | (g) <u>duty</u> . F | Punctuali | ity is a virtue th | at mak | es a natio | n (h) <u>pr</u> | <u>osper</u> . An o | educated per | son tries | to (i) move |
| | the suffer | ing of his | s countrymen. H | le also | helps othe | ers in at | taining (j) <u>s</u> | <u>self-reliant</u> . | | |
| 5. | Make tag | questio | ns of these stat | tement | ts. | | | | | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Ever | ybody wa | ants to lead a be | tter life | e, ——? | | | | | |

- (b) A better life seldom comes without hard work, ——?
- We have to work hard for this, ——?
- But most of us can hardly do the job, ——?
- Actually, life is not a bed of roses, ——?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ have you killed the rats said the mayor yes i have replied the piper give me the promised money how funny you are said the mayor take only fifty

- Suppose, you are Samira/Shamim and you have passed B.Sc Hon's in Chemistry. You have seen a circular for the post of Medical Representative in a renowned company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 10
- Suppose, you are Sami/Sara living in Sylhet. You went to Dhaka by train yesterday. You lost your goods while going to Dhaka. Now, write a letter to the Chief Operating Officer of Bangladesh Railway complaining about your missing goods. 10

20 RAJSHAHI BOARD-2022 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | It is needless to say that washing hands is very important for us. It is certainly (a) | important |
| | issue. Washing hands regularly can save us from a kind of infectious disease (b) | —— COVID-19. |
| | Washing hands with soap is (c) —— must. We have to wash hands (d) —— taking n | neal and (e) —— |
| | using the toilet. Again, we should wash hands after touching sick members (f) — | our family and |
| | pet animals. Washing hands is also strictly recommended after coming back (s | g) — outside. |
| | Washing hands in (h) — proper wav may help us stay away from corona virus, (i | i) — reason is |
| | that corona virus spreads through touch. So, it is (j) —— important to keep our hand | s clean. |
| _ | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ understand be prevail respect feel reign defeat stop prosper preach Truth always (a) — in the world. Falsehood may (b) — for the time being. Those, who (c) engaged in (d) — the truth are (e) — by the people. Those who (f) — interest in telling lies cannot (g) — in life. They may prosper seemingly. But, after all, they become really (h) — Socrates throughout his life would preach the truth. He tried to make people (i) —— what was good for them. He was troubled by the powerful people. Yet, he never (j) ——teaching good things.

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Only you can do the work. (Negative)
- (b) No other friend is as great as books. (Superlative)
- (c) The rose is a very nice flower. (Exclamatory)
- (d) We should be patriots. (Imperative)
- (e) He called it laurel. (Passive)

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

Everybody knows that (a) smoke is a (b) danger bad habit. It is (c) harm to health. It is also (d) cost. A (e) smoke should not smoke (f) public. Smoking creates (g) pollute. A single puff of cigarette contains (h) numerable harmful particles that cause many (i) respirator diseases which are incurable. But there are many people who are (j) aware of the bad effects of smoking.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) He let me do it, ——?
- (b) Let's be sincere in our life, ——?
- (c) Everybody respects the freedom fighters, ——?
- (d) Success cannot be achieved without efforts, ——?
- (e) He has to lead a miserable life, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Shoel asked Alam Friend have you ever visited the National Memorial at Savar in Dhaka Wow how Splendid it is Yes I havent yet gone there said Alam.

- 7. Mind that, you are Tamim/Tamima. Your home district is Khulna. You have recently completed MBA from Dhaka University. You have found a job advertisement in 'The Daily Prothom Alo' that there is a vacancy post for the position of Junior Marketing Officer in BD Textile Limited. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 8. Suppose, you are Munir/Mita, a student of Joypara High School, Manikganj. Your School has some computers for the students. But it is very sorry to say that most of the computers are out of order. So, the students cannot get proper facilities for practice. Now, write a complained letter to the Headmaster to take proper steps about this immediately.

21 ✓ JASHORE BOARD–2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours

Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|---------------------|
| | 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 try | ing 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. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ 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) — 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 sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (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 suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (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 colourful, ——?
- (e) Who forgets these memories, ——?
- 6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ 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]

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

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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.

22 CUMILLA BOARD-2022 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours

Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

| Part-A: | Grammar | 30 Marks |
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|---------|---------|----------|

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | Travelling has (a) —— great influence (b) —— our minds. The human mind always | craves (c) — |
| | change. There is none who does not feel a thrill of joy (d) the new sight of e | xperience. The |
| | traveller comes in contact (e) — various types of people. If he moves (f) — with | the observant |
| | eyes, he can acquire (g) —— lot of practical knowledge about men and things of (h) — | — world which |
| | books alone cannot provide. Travelling gives us (i) —— opportunity to enjoy the me | ore enchanting |
| | sights of nature. It helps one enrich his knowledge and makes him completely (j) $$ j | perfect man. |

| 2 . | 2. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5×10^{-5} | | | | | | | | | \times 10 = 5 |
|------------|---|-------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|----------|-------------|-----------------|
| | know | hinder | hear | begin | call | remember | inspire | be | bear | join |
| | You must | have (a) — | — the nar | ne of Kazi | Nazrul l | Islam. He (b) — | — our natio | nal poe | t. He (c) - | as a |
| | rebel poet | as well. He | e (d) —— | in a poor | family. | But dire needs | s could not | (e) — | – his pot | entiality. |
| | When the | First World | d War br | oke out, h | e (f) — | — the army. Af | ter the war, | he (g) | —— to | compose |
| | poems. At | that time h | is poems | and songs | (h) —— | people against | oppression. | He (i) - | —— the S | Shelley of |
| | Bangla lite | erature. We | should (j) | —— him : | for his g | reat deeds. | | | | |

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

- $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) Very few conquerors of the world were so great as Taimur. (Superlative)
- (b) The province of a powerful prince was once attacked by young Taimur. (Active)
- (c) He captured a large village. (Passive)
- (d) The army killed Taimur's all soldiers. (Negative)
- (e) He did not disguise himself as a rich traveller to survive. (Affirmative)

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

(a) <u>Forestation</u> means cutting down of trees (b) <u>discriminately</u>. Bangladesh is a (c) <u>dense</u> populated country. This huge population needs more shelter, (d) <u>agriculture</u> land, fuel and furniture etc. For all these reasons, people cut trees. Moreover, there are (e) <u>honest</u> people who cut trees for making money (f) <u>legally</u>. The (g) <u>remove</u> of trees causes serious damage to the soil as trees give (h) <u>protect</u> to soil as well. The temperature will rise and it will cause green house effect. One day the country will be (i) <u>suitable</u> for living. So, tree (j) <u>plant</u> programme should be extended throughout the country.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Good health means the health free from all kinds of diseases, ——?
- (b) One can keep good health by following certain rules, ——?
- (c) He is to eat a balanced diet, ——?
- (d) He has to take regular physical exercise, ——?
- (e) He must enjoy sound sleep, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ mr. hasan is a renowned english teacher he has been teaching in our school for the past five years he is honest and sincere he is our favourite teacher we love him much

- 7. Suppose, you want to be a teacher and you have seen an advertisement in a newspaper. An Assistant Teacher will be appointed in Nurpur High School, Netrokona. Now, write a C.V with a cover letter for the post of an Assistant Teacher. Your C.V should not exceed one page.
- 8. Suppose, you are an inhabitant of Mymensingh City, Mymensingh. The people of your locality suffer greatly due to insufficient water supply. Now, write a letter to the Mayor complaining about insufficient water.

23 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours

Full marks: 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | Nowadays, parents are very conscious (a) —— the harmful effect of punishment (| b) —— children. |
| | Child psychologists think that both (c) —— physical and mental punishments can be | oe disastrous for |
| | (d) — child's growth and development. It may lead (e) — fear and hatred of | the person who |
| | punishes (f) — child. Again, if (g) — child is punished, it may lack initiative. | It may also feel |
| | hostile (h) others So rude (i) behaviour gradually develops (i) him | |

| 2. | Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. | | | | | | | | 0. | $5 \times 10 = 5$ | 1 |
|----|---|-----|---------|----|--------|-------|-----|------|------|-------------------|---|
| | take | eat | deserve | be | thrive | cause | run | know | fall | do | l |

Everybody (a) — that food adulteration (b) — a crime. Adulterated food is poisonous and (c) — diseases. People (d) — this kind of food (e) — victim to liver disease, cancer, kidney failure and so on. Some businessmen who are avaricious and — after money only (g) — this heinous work. They (h) — on the miseries of others. They (i) — punishment. Some strict measures should be (j)— to stop this abominable task of this greedy businessmen.

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Computer is one of the greatest inventions of modern science. (Positive)
- (b) Computer is a blessing on earth. (Negative)
- (c) We must learn how to use computer. (Imperative)
- (d) Computer helps us a lot. (Passive)
- (e) Because of its usefulness, it has become very popular. (Exclamatory)

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

Life without leisure and (a) relax is dull. Nobody can work without rest. Life becomes (b) charm if man does not have any time to enjoy (c) beauty objects of nature. (d) monotony work hinders the (e) smooth of work. Leisure (f) new our spirit of work. Everybody knows that (g) work is (h) harm. Leisure does not mean (i) idle. It gives (j) fresh to our mind.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Time and tide wait for none, ——?
- (b) Unfortunately, many of us waste our time, ——?
- (c) None can prosper in life without utilizing time properly, ——?
- (d) So, everybody should realize this truth, ——?
- (e) Let's make the best use of time, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Once a rich banker said to a poor cobbler How much do you earn a year The cobbler replied laughing I never count in this way I earn barely enough to pass a day And I'm happy Are you really happy said the banker.

- Suppose, some computer operators will be appointed in Prime Bank. You, Labib/Tanha, are
 interested to be a computer operator. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post.
- 8. Suppose, your village is badly affected by the recent flood. The people have been suffering severely due to lack of food and shelter. Now, write an application to the UNO for the relief goods for the affected people.

24 SYLHET BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours

Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | Friendship is (a) — great human virtue. It is (b) — love and affection between | two persons. It |
| | binds more than one person (c) —— good relationship and inspires each other to sh | are (d) —— joys |
| | and sorrows (e) — life. Man is (f) — social being. He cannot live alone. So, he | wants (g) — |
| | company. He yearns (h) —— giving and receiving love and affection. Friendship gro | ws between the |
| | persons (i) —— similar taste, feelings and thoughts. It grows out of mutual underst | anding and give |
| | and take. It generally grows (i) —— two persons of the same age | |

| 2. | c. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 0.5 \times 10$ | | | | | | | | | $.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|----------|-----------|----------|--------------|---------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|--------------------|
| | develop have need go e | | emphasize | motivate | keep | enrich | learn | modify | | |
| | Communicative competence in English is urgently (a) —— in our country. The present world (b) —— | | | | | | | | | |
| | fast and (c) —— on with the advancement of technology. With a view to (d) —— pace with the present | | | | | | | | | |
| | world, we cannot help (e) — English. The present curriculum has (f) — learning English by (g) | | | | | | | | | |
| | — the books (h) — with modern information. But readers should be (i) — to read more | | | | | | | | | |
| | supplement | ary bool | ks. (j) — | — an | ICT based sk | ill can be ve | ery produ | active to l | keep pace | e with this |
| | advanced w | orld. | | | | | | | | |

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Honesty is the best way of leading life. (Positive)
- (b) This noble virtue is always appreciated. (Active)
- (c) Honesty can open a door of peace before a person. (Negative)
- (d) Honesty is a very important virtue. (Exclamatory)
- (e) So, we should never be dishonest. (Imperative)

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

Money occupies a unique position in our modern (a) <u>capital</u> economy. In its (b) <u>absent</u>, the whole (c) <u>prosper</u> economic life would collapse like a packet of cards. Money is used as a medium of (d) <u>change</u>. It promotes (e) <u>specialise</u> which increases (f) <u>product</u> and efficiency. But money cannot buy (g) <u>happy</u>. Money is a must for our life. But it is not necessary to bring happiness. Happiness is (h) <u>absolute</u> a psychological thing. It is the name of a feeling. It means the (i) <u>content</u> of the mind. He who has (j) <u>satisfy</u> with what he has is really a happy one.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Nobody was present yesterday, —
- (b) I am an SSC examinee, ——?
- (c) Don't tell a lie, ——?
- (d) The widower shut the door, ——?
- (e) The idle can do little for society, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

I said to the old man, what are you doing I am watching the boy, swimming in the pond he said How happy they are May Allah bless them let me sit by you and enjoy the scene I said.

- 7. Suppose, you are Adib/Adiba. You got your MBA exam result last month. Recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Daily Star" for the post of a 'Senior Officer' in a private bank. Now, write a CV with cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- 8. Suppose, you are Arafat/Arefa, a student of class X reading in Rajshahi High School, Rajshahi. There is a lack of quality books in your school library. Now, write an application to the Headmaster on behalf of the students of your school to increase the number of quality books in the library.

25 ✓ BARISHAL BOARD-2022 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|--|-----------------------------------|
| | Metro rail is (a) — mega project in the development history (b) — Bangladesh. | To make traffic (c) |
| | movement easy and smooth in the city of Dhaka, metro rail is sure to play (| d) — great role. |
| | The mega city of almost two crore people is struggling badly with its narrow a | and (e) — over |
| | crowded roads. But metro rail is sure to come as a sigh of relief. With its (f) - | uninterrupted |
| | movement, it will carry sixty thousand passengers per hour (g) —— both ends. 16th | December, 2022 |
| | is going to be (h) — unforgettable day for (i) — dwellers of Dhaka city. (j) — | this day. the red |
| | and green coloured coaches of metro rail will take the passengers to their destination | ons with ease and |
| | comfort. | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ upgrade see read retrain take start continue observe — now as the book festival in Bangladesh. On this day, students (b) and madrashas get new text books free of cost. Books (c) —— the most important teaching aids for the students. If students (d) —— books in time, their academic progress will be greatly hampered. So, the present government (e) — this epoch-making programme. This programme will undoubtedly play a vital role in (f) — the standard of education. By getting books on this day, students can start (g) — their preparation from the very beginning of the academic year. Guardians of the students also become happy to (h) — new books in the hands of their children. So, this programme should be (i) —— for building an educated nation. The people of Bangladesh (j) —— ever grateful to the present government for taking this noble initiative.

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Flower cultivation is very profitable now. (Exclamatory)
- (b) Many people cultivate flowers for earning money. (Passive)
- (c) At present, there is a great demand of flowers. (Interrogative)
- (d) Everybody becomes glad to get flowers. (Negative)
- (e) In some cases, flowers are more welcoming than any other gift. (Positive)

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

Mango is a very popular fruit in Bangladesh. This (a) <u>season</u> fruit is very tasty and juicy. There are (b) <u>vary</u> types of mangoes. Among these, Himshagor and Amropali are (c) <u>know</u>. Mango is (d) <u>favour</u> to most of the people. Actually, there is (e) <u>hard</u> any person who does not like mango. Most of the (f) <u>ripe</u> mangoes are sour. But, they become sweet and tasty when they are ripe. Mango cultivation is very (g) <u>profit</u> in Bangladesh. But all areas are not (h)<u>suit</u> for mango cultivation. It is widely cultivated in Rajshahi, Chapai Nawabgonj and Satkhira districts. Mango farmers (i) <u>come</u> very glad when the production is huge. They dream of improving their (j) <u>economy</u> condition by selling their mangoes at a good price.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Truthfulness is a great virtue, ——?
- (b) Nothing is better than this quality, ——?
- (c) Everybody loves a truthful man, ——?
- (d) Follow the footprints of truthful persons, ——?
- (e) Let us try to be truthful, ——?
- 6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

my mother said to me where are you going i am going to school said i did you go to school yesterday

- 7. Suppose, you are Habib/Habiba. You have passed HSC and got a diploma on computer operating. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Daily Star" that the National ICT Research Center is going to appoint a Computer Operator. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 8. Suppose, you are Arif/Arifa. You read in Kazirbag School, Noakhali. There is a big library in your school. But the collection of books and sitting arrangements are not satisfactory. Now, write a complaint letter to your Head Master abour this matter.

26 ✓ DINAJPUR BOARD-2022 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours Full marks: 50

[**N.B**- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | Bangladesh is a free land but she is beset (a) many problems. The use of poly | bags is very |
| | dreadful. Recently it has become (b) —— great threat (c) —— our environment. (d) — | — used poly |
| | bags block the drainage system. As a result, the low-lying areas (e) —— the towns and | the cities go |
| | under (f) — dirty water when it rains heavily. The used poly bags also destroy (g) – | — fertility of |
| | our soil. Our government has already banned the production (h) —— poly bags. Yet son | ne greedy and |
| | (i) —— dishonest businessmen are producing the bags (i) —— their own interest | |

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ 2. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. maintain dislike be create regard show indulge hamper Social value denotes customs, beliefs, social practices and norms. Besides, social value (a) —— to the mode of manners and the way of behaviour. Social value is (b) —— as the picture of the culture of a nation. It (c) — a great educative value in our life. In the past people were very much conscious of (d) ---- social values. Dishonesty, cruelty, misconduct, untruthfulness, rude behaviour etc. were strongly hated and (e) --- in the society. At present our social value (f) --- in a great threat. Young people (g) —— due respect to their elders. They are seen (h) —— in different types of anti-social activities. As a result, peace and order and decent life are greatly (i) — . It is high time we (j) —— social awareness about social values.

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

- $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) The government has almost completed the construction of the Padma Bridge. (Passive)
- (b) This is the largest bridge of Bangladesh. (Comparative degree)
- (c) The countrymen will be very happy when it will be opened for use. (Exclamatory)
- (d) It is a mega project. (Negative)
- (e) We should go to visit it. (Imperative)

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

The nature of a mother's love is the same in all countries. It is (a) <u>universe</u>. For our (b) <u>exist</u> on earth, we (c) <u>great</u> owe to our father and mother, (d) <u>special</u> to our mother. A mother's love is (e) <u>parallel</u> and unique. A child's (f) <u>relate</u> with its mother is (g) <u>heaven</u> and (h) <u>spirit</u>. We can (i) <u>hard</u> see a mother (j) <u>different</u> to her child's wellbeing.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Industry is the key to success, ——?
- (b) The industrious are prosperous, ——?
- (c) They hardly suffer from poverty, ——?
- (d) On the other hand, there is no alternative to industry, ——?
- (e) Let us try to be industrious, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

the old woman said can you give me some food i have been starving for three days the young man said why do you beg cant you work

- 7. Suppose, you are Jamil/Jamila and you have completed your honours and masters degrees in English and you are looking for a job. Recently you have seen an advertisement for the post of an Assistant Teacher in English at Balaka Model High School, Dhaka. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 8. Imagine, you are Helal/Helena, a student of class 9 of Rupali Public School, Tangail. Your school has a big library, but the collection of books and sitting arrangement are not satisfactory. Now, write a complaint letter to your Head Master to solve the problem.

27 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2022 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time: 2 hours Full marks: 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [30 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
|----|---|---------------------|
| | A national flag is (a) —— matter of pride for a nation. Every independent nation in (b) | world has |
| | a national flag (c) —— its own. As (d) —— independent nation, we have a national flag | g. Our national |
| | flag is (e) —— symbol of independence, (f) —— sovereignty and prosperity. Red and green | en colours are |
| | used in it. The red colour used in (g) —— flag indicates (h) —— martyrs who laid down | their valuable |
| | lives (i) —— the independence of our country. We must uphold its (j) —— honour. | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ make become conduct enhance send help increase (a) Mobile phone is an important medium of modern communication which intercommunication. It (b) —— our life very easy and comfortable. The world (c) —— smaller due to the rapid use of it. Mobile phone connected with the Internet (d) — its users watch TV, and, use social media like Facebook, Instagram, Linkedln etc. We (e) —— almost everything by using various mobile apps. We can check mails and (f) —— the reply through it. The use of mobile phone (g) noticeably during COVID-19. Nowadays, teachers and students (h) —— dependent on it greatly. It has played a vital role in (i) ---- online education. But excessive use of it causes unpredictable health hazards. So, we (j) —— it excessively.

3. Change the sentences according to directions.

- $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) Computer is one of the greatest inventions of modern science. (Make it positive)
- (b) In fact, it is a blessing of science. (Make it negative without changing the original meaning)
- (c) It has facilitated the world very greatly. (Make it exclamatory)
- (d) Moreover, it has lessened our workloads. (Make it passive)
- (e) So, we sh<mark>ould use</mark> it in our e<mark>veryday life. (Make</mark> it imperative)

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

Health is wealth. To keep in good health, we have to follow many things. Physical exercise is one of them. It increases our appetite and improves (a) <u>digest</u> power. If anybody suffers from (b) <u>digest</u>, he should take physical exercise. Proper (c) <u>digest</u> of food removes his loss of appetite. Physical exercise removes (d) <u>constipate</u> and helps proper blood (e) <u>circulate</u>. Our anti-bodies will be (f) <u>act</u> if our blood circulation is (g) <u>normal</u>. (h) <u>proper</u> blood circulation in our bodies may cause many (i) <u>predictable</u> physical problems. So, we must take physical exercise for the (j) <u>improve</u> of blood circulation.

5. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Reading books is a good habit, ——?
- (b) One should read books to acquire knowledge, ——?
- (c) Reading books never goes in vain, ——?
- (d) There is a saying, "The more you read, the more you learn", ——?
- (e) So, a student should form the habit of reading books, ——?

6. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Monira said to Protiva How does the question seem to you Have you got everything common. No one item is uncommon to me. What about you said Protiva. Im in the same position like you replied Monira.

- 7. Suppose, you are Kabir/Kabita. You have passed the HSC this year. You have found a vacancy advertisement published in "The Daily Ittefaq" for the post of a salesman in a manufacturing company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the Manager for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 8. Suppose, you are Abid/Abida of class X of Raipura Adarsha High School, Raipura, Narsingdi. You have a canteen in your school. But the quality of foods is not good and healthy. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster about it.

28 DHAKA BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| in | dark | the | from | an | learning | often | midst | that | worthy |
|---|------|-----|------|----|----------|-------|-------|------|--------|
| An ideal teacher is (a) —— compared with (b) —— architect. He is called (c) —— architect of a nation. | | | | | | | | | |
| He is the light of (d) —— and makes the illiterate people (e) —— citizens of our country. But it is a | | | | | | | | | |
| matter of regret (f) — the teachers are not held (g) — due respect in our society. They lead a | | | | | | | | | |
| humble life in the (h) —— of want. Still they keep the light of education burning in order to remove | | | | | | | | | |
| the (i) —— of illiteracy and superstitions (i) —— the society. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Modern civilization is the (a) — of science. Science has worked (b) — a magician in the world. We can't do even a (c) — day without the help of science. Many quick means (d) — communication like telephone, telex, fax, telegram, satellite etc. are (e) — greatest wonders of science. Nowadays a message can be sent from one corner of the world to another in the twinkle of (f) — eye. Science has brought a revolutionary (g) — in all fields. In the field of medical science (h) — has got eyes, lame has got legs, deaf has got hearing power. (i) — diseases which were incurable in the past are now easily (j) — .

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Independence | went | the war. |
|--|-------------|--|
| No nation | took place | to the battle field to save the country. |
| Our War of Li <mark>be</mark> ration | be | it without struggle. |
| People of all w <mark>al</mark> ks of life | can achieve | in 1971. |
| They | joined | the birth right of a nation. |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

suffer

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$ give

violate

carry

| Traffic jam is a common affair in big cities of our country. Increasing number of vehicles (a) —— |
|--|
| traffic jam. Mainly it (b) —— in the congested areas. Overtaking tendency also (c) —— traffic jam. |
| Some drivers (d) —— the traffic rules and (e) —— carelessly. It (f) —— a lot of pains to the people. |
| Ambulances (g) —— patients cannot (h) —— hospital timely. Students and office going people also (i) |
| —— due to traffic jam. This problem should be (j) —— immediately. |

reach

cause

occur

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

create

drive

solve

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Rina said to Sima, "why don't you get up early from sleep"? Sima said, "It is tough for me to leave bed early". "Alas! It is a bad habit," said Rina, "If you leave bed early, you can enjoy sound health. Follow my advice".

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Once upon a time there was a little girl named Tarin. (Compound)
- (b) Though she was a nice little girl, she was not an ordinary child. (Simple)
- (c) She passed her time in reading and writing. (Interrogative)
- (d) Her parents liked her very much. (Negative)
- (e) Everyone praised her. (Passive)
- (f) She was very attentive to her study. (Exclamatory)
- (g) She also helped her mother in the free time. (Complex)
- (h) She never told a lie. (Interrogative)
- (i) She was one of the most intelligent girls in the school. (Positive)
- (j) She worked hard to shine in life. (Complex)

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for the affected people.

14. Write a paragraph on "A Road Accident".

15. Write a composition in 250 words on "Importance of Reading Newspaper".

29 RAJSHAHI BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

conscious

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

develop

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| develop | 0 | rear | conscious | Both | 101 | pamon | 50 | | |
|--|---------------|------------|--------------|------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--|--|
| Nowadays, parents are very (a) —— of the harmful effect of (b) —— on children. Child psychologists | | | | | | | | | |
| think that (c) —— physical and mental punishment can be disastrous (d) —— a child's growth and | | | | | | | | | |
| (e) ——. It m | ay lead to (f |) —— and h | atred of the | person who | (g) — the c | child. Again, | if a child (h) | | |
| — punished, he may lack initiative. He may also feel hostile (i) — others. So, rude behavior | | | | | | | | | |
| gradually (j) - | —— in him. | | | | | | | | |

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2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

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 $1 \times 5 = 5$

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Diligence means an (a) —— to perform a work successfully. God has given us two hands to (b) ——. From the (c) —— of the world, human beings have been (d) —— with nature to keep hold of their (e) ———. If they did not struggle, they might have (f) ——— long ago. Thus we see that diligence is (g) ——— in our personal, social and national life. The student who is (h) ——— diligent, makes a better result (i) —————— those who are not. So, to be (j) ———————— everybody should be diligent.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below.

| | - | |
|----------------|-----------|---|
| Corruption | be | in both public and private sectors. |
| It | may be | to remove it, we will not be able to build 'Sonar Bangla'. |
| Our government | fail | a <mark>cur</mark> se not only to our nation but also all over the world. |
| If we | is trying | define <mark>d as</mark> the ab <mark>us</mark> e <mark>of e</mark> ntr <mark>ust</mark> ed p <mark>ower for</mark> the private gain. |
| | occurs | to control it with iron hand. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

show

| Beston | 11410 | 0110 | 50 | belong | CHASIC | caase | 1000 | 511011 | 50 |
|--|-------------|-------------|--------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| We (a) | - to our na | ture for (b |) us v | with her gi | ifts lavishly | y. We (c) — | — a large | area of la | nd but the |
| negligible area of land that (d) —— to us, is very fertile. We (e) —— ungrateful to our soil. But our | | | | | | | | | |
| activities (| f) —— tha | t we have | (g) uı | ngrateful t | o our soil. | We are co | nstantly (1 | h) soi | l pollution |
| by our unwise activities. As a result, our fertile land is (i) $$ its fertility which has (j) $$ us to | | | | | | | | | |
| grow crops | s easily. | | | | | | | | |

belong enable cause

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Where do you like to go?" said the ticket officer. "To Rajshahi." said the lady. "How many tickets do you need to buy and of which class?" "Three first class tickets." "Here are the tickets and they will cost you three thousand taka."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Terrorism is a devastating phenomenon of the modern world. (Exclamatory)
- (b) At present, it is called a challenge to fight against it. (Active)
- (c) Who is not now in the threat of violence? (Assertive)
- (d) Terrorism is more disastrous than anything. (Positive)
- (e) It is one of the most corrosive problems of the modern world. (Comparative)
- (f) Nobody wants his children to be terrorist in future. (Interrogative)
- (g) Though there is law to punish the terrorists, it is not properly applied. (Simple)
- (h) By applying the law properly, we can get rid of it. (Complex)
- (i) We have to create social awareness to fight against corruption. (Compound)
- (j) We all should avoid the killers of mankind. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) But for your timely intervention ——.
- (b) Many days passed ——.
- (c) A child —— is afraid of fire.
- (d) Work hard provided that ----
- (e) Blessing is not valued ——.
- 8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

A (a) <u>west</u> survey was conducted on this (b) <u>quest</u>. "Are social (c) <u>work</u> making us social?" The participants are mainly the (d) <u>net</u> users of the West. 81% opined (e) <u>affirm</u>. One commented that (f) <u>smart</u> detach you from your family and (g) <u>company</u> in exchange of an addition to fun. Another comment was that many (h) <u>virtue</u> relations are maintained at a time and so they (i) <u>hard</u> become deep and reliable. Another remarkable comment was that direct (j) <u>action</u> has no alternative for a safe relation.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) You surely fail if you fail to plan, ——?
- (b) A good plan scarcely lets you fail, ——?
- (c) Great people could do nothing without a plan of action, ——?
- (d) Future also dare not fail a well-planned effort, ——?
- (e) So, plan before proceed, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

The greatness of a book depends (a) —— on the accountability among the readers. If we read a book only once, we cannot discover many things in it. (b) —— basing on one reading, we cannot judge the standard of a book. (c) —— a book is praised highly, we have no doubt about the greatness of the book. (d) ——, by the first reading, we may not understand a book. (e) —— if it is read more than once, we can understand the greatness of the book easily.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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arent you going to have any said i no i never eat asparagus i know there are people who dont like them the fact is that you ruin your palate by all the meat you eat she said.

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Mubarak. You have seen an advertisement in 'The Daily Star' that some design engineers are going to be appointed in Asian Textile Limited. You want to apply for the post. Now write a CV with cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Tamjid, a student of class ten. Recently a devastating flood has occurred in the whole of your district. Many people have lost their houses under the water of the flood. Now, write an application to the DC of your district to open an aiding camp and ensure foods, housing for the homeless people of your area.
- 14. You are seen that 'Dengue Fever' is taking away a lot of lives from different districts in our country. Now, write a paragraph on "How to fight against it and face it".
- 15. Write a composition on "Satellite TV channels and our young generation".

30 JASHORE BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| in | dark | the | from | an | learning | often | our | that | worthy | |
|--|---|------------|--------|----------|----------|-------|-----|------|--------|--|
| A teacher is (a) —— compared with (b) —— architect. He is called (c) —— architect of a nation. He is | | | | | | | | | | |
| the light of (d) —— and makes the illiterate people (e) —— citizens of our country. But it is a matter | | | | | | | | | | |
| of regre | of regret (f) — the teachers are not held (g) — due respect in (h) — society. They lead a humble | | | | | | | | | |
| life in t | life in the midst of want. Still they keep the light of education burning in order to remove the (i) —— | | | | | | | | | |
| of illiter | racy and s | uperstitio | ns (j) | the soci | ety. | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

People are fond of travelling. So, travelling has been popular with man from the (a) —— immemorial. It is the romance of seeing the (b) ——, knowing the unknown and unveiling the shrouds (c) —— mystery. A man hardly knows his (d) —— land completely until he has gone out of it to (e) —— other countries. Only a rational comparison of our country (f) —— other countries can vividly specify the true nature (g) —— merits and demerits of our own motherland. An awareness of our defects inspires us to (h) —— hard and improve (i) —— unhappy condition of our dear (j) —— place.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

thrive

| A | В | С |
|---|------|--|
| Many of us | can | the <mark>life of a dying</mark> patient |
| By donating blood we | will | misconception about blood donation |
| Blood donatio <mark>n</mark> | is | cause no harm. |
| Every man in <mark>so</mark> und health | have | donate blood after every three months |
| Donating blood | save | a very noble deed |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

be

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| Everybody (a) —— that food adulteration (b) —— a crime. Adulterated food is poisonous and (c) —— |
|--|
| diseases. People (d) —— this kind of food (e) —— victim to liver disease, cancer, kidney failure and s |
| on. Some businessmen who are avaricious and (f) — after money only (g) — this heinous work |
| They (h) —— on the miseries of others. They (i) —— punishment. Some strict measures should be (|
| — to stop this abominable task of the greedy businessmen. |

cause

run

know

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

deserve

eat

take

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"Good morning Farzana," said Abrar. "How much preparation have you taken for this exam?" "Not bad at all," said she. "I hope I will get GPA-5" " Wow, what a bright girl!" said Abrar. "But my preparation is not so good."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) People in general are fond of glittering things. (Complex))
- (b) They are the lovers of surface. (Interrogative)
- (c) They are concerned at the outer show of things and beings. (Active)
- (d) They do not bother about intrinsic value. (Affirmative)
- (e) Gold is one of the precious metals. (Positive)
- (f) But there are some other metals looking like gold. (Compound).
- (g) They fade soon and lose their beauty. (Simple)
- (h) Similarly, there are some people acting like the wise. (Complex)
- (i) As soon as their real identity gets revealed, people leave them. (Negative)
- (j) We are very foolish believing in them. (Exclamatory)

14. All the beings depend on trees for their existence. So we should plant trees more and more

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every year. Now. write a paragraph on "Tree Plantation".

15. Write a composition on "Your Favourite Hobby".

study tour.

31 CUMILLA BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

contribute

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some | of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | .5 × 10 = | = 5 |

| dull | the | success | both | victory | if | we | them | keen | easily | |
|---|----------|--------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|--|
| Without effort there can be no (a) $$ in life. Life loses its interest (b) $$ there is no struggle. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Games become (c) ——, if there is no competition in (d) —— and if the result can be (e) —— foreseen. | | | | | | | | | | |
| No matter | we win (| f) —— game | or lose it, | the (g) — | — the cont | est, the gr | eater the i | interest. A | (h) $$ is | |
| not a real triumph unless (i) —— the sides are equally strong. Whether (j) —— like it or not, life is a | | | | | | | | | | |
| continuou | s compet | itive examir | nation. | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Education is one of the basic (a) — of a human being and is (b) — for every kind of development. It (c) — us to make right choices in (d) —. It enhances our ability to raise (e) — , store food, protect the environment and (f) — out our social responsibilities. It provides (g) — with an enlightened awareness about things. (h) — education has to be defined. It (i) — not merely getting degrees from schools, (j) — and universities. It is something more lasting, more humane.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Drug addiction | is | taking heroin, opium, etc. |
|------------------------------------|-------|--|
| The drugs | are | a man to death. |
| Young boys and girls | have | stro <mark>ng attraction f</mark> or any h <mark>arm</mark> ful thing. |
| The frequent taking of these drugs | leads | grasped the young generation of our country. |
| | means | not <mark>only a nation</mark> al but also a global problem. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

prove

keep

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

be

adopt

| According to the history, women in the past were (a) — within the four walls. But at present they |
|--|
| (b) —— no longer captive to their parents' or husbands' house. With the passage of time, the outlook |
| and attitude have been (c) —— as men and women are (d) —— themselves with the changing society. |
| By (e) —— education, they are (f) —— pilots, doctors, engineers, high officials etc. They are (g) —— |
| hand in hand with men in all worthy programmes. They are now able to (h) —— their worth. They (i) |
| much to the economy of the country. Now it has come to the realization of men that no |
| development is possible by (j) —— half of our population idle at home. |
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develop

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become

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

confine

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The new teacher entered the classroom and said. "Can you tell me what I should do now?" "No, sir," one of the students said. The teacher smiled and said. "Try to guess." "You should introduce yourself to us," another student said. "Thank you," said the teacher, "You are really brilliant."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Health is wealth. (Make complex sentence)
- (b) A healthy poor man is happier than a sick moneyed man. (Use positive degree)
- (c) Though a healthy man is an asset to his family, an unhealthy man is a liability. (Make compound sentence)
- (d) He can succeed in life. (Make interrogative sentence)
- (e) So, everybody cannot but be conscious of his health. (Make affirmative sentence)
- (f) Everybody must take care of his health all the time. (Make negative sentence)
- (g) Health can be improved by regular physical exercise and a balanced diet. (Use active voice)
- (h) The people who are poor cannot afford to take a balanced diet. (Make simple sentence)
- (i) They are very concerned with the quantity of food. (Make exclamatory)
- (j) Everybody should know it that malnutrition causes weakness. (Use passive voice)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Unless you study attentively ——.
- (b) It is a long time since ——.
- (c) If I have seen you ——.
- (d) 1971 is the year when —
- (e) Danger comes where ——.
- 8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

The books of famous (a) <u>write</u> are put on sale in the book fair. Most of the (b) <u>visit</u> buy books of different (c) <u>publish</u>. Almost no visitor returns from the fair without making any purchase. The (d) <u>buy</u> like to buy at a fair price. Our book fair is always (e) <u>crowd</u>. As (f) <u>vary</u> books are (g) <u>play</u> in a fair, the buyers get a scope to choose books. They buy their (h) <u>choose</u> books after a long search. This facility is (i) <u>available</u> in any place other than a book fair. A book fair is always (j) <u>come</u> to the students.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) The freedom fighters are the real heroes, ——?
- (b) Nothing is greater than their sacrifice, ——?
- (c) Their contribution for our country will always be remembered, ——?
- (d) We should never neglect them, ——?
- (e) Every citizen of Bangladesh must have due respect for them, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

None can deny the importance of tree plantation (a) — our lives on earth inevitably depend on it. (b) — it is a matter of sorrow that we are cutting down trees indiscriminately. (c) — trees are planted, soon our country will turn into desert. (d) — there will be an adverse change in the climate. (e) — we should plant more and more trees for our own sake.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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is there anybody here who has ever crossed a river by a boat i have teacher i clearly remember what happened in that journey said jamal

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Taskia/Toukir and you have passed HSC and got a diploma on computer operator. You looked in an advertisement in "Daily Star" that Square Pharmaceuticals Ltd. is going to appoint some computer operators. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post of a computer operator in the company. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are the SSC candidate of Modern School and College, Rangpur. You are interested to go on a study tour in a historical place. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school praying for permission and monetary assistance regarding the tour.
- 14. Suppose, on the last vacation you were going to Rajshahi by bus. Unfortunately your bus met an accident but luckily there was no casualty or death. Now, write a paragraph on "Causes of Road Accidents in Bangladesh".
- 15. Nowadays people are suffering from various diseases. If they take physical exercise everyday, they can enjoy a sound health. Now, write a composition on "The Importance of Physical Exercise".

32 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| think | positive | arise | hinder | normal | avoid | mainly | hamper | cause | prosperity | |
|--|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|---------|--------------|--------|-------|------------|--|
| Student politics (a) —— the normal progress of a student. It brings (b) —— to a few but (c) —— harm | | | | | | | | | | |
| to many. Because of student politics (d) —— administration of a college or university is (e) —— . As a | | | | | | | | | | |
| result, there (f) — session jam. For this problem of the campus student politics is (g) — | | | | | | | | | | |
| responsible. So, we should (h) —— about the necessity of student politics. Either we should (i) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| student | politics or | we shoul | ld bring ab | out a (j) — | — chang | e in this se | ector. | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Patriotism is an (a) — quality of human being. It creates in a man a feeling of love for his motherland. It is older than (b) —. The man who loves his own country, does his first and (c) — duties and works for the (d) — and (e) — of his country, is a patriot. Even the ancient tribes had a great love for the land where they were born and sacrificed their lives to (f) — it. If he does it and (g) — his duties honestly and sincerely in his own fields, he can be a patriot. If he does not do so, he will be a (h) —. We must not have bitterness towards anyone. But (i) — patriotism is very bad. All should (j) — off it from their hearts.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| <u> </u> | | |
|------------|---------|---------------------------------------|
| | gives | us news of home and abroad. |
| Newspapers | has | useful to all section of people. |
| It | are | great educative value too. |
| They | present | really a part and parcel of our life. |
| | | us the outside world like a mirror. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| act | damage | breed | rise | result | consider | overcome | compare | build | endeavour |
|--|---|------------|---------|----------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Self-control (a) —— a great power. It (b) —— all other virtues. Man generally (c) —— on impulses and | | | | | | | | | |
| strong desires. Vicious desires (d) —— the purity of heart and mind (e) —— in the degeneration of | | | | | | | | | |
| huma | an nature. l | t is self- | control | that car | n help a ma | ın (f) —— uj | a pure ch | aracter v | which is very |
| esser | essential (g) — above the level of inhumanity. Nothing can (h) — to self-control to (i) — | | | | | | | | |
| inhuı | inhumanity. So, everybody (j) —— for being self-controlled. | | | | | | | | |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Why are you laughing in the class?" the teacher said to the girl. "I have remembered an interesting incident after you have given the example." "What is that?" said the teacher. "It is about one of my cousins who came to our house yesterday." "Forget it and be attentive to your lesson."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Wherever we may cast our eyes, we notice the achievement of science. (Make it simple)
- (b) The electricity lights both the streets and the houses. (Make it negative)
- (c) The radio broadcasts news, songs and lectures. (Make it complex)
- (d) There is cinema to delight in the evening. (Make it complex)
- (e) Computer is one of the most important inventions of modern science. (Make it positive)
- (f) Who can go without it? (Make it assertive)
- (g) Internet is as important as computer. (Make it comparative)
- (h) It helps us to know about the world. (Make it compound)
- (i) It is greater than all other inventions of modern science. (Make it superlative)
- (j) The invention of computer is a great miraculous event. (Make it exclamatory)

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school for a seat in the school hostel.

14. Write a paragraph on "A Tea Stall" in your own words.

15. Write a composition about "The Importance of Reading Newspaper".

33 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| about | between | of | basic | no | educate | almost | right | will | light |
|--|---------|----|-------|----|---------|--------|-------|------|-------|
| Education removes our ignorance and gives us the (a) — of knowledge. In respect (b) — | | | | | | | | | |
| imparting education, there should be (c) —— discrimination (d) —— man and woman. Education is | | | | | | | | | |
| one of the (e) — human rights. If we deprive woman of the (f) — of education (g) — half of our | | | | | | | | | |
| population (h) — remain in darkness. No development can be brought (i) — without the | | | | | | | | | |
| participation of woman. So, the government is doing everything to (j) —— the womenfolk. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Adopting unfair means in the examination is (a) — offence. It degrades (b) — standard of education. If the students of (c) — country do not acquire (d) — education, there will be no development for (e) — country. (f) — examinee should study seriously so that he can cut (g) — good figure in the examination. To acquire true education should be (h) — only aim in the lives of all students. (i) — educated man cannot support adopting (j) — unfairmeans in the examination at all.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Independence | went | the war. | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| No nation | took place | to the battlefield to save the country. | | | | |
| Our war of lib <mark>er</mark> ation | be | it without struggle. | | | | |
| People of all walks of life | jo <mark>in</mark> ed | in 1971. | | | | |
| They | can achieve | the birthright of a nation | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. | | | | | | | | .0 × 10 = 0 | | |
|---|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------|------|--|
| reach | cause | carry | violate | occur | drive | solve | create | suffer | give | |

Traffic jam is a common affair in big cities of our country. Increasing number of vehicles (a) ——traffic jam. Mainly it (b) —— in the congested areas. Overtaking tendency also (c) ——traffic jam. Some drivers (d) ——the traffic rules and (e) ——carelessly. It (f) ——a lot of pains to the people. Ambulances (g) ——patients cannot (h) ——hospital timely. Students and office going people also (i) ——due to traffic jam. This problem should be (j) ——immediately.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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Rina said to Sima, "Why don't you get up early from sleep?" Sima said, "It is tough for me to leave bed early." "Alas! It is a bad habit," said Rina, "If you leave bed early, you can enjoy sound health. Follow my advice."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Haji Mohammad Mohsin was more gracious than any other man in this subcontinent. (Positive)
- (b) He was born in Hoogli. (Complex)
- (c) He inherited a vast property from his father and sister. (Interrogative without changing meaning)
- (d) He did not misuse this wealth. (Passive)
- (e) He is called a friend of humanity. (Active)
- (f) He did not marry. (Affirmative)
- (g) During his lifetime, he spent money lavishly to help the poor. (Compound)
- (h) He was very kind to the poor. (Negative without changing meaning)
- (i) Oneday when a thief entered his room, he caught him. (Simple)
- (j) He caught the thief but did not punish him. (Complex)

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14. Write a paragraph on "A Street Hawker" within 150 words.

15. Write a composition on "Duties of a Student" within 250 words.

34 A BARISHAL BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| this | disgrace | with | fortunate | in | have | though | the | stomach | to |
|---|--|------|-----------|----|------|--------|-----|---------|----------|
| Child labour is one of the biggest curses of the 21st century. It is (a) —— that this has become very | | | | | | | | | |
| accepted (b) —— our society. Only poverty is responsible for (c) ——. In a family of five or six | | | | | | | | | |
| children, the parents (d) —— to send their kids to work so that they can fill their empty (e) —— . | | | | | | | | | |
| These poor and helpless children are rewarded (f) —— all kinds of abuse (g) —— they work hard all | | | | | | | | | |
| day long | day long. No other thing is as (h) — as child abuse for a nation. (i) — government has taken | | | | | | | | as taken |
| necessary measures (j) —— check it. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Terrorism is a (a) — threat and major concern (b) — almost all the countries. Terrorists cause damage (c) — human lives and properties (d) — panic and terror. The cause of terrorism is mainly (e) — to the deprivation of genuine rights and also greed and exploitation (f) — different groups and nations. To get rid of terrorism is very difficult (g) — not impossible (h) — the intellectuals and peace (i) — nations work (j) — .

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Friction between teenagers and parents | | certainly occur in all times. |
|---|-----|--|
| It | is | common features of the teenagers. |
| One obvious reason | can | the transaction from dependence to independence. |
| Another source of friction | are | very common. |
| Moreover, mo <mark>od</mark> y and <mark>sulky</mark> beha <mark>vi</mark> ours | | the di <mark>fficult</mark> beha <mark>vi</mark> ours <mark>of</mark> the <mark>a</mark> dolescents. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

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| Gender in | equality | is a barrier | to the overal | l develo | pment of a | country. G | ender equa | lity (a) — | — to the |
| condition | in which | n both men a | and women (| b) —— | equally and | fairly in a | ll circumsta | ances. Wi | thout (c) |
| —— the p | oarticipa | tion of the | both, the so | cial an | d economic | developm | ent (d) —— | Elimir | nation of |
| gender di | sparity i | is a demand | d of the day | with a | view to (e) | —— hur | nan rights. | Our gov | ernment |
| already (f) | so | me initiative | es in differen | t sector | s so that we | omen can | (g) — pa | ce with n | nen. But |
| our social | set-up | is (h) —— a | a barrier in | differen | t ways. We | should (i) | our o | outlook a | nd come |
| forward to | (j) —— | gender inequ | iality from tl | ne socie | ty. | | | | |

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5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Good morning, Kiron," said Harun. "How much preparation have you taken for the SSC Examination?" "A great preparation," Kiron replied. "Wow! What an intelligent boy!" said Harun. "May you be distinguished with your result."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Man is the maker of his own fortune (Interrogative)
- (b) If he makes proper use of his time, he is sure to prosper in life. (Simple)
- (c) The person doing otherwise is sure to repent later. (Complex)
- (d) The lazy suffer miserably in the long run. (Exclamatory)
- (e) To kill time is to commit suicide. (Interrogative)
- (f) Our life is nothing but a sum total of hours, days and years. (Assertive)
- (g) Youth is the most valuable season of life. (Positive)
- (h) In youth mind is soft and it can be shaped easily. (Simple)
- (i) Unless you use the morning hours of life, you have to pay a heavy price afterwards. (Compound)
- (j) It is called the seedtime of life. (Active)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) I am looking for Raihan. If I had seen him, ——.
- (b) Shila seemed upset. She talked as if ——.
- (c) Yesterday we were at our office. Scarcely had we finished our duty ——.
- (d) We are not free from danger. Danger often comes where ——.
- (e) Restless life is risky. We have to take rest ——

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Mobile phone is a great (a) <u>invent</u> of modern science. The (b) <u>consume</u> of mobile phone are increasing day by day. People are getting benefits. But it is (c) <u>fortunate</u> that mobile phone sometimes (d) <u>comes</u> a cause of health hazard, especially the (e) <u>child</u> are affected much. According to the (f) <u>science</u> mobile phone causes brain tumours, genetic damage and many other (g) <u>cure</u> diseases. They believe that (h) <u>visible</u> uncontrolled radioactivity of mobile phone causes (i) <u>repairable</u> damage to human body. They say that the (j) <u>govern</u> should control radioactive sources.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Optimism is a great quality, ——?
- (b) Everybody believes this truth, ——?
- (c) But all can't be optimistic, ——?
- (d) None but the optimists are accepted by all, ——?
- (e) So, we all should be optimistic about life, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Truthfulness is the greatest of all virtues. (a) — we do not cultivate the habit of speaking the truth, we cannot command the confidence of others. A lie never lies hidden. (b) —, it will come out today or tomorrow. (c) —, all despise him without considering his social status. The habit of speaking the truth, (d) —, must be formed from the very childhood. We should know (e) — speaking the truth is the most rewarding thing in life.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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do not worry about a few mistakes said the teacher you can learn a lot through your mistakes do we learn from our mistakes asked the boy.

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Rahim/Rahima of 10/12, Muradnagar, Cumilla and you have passed MBA from Dhaka University. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post of Senior Officer to the Head of the HR, Sonali Bank, Dhaka. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Labib/Labiba. You read in Rangpur Zilla School, Rangpur. Your school has a beautiful common room but it lacks modern facilities. Now, write an application to your Headmaster for increasing common room facilities.
- 14. Village fair is a source of entertainment for the villagers. Suppose, you have an experience of visiting a village fair in your village. Now, write a paragraph in 250 words on "A Village Fair You Experienced."
- 15. Newspaper is a mirror of the whole world. It provides us with all sorts of news and views. Write a composition on "The Importance of Reading Newspaper."

35 DINAJPUR BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some | of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $5 \times 10 =$ | - 5 |

| more | with | complete | contact | about | influence | a | of | for | which |
|--|------|----------|---------|-------|-----------|---|----|-----|-------|
| Travelling has a great (a) $$ on our minds. The human mind always craves (b) $$ change. There | | | | | | | | | |
| is none who does not feel (c) —— thrill of joy at the new sight (d) —— experience. The traveller comes | | | | | | | | | |
| in (e) — with various types of people. If he moves about (f) — the observant eyes, he can acquire | | | | | | | | | |
| a lot of practical knowledge (g) —— men and things of the world (h) —— books alone cannot provide. | | | | | | | | | |
| Travelling gives us an opportunity to enjoy the (i) —— enchanting sights of nature. It helps one | | | | | | | | | |
| enrich his knowledge and makes him (i) —— perfect man. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

enlighten

educate

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

December 16, our Victory Day, is a (a) —— event in our national history. The day is the perpetual source of our (b) —— and energy. The day reminds us of (c) —— supreme sacrifices of our sons (d) —— the noble cause and also (e) —— us to sacrifice ourselves for our beloved country. The day is a clear (f) —— for the oppressors that people's right can never be (g) —— for long and that oppressors will always be (h) —— because there is nothing more (i) —— than people's will for freedom. It gives us the message that "Man can be (j) —— but can never be defeated."

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

limit

| | is | new vistas of knowledge for them. | | | | |
|-----------|--------|---|--|--|--|--|
| A teacher | opens | the <mark>young minds carefully.</mark> | | | | |
| Не | holds | a wi <mark>nd</mark> ow opener of his students. | | | | |
| | nurses | a nation builder. | | | | |
| | | the noblest profession. | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

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 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

compare

| Education (a) — mankind. It (b) — to light which (c) — the darkness of ignorance and helps us |
|---|
| to distinguish between right and wrong. The primary purpose of education is the liberation of man |
| from the restrictions of habits and attitudes which (d) —— his humanity. In our country, the govt (e) |
| "Food for Education Programme" so that every man (f) proper education. The govt. has |
| taken such a programme with a view to (g) —— the poor. In order to (h) —— maximum benefit from |
| education, we must (i) —— our children morally so that they (i) —— love for humanity |

encourage

ensure

start

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"I've got GPA-5 in the SSC Examination," said Samir. "Congratulations, brother!" I said. "What do you intend to do now?" "I wish to study science group in a reputed college. I've a mind to get admission in BUET after my HSC," Samir replied.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) In order to acquire knowledge we should read books. (Compound)
- (b) Books introduce us to the domain of knowledge. (Passive)
- (c) The books of great writers contain noble thoughts and great ideas. (Complex)
- (d) Books are the greatest friends. (Positive)
- (e) Reading books is the noblest habit. (Comparative)
- (f) Books give us not only knowledge but also pleasure. (Affirmative)
- (g) Those who do not read books keep themselves aloof from the realm of knowledge. (Compound)
- (h) To make a civilized society, there is no alternative to reading books. (Interrogative)
- (i) People should be motivated to read more and more books. (Active)
- (j) We must create social movement about reading books. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) As flower is a symbol of beauty, ——.
- (b) There is hardly any person ——.
- (c) We can turn enemies into friends ——.
- (d) It is said that those who do not love flowers ——.
- (e) Many people cultivate flowers because ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Road accidents have (a) <u>recent</u> become a regular phenomenon in our country. As a result of the accidents many persons fall a victim to (b) <u>timely</u> death. It is reported that most of the accidents occur because of the (c) <u>violate</u> of traffic rules by (d) <u>skilled</u> drivers and (e) <u>conscious</u> passersby. Many (f) <u>licensed</u> and (g) <u>fault</u> vehicles run on the streets. These vehicles (h) <u>danger</u> the (i) <u>safe</u> of passengers and the passersby. But many of us are (j) <u>aware</u> of this danger.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) The freedom fighters are the real heroes, ——?
- (b) Nothing is greater than their sacrifice, ——?
- (c) Their contribution to our country will always be remembered, ——?
- (d) We should never neglect them, ——?
- (e) Every citizen of Bangladesh must have due respect for them, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Honesty is the best way of leading life through (a) — one can get mental peace. It is a great national virtue (b) — leads a man to the way of humanity. Life of a man is not very peaceful (c) — honesty can open a door of peace before him. An honest man is more respected (d) — other men. (e) —, we shall never be dishonest in our life.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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hello old lady what are you doing said the princess i am spinning a yarn around the spindle replied the old woman

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, some Junior Officers will be recruited in City Bank. You, Salam/Salma are interested to be a Junior Officer in that bank. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Amin/Amina. You read in Shyamoli High School, Dhaka, The students of your school want to arrange a tree plantation programme in your school. Now, on behalf of the students, write an application to the Headmaster of your school seeking permission to arrange a tree plantation programme.
- 14. Water is called life. But it is polluted in many ways. Now, write a paragraph in 250 words on "Water Pollution".
- 15. People do many things as their hobby. You as a student may have a hobby. Now, write a composition on "Your Favourite Hobby".

36 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2020 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 T

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| rests | nation | culture | the | walks | throughout | history | tradition | some | number | |
|---|-----------|-----------|--------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-----------|----------|--|
| Festivals have always been integral parts of our tradition and culture. We have a (a) $$ of festivals | | | | | | | | | | |
| which we celebrate (b) $$ the year. Some of our (c) $$ festivals are related to our (d) $$ of | | | | | | | | | | |
| Indepen | dence and | d Languag | e Move | ement, (e) | — are rela | ted to our | religions a | and the (| f) — are | |
| related to our art and (g) —. Whatever may be (h) — occasion, people from all (i) — of the | | | | | | | | | | |
| society take part in these festivals spontaneously, We should continue the (j) $$ of our festivals. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Nowadays a good number of farmers are getting benefits (a) — the organic cultivation of vegetables. Vermicompost, (b) — organic fertilizer made mainly (c) — cowdung and earthworm is used by the farmers. As the farmers did not use (d) — chemical fertilizer or pesticides on their vegetable beds, the (e) — cost has come down. It takes (f) — fifty thousand taka to prepare an acre of (g) — and the harvest starts within forty-five days (h) — planting. Due to good yield of the crop, some temporary warehouses have been made in (i) — area. So proper (j) — of organic fertilizer can change the scenario of our agricultural sector.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Punctuality | | one of the most important qualities of a man. | | | | | |
|--|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| It | should form | the h <mark>abit of doing a thing in ex</mark> act time. | | | | | |
| In a wider sense it | denotes | t <mark>he</mark> h <mark>ab</mark> it o <mark>f b</mark> ein <mark>g punctual fro</mark> m one's childhood. | | | | | |
| To maintain p <mark>un</mark> ctuality | is | necessary for all human beings. | | | | | |
| So, one | | the process for proper utilization of time. | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

hinder hear begin call remember inspire

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

bear

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|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|---------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| You must | have (a) – | — the na | me of Kaz | i Nazru | l Islam. He (b |) —— our | national p | ooet. He (c | —— as a |
| rebel poet | as well. l | He (d) —— | in a poo | r famil | y. But dire n | eeds coul | d not (e) - | — his po | otentiality. |
| When the | First Wor | ld War bro | ke out, h | e (f) — | – the army. A | After the w | ar, he (g) | — to wr | ite poems. |
| At that tim | ne his poer | ms and so | ngs (h) — | – peopl | le against opp | ression. H | Ie (i) —— t | he Shelley | of Bangla |
| literature. | We should | d (j) —— h | im for his | great d | eeds. | | | | |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"May I come in, sir?" Ripon said to his class teacher. The teacher replied, "Yes, why are you so late today?" "My grandfather suddenly felt severe pain in his chest. So, I rushed to hospital with him," "May Allah grant him quick recovery," said the teacher.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Cricket is a very exciting game. (Exclamatory sentence)
- (b) People of all ages enjoy this game. (Passive voice)
- (c) It is played all over the world. (Active voice)
- (d) At present, it is the most popular game in our country. (Comparative Degree)
- (e) Though cricket is a costly game, people of all classes enjoy playing it. (Simple sentence)
- (f) The game is played between two teams each consisting of eleven players. (Complex sentence)
- (g) There are two umpires who conduct the game. (Simple sentence)
- (h) It is full of thrill and excitement for the spectators. (Interrogative sentence)
- (i) Bangladesh is a test playing country developing its standard day by day. (Compound sentence)
- (j) We must try our best to improve its present position. (Negative sentence without changing meaning)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) It matters little to me whether ——.
- (b) He pretended as if ——.
- (c) If I had the wings of a bird, ——.
- (d) Take your umbrella lest ——.
- (e) Hardly had he started for school ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Education is essential for any kind of (a) <u>develop</u>. The poor socio-economic condition of our country can be (b) <u>large</u> attributed to many people's (c) <u>accessibility</u> to education. Many (d) <u>literate</u> people do not have any knowledge of health, sanitation and (e) <u>populate</u> control. It (f) <u>able</u> us to perform our duties (g) <u>proper</u>. Education helps us to adopt a (h) <u>ration</u> attitude. It provides us with an (i) <u>lightened</u> awareness about things and this awareness is (j) <u>requisite</u> for social development.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Nothing is more pleasant than the memories of childhood, ——?
- (b) We hardly forget the golden past, ——?
- (c) The memories of my childhood still attract me, ——?
- (d) Simple things are at the centre of attraction for a child, ——?
- (e) When a man grows up, he may laugh at those things, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Women are nowadays as important as men in the society. They constitute nearly half of our total population. (a) — there can be no denying the fact (b) — they too possess equal rights and duties (c) — men do. They have noble mission to fulfil as men. (d) — they get opportunity, their genius, powers (e) — capacities will bloom fully.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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would you please tell me one reason of air pollution yes the smoke from our household activities vehicles factories etc is mainly causing air pollution.

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Ramisa/Rahim. After graduation you have completed a diploma course on Tourism. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of a Public Relation Officer in a renowned travel company named "ABC Travels Limited". Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Mita/Mithu, a student of class X reading in Nurpur High School, Kushtia. There is a lack of quality books in your school library. Now, write an application to the Headmaster on behalf of the students of your school to increase the number of quality books in the library.
- 14. Trees are the most important gift of nature. But cutting down trees affects our environment greatly. Now, write a paragraph in 250 words on "The Bad Impacts of deforestation".
- 15. Students are the future leaders of society. They can contribute to the society not only with their education but also with other services. Write a composition on "Students and Social Services".

37 ✓ DHAKA BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the form | s of some | of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 =$ | - 5 |

| indiscriminate | for | an | sustain | anticipate | disaster | the | to | erosion | imperative | | |
|--|-----|----|---------|------------|----------|-----|----|---------|------------|--|--|
| It is (a) —— that the new century is now facing various challenges specially environmental (b) ——. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Feeding the ever growing population is (c) —— first and foremost challenge for Bangladesh. It is very | | | | | | | | | | | |
| difficult to (d) —— the current level of agricultural production. Because our agricultural land is being | | | | | | | | | | | |
| reduced due (e) — human habitat, industrialisation, river (f) — etc. Besides, we are losing our | | | | | | | | | | | |
| forests gradually. Trees are being cut down (g) —— resulting in (h) —— increase of pollution. So, it is | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) — to check the reckless alarming condition (j) — our own existence. | | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

think

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Once a farmer had great desire (a) —— land. One day (b) —— to the landlord, he wanted some land (c) —— he might live in comfort. The landlord was very wise. So he told him to have as much land as he could cover by running (d) —— sun-set. The farmer became very pleased (e) —— that. Next morning he started running as (f) —— as he could to cover more area. He ran till evening and the sun was (g) —— to set. He ran with his last strength but became very tired and fell (h) —— dead. He was (i) —— there. Then the wise man remarked a man needs just as much land as will be enough (j) —— his grave.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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|-----------------------------------|------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Character | is | a man without character. | | | | |
| It | hates | as the crown of life. | | | | |
| It also | means | psychological or ethical nature. | | | | |
| Character of a person is regarded | | the combination of some good qualities. | | | | |
| Everybody | | mental or moral qualities of a person. | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

be

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | | | | | • | | |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Patriotism is | a noble virtı | ue. It (a) —— | a man to sh | ed the last d | rop of blood | to (b) —— th | e freedom of |
| his country. | A man witho | out patriotism | n (c) —— no | t better than | a beast. A tr | rue patriot (d |) — by all. |
| He always (e) | —— for the | welfare of hi | is country. O | n the other h | and, the un | patriotic men | (f) —— only |
| for their own | interest. Th | nose who (g) | —— for the | country are | true patriots | . They (h) — | — even after |
| their death. T | Γhat is why, | the freedom | fighters who | (i) —— their | lives in 197 | 1 are remem | bered and (j) |
| —— forever. | | | | | | | |

defend honour inspire sacrifice

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

die

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"What is the time by your watch? "said an old man. I said, "It is half past nine". He said, "I want to go to your house. Will you accompany me, please?" "No. I am sorry because I am going to school," said I.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Man is the best creation of God. (Comparative)
- (b) Isn't it our responsibility to do good deeds? (Assertive)
- (c) Our life is not measured by months or years. (Active)
- (d) Honest people lead a happy life. (Complex)
- (e) It matters little if a man lives many years or not. (Interrogative)
- (f) Nobody is absolutely happy on the earth. (Affirmative)
- (g) So, we should not waste time in vain. (Passive)
- (h) If we use time properly, we can be benefited. (Simple)
- (i) All men must die. (Negative)
- (j) Though we take utmost care, we cannot avoid death. (Compound)

- 12. Suppose, a Computer Programmer will be appointed in the National ICT Research Centre, Dhaka. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the same. 8
- 13. Imagine you are Tanim/Tanima, an inhabitant of the village Palpara of Sujatpur Union under Rupganj upazila of Bhola district. Now, write an application to the Deputy Commissioner asking for relief goods for the flood-affected people of your village.
- 14. Write a paragraph on "Your Visit to a Book Fair".

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15. Write a composition on "Your Aim in Life".

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38 ✓ RAJSHAHI BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Housing is one of the greatest (a) —— in our country. Thousands of people in big (b) —— like Dhaka and Chattogram (c) —— in the footpaths. In rural (d) —— there is also an acute (e) —— of housing. The cost of construction is (f) —— day by day. At present it is very (g) —— for the (h) —— people to (i) —— the cost of construction. So, this problem (j) —— to be solved soon.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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|--|-----------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Cricket | | become popular in our country. | | | | | | | | |
| But it | has | a costly game. | | | | | | | | |
| Recently it | surpasses | a great appeal among the people all over the world. | | | | | | | | |
| Its popularity | be | also s <mark>ee</mark> n playing cricket. | | | | | | | | |
| Now rural youths | | that of football. | | | | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| understand | form | consider | owe | take | respect | succeed | acquire | admit | forget |
|------------|------|----------|-----|------|---------|---------|---------|-------|--------|
| | | 141 14 | | | | . () | | | |

In an educational institution teacher-student 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) — to 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.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The students said, "We want to celebrate the victory of the National Debate Competition." The Headmaster said, "Why?" The students said, "We want to make it memorable in our life." The Headmaster said, "Don't worry. I shall take all necessary steps to arrange the function."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Patriotism is a noble virtue. (Interrogative)
- (b) It is the greatest of all virtues in a man's life. (Comparative)
- (c) It persuades a man to do everything just. (Negative)
- (d) This quality highly motivates a man so that he can sacrifice his life for the country. (Simple)
- (e) What an outstanding quality it is! (Assertive)
- (f) A man having patriotic zeal is called a patriot. (Complex)
- (g) A patriot fears none but the Creator. (Affirmative)
- (h) By paying taxes he obeys the law. (Compound)
- (i) He is respected by all. (Active)
- (j) So, we should be patriots. (Imperative)

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your school for a transfer certificate.

14. Write a paragraph on "A School Magazine".

15. Write a composition on "Science in Everyday Life".

39 JASHORE BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

| by | a | the | sick | and | general | of | treat | to | | |
|---|---|-----|------|-----|---------|----|-------|----|--|--|
| A hospital is the home for (a) —— sick. It gives medical (b) —— to them at free (c) —— cost. A | | | | | | | | | | |
| hospital is (d) —— run by the government. A hospital has outdoor (e) —— indoor section. (f) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| great number of the (g) —— people are treated in (h) —— outdoor section. People attacked (i) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| serious illn | serious illness are admitted (j) —— the indoor section. | | | | | | | | | |

Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Language plays a very important (a) — in the life of human beings. We use language from the (b) — we wake up in the morning (c) — we go to bed at night. We use (d) — for different purposes. We use language to (e) — our ideas, thoughts and feelings, to (f) — our message or to pass (g) — information to others. In short, language is (h) — present in our activities. It is (i) inseparable part of (j) —— we are, what we do and believe.

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Unemployment should not depend | | idle after completing their studies. | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| It | remain | a curse. | | | | | | |
| There | is | on the government to provide them with jobs. | | | | | | |
| Educated you <mark>th</mark> s | are | th <mark>e b</mark> ody <mark>a</mark> nd <mark>mi</mark> nd of our young population. | | | | | | |
| They | weakens | more people in our country than jobs. | | | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| Most of the | student | s of our c | ountry are | expert in (| (a) —— | answers | . They d | o not | (b) – | — notes |
|-------------|----------|------------|------------|--------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|-------|------------|
| themselves. | They get | them (c) — | — by their | tutors. Thei | r tutors | s (d) —— | theirbrai | n for | the | students. |
| So, the (e) | pow | er of the | students d | oes not (f) | ——. Tl | hey do n | ot have | any (g) | | – of their |

prepared claim memorize develop command help do thinking make exercise

language. They, of course, (h) —— well in the examination. But for this, they can (i) —— no credit of their own. This result does not (j) —— them in their later life.

Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The teacher said to the boy, "Why are you disturbing the class in this way? Don't you know that it is an important class? Get out of the room and don't come back today." "Excuse me, sir," said the boy. "I'll never disturb in the class," he promised.

Change the sentences according to directions.

- Terrorism is a devastating phenomenon of the modern world. (Exclamatory)
- (b) At present, it is increasing alarmingly. (Interrogative)
- (c) Nothing is as disastrous as terrorism. (Comparative)
- It is one of the most corrosive problems of the modem world. (Positive) (d)
- A terrorist is hated by people. (Active)
- (f) Who is not now in the threat of violence? (Assertive)
- Though there are laws to punish the terrorists, they are not properly applied. (Compound) (g)
- (h) By applying the law properly, we can get rid of terrorism. (Complex)
- What a miserable life a terrorist leads! (Assertive) (i)
- They should be brought to book. (Active) (j)

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15. Write a composition on "Duties of a Student".

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40 CUMILLA BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

| a | hinder | in | development | with | joint | of | boon | eradicate | lag | |
|--|--------|----|-------------|------|-------|----|------|-----------|-----|--|
| Bangladesh is beset (a) —— many problems. Illiteracy is one of them. It is not a (b) —— to us. It is | | | | | | | | | | |
| undoubtedly (c) —— curse. It (d) —— all kinds of developments of a country. It also causes many | | | | | | | | | | |
| other problems (e) —— our society. As most of our people are not conscious (f) —— the importance of | | | | | | | | | | |
| education, we cannot take proper step to (g) —— illiteracy. As a result, we are (h) —— behind. We | | | | | | | | | | |
| have to depend on the foreign aids. All of us should come forward (i) —— to remove illiteracy from | | | | | | | | | | |
| the society. Then the (i) —— of the country will be possible. | | | | | | | | | | |

Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Reading textbook is essential (a) —— all the students. A student cannot expect (b) —— make a good result until he or she reads textbooks. In the textbooks all the topics are designed as per students' grade that ensures (c) —— complete sense. In case (d) —— not reading those texts a student will miss (e) — needed for him or her. Moreover, textbooks are (f) — and edited by highly experienced educationists. Some students ignore (g) —— read textbooks rather they prefer guide books. But merely (h) — guide books keeps the students ignoble of the subject-matter as they are written focusing on exam result (i) —— a textbook covers all the details for holistic nourishment (j) —

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| | m <mark>us</mark> t be | chaos and disorder in the society. | | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Discipline | is | a very important factor in human life. | | | | | |
| It | means | not to deny individual freedom. | | | | | |
| The absence of discipline | aims | at maintaining social harmony, order and the like. | | | | | |
| | | obedience to some sort of rules and regulations. | | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

work | commit | respect know sacrifice have follow remember stand occur Love for one's own country (a) ---- as patriotism. Everyone should (b) ---- a great love for his

country. Many of our freedom-fighters (c) — their lives in 1971 for the sake of our country. The countrymen (d) — them forever. Some people are (e) — persistently for the development of the country. They are also patriots. Everybody (f) —— a patriot. When any natural calamity (g) —— in the country, a patriot (h) — by the affected people. We (i) — the footprint of the patriots. We should refrain from (j) —— any crime that is harmful to our country.

Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Good morning, Rupa," said Sohel, "How much preparation have you taken for the upcoming SSC exam?" "A great preparation," replied she. "I hope, I shall get 90+ marks in every subject." "How confident you are!" said Sohel.

Change the sentences according to directions.

- Computer is one of the greatest inventions of modern science. (Positive)
- Computer is a blessing on earth. (Negative)
- Though it is a blessing, it has dark sides. (Simple) (c)
- Computers are nowadays being used in almost every sphere of life. (Active) (d)
- We cannot but depend on it. (Affirmative) (e)
- (f) No one can deny its necessity. (Interrogative)

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15. Write a composition on "The Uses of Computer in Everyday Life".

41 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

| forces | water | objects | full | important | clothes | on | the | made | currents | |
|--|-------|---------|------|-----------|---------|----|-----|------|----------|--|
| The world is (a) —— of uncountable natural and man (b) —— objects. Natural (c) —— are stones, | | | | | | | | | | |
| trees, air and (d) ——. Man-made objects are houses, cars, (e) —— and chemicals. Natural (f) —— are | | | | | | | | | | |
| cyclones, earthquakes, volcanoes, storms and ocean (g) $$. Life exists (h) $$ different conditions. | | | | | | | | | | |
| It is very (i) —— to keep (j) —— environment clean. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Road accident is (a) ---- regular phenomenon in Bangladesh. Many people die (b) ---- road accidents every year. So it is considered a (c) -----. Road accidents occur for (d) ----- reasons. Many factors are (e) —— for road accidents. The most common cause is (f) —— driving. Sometimes they drive night coach (g) ---- on the same day. The drivers do not check the engines (h) ---- before they start driving. The roads are two-lane roads (i) ---- any dividers. These are some of the (j) ---reasons of road accidents in Bangladesh.

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

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| Hence, to every nation its flag | | to have patriotic feelings. | | | | |
|--|------|---|--|--|--|--|
| For that we | need | dearer than any other thing. | | | | |
| Every independent country of the world | has | its <mark>ow</mark> n flag. | | | | |
| We | is | the symbol of independence and sovereignty of a nation. | | | | |
| The national flag | | to safeguard its prestige. | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. want

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| Oneday Mina and her parrot, Mithu (a) —— a tall tree to pick a mango. She (b) —— the mango | and |
|--|--------|
| c) —— it to her mother. Although Mina had picked the mango, her mother (d) —— the largest sl | hare |
| of the fruit to Raju. Mina (e) —— very disappointed. At dinner Mina (f) —— that Raju as usua | al (g) |
| — an egg but she (h) — not. Mithu was not pleased to see that. Mother (i) — to see if | f the |
| children (j) —— their hands before they started eating. | |

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Change the narrative style of the following text.

Rina said to Karim, "How are you? I went to your house yesterday, but did not find you. Where did you go?" "I went to the book fair," said Karim. "I had to maintain our school's stall."

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Haji Mohammad Mohsin was a kind man. (Negative)
- (b) He did not marry. (Affirmative)

wash

- (c) He loved the people cordially. (Passive)
- He never thought of his own happiness. (Interrogative) (d)
- He led a very simple life. (Exclamatory) (e)
- He always helped the needy. (Complex) (f)
- He contributed much money for education to educate the poor students. (Complex) (g)
- Though he had a vast wealth, he didn't spend for his own. (Compound) (h)
- (i) Who does not know his kindness? (Assertive)
- He was one of the greatest kind men of the world. (Positive) (j)

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| 7. | Complete the sentences. $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Walk fast lest ——. |
| | (b) It is high time ——. |
| | (c) The man was so weak ——. |
| | (d) A stitch in time ——. |
| | (e) As he was meritorious ——. |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the |
| | parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | Loadshedding is not (a) $\underline{\text{desire}}$. It is harmful to the (b) $\underline{\text{civil}}$. It makes our life (c) $\underline{\text{tolerable}}$ and boring. |
| | Because of (d) <u>deficient</u> of electricity load-shedding occurs. Our country is densely (e) <u>people</u> . The |
| | storage of electricity is (f) sufficient to provide electricity with all. As a result, load-shedding is seen |
| | (g) repeat. But this problem must be removed (h) immediate. So the (i) govern must be conscious of |
| | it. Only pragmatic steps can (j) <u>move</u> this serious problem from the country. |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) There is little water in this pond, ——? |
| | (b) Nobody respects a dishonest man, ——? |
| | (c) Let's enjoy a picnic, ——? |
| | (d) What a pity, ——? |
| | (e) Don't disturb me, ——? |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | Many schools have a uniform (a) —— there are arguments for and against. One argument is what to |
| | put on. (b) — pupils were allowed to wear clothes according to their own choice. (c) — some |
| | clothes may not be suitable for schools. (d) —— some of the students cannot afford to buy it. (e) —— |
| | wearing a school dress is not mandatory in every school. |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. |
| | do you know me yes i know you from my childhood whats your name my name is sumon thank you |
| | a lot said mr jamal |
| Par | t–B:Composi <mark>tion</mark> [40 Marks] |
| 12. | Suppose, you are Rana/Rina and you have a degree from Dhaka University. You have seen a |
| | vacancy ad for the post of an English Teacher in a famous school. Now, write a CV with a |
| | cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. |
| 13. | Suppose, you are a student of Khulna Zilla School, Khulna. You need a computer club. Now, |
| | write an application to the Headmaster for setting up a computer club. |
| 14. | Write a paragraph on "A Book Fair". |

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15. Write a composition on "Your Favourite Game".

42 SYLHET BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| of | the | for | at | which | adulterate | hardly | or | into | | |
|--|-----------|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|--|--|
| The issue of food (a) —— has drawn the attention (b) —— general people. We (c) —— find any food in | | | | | | | | | | |
| our country (d) —— is not adulterated in one way (e) —— other. (f) —— present, sub-standard foods | | | | | | | | | | |
| are sold in | most of (| g) —— hote | els. Very re | ecently gov | vernment has dire | ected a mob | ile court t | o look (h) | | |
| — the matter of food. They are catching dishonest hoteliers red handed (i) — using unhygienic | | | | | | | | | | |
| ingredients (j) —— are really harmful to human body. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

A true friend is (a) —— asset. He stands (b) —— his friends in time (c) —— danger. He is not (d) —— greedy person. He (e) —— wishes for the welfare of (f) —— friend. But it is a matter (g) —— regret that a true friend is very (h) —— today. A selfish man cannot be a (i) —— friend. He always thinks of his (j) —— interest.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Newspaper | wants | curious by nature. | | | | | |
|-----------|-------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| It | has | to know various things of the world. | | | | | |
| Man | is | a great educative value. | | | | | |
| Не | shows | one of the best media to satisfy his curiosity. | | | | | |
| | | us th <mark>e</mark> outside world like a mirror. | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ engage do face be help solve make try create

At present Bangladesh (a) — unemployment problem. This problem already (b) — an alarming dimension. The government (c) — to cope with this problem. But this problem cannot be (d) — without (e) — the unemployed skillful. So, education (f) — a must. It (g) — a man to get a job. Job does not mean (h) — official work only. Self-employment is a solution of this problem. It means (i) — oneself in economic activities. The government is giving financial help and training to the educated youths with a view to (j) — them self-reliant.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The stranger said to the boy, "Can you tell me the way to the nearest hotel?" "Yes, sir, I can. Do you want a residential one in which you can spend the night?" said the boy. "I do not want to stay there but I only want a meal," replied the man. "Paradise Garden will be better for you," said the boy.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Corruption is one of the worst evils. (Positive)
- (b) A corrupted man can do anything against morality. (Complex)
- (c) People hate a corrupted man. (Passive)
- (d) Nobody respects him. (Interrogative)
- (e) The man who takes bribe is next to devil. (Simple)
- (f) Though we have strict law, we are still affected by this evil. (Compound)
- (g) No other person is as hated as a corrupted man. (Superlative)
- (h) We hope that Bangladesh will be free from this evil. (Simple)
- (i) Everybody avoids a corrupted man. (Negative)
- (j) A corrupted man leads a very unhappy life. (Exclamatory)

an application to the Head teacher of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10

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14. Write a paragraph on "The Life of a Farmer".

15. Write a composition on 'Science in Everyday Life".

43 / BARISHAL BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

work

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| charm | mangrove | the | beauty | sight | longest | bewitching | wild | rising | within | |
|---|------------|--------|---------|-------------|--------------|------------------|--------|-----------|------------|--|
| The sea-beach of Cox's Bazar is a (a) —— gift of nature. The blue water of the sea and its (b) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| waves are always a pleasant (c) —— which cools our mind (d) —— a moment. It is the (e) —— sea- | | | | | | | | | | |
| beach in | the world. | (f) —— | Saint M | artin islaı | nd is also a | a gift of nature | in the | Bay of Be | engal. The | |
| beauty of the island is simply (g) —. The Sundarbans, the largest (h) —— forest of the world is | | | | | | | | | | |
| another beautiful gift of nature. Its (i) —— life and mysterious setting make it more (j) ——. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Now-a-days, the young farmers of our country are showing interest to (a) — foreign vegetables. They, with their innovative power, have added new dimensions (b) — the country's agricultural sector. Karim Ullah is such a (c) —. Five years ago, he started his farm with a (d) — and challenge. Now he owns a (e) — farm where he cultivates curry leaves, lemon grass, broccoli and other (f) — vegetables. The cultivation of foreign crops (g) — our country is very inspiring for both (h) — farmers and the customers as it brings diversity in our regular (i) — and nutrition. It is also possible to (j) — vegetables by ensuring quality production and packaging.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Child labour | should | exploited and ill-treated. | | | |
|-----------------|--------|--|--|--|--|
| It | is | to e <mark>ngage</mark> a ch <mark>il</mark> d in physical or mental labour. | | | |
| Child labourers | are | deprived of the bas <mark>ic</mark> human rights. | | | |
| The Government | means | ensure the rehabilitation of those children. | | | |
| | | the worst form of violation of human rights. | | | |

earn

be

bring

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

find

emerge

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ give

| Over the last ten years or so, the garments industries have (a) —— as the largest foreign currency |
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| earning sector. Hundreds of garments factories have (b) —— set up throughout the country. The |
| most remarkable characteristic of the garments industries (c) —— the revolutionary change that has |
| (d) — in the lives of thousands of poor women across the country. Women who (e) — to the |
| household work suddenly (f) —— a new way of earning. A job at a garments factory (g) —— a woman |
| not only a steady income but also independence and dignity. In a garments factory most of the |
| workers have to (h) —— above ten hours a day. But still the women working here (i) —— happy as |
| they think they are (j) —— their own living. |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

confine

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Rifat said to Munir, "You didn't attend my birthday party." "Extremely sorry, friend," Munir replied, "I had to go to my uncle's house in Dhaka. How was the programme?" "Let me show you the photographs," said Rifat.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Internet is a computer-based networking system. (Interrogative)
- (b) It is a speedy transmitting system of information. (Complex)
- (c) Its functions are smooth and rapid. (Negative)
- (d) A man has an internet connection and gets a link soon according to his expectation. (Simple)
- (e) Many educational institutions are greatly benefited through the use of internet. (Complex)
- (f) A student can visit all the renowned libraries of the world without going there. (Passive)

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

7.

- 12. Suppose, you are Habib/Habiba and you have recently completed your HSC Examination. The Computer Zone Ltd. has published a vacancy advertisement in "The Daily Star" for the post of Junior Sales Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the above mentioned post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Imagine, you are Sadi/Sadika, a student of Sayedpur Model High School. Sayedpur. The students of your class want to go on a study tour in a historical place. Now, write an application to the Headmaster on behalf of your class, seeking permission for arranging a study tour. 10
- 14. Our farmers play an important role in our agro-based society. They work from dawn to dusk in order to produce crops. Now, write a paragraph on "The life of a farmer". 10

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15. Write a composition on "Importance of trees in our life".

44 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2019 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100

Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

| miracle | thirst | network | of | within | advance | short | connect | with | small | |
|--|--------|---------|----|--------|---------|-------|---------|------|-------|--|
| Internet is the latest discovery of science. It is the greatest (a) —— in this field. It is a computerised | | | | | | | | | | |
| process (b) — a telephone set. To get internet (c) — it requires a modem, telephone line and a | | | | | | | | | | |
| different sort of software for using the (d) —— system. Nowadays, an internet is (e) —— great use to | | | | | | | | | | |
| us. It has made the world (f) — and brought the world (g) — our reach. We can get any | | | | | | | | | | |
| information in a very (h) —— time. It has not only widened our knowledge but also made us (i) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| for the unknown. It's a (j) —— like Aladin's magic lamp. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

allow

pass

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Scientists have recently reported that (a) —— surface ice caps are (b) ——. This is due to a rise (c) — atmospheric temperature known (d) — the greenhouse effect. According to the scientists carbon dioxide is primarily responsible (e) — temperature rise in (f) —. The carbon dioxide is high when coal and oil (g) ----- burnt. The gas is accumulating (h) -----the atmosphere and causing the temperature to rise. As a result, the polar ice in the North and South poles (i) — melting. We should maintain the ecological (j) —— of the environment.

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| A man of integrity | possess | to tell a lie or do any <mark>di</mark> shonest deed. | | | | |
|------------------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Integrity | is | his honesty and truthfulness even at the cost of his life. | | | | |
| Не | upholds | this quality are consi <mark>de</mark> red super human beings. | | | | |
| Those who never thinks | | an uncommon quality of human beings. | | | | |
| | | a man of great courage. | | | | |

do

increase

earn

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. depend

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

take

secure

| Adult allowance (a) —— a noble programme initiated by the present government. In most of the |
|--|
| developed countries of the world this kind of programme is (b) —— by the government. The |
| government should pursue that their old age is (c) —— and comfortable. But in our country the |
| adult are (d) $$ on their own sons or daughters. The adult lose the ability to work and (e) $$ at |
| this age. They (f) —— offensively by their own issues. They have to (g) —— their days depending on |
| others. The allowance should be (h) —— and the true needy (i) —— to have this allowance. It is |
| expected that the local leaders (j) — their duty impartially to select the right person for this |
| purpose. |

Change the narrative style of the following text.

treat

"Please give me your English Grammar And Composition Book," said Sara. "I cannot give it," said Niha. "I have to take it with me in the class." "I shall return the book before the class starts," said Sara. "Take it," said Niha. "Thank you," said Sara.

Change the sentences according to directions.

- Facebook is a common social network. (Make it a negative sentence)
- Now, it is being used all over the world. (Make it an active voice)
- Everybody uses it. (Make it an interrogative sentence)
- There is no student without smart phone. (Make it an affirmative sentence)
- Who does not like social network? (Make it an assertive sentence)
- (f) Facebook is the best of all social networks. (Make it a positive degree)

- (g) It gives pleasure but we cannot get freedom to use it. (Make it a simple sentence)
- (h) Use it or you cannot keep pace with the modern world. (Make it a complex sentence)
- (i) We can get much new information by using it. (Make it a compound sentence)
- (j) Would that I could open a facebook account. (Make it an assertive sentence)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Leisure means the time when ——.
- (b) As we live in a materialistic world, ——.
- (c) But it should be kept in mind that ——.
- (d) If a man does not take rest after a work, ——.
- (e) So, we should take rest so that ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

In ancient time, textbook was the most (a) <u>resource</u> thing for the students. Teachers were the only guides and source of information. The students had to collect all the (b) <u>inform</u> from the lecture of their (c) <u>teach</u>. There was no guide book or other (d) <u>refer</u> books in the market. During that period, a teacher had to deliver a lecture by (e) <u>study</u> the textbook. Because of the (f) <u>situate</u> the students used to depend on the teachers (g) <u>complete</u>. As a result there was a great (h) <u>relate</u> between a (i) <u>teach</u> and a student. Their (j) <u>popular</u> existed among the students in the society.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Our examination is over. Everybody is free now, ——?
- (b) He along with his friends will pay a visit to Sylhet, ——?
- (c) But Aslam has little interest about it, ——?
- (d) He as well as his parents visited Sylhet last year, ——?
- (e) As they visited many interesting places, they could enjoy a lot, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

People usually want to have their own way. They want to think and act (a) — they like. (b) — one cannot have one's own way all the time. A person cannot live in an environment without considering the interest of others (c) — his own interest. People in society may take their own decision. (d) — these decisions ought not to be unjust (e) — harmful to others.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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stop you are eating all our bread shouted the two rats I m doing my best but I have told you that its difficult said the monkey give us that little piece said the rats this is my piece havent I laboured a lot for you replied the monkey how foolish we are believing you said the two rats

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Rubina/Raihan, working as a medical representative. You looked in an advertisement in "The Daily Star" that Navana Pharmaceuticals Ltd seeks a senior medical representative. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Rabbi/Rabeya, an SSC candidate of Ideal School and College, Dhaka. You and your classmates need some extra lessons on English grammar. Now, write an application to your Headmaster on behalf of your class requesting some extra lessons after your regular classes.
- 14. Farmer is a very familiar figure in our country. He plays a great role in our agro based society. But he leads a very miserable life for financial problem. Now, write a paragraph on "The Life of a Farmer".
- 15. Journey is always pleasant. Suppose, you have made a journey by boat recently. Now, write a composition on "A Journey by Boat".

45 **COMBINED BOARD-2018**

[Dhaka; Rajshahi; Jashore; Cumilla; Chattogram; Sylhet; Barishal & Dinajpur Board]

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks.]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| apparent | bad | lie | in | sorts | have | of | aware | about | cope |
|--|-----|-----|----|-------|------|----|-------|-------|------|
| Bangladesh (a) — in the southern part of Asia. She is now (b) — in the grip of all (c) — of | | | | | | | | | |
| pollutions like air pollution, soil pollution and water pollution. The dwellers of the urban areas are | | | | | | | | | |
| the (d) —— sufferers of such pollution. The industrialization process (e) —— Bangladesh over the | | | | | | | | | |
| past decades (f) —— created significant environmental problems. We know (g) —— some of the most | | | | | | | | | |
| common types (h) —— environmental pollutions and ways of (i) —— with them. In this case, we need | | | | | | | | | |
| (j) —— most. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Truthfulness (a) — to the habit of speaking the truth. It is (b) — greatest of all virtues in a man's life. The true peace and prosperity of man entirely depends (c) — it. It ennobles one's character and gives one high (d) — in society. It may not make one rich (e) — brings peace of mind. A truthful person is loved and respected (f) — all. A truthful person cares (g) —. All religions teach us to (h) — truthful. By (i) — of truthfulness all can shine in life. Truthfulness (j) — lead the whole world to peace and prosperity.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Many of us | can | the life of dying patients. | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| By donating b <mark>lo</mark> od we | will | mis <mark>concepti</mark> on <mark>ab</mark> out <mark>blo</mark> od <mark>do</mark> nation. | | | | |
| Blood donation | have | cause no harm to us. | | | | |
| Every man in sound health | is | a very noble deed. | | | | |
| Donating blood | save | donate blood after every three months. | | | | |
| | | bad for health. | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| promise | contain | be | return | finish | agree | want | ask | refuse | compose |
|--|---------|----|--------|--------|-------|------|-----|--------|---------|
| One day the great poet Ferdousi (a) —— by Sultan Mahmood to (b) —— Shahanama in honour of the | | | | | | | | | |
| Sultan. The Sultan (c) —— to pay Ferdousi a gold coin for each verse. Ferdousi (d) —— the writing | | | | | | | | | |
| and it (e) —— found (f) —— sixty thousand verses. Now Sultan (g) —— to pay sixty thousand gold | | | | | | | | | |
| coins. He (h) —— to pay silver coins instead of gold coins. The poet (i) —— to take silver coins and (j) | | | | | | | | | |
| —— to his village. | | | | | | | | | |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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Shabab said to Tahsin, "Did you visit the Shat Gombuj Mosque?" "No, I didn't", said Tahsin. "I was there last week. How beautiful the mosque is!" said Shabab. "Let's go there next year." Tahsin said.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

- (a) Very few conquerors of the world were so great as Taimur. (Superlative)
- (b) The province of a powerful prince was once attacked by young Taimur. (Active)
- (c) Entering the kingdom of the prince, he captured a large village. (Compound)
- (d) The army killed Taimur's all soldiers. (Passive)
- (e) He disguised himself as a poor traveller to survive. (Complex)
- (f) He came to a house and asked for something to eat. (Simple)
- (g) There lived an old woman in the house. (Complex)

15. Write a composition on "Your Favourite Hobby".

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KEY TO BOARD EXAM QUESTIONS

01 J DHAKA BOARD-2024

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) biggest (b) natural (c) of (d) way (e) hills (f) the (g) by (h) visit (i) of (j) gentle
- 2. (a) between/of (b) to (c) bring (d) other (e) dreams (f) light (g) darkness/curse (h) result (i) nation (j) the
- **3.** (a) Good health makes our life happy and enjoyable.
 - (b) Bulky body does not mean good health.
 - (c) To be a healthy men one should have the soundness of both body and mind.
 - (d) Food habit plays a vital role in attaining this wealth.
 - (e) An unhealthy man leads an unhappy life.
- 4. (a) is (b) has become (c) needs (d) taking (e) is ordered (f) do not want (g) arrive (h) wishes (i) entertained (j) making
- **5.** The nobleman asked Sheikh Saadi why he (S) was putting up the food in his pocket and why he didn't eat. In reply, Sheikh Saadi told him that he was doing the right thing and added that his dress deserved those rich dishes. Then the nobleman said that he didn't understand what he (S) had meant to say and added that he was sorry.
- **6.** (a) A moonlit night is very charming.
 - (b) What a beautiful sight it presents!
 - (c) It not only dazzles our eyes but also soothes our hearts/Doesn't it dazzle our eyes and soothe our heart?
 - (d) Don't people of all ages enjoy a moonlit night?
 - (e) Little boys and girls make merriment so that they can enjoy themselves.
 - (f) A moonlit night is liked (by everybody).
 - (g) The moon gives us light but it does not have the light of its own.
 - (h) A moonlit night is more charming than most other beauties of nature.
 - (i) Without enjoying the beauties of a moonlit night, one cannot explain it properly.
 - (j) In fact, a moonlit night is not so unpleasant.
- 7. (a) 1971 is the year when we gained our independence.
 - (b) Bangladesh gained her freedom after a nine-month-long struggle.
 - (c) Our brave sons sacrificed their lives so that they could achieve independence.
 - (d) We should pay due tribute to those heroes who <u>sacrificed their valuable lives</u>.
 - (e) Unless we work unitedly, we will not be able to develop our country.
- **8.** (a) unlimited (b) writers (c) enrich (d) perfection (e) prosperity (f) without (g) Truly (h) alternative (i) various (j) development
- **9.** (a) Many people hanker after money, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (b) But money is not as valuable as morality, is it?
 - (c) Let us always keep this truth in mind, shall we?
 - (d) Money can hardly bring happiness, can it?
 - (e) So, we should never have greed for money, should we?
- 10. (a) that (b) Though/Although (c) who (d) as (e) that
- 11. "What kind of stories did Aesop tell?" asked Abdullah. "Fables," replied Mr. Rahman. "Do you know what fables are?" "No," replied Abdullah. "Well," continued Mr. Rahman, "Fables are stories with a message or a moral."

Part-B: Composition

See the Composition Part of Special Preparation Supplement Book

02 / RAJSHAHI BOARD-2024

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) from (b) evil (c) a (d) enough (e) given (f) deeds (g) contrary (h) injustice (i) result (j) ensuring
- 2. (a) started/opened (b) without (c) off (d) with (e) the (f) going (g) to (h) districts/areas/ regions (i) which (j) dream
- **3.** (a) Global warming refers to the increase in the temperature of the globe.
 - (b) Irresponsible activities of human beings are mainly responsible for it.

- (c) Sea level is rising due to global warming.
- (d) As a result, the coastal areas are going to be vulnerable.
- (e) Using of renewable energy can reduce temperature rise to a great extent.
- 4. (a) originate (b) are (c) killing (d) do not have (e) releasing (f) polluting (g) throw/are throwing (h) living (i) worked (j) ensured
- **5.** Rifat asked Sifat what he (S) was reading. Sifat replied that he (S) was reading an interesting drama by Shakespeare and exclaimed with wonder that it was a very interesting drama. He also said that he had collected that from their school library. Rifat requested him (S) to lend him (R) the book.
- **6.** (a) Very few elements in nature are as useful as water.
 - (b) What an important asset it is!
 - (c) Can we pass a single day without water?
 - (d) Its main source is the rain and rain creates streams, lakes and rivers.
 - (e) When it is the monsoon, we have rain.
 - (f) Flood is often caused by heavy rainfall.
 - (g) Heavy rainfall damage crops.
 - (h) Isn't our winter dry and rainless?
 - (i) Rainless winter does not bring good harvest.
 - (j) By making the best use of rain, we can grow more crops.
- **7.** (a) Hardly had he heard the news when he started crying.
 - (b) She went to Dhaka so that she could get a job.
 - (c) It is high time we stopped corruption.
 - (d) Five years passed since he had died.
 - (e) If I had been sincere to my studies, I would have become a bright student.
- 8. (a) universal (b) existence (c) greatly (d) specially (e) unparallel (f) relation (g) heavenly (h) spiritual (i) hardly (j) indifferent
- **9.** (a) Bangladesh came into being at the cost of a bloody war, didn't she?
 - (b) So, everyone has some duties and responsibilities to this country, haven't they?
 - (c) As a citizen of this country, we can hardly forget our duties, can we?
 - (d) I am proud to be a citizen of this country, aren't I/ain't I?
 - (e) Let us work together to build up our country, shall we?
- **10.** (a) which (b) Although/Though (c) like/including (d) not only (e) but also
- 11. "Do you know me?" "Yes, I know you from my childhood." "What's your name?" "My name is Sumon." "Thank you a lot," said Mr. Jamal.

Part-B: Composition

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03 JASHORE BOARD-2024

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) by (b) with (c) medium (d) languages (e) impossible/not possible (f) them (g) the (h) commonly (i) in (j) of
- 2. (a) round (b) water (c) rivers (d) full (e) and (f) into (g) number (h) abundant (i) the (j) without
- **3.** (a) A man without an aim is like a ship without a rudder.
 - (b) So, everybody should have a definite aim.
 - (c) But nothing is more difficult than the choice of a profession.
 - (d) Because there are many paths and courses open to all.
 - (e) That is why, to choose a profession becomes very difficult for a student.
- **4.** (a) play (b) reads (c) focus (d) don't understand (e) followed (f) controlling (g) should be (h) are written (i) upgrade (j) is waiting
- **5.** Mother asked to Nafi What he was doing then. Nafi replied that he was doing his homework. Mother again asked why he had not done it the previous day. Nafi replied that he had been ill the previous day. Mother further asked him if she could help him.
- **6.** (a) Isn't water a liquid substance?
 - (b) We use it for various purposes in our daily life.
 - (c) We drink water so that we can satisfy our thirst.
 - (d) Water is got/gotten by us from many sources.
 - (e) Surface water is unsafe for drinking.
 - (f) Let us drink tube-well water.
 - (g) How dangerous polluted water is for our life!

- (h) By throwing wastage and dirt into water, we make it polluted.
- (i) Very few things for our lives are as valuable as pure water.
- (j) Nobody/None can live without water.
- **7.** (a) A man is known by the company he keeps.
 - (b) So, we should be careful while choosing a companion.
 - (c) Students must avoid evil companions so that they can maintain a clean image in the society.
 - (d) If a student mixes with evil companions, he/she will suffer in the long run.
 - (e) It is high time we became serious about choosing our companions.
- **8.** (a) touchable (b) untouchable (c) valueless (d) designers (e) demanding (f) including (g) management (h) development (i) restlessly (j) comfortable
- **9.** (a) Patriotism persuades a man to do everything just, <u>doesn't it?</u>
 - (b) A patriot hardly fears anybody, does he/she?
 - (c) Everybody respects a patriot, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (d) What an outstanding quality it is! isn't it?
 - (e) Let's be patriots, shall we?
- 10. (a) because (b) which (c) but (d) when (e) So/Therefore
- **11.** "Won't you go to school today, Raju?" he said. "Dad, I feel fevereish. I don't want to go to school." "Ok, take rest now," said he.

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04 CUMILLA BOARD-2024

- 1. (a) growth (b) rapid (c) nutritious (d) aware (e) malnutrition (f) normal (g) ability (h) nutrition (i) due (j) illiteracy
- 2. (a) in (b) needed/necessary (c) To (d) society (e) lot (f) by (g) If (h) up (i) rude (j) chaos/disorder
- **3.** (a) Physical fitness is a precondition to lead a healthy life.
 - (b) Physical exercise is essential for achieving physical fitness.
 - (c) People of all ages should take physical exercise regularly.
 - (d) Many changes take place inside the body due to physical exercise.
 - (e) Beside physical exercise, everybody should take a balanced diet.
- 4. (a) divides (b) executes (c) done (d) wasted (e) is saved (f) should be ensured (g) is ended (h) is created (i) appears (j) remains
- 5. The teacher entered the classroom and addressing them as dear students asked if all of them were present that day. The captain answered with respect that all were present except Rina and added that she had not come because of her mother's illness. The teacher exclaimed with sorrow that it was a very sad news. He also wished that her mother might come round soon.
- **6.** (a) Strategy ismore important than any other thing in the examination.
 - (b) We should not elaborate any answer in the exam unnecessarily.
 - (c) Getting the question paper, a student should read it attentively.
 - (d) Initially, the questions may not seem easy.
 - (e) A student should try to answer all the questions so that he can do good in the exam.
 - (f) By answering all the questions correctly, a student will get good marks.
 - (g) A student should write relevant answers.
 - (h) The examiners become very irritated to see such irrelevant answers.
 - (i) Time should not be wasted by the examinee by doing so.
 - (j) No student can achieve a good result in an examination without following the process.
- **7.** (a) Five years have passed since <u>I met Rahim</u>.
 - (b) Hurry up lest you should miss the class.
 - (c) We love and help one another as if we were friends.
 - (d) We can learn moral values if <u>we practice good qualities</u>.
 - (e) Students stopped playing after they had heard the bell.
- **8.** (a) drinkable (b) unsafe (c) uncontaminated (d) suitable (e) riverine (f) inadequate (g) filthy (h) poisonous (i) longevity (j) active
- **9.** (a) Slow and steady wins the race, <u>doesn't it?</u>
 - (b) The mother has risen in her to see the orphan, <u>hasn't it?</u>
 - (c) He hardly cast a vote for me, <u>did he?</u>
 - (d) Kindly do me a favour, won't you?
 - (e) I need not go there, <u>need I</u>?

- **10.** (a) that (b) as (c) But (d) Because (e) So
- 11. "How dare you wake me up!" The lion roared, "I shall kill you for that." "Please let me go," the mouse cried.

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05 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2024

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) light (b) of (c) no (d) between (e) basic (f) right (g) almost (h) will (i) about (j) educate
- 2. (a) gift/blessing/outcome (b) like/as (c) single (d) of (e) the (f) an (g) change (h) blind (i) The/Many/Some (j) curable
- **3.** (a) Newspaper are useful to all section of people.
 - (b) They present us the outside world like a mirror.
 - (c) It has great educative value too.
 - (d) It gives us news of home and abroad.
 - (e) They are really a part and parcel of our life.
- 4. (a) memorizing (b) make (c) prepared (d) exercise (e) thinking (f) develop (g) command (h) do (i) claim (j) help
- **5.** "I've got GPA-5 in the SSC Examination", said Abir. "Congratulations, brother!" I said. "What do you intend to do now?" "I wish to study in a reputed college," Abir replied.
- **6.** (a) Isn't internet a computer-based networking system?
 - (b) It is a speedy system that transmits information.
 - (c) Its functions are both smooth and rapid.
 - (d) A man having an internet connection gets a link soon.
 - (e) It is the use of internet through which many educational institutions are greatly benefited.
 - (f) All the renowned libraries of the world can be visisted by a student without going there.
 - (g) What an effective role it plays in the field of trade and commerce!
 - (h) Very few topics have become as popular to the customers as a e-commerce.
 - (i) It helps the customers to buy anything but they don't need to go to market.
 - (j) It is a very amazing milestone in the modern world of communication.
- **7.** (a) Unless you study attentively you will fail in the exam.
 - (b) Walk fast lest <u>you should miss the train</u>.
 - (c) He will swim after <u>finishing his breakfast</u>.
 - (d) Danger often comes where <u>danger</u> is feared.
 - (e) We should take a rest so that we can restore our energy.
- **8.** (a) invention (b) consumption (c) unfortunate (d) becomes (e) children (f) scientists (g) incurable (h) visibly (i) irreparable (j) government
- **9.** (a) Everybody believes this truth, <u>don't' they?</u>
 - (b) We hardly forget the golden past, do we?
 - (c) Nothing was said, was it?
 - (d) Don't disturb me, will you?
 - (e) Let's be sincere in our life, shall we?
- 10. (a) Though/Although (b) and (c) As/Since/Because (d) but (e) So/Thus
- 11. The teacher said to the girl, "Do you think that honesty is the best policy," "Yes, sir. I think so," said the girl. "Then learn to be honest from your childhood." "Thank you, sir," said the girl, "May Allah bless you," said the teacher.

Part-B: Composition

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06 **✓** SYLHET BOARD–2024

- 1. (a) from (b) the (c) in (d) idleness (e) complimentary (f) of (g) of (h) leisure (i) with (j) for
- 2. (a) The (b) class/stage (c) a (d) from (e) a (f) to (g) for (h) skilled/competent (i) the/this (j) attaining/gaining

- **3.** (a) Independence is the birth right of man.
 - (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
 - (c) Our war of independence took place in 1971.
 - (d) People of all walks of life joined the war.
 - (e) They went to the battle field to save the country.
- **4.** (a) is (b) has brought (c) enables (d) send (e) be compared (f) are (g) means (h) exercise/does (i) enables (j) gives
- **5.** The teacher asked Shafin why he (S) was talking in the class and added that he (S) should behave himself. Shafin replied respectfully that he (S) was sorry and added that he (s) was asking Sifat to lend him (Sh) his (Sifat) pen. He (Sh) also said that his (Sh) pen had run out.
- **6.** (a) Everybody/Everyone wants to succeed in life.
 - (b) Without being industrious, none can prosper in life.
 - (c) It is a difficult thing.
 - (d) Those who are idle always lag behind.
 - (e) We must work hard to earn money.
 - (f) We work hard and in this way we can improve our lot.
 - (g) A hard-working person can see the light of prosperity.
 - (h) Women should not work less than men.
 - (i) It should be remembered (by us) that industry is the key to success.
 - (j) What a miserable life an idle man leads!
- **7.** (a) Cricket is a game which is very popular all over the world.
 - (b) Boys and girls of our country <u>are very much fond of this game</u>.
 - (c) Though cricket is a costly game, it is played in our country greatly.
 - (d) Bangladesh is a test playing country <u>but we are not doing well in test matches</u>.
 - (e) <u>Necessary steps should be taken by the cricket board</u> to upgrade the standard.
- **8.** (a) disgrace (b) mistreated/ill-treated (c) employers (d) unhealthy (e) unfavorable (f) sorrowful (g) risky (h) dangerous (i) enforced (j) encouraged
- **9.** (a) At present extended families are found in rural areas, aren't they?
 - (b) There're many members in extended families, aren't there?
 - (c) The house is always full of guests, isn't it?
 - (d) It becomes very difficult for one to study, doesn't it?
 - (e) In the same room children are found reading, gossiping and sleeping, aren't they?
- 10. (a) But (b) Firslty/First of all (c) Secondly (d) As a result/Moreover/Again (e) Thus/ Therefore/That's why
- **11.** "Why don't you attend classes regularly?" the teacher said to the boy. "You cannot expect good results unless you attend classesd as I tell." "I am sorry, sir," said the student.

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07 ✓ BARISHAL BOARD-2024

- 1. (a) a (b) prevailing (c) caused (d) female (e) bites (f) organs (g) no (h) on (i) breeding (j) allow
- 2. (a) maintain (b) is (c) busy (d) think (e) keep (f) are destroying/destroy (g) random (h) cutting (i) continues (j) consequence(s)
- **3.** (a) The Republic of Maldives is a south Asian country.
 - (b) The location of the country is in the Indian ocean.
 - (c) Its heavenly beaches attract the tourists across the world.
 - (d) Millions of tourists from different countries visit the country every year.
 - (e) Unfortunately the country faces the bad impact of climate change.
- 4. (a) originate (b) are (c) killing (d) do not have (e) releasing (f) polluting (g) throw/are throwing (h) living (i) worked (j) ensured
- **5.** Rifat asked Sifat what he (S) was reading. Sifat replied that he (S) was reading an interesting drama by Shakespeare and exclaimed with wonder that it was a very interesting drama. He also said that he had collected that from their school library. Rifat requested him (S) to lend him (R) the book.
- **6.** (a) Very few rivers of Bangladesh are as mighty as the Padma.
 - (b) What a turbulent river it is!
 - (c) In winter, the river remains calm and tranquil.

- (d) It is the rainy season and the river assumes a terrible shape.
- (e) Who doesn't know this?
- (f) People use the river for different purposes.
- (g) Our farmers use its water for irrigation purpose and they can grow plenty of crops.
- (h) There is nobody but likes the Hilsa fish of the river./Who doesn't like the Hilsa fish of the river.
- (i) Though the river destroys the houses of men, it is very useful to us.
- (j) So, let's save this useful river.
- **7.** (a) Since Bangladesh is an agricultural country, <u>many people work in this sector</u>.
 - (b) As its economy depends on agriculture, we have to give more importance on it.
 - (c) We have to develop our cultivation so that we can enrich our economy.
 - (d) Despite working hard, our farmers do not get what they deserve.
 - (e) Steps should be taken to improve their condition because they are the golden sons of the country.
- **8.** (a) happiness (b) easily (c) unhappy (d) happiness (e) satisfaction (f) limited (g) Actually (h) Psychologically (i) fully (j) mentality
- **9.** (a) Industry is the key to success, isn't it?
 - (b) The industrious are prosperous, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (c) They hardly suffer from poverty, do they?
 - (d) On the other hand, idleness is a curse, <u>isn't it</u>?
 - (e) The idle seldom prosper, do they?
- 10. (a) which/that (b) Though/Although (c) specially/particularly (d) not only (e) but also
- **11.** The old woman said, "Can you give me some food? I have been starving for three days." The young man said, "Why do you beg? Can't you work?"

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08 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2024

- 1. (a) for (b) popular (c) beneficial (d) between (e) saying (f) on (g) participation (h) physically (i) an (j) personality
- 2. (a) used/spoken (b) use (c) second/foreign (d) mother (e) hard/difficult (f) base/grasp/ competency (g) feel/have (h) reasons (i) hard/ difficult (j) learn
- **3.** (a) Love is divine.
 - (b) It is love which is the food of our soul.
 - (c) It creates inspiration to go ahead.
 - (d) We need love.
 - (e) Everybody should love all the creations of God.
- 4. (a) depends (b) lead (c) build (d) work (e) remember (f) idle (g) will lag/may lag (h) are (i) reach/have reached (j) follow
- 5. The mother asked the girl why she (g) had not gone to school the previous day. Addressing her (m) as her (g) mom, she replied that she (g) had been ill. The mother asked her again how she (g) was that day. The girl replied that she (g) was well. she (g) also forbade her mother to worry for her (g).
- **6.** (a) A journey by boat is never boring/ monotonous.
 - (b) Aren't people fond of a journey by train?
 - (c) It is pleasant.
 - (d) While making journey by train, a man can enjoy natural scenery/A man can enjoy natural scenery during a journey by train.
 - (e) It is cheap and so people like it.
 - (f) As/Since/there are class distinction in a train, people can buy tickets of various classes.
 - (g) Train is more comfortable than most others vehicles.
 - (h) A train journey can be enjoyed by a man.
 - (i) The British govt. introduced it.
 - (j) How safe a train journey is!
- 7. (a) If you are up and doing in studies you can make a good result.
 - (b) Read attentively lest you should fail in the exam.

- (c) Failing in the examination is not expected.
- (d) So, it is high time for you to study attentively.
- (e) A proverb goes that a stitch in time saves nine.
- **8.** (a) naturally (b) collecting (c) different (d) beekeepers (e) wooden (f) commercially (g) fully (h) non-government (i) approximately (j) production
- **9.** (a) None can solve this problem, can they?
 - (b) Everybody hates them, don't they?
 - (c) Let's do the work, shall we?
 - (d) Telling lies is a great sin, isn't it?
 - (e) How nice the bird is, <u>isn't it</u>?
- 10. (a) indeed (b) that/which (c) that (d) If (e) and
- **11.** The man said to me, "Where are you going?" "I am going to varsity," said I. "Did you go to varsity yesterday?" "No," I replid. "Why did you not go?" "I was very busy," said I.

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09 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2024

- 1. (a) childhood (b) subconscious (c) through (d) attraction (e) at (f) specially (g) fallen (h) its (i) and (j) when
- 2. (a) who (b) in (c) for (d) a (e) lies (f) being (g) lot (h) in (i) learn (j) duty
- **3.** (a) Culture is a term used for a way of life.
 - (b) It represents a society's beliefs, customs, languages, goods etc.
 - (c) Hospitality is a part of Bangladeshi culture.
 - (d) We are very fond of showing hospitality.
 - (e) But nowadays our culture is badly influenced by the negative impacts of Western culture.
- 4. (a) is (b) living (c) enables (d) talking (e) given (f) proves (g) take (h) choosing (i) fails (j) will/may suffer
- The teacher asked Rafiq why he(R) hadn't gone to school the previous day. Rafiq respectfully said that he (R) was sorry and added that he (R) had taken his (R) mother to the hospital. The teacher exclaimed with sorrow that the news was very sad and prayed that she might get well soon.
- **6.** (a) Very few evils are so bad as corruption.
 - (b) A person who is corrupt can do anything against morality.
 - (c) A corrupt person is hated. (by people)
 - (d) Who respects him?
 - (e) We have strict laws but we are still affected by this evil.
 - (f) A corrupt person is the most hated person.
 - (g) We hope the freedom of Bangladesh from this evil.
 - (h) There is nobody but avoids a corrupt person. Or, There is nobody who does not avoid a corrupt person.
 - (i) What an unhappy life a corrupt person leads!
 - (j) We should work together to make Bangladesh a corruption free country.
- **7.** (a) Walk fast lest you should miss the train.
 - (b) I saw the baby crying in the room.
 - (c) Ten years have passed since we met last.
 - (d) Though he works hard, he fails to be first in the class.
 - (e) If I were a bird, I could fly in the sky.
- **8.** (a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) enriches (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) charging
- **9.** (a) Patriotism is a noble virtue, isn't it?
 - (b) Wise people teach us to love our own country, <u>don't they</u>?
 - (c) We should remember that motherland is above everything, <u>isn't she</u>?
 - (d) Some people forget it, don't they?
 - (e) We hope that everybody will love his motherland, won't they?
- 10. (a) as/because/since (b) But (c) Unless (d) Besides/Moreover (e) So/Therefore

11. "Hi Jhorna, I'm coming to Bangladesh next month. Will you receive me at the airport?" said Meghla. "Don't' worry. I'll be there," Jhorna said.

Part-B: Composition

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10 J DHAKA BOARD-2023

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) the (b) at (c) \times (d) with (e) The (f) a (g) an (h) \times (i) A (j) an
- 2. (a) Asian (b) natural (c) shares (d) neighbours (e) to (f) largest (g) abode (h) number (i) source (j) independence
- **3.** (a) Global warming refers to the increase in the temperature of the globe.
 - (b) Irresponsible activities of human beings are mainly responsible for it.
 - (c) Sea level is rising due to global warming.
 - (d) As a result, the coastal areas are going to be vulnerable.
 - (e) Using of renewable energy can reduce temperature rise to a great extent.
 - (f) So, world leaders must come to an agreement to fight against this disaster.
- 4. (a) refers (b) reflects (c) has (d) obeying (e) was (f) respect (g) hampered (h) ensuring (i) required (j) expect
- **5.** (a) Isn't the moon only sub-planet of the Earth?
 - (b) Hew charming it is to look at!
 - (c) It's beauty charms everybody.
 - (d) Everybody likes the moon.
 - (e) No other thing is as beautiful as the moon.
 - (f) Nothing but the moon shines at night.
 - (g) Many poems have been composed about the beauty of it by poets.
 - (h) The full-moon presents a very exciting scence.
 - (i) The earth is bigger than the moon.
 - (j) Let's go out at night to enjoy a moonlit night.
- 6. (a) "Industry is the key to success," is a wise saying.
 - (b) If we want to build up our career, we have to be industrious.
 - (c) <u>If we work hard</u>, we can reach our expected destination.
 - (d) A hardworking student is sure of his success.
 - (e) It is high time we tried to be industrious.
- 7. (a) enlightens (b) mastery (c) stronger (d) lightning (e) civilization (f) according (g) brighten (h) conqueror (i) inventions (j) knowledge (k) undoubtedly (l) creatures (m) superiority (n) throughout
- **8.** (a) Modesty is a great virtue, <u>isn't it</u>?
 - (b) The modest always respect their superiors, don't they?
 - (c) Everybody likes a modest person, <u>don't they</u>?
 - (d) A modest student hardly fails to reach his goal, does he?
 - (e) Let's try to be modest in our way of life, shall we?
 - (f) Avoid the immodest companions, <u>will you?</u>
 - (g) An ideal student is always modest in his behaviour, isn't he?
- **9.** Mehdi said to Nitu, "What's your programme after the test examination?" Nitu said, "I have decided to visit the Padma Bridge." "What an excellent idea it is!"

Part-B: Composition

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11 **/** RAJSHAHI BOARD-2023

- 1. (a) the (b) on (c) \times (d) with (e) The (f) a (g) an (h) \times (i) A (j) an
- 2. (a) era (b) mega (c) without (d) off (e) considering (f) trade (g) tourism (h) growth (i) poverty (j) dream
- **3.** (a) Wildlife refers to all animals, plants found in the forests.
 - (b) Balance of ecosystem largely depends on wildlife.
 - (c) Any development is harmful to wildlife.
 - (d) Urbanization and industrialization have also increased deforestation to a great extent.
 - (e) As a result, many animals are going to be extinct.
 - (f) For our own existence, we should take united efforts to protect wildlife.

- 4. (a) refers (b) reflects (c) has (d) obeying (e) was (f) respect (g) hampered (h) ensuring (i) required (j) expect
- **5.** (a) Very few sources of knowledge are as useful as newspaper.
 - (b) It carries not only local but also international news.
 - (c) Doesn't it reflect the whole world like a mirror?
 - (d) We must read newspaper daily.
 - (e) Daily news is contained in it.
 - (f) It helps us in many ways.
 - (g) Without reading newspaper, we cannot enrich our knowledge.
 - (h) People/We call it people's parliament.
 - (i) It is more important than anything.
 - (j) Let's read newspaper to know the outside world more.
- **6.** (a) "Health is wealth," is a very well-known saying.
 - (b) Everybody should realize this truth to lead a healthy and happy life.
 - (c) If we follow the rules of health, we can maintain a healthy life.
 - (d) One can keep oneself safe by <u>following the rules of hygiene</u>.
 - (e) Immune system can be developed by <u>taking a balanced diet and regular exercise</u>.
- 7. (a) riverine (b) agricultural (c) Majority (d) Unfortunately (e) unsatisfactory (f) hardly (g) disadvantages (h) properly (i) financial (j) technological (k) government (l) conventional (m) gradually (n) effective
- **8.** (a) War is a curse of human civilization, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) Everybody suffers from it, don't they?
 - (c) Massive destruction is found everywhere, isn't it?
 - (d) None can escape from the bombings of the enemy, can they?
 - (e) Women and children are the worst suffers, aren't they?
 - (f) Nobody supports the war, do they?
 - (g) Let's avoid war to live in peace, shall we?
- 9. Once my mother said to me, "Who came to you?" "My friend Rafiq, mom." She asked, "What did he want?" I said, "His mother is ill. He needs some money. I have given him five hundred taka." My mother said, "Wonderful!"

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12 JASHORE BOARD-2023

- 1. (a) in (b) a (c) A (d) \times (e) a (f) in (g) of (h) \times (i) to/with (j) through/with
- 2. (a) assessing (b) learners (c) fair (d) supervise (e) way (f) examination (g) degrades (h) case (i) acquire (j) suffer
- **3.** (a) Joynul Abedin was born at a village in Kishoreganj in 1914.
 - (b) He was honoured with the title "Shilpacharya" for his artistic and visionary qualities.
 - (c) At the age of 15, he went to Kolkata.
 - (d) He did not like the hard and last rules of schools.
 - (e) So, he drew pictures secretly.
 - (f) At the age of 19, he got himself admitted into Kolkata Govt. Art College.
- **4.** (a) possess (b) claim (c) brings (d) is (e) lost (f) have spent (g) paid (h) neglected (i) lost (j) lost
 - (a) I am not unsure that man is the maker of his own fortune.
 - (b) Let a man make a proper use of his time to shine in life.
 - (c) To whom isn't it known?
 - (d) How miserably the lazy suffer in the long run!
 - (e) To commit suicide is not more harmful than to kill time.
 - (f) Our life is nothing but a sum total of hours, days and years.
 - (g) No other season of life is as valuable as youth.
 - (h) In youth, we can shape our mind easily.
 - (i) Let's utilize our time properly in youth.
 - (i) We call it the seed time of life.

- **6.** (a) If we invest in girls' education, the country can be benefitted greatly in return.
 - (b) <u>Investment in girls' education</u> is not a waste.
 - (c) Women who are educated and skilled have higher income potential than those who are uneducated and unskilled.
 - (d) Also, educated mothers are very careful in educating their children.
 - (e) Therefore, we should try our best to educate our women folk.
- 7. (a) resourceful (b) teachers (c) information (d) informative (e) reference (f) delivery (g) dependence (h) proficiency (i) immeasurable (j) popularity (k) devotion (l) honorable (m) friendship (n) affectionate
- **8.** (a) The habit of reading is good, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) But we hardly find it in us, do we?
 - (c) Everybody loves a studious student, don't they?
 - (d) We ought to give him books, oughtn't we?
 - (e) Books give us knowledge, don't they?
 - (f) To read good books is a choice, isn't it?
 - g) Let us try heart and soul to form this habit, shall we?
- **9.** "Why are you putting the foods in your pocket, Sir? Why don't you eat?" asked the nobleman. "I'm doing the right thing. My dress deserves these rich dishes." replied Seikh Sa'adi. "I'm sorry. I don't understand what you mean to say." said the nobleman.

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13 CUMILLA BOARD-2023

- 1. (a) an (b) from (c) \times (d) with (e) \times (f) \times (g) \times (h) \times (i) a (j) of
- 2. (a) an (b) and (c) daughters (d) any (e) is (f) to (g) such (h) the (i) life (j) and
- **3.** (a) Reading newspaper is a very good habit.
 - (b) It is a source of entertainment too.
 - (c) Newspaper broadens our outlook and enriches our wisdom.
 - (d) It is called the storehouse of knowledge.
 - (e) One can get the news and views of home and abroad by reading newspaper.
 - (f) Sometimes it gives us false news which is harmful for a peaceful society.
- 4. (a) cannot (b) stumbles (c) have (d) find (e) are (f) fix (g) endowed (h) don't possess (i) consult (j) evaluate
- **5.** (a) We are not ungrateful to the freedom fighters.
 - (b) Their contribution is the greatest thing.
 - (c) Never disrespect or forget our martyrs.
 - (d) Our government has built the national memorial with a view to paying tribute to their memories.
 - (e) A freedom fighter is greater than any other son of the soil.
 - (f) Our independence was got/gotten by us for their sacrifice.
 - (g) How bravely they fought to snatch the red sun of the independence!
 - (h) Their weapons were not so powerful as their courage.
 - (i) We will never forget their contribution.
 - (j) Some steps have been taken by the government to improve their condition.
- **6.** (a) It is price hike which is considered a prime concern for the common people.
 - (b) People of low income do not know how to cope with the reinless price spiral.
 - (c) The businessmen involved in hoarding and black marketing are responsible for price hike.
 - (d) Of course, there are some other issues that are responsible for price hike like Russian-Ukrain war.
 - (e) <u>Controlling price hike</u> is really very difficult.
- 7. (a) networking (b) popularity (c) generation (d) valuable (e) browsing (f) supervision (g) define (h) embarrassing (i) invasion (j) personal (k) significant (l) socializing (m) natural (n) co-operation

- **8.** (a) At present, everybody likes cricket, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (b) Students hardly miss watching this game, <u>do they?</u>
 - (c) Nothing is more enjoyable to them than cricket, is it?
 - (d) How exciting the game is! isn't it?
 - (e) Let's play this game, shall we?
 - (f) Sakib Al Hasan is my favorite Cricketer, isn't he?
 - (g) It would be difficult to think of Bangladesh Cricket without him, wouldn't it?
- **9.** "Where are you going now?" Karim said, "I am going to hospital. My brother is ill. I've to stay with him in the hospital."

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14 CHATTAGRAM BOARD-2023

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) to (b) At (c) for (d) an (e) the (f) the (g) on (h) \times (i) a (j) \times
- 2. (a) tree (b) When (c) produce (d) seeds (e) vanilla (f) added (g) origin (h) brought (i) Later (j) chocolate
- **3.** (a) Punctuality is a good habit.
 - (b) It denotes the habit of doing a thing in it's exact time.
 - (c) Nothing can be brought to a conclusion without punctuality.
 - (d) In a wide sense, it denotes the process for proper utilization of time.
 - (e) Maintaining punctuality is necessary for all human beings.
 - (f) So, one should form the habit of being punctual from one's childhood.
- 4. (a) has appeared (b) lives (c) has been living (d) has not visited (e) heard (f) Hearing (g) to pay (h) should visit (i) Thinking (j) calls
- **5.** (a) Very few social crimes are as great as copying in the exams.
 - (b) What a serious crime it is!
 - (c) A student copying in the exam deceives none but himself.
 - (d) No benefit can be brought by copying in the exam.
 - (e) It is a very shameful practice.
 - (f) Our education can be strengthened by resisting this malady (by us).
 - (g) Let us come forward to stop it and save our students.
 - (h) We should moderate our examination system.
 - (i) Copying in the exam is more hateful than anything.
 - (j) The government is not insincere in removing this crime.
- **6.** (a) A cobbler was happy to <u>lead a simple life</u>.
 - (b) He had a neighbour who was very rich.
 - (c) The nighbour wanted to help him by giving him some money.
 - (d) Getting the huge amount of money, the cobbler lost happiness.
 - (e) But if he had not taken the money from his neighbour, he would have led a happy life.
- (a) enrich (b) accurately (c) unknown (d) contextual (e) specific (f) clearly (g) various (h) continuous (i) proficiency (j) continuity (k) sincerity (l) interaction (m) different (n) international
- **8.** (a) Nobody trust a liar, do they?
 - (b) A liar has to lead a miserable life, doesn't he?
 - (c) Speaking the truth is a good exercise, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (d) Everybody should have the habit of speaking the truth, shouldn't they?
 - (e) Many are often found telling a lie out of fun, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (f) But it is not desirable, is it?
 - (g) Let us always speak the truth, shall we?
- **9.** "My dear friends, I am here to tell you about an important discovery," said the cunning fox. "I have discovered that our tails are unnecessary." "How strange! Is it unnecessary?" said the other foxes.

Part-B: Composition

15 SYLHET BOARD-2023

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) of (b) a (c) \times (d) a (e) a (f) a (g) to (h) of (i) on (j) an
- 2. (a) wide (b) second (c) compulsory (d) learn (e) reasons (f) continuous (g) writing (h) vocabulary (i) environment (j) across
- **3.** (a) Tree plantation is very essential for balanced environment.
 - (b) Trees provide us with wood, fruits and flowers.
 - (c) Deforestation is opposite to tree plantation.
 - (d) Afforestation is called the air purifier.
 - (e) Cutting trees is dangerous for the environment.
 - (f) It is the main cause of environmental pollution.
- 4. (a) observe (b) make (c) waste (d) fall (e) are (f) know (g) do (h) utilize (i) is (j) follow
- **5.** (a) I know the student.
 - (b) An interesting book was given to me by her. Or, I was given an interesting book by her.
 - (c) Magura is not as old as Jashore.
 - (d) Truthfulness is better than any other quality.
 - (e) Dhaka is the most populous city in Bangladesh.
 - (f) My friend is never late.
 - (g) What a fool he is!
 - (h) The student is very bright.
 - (i) Let's obey our teachers.
 - (j) Let your health be taken care of.
- **6.** (a) If you eat a balanced diet, you will be able to lead a healthy life.
 - (b) <u>If you invited me</u> I would join the party.
 - (c) Walking/Swimming is a good exercise.
 - (d) His syllabus is too large for him to complete.
 - (e) To tell a lie is a great sin.
- 7. (a) studious (b) mindful (c) dutiful (d) respectful (e) truthful (f) helpful (g) thinking (h) creative (i) punctuality (j) Sincerity (k) riser (l) inattentive (m) politely (n) honesty
- **8.** (a) Fishes can swim, can't they?
 - (b) Help the helpless, will you?
 - (c) 'She' is a pronoun, isn't it?
 - (d) He put the bag here, didn't he?
 - (e) They seldom come to me, <u>do they?</u>
 - (f) The friendship rose in them, didn't it?
 - (g) Let's go to the outing, shall we?
- **9.** Mainul Islam is a qualified farmer in Naogaon. He lives in his village with his two brothers. When he was asked, "What makes you decide to stay here in this village?" He replied, "Look, it's true that we could leave this village for a city life. But it didn't attract us."

Part-B: Composition

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16 J BARISHAL BOARD-2023

- **1.** (a) an (b) around (c) in (d) for/to (e) \times (f) among (g) from (h) to (i) the/ \times (j) of
- 2. (a) ability (b) human (c) respective (d) to (e) without (f) smoothly (g) acquiring (h) on (i) place (j) process
- **3.** (a) Football is a popular game.
 - (b) Previously it was mainly played by the male players.
 - (c) But now a days it is played worldwide by the female players also.
 - (d) A few months ago our women's football team defeated the Nepalese team by 3-1 goals in the final match and became champion.
 - (e) They were not defeated in any match in SAFF Women's Championship-2022.
 - (f) As soon as the champions touched down at the airport, thousands of excited fans cheered and waved the national flag to welcome them.

- 4. (a) originate (b) are (c) killing (d) don't have (e) seen (f) making (g) throw (h) living (i) worked (j) ensured
- **5.** (a) Very few fruits of Bangladesh are as large as Jackfruit.
 - (b) How juicy the fruit is!
 - (c) It is very sweet when it is tasted.
 - (d) It does not contain low calories.
 - (e) Who does not know it as our national fruit?
 - (f) In summer, this fruit is not unavailable at all.
 - (g) We/People mainly find it in the month of Jaishtha.
 - (h) The mango is costlier than it.
 - (i) Let's eat the fruit to ensure nutrition.
 - (j) Jackfruits look very beautiful in the trees.
- **6.** (a) "Industry is the key to success" is a wise saying.
 - (b) If you want to shine in life, you have to be industrious.
 - (c) By working hard, one can reach one's goal.
 - (d) A hardworking student is sure of achieving success in life.
 - (e) It is high time for us to be industrious to succeed in life.
- 7. (a) coldest (b) rainless (c) coldness (d) equally (e) specially (f) northern (g) biting (h) gloomy (i) covered (j) greatly (k) hilly (l) severity (m) whereas (n) Southern
- **8.** (a) SSC Examination is the first public examination in our country, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) Every student takes the examination seriously, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (c) Its result allows one to enter the next level, doesn't it?
 - (d) So, it is not less important than one's life, is it?
 - (e) A student needs to take a good preparation for it, doesn't he?
 - (f) But one need not worry about the exam hall situation, need one?
 - (g) Face the exam boldly, will you?
- 9. "Why are not you going to school?" said mother to her son. He said, "I am waiting for my friend to come and go to school together."

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17 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2023

- 1. (a) the (b) \times (c) the (d) for (e) the (f) the (g) of (h) in (i) to (j) in
- 2. (a) wonderful (b) essential (c) present (d) Revolutionary (e) scoial (f) world (g) closer (h) needless (i) demerits (j) blessing
- 3. (a) 'Pahela Boishakh' is the first day of Bangla New Year.
 - (b) People from all walks of life celebrate the day with traditional festivities.
 - (c) The day inspires people to start life with renewed hopes and aspiration.
 - (d) People wake up early in the morning to enjoy the day wearing traditional clothes.
 - (e) The cultural programme begins just as sunrise.
 - (f) The renowned artists of the country take part in the programme to inspire the participants.
- **4.** (a) is caused (b) named (c) causes (d) die (e) go (f) is needed (g) get (h) should keep (i) be destroyed (j) making
- **5.** (a) Can't honesty open a door of peace before a person?
 - (b) The invitation was accepted by him.
 - (c) Reading books is the noblest habit.
 - (d) What an essential virtue loving country is!
 - (e) Our life is not measured by months or years.
 - (f) Industry is more important than any other thing for success.
 - (g) She was very attentive to her study.
 - (h) Very few problems of the modern world are as corrosive as terrorism.
 - (i) Let's do good deeds as our responsibility.
 - (j) There is nobody who is not fond of glittering things.

- **6.** (a) If the sky is cloudy, we will postpone our programme.
 - (b) <u>Idleness is a bad habit</u> which should be given up.
 - (c) Man is curious to know the unknown.
 - (d) If I had seen him, I would have talked to him.
 - (e) I saw a bird <u>flying in the sky</u>.
- 7. (a) education (b) equipped (c) useful (d) truly (e) personal (f) thoughtful (g) cooperative (h) truthful (i) dutiful (j) punctuality (k) prosperous (l) remove (m) suffering(s) (n) self-reliance
- **8.** (a) What he said was true, wasn't it?
 - (b) Don't forget me, will you?
 - (c) How exciting the game is, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (d) Let's try to make him understand the importance of literacy, shall we?
 - (e) You, he and I did the work, didn't we?
 - (f) Deforestation is not good for us, is it?
 - (g) Books never leave us alone in danger, do they?
- **9.** Mainul Islam is a qualified farmer in Naogaon. He lives in his village with his two brothers. When he was asked, "What makes you decide to stay here in this village?" He replied, "Look, it is true that we could leave this village for a city life. But it didn't attract us."

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18 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2023

- 1. (a) the (b) \times (c) the (d) for (e) the (f) the (g) of (h) in (i) to (j) during/in
- 2. (a) bookish (b) competitive (c) to enrich (d) burning (e) newspaper (f) well (g) current (h) cannot (i) water (j) knowledge
- **3.** (a) The Taj is one of the most beautiful buildings in the world.
 - (b) It stands at Agra in India.
 - (c) Emperor Shahjahan built it as a tomb for his wife.
 - (d) People want to visit the Taj Mahal.
 - (e) Everybody likes it most on a moonlit night.
 - (f) I also wanted to see the Taj Mahal.
- 4. (a) depends (b) lead (c) build (d) work (e) remembered (f) idle (g) will lag (h) is (i) reaches/can reach (j) follow
- **5.** (a) What a virtue simplicity is!
 - (b) Who doesn't appreciate this quality?
 - (c) Very few qualities are as good as it.
 - (d) This virtue should be practiced.
 - (e) A simple man is happier than most other men.
 - (f) Without practicing simplicity, one cannot earn people's favour.
 - (g) What a carefree life a simple man leads!
 - (h) A simple man is the happiest person among us.
 - (i) Let us like simplicity./Let everybody like simplicity.
 - (j) So, all should lead a simple life.
- (a) I feel like <u>flying in the sky</u>.
 - (b) Babies do not know how to speak.
 - (c) I saw a beggar standing in front of the door.
 - (d) Were I a rich man, I would help the poor.
 - (e) If you do not work hard, you will lag behind.
- 7. (a) heroic (b) golden (c) independence (d) supreme (e) freedom (f) alive (g) fighters (h) actually (i) indeed (j) lucky (k) directly (l) profoundly (m) forever (n) keeping
- **8.** (a) The unfed should be fed, shouldn't they?
 - (b) He let me do the work, didn't he?
 - (c) The Titanic sank on its first voyage, didn't it?
 - (d) There is no school in our village, is there?
 - (e) The father rose in him, didn't it?
 - (f) Good morning, sir, don't I?
 - (g) I have little water, have I/do I?

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Part-B: Composition

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19 ✓ DHAKA BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) at (b) in (c) the (d) the (e) in/on (f) a (g) in (h) The (i) \times (j) at
- 2. (a) depends (b) lead (c) build (d) work (e) remembered (f) idle (g) will lag (h) are (i) can reach (j) should follow
- **3.** (a) Isn't Bangladesh a low-lying country?
 - (b) We are visited by natural disasters every year.
 - (c) Everybody knows the consequence of Tsunami.
 - (d) How devastating the recent flood was!
 - (e) No other city in the earthquake zone is as risky as Dhaka.
- **4.** (a) education (b) useful (c) truly (d) personal (e) thoughtful (f) truthful (g) dutiful/duty-bound (h) prosperous (i) remove (j) self-reliance
- **5.** (a) Everybody wants to lead a better life, don't they?
 - (b) A better life seldom comes without hard work, does it?
 - (c) We have to work hard for this, don't we?
 - (d) But most of us can hardly do the job, can we?
 - (e) Actually, life is not a bed of roses, is it?
- 6. "Have you killed the rats?" said the Mayor. "Yes, I have", replied the piper. "Give me the promised money." "How funny you are!" said the Mayor. "Take only fifty."

Part-B: Composition

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20 A RAJSHAHI BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) an (b) like (c) a (d) before (e) after (f) of (g) from (h) the (i) The (j) \times
- 2. (a) prevails (b) reign (c) are (d) preaching (e) respected (f) feel (g) prosper (h) defeated (i) understand (j) stopped
- **3.** (a) None but you can do the work.
 - (b) Books are the greatest friend.
 - (c) What a nice flower the rose is!
 - (d) Let's be patriots.
 - (e) It was called laurel by him.
- **4.** (a) smoking (b) dangerously (c) harmful (d) costly (e) smoker (f) publicly (g) pollution (h) innumerable (i) respiratory (j) unaware
- **5.** (a) He let me do it, <u>didn't he?</u>
 - (b) Let's be sincere in our life, shall we?
 - (c) Everybody respects the freedom fighters, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (d) Success cannot be achieved without efforts, can it?
 - e) He has to lead a miserable life, <u>doesn't he</u>?
- 6. Shoel asked Alam, "Friend, have you ever visited the National Memorial at Savar in Dhaka? Wow! how splendid it is!" "Yes, I haven't yet gone there," said Alam.

Part-B: Composition

21 JASHORE BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) a (b) to (c) for (d) \times (e) the (f) the (g) from (h) the (i) among (j) against
- 2. (a) considered (b) formed (c) understanding (d) owes (e) take (f) acquiring (g) forget (h) admit (i) succeed (j) respect
- **3.** (a) We consider the freedom fighters to be the real heroes of our country.
 - (b) Their contribution will always be remembered.
 - (c) No other thing is as great as their sacrifice.
 - (d) Without taking proper steps, we cannot improve their condition.
 - (e) Proper respect must be shown to them by us.
- 4. (a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) enriches (g) overworking (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) recreate
- **5.** (a) Everyone is nostalgic in life, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (b) We hardly forget the golden past, do we?
 - (c) The memories of childhood are always haunting us, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (d) The sweetest memories of childhood are colourful, aren't they?
 - (e) Who forgets these memories, <u>do they?</u>
- **6.** "Go to bed, now", Mother said. "You can complete your assignment in the morning." "No, mom. I'll finish it now."

Part-B: Composition

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22 CUMILLA BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) a (b) on (c) for (d) at (e) with (f) about (g) a (h) the (i) an (j) a
- 2. (a) heard (b) is (c) is known (d) was born (e) hinder (f) joined (g) began (h) inspired (i) is called (j) remember
- **3.** (a) Taimur was one of the greatest conquerors of the world.
 - (b) Young Taimur once attacked the province of a powerful prince.
 - (c) A large village was captured by him.
 - (d) The army spared none of Taimur's soldiers./The army did not keep alive any of Taimur's soldiers.
 - (e) He disguised himself as a poor traveller to survive.
- **4.** (a) Deforestation (b) indiscriminately (c) densely (d) agricultural (e) dishonest (f) illegally (g) removal (h) protection (i) unsuitable (j) plantation
- **5.** (a) Good health means the health free from all kinds of diseases, <u>doesn't it?</u>
 - (b) One can keep good health by following certain rules, can't one?
 - (c) He is to eat a balanced diet, isn't he?
 - (d) He has to take regular physical exercise, doesn't he?
 - (e) He must enjoy sound sleep, <u>mustn't he?</u>
- **6.** Mr. Hasan is a renowned English teacher. He has been teaching in our school for the past five years. He is honest and sincere. He is our favourite teacher. We love him much.

Part-B: Composition

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23 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2022

- 1. (a) of (b) on (c) \times (d) a (e) to (f) the (g) a (h) to (i) \times (j) in
- 2. (a) knows (b) is (c) causes (d) eating (e) fall (f) run (g) do (h) thrive (i) deserve (j) taken
- **3.** (a) Very few inventions of modern science are as great as computer.
 - (b) Computer is not a curse on earth.
 - (c) Let's learn how to use computer.
 - (d) We are helped by computer a lot.
 - (e) How popular it has become because of its usefulness!

- 4. (a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) renews (g) overworking (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) refreshment
- **5.** (a) Time and tide wait for none, <u>do they?</u>
 - (b) Unfortunately, many of us waste our time, don't we?
 - (c) None can prosper in life without utilizing time properly, can they?
 - (d) So, everybody should realize this truth, shouldn't they?
 - (e) Let's make the best use of time, shall we?
- **6.** Once a rich banker said to a poor cobbler. "How much do you earn a year?" The cobbler replied laughing, "I never count in this way. I earn barely enough to pass a day. And I'm happy." "Are you really happy?" said the banker.

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24 SYLHET BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) a (b) the (c) in (d) \times (e) of (f) a (g) \times (h) for (i) of (j) between
- 2. (a) needed (b) is developing (c) going (d) keeping (e) learning (f) emphasized (g) modifying (h) enriched (i) motivated (j) Having
- **3.** (a) No other way of leading life is as good as honesty.
 - (b) People always appreciate this noble virtue.
 - (c) Dishonesty cannot open a door of peace before a person.
 - (d) What an important virtue honesty is!
 - (e) So, let us never be dishonest.
- **4.** (a) capitalist (b) absence (c) prosperous (d) exchange (e) specialty (f) productivity (g) happiness (h) absolutely (i) contentment (j) satisfaction
- **5.** (a) Nobody was present yesterday, were they?
 - (b) I am an SSC examinee, aren't I?
 - (c) Don't tell a lie, will you?
 - (d) The widower shut the door, didn't he?
 - (e) The idle can do little for society, can they?
- 6. I said to the old man, "What are you doing?" "I am watching the boys swimming in the pond," he said. "How happy they are! May Allah bless them." "Let me sit by you and enjoy the scene," I said.

Part-B: Composition

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25 BARISHAL BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) a (b) of (c) \times (d) a (e) \times (f) \times (g) from (h) an (i) the (j) On
- 2. (a) is observed (b) reading (c) are (d) do not get (e) has started (f) upgrading (g) taking (h) see (i) continued (j) will remain
- **3.** (a) How profitable now flower cultivation is!
 - (b) Flowers are cultivated for earning money by many people.
 - (c) Isn't there a great demand of flowers at present?
 - (d) Nobody becomes gloomy to get flowers.
 - (e) In some cases, no other gift is as welcoming as flowers.
- **4.** (a) seasonal (b) various (c) well-known (d) favourite (e) hardly (f) unripe (g) profitable (h) suitable (i) become (j) economic
- **5.** (a) Truthfulness is a great virtue, <u>isn't it</u>?
 - (b) Nothing is better than this quality, is it?
 - (c) Everybody loves a truthful man, don't they?
 - (d) Follow the footprints of truthful persons, will you?
 - (e) Let us try to be truthful, <u>shall we?</u>
- **6.** My mother said to me, "Where are you going?" "I am going to school", said I. "Did you go to school yesterday?"

Part-B: Composition

26 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) with (b) a (c) to (d) The (e) of (f) \times (g) the (h) of (i) \times (j) for
- 2. (a) refers (b) regarded (c) has (d) maintaining (e) disliked (f) is (g) do not show (h) indulged (i) hampered (j) created
- **3.** (a) The construction of the Padma Bridge has almost been completed by the government.
 - (b) This is larger than any other bridge of Bangladesh.
 - (c) How happy the countrymen will be when it will be opened for use!
 - (d) It is not a minor project.
 - (e) Let us go to visit it.
- 4. (a) universal (b) existence (c) greatly (d) specially (e) unparalleled (f) relation (g) heavenly (h) spiritual (i) hardly (j) indifferent
- **5.** (a) Industry is the key to success, <u>isn't it</u>?
 - (b) The industrious are prosperous, aren't they?
 - (c) They hardly suffer from poverty, do they?
 - (d) On the other hand, there is no alternative to industry, is there?
 - (e) Let us try to be industrious, shall we?
- **6.** The old woman said, "Can you give me some food? I have been starving for three days." The young man said, "Why do you beg? Can't you work?"

Part-B: Composition

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27 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2022

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) the (b) the (c) of (d) an (e) the (f) \times (g) the (h) the (i) for (j) \times
- 2. (a) has enhanced (b) has made (c) has become (d) helps (e) can do (f) send (g) has increased (h) have been (i) conducting (j) should not use
- **3.** (a) Very few inventions of modern science are as great as computer.
 - (b) In fact, it is not a curse of science.
 - (c) How greatly it has facilitated the world!
 - (d) Moreover, our workloads have been lessened by it.
 - (e) So, let us use it in our everyday life.
- 4. (a) digestive (b) indigestion (c) digestion (d) constipation (e) circulation (f) inactive (g) abnormal (h) Improper (i) unpredictable (j) improvement
- **5.** (a) Reading books is a good habit, <u>isn't it</u>?
 - (b) One should read books to acquire knowledge, shouldn't one?
 - (c) Reading books never goes in vain, does it?
 - (d) There is a saying, "The more you read, the more you learn", isn't there?
 - (e) So, a student should form the habit of reading books, shouldn't he?
- **6.** Monira said to Protiva, "How does the question seem to you? Have you got everything common?" "No, one item is uncommon to me. What about you?" said Protiva. "I'm in the same position like you," replied Monira.

Part-B: Composition

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28 J DHAKA BOARD-2020

- 1. (a) often (b) an (c) the (d) learning (e) worthy (f) that (g) in (h) midst (i) darkness (j) from
- 2. (a) blessing/gift/contribution (b) like/as (c) single (d) of (e) the (f) an (g) change (h) blind (i) The (j) cured
- **3.** (a) Independence is the birth right of a nation.
 - (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
 - (c) Our War of Liberation took place in 1971.
 - (d) People from all walks of life joined the war.
 - (e) They went to the battle field to save the country.
- 4. (a) create (b) occurs (c) causes (d) violate (e) drive (f) gives (g) carrying (h) reach (i) suffer (j) solved

- 5. Rina asked Sima why she (S) didn't get up early from sleep. Sima replied that it was tough for her (S) to leave bed early. Rina exclaimed with sorrow that it was a bad habit and said that if she (S) left bed early she (S) could enjoy sound health. And at last she (R) told her to follow her (R) advice.
- **6.** (a) Once upon a time there was a little girl and her name was Tarin.
 - (b) In spite of being a nice little girl, she was not an ordinary child.
 - (c) Didn't she pass her time in reading and writing?
 - (d) Her parents did not dislike her at all.
 - (e) She was praised by everyone.
 - (f) How attentive she was to her study!
 - (g) She also helped her mother when she had/got free time.
 - (h) Did she ever tell a lie?
 - (i) Very few girls in the school were so intelligent as she.
 - (j) She worked hard so that she could/might shine in life.
- **7.** (a) No sooner had we reached the school than the bell rang.
 - (b) Unless you study attentively you will not pass the exam.
 - (c) Scarcely had the party begun when a hue and cry was heard.
 - (d) If I had known his mobile number I would have communicated with him.
 - (e) Work hard provided that you want to prosper in life.
- **8.** (a) independent (b) overpopulation (c) unemployment (d) deficiency (e) government (f) overcome (g) digital (h) development (i) already (j) achieving
- **9.** (a) Let's have a walk outside the farm, shall we?
 - (b) I'm in the habit of walking every morning, aren't I?
 - (c) Morning entertains us with fresh air, doesn't it?
 - (d) No one should miss this opportunity, should they?
 - (e) Have a try to form this habit of morning walk, will you?
- 10. (a) Otherwise (b) At the same time (c) For instance (d) So (e) Last of all
- 11. "Why are you going to Barishal?" said father. "I want to buy some important books," said Saad. "Do you need money?" "Yes, father." "Don't go alone as time is not going well."

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29 RAJSHAHI BOARD-2020

- 1. (a) conscious (b) punishment (c) both (d) for (e) development (f) fear (g) punishes (h) is (i) to (j) develops
- 2. (a) effort (b) work (c) beginning (d) struggling (e) existence (f) perished (g) inevitable (h) more (i) than (j) successful
- **3.** (a) Corruption is a curse not only to our nation but also all over the world.
 - (b) It may be defined as the abuse of entrusted power for the private gain.
 - (c) It occurs in both public and private sectors.
 - (d) Our government is trying to control it with iron hand.
 - (e) If we fail to remove it, we will not be able to build 'Sonar Bangla'.
- **4.** (a) owe (b) bestowing (c) don't have (d) belongs (e) should not be (f) show (g) been (h) causing (i) losing (j) enabled
- **5.** The ticket officer asked the lady where she liked to go. In reply the lady said that she would like to go to Rajshahi. The ticket officer then asked her how many tickets she needed and of which class. The lady replied that she needed three first class tickets. The officer gave her the tickets and said that they would cost three thousand taka.
- **6.** (a) What a devastating phenomenon of modern world terrorism is!
 - (b) At present, we/people call it a challenge to fight against it.
 - (c) Everyone is now in the threat of violence.
 - (d) Nothing is so disastrous as terrorism.
 - (e) Very few problems of the modern world are so corrosive as it.
 - (f) Who wants his children to be terrorist in future?
 - (g) Inspite of being law to punish the terrorists, it is not properly applied.
 - (h) If we apply the law properly, we can get rid of it.
 - (i) We have to create social awareness and thus we can fight against corruption.

 Or, We should fight against corruption and so we have to create social awareness.
 - (j) None of us should mix with the killers of mankind.

- **7.** (a) But for your timely intervention <u>I could not have solved the problem</u>.
 - (b) Many days passed <u>since we had met each other</u>.
 - (c) A child which is burnt is afraid of fire.
 - (d) Work hard provided that you want to succeed in life.
 - (e) Blessing is not valued <u>till it is gone</u>.
- **8.** (a) western (b) question (c) networks (d) internet (e) affirmatively (f) smartphones (g) companions (h) virtual (i) hardly (j) interaction
- **9.** (a) You surely fail if you fail to plan, don't you?
 - (b) A good plan scarcely lets you fail, <u>does it?</u>
 - (c) Great people could do nothing without a plan of action, <u>could they?</u>
 - (d) Fortune also dare not fail a well-planned effort, dare it?
 - (e) So, plan before proceed, will you?
- 10. (a) largely/mainly (b) Moreover/Besides (c) If (d) However (e) But
- **11.** "Aren't you going to have any?" Said I, "No, I never eat asparagus." "I know, there are people who don't like them. The fact is that you ruin your palate by all the meat you eat," she said.

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30 **√** JASHORE BOARD–2020

- 1. (a) often (b) an (c) the (d) learning (e) worthy (f) that (g) in (h) our (i) darkness (j) from
- 2. (a) time (b) unseen (c) of (d) own/native (e) travel/visit/see (f) with (g) of (h) work (i) the/any (j) native/living/birth
- **3.** (a) Blood donation is a very noble deed.
 - (b) By donating blood we save the life of a dying patient.
 - (c) Many of us have misconception about blood donation.
 - (d) Every man in sound health can donate blood after every three months.
 - (e) Donating blood will cause no harm.
- 4. (a) knows (b) is (c) causes (d) eating (e) fall (f) run (g) do (h) thrive (i) deserve (j) taken
- **5.** Abrar wished Farzana good morning and asked her how much preparation she had taken for that exam. Farzana replied that her preparation was not bad at all. She added that she hoped to get GPA-5. Abrar exclaimed with wonder that she was a very bright girl. But he said that his preparation was not so good.
- **6.** (a) People in general are fond of things which are glittering.
 - (b) Aren't they the lovers of surface?
 - (c) The outer show of things and beings concerns them.
 - (d) They are indifferent to intrinsic value.
 - (e) Very few metals are so precious as gold.
 - (f) But there are some other metals and they look like gold.
 - (g) Fading soon, they lose their beauty.
 - (h) Similarly, there are some people who act like the wise.
 - (i) No sooner has their real identity got revealed than people leave them.
 - (j) How foolish we are believing in them!
- **7.** (a) This is Bangladesh which is our motherland.
 - (b) The people of Bangladesh are friendly though they are not wealthy.
 - (c) When anyone falls in danger, others come forward to help him immediately.
 - (d) We love and help one another as if we were members of a family.
 - (e) We work seriously lest we should fail to prosper day by day.
- **8.** (a) Perseverance (b) successful (c) unsuccessful (d) misfortune (e) perseverant/persevering (f) Sincerity (g) enables (h) fruitfully (i) formative (j) abuse/misuse
- **9.** (a) Everybody respects freedom fighters, <u>don't they?</u>
 - (b) They fought for the independence of our country, <u>didn't they?</u>
 - (c) Their sacrifice has given us freedom in every sphere of life, <u>hasn't it?</u>
 - (d) Their names are written in golden letters, aren't they?
 - (e) We should never forget them, should we?

- 10. (a) that (b) both/not only (c) and/but also (d) That is why/So (e) If
- 11. My dear Mother,

Your letter is just to hand. It seems to me that you are anxious for me. But you need not think about me.

Part-B: Composition

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31 CUMILLA BOARD-2020

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) success (b) if (c) dull (d) them (e) easily (f) the (g) keener (h) victory (i) both (j) we
- 2. (a) needs (b) essential/needed (c) enables/helps (d) life (e) crops (f) carry (g) us (h) But (i) is (j) colleges
- 3. (a) Drug addiction means strong attraction for any harmful thing.
 - (b) Drug addiction is not only a national but also a global problem.
 - (c) The drugs have grasped the young generation of our country.
 - (d) Young boys and girls are taking heroin, opium etc.
 - (e) The frequent taking of these drugs leads a man to death.
- 4. (a) confined (b) are (c) developed (d) adapting (e) receiving (f) becoming (g) working (h) prove (i) are contributing (j) keeping
- 5. The new teacher entered the classroom and asked the students if they could tell him what he should do then. One of the students respectfully replied in the negative. At this, the teacher smiled and told them to try to guess. Then another student said that he (t) should introduce himself to them. Then the teacher thanked him and said that he was really brilliant.
- **6.** (a) It is health which is wealth.
 - (b) A sick moneyed man is not so happy as a healthy poor man.
 - (c) A healthy man is an asset to his family but an unhealthy man is a liability.
 - (d) Can he not succeed in life?
 - (e) So, everybody must be conscious of his health.
 - (f) Everybody cannot but take care of his health all the time.
 - (g) One can improve one's health by regular physical exercise and a balanced diet.
 - (h) The poor people cannot afford to take a balanced diet.
 - (i) How concerned they are with the quantity of food!
 - (j) It should be known to everybody that weakness is caused by malnutrition.
- **7.** (a) Unless you study attentively, you cannot pass any examination.
 - (b) It is a long time since we met last.
 - (c) If I have seen you, I will beat you, no doubt.
 - (d) 1971 is the year when we achieved independence.
 - (e) Danger comes where danger is feared.
- **8.** (a) writers (b) visitors (c) publishers (d) buyers (e) crowded (f) various (g) displayed (h) chosen (i) unavailable (j) welcome
- **9.** (a) The freedom fighters are the real heroes, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (b) Nothing is greater than their sacrifice, is it?
 - (c) Their contribution for our country will always be remembered, won't it?
 - (d) We should never neglect them, should we?
 - (e) Every citizen of Bangladesh must have due respect for them, <u>mustn't they?</u>
- 10. (a) because/since/as (b) But (c) Unless (d) Consequently/Then (e) So/Therefore
- **11.** "Is there anybody here who has ever crossed a river by a boat?" "I have, teacher. I clearly remember what happened in that journey," said Jamal.

Part-B: Composition

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32 **✓** CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2020

- 1. (a) hinders (b) prosperity (c) causes (d) normal (e) hampered (f) arises (g) mainly (h) think (i) avoid (j) positive
- 2. (a) inherent (b) civilization (c) foremost (d) welfare (e) development/progress/prosperity/betterment (f) defend/protect/save (g) performs/obeys (h) traitor (i) narrow (j) cut

- **3.** (a) Newspapers are really a part and parcel of our life.
 - (b) It gives us news of home and abroad.
 - (c) They are useful to all section of people.
 - (d) They present us the outside world like a mirror.
 - (e) It has great educative value too.
- **4.** (a) is considered (b) breeds (c) acts (d) damage (e) resulting (f) build (g) to rise (h) be compared (i) overcome (j) should endeavour
- **5.** The teacher asked the girl why she was laughing in the class. The girl replied that she had remembered an interesting incident after he had given the example. The teacher asked what that was. The girl replied that it was about one of her cousins who had come to their house the previous day. The teacher advised the girl to forget it and be attentive to her lesson.
- **6.** (a) We notice the achievement of science casting our eyes anywhere.
 - (b) Doesn't the electricity light both the streets and the houses?
 - (c) It is the radio which broadcasts news, songs and lectures.
 - (d) When it is evening, there is cinema to delight you.
 - (e) Very few inventions of modern science are so important as computer.
 - (f) Nobody can go without it.
 - (g) Internet is not less important than computer.Or, Computer is not more important than internet.
 - (h) We can know about the world through it and thus it helps us.
 - (i) It is the greatest of all inventions of modern science.
 - (j) What a miraculous event the invention of computer is!
- **7.** (a) He asked me whether <u>I would join the company</u>.
 - (b) Had I the wings of a dove I would fly here and there on earth.
 - (c) He could help you provided that you did the job successfully.
 - (d) Hardly had the bell rung when the students went out from the classrooms vociferously.
 - (e) We must look before we leap lest we should fall in danger.
- 8. (a) leisure (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) renews (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) aversion (j) recreation
- **9.** (a) None of us can solve this problem, can we?
 - (b) There is little water in the glass, is there?
 - (c) One cannot deny this proposal, <u>can they?</u>
 - (d) You need to see a doctor, don't you?
 - (e) Nothing was said, was it?
- 10. (a) but (b) and (c) If (d) Otherwise (e) that
- **11.** "How is your father, Bilkis?" said Mr. Rahman. "He is very well. Thank you," Bilkis replied. "I am glad to hear that he is in good health," said Mr. Rahman.

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33 SYLHET BOARD-2020

- 1. (a) light (b) of (c) no (d) between (e) basic (f) right (g) almost (h) will (i) about (j) educate
- 2. (a) an (b) the (c) our/a (d) true/basic (e) the (f) An (g) a (h) the (i) An (j) any
- **3.** (a) Independence is the birthright of a nation.
 - (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
 - (c) Our war of liberation took place in 1971.
 - (d) People of all walks of life joined the war.
 - e) They went to the battlefield to save the country.
- 4. (a) creates (b) occurs (c) causes (d) violate (e) drive (f) gives (g) carrying (h) reach (i) suffer (j) solved
- **5.** Rina asked Sima why she (S) didn't get up early from sleep. Sima replied that it was tough for her to leave bed early. Rina exclaimed with sorrow that it was a bad habit and said that if she (S) left bed early, she (S) could enjoy sound health. And at last she advised her (S) to follow her advice.
- **6.** (a) No other man in this subcontinent was as generous as Haji Mohammad Mohsin.
 - (b) It is Hoogly where he was born.
 - (c) Didn't he inherit a vast property from his father and sister?

- (d) This wealth was not misused by him.
- (e) People call him a friend of humanity.
- (f) He was unmarried.
- (g) During his lifetime he wanted to help the poor and so he spent money lavishly.
- (h) He was not unkind to the poor at all.
- (i) Oneday he caught a thief in the time of his entrance into his room.
- (j) Though he caught the thief, he did not punish him.
- **7.** (a) There are as many stars in the sky <u>but the moon is only one</u>.
 - (b) Rukab will swim after he completes his lesson.
 - (c) A graveyard is the place where the dead bodies are buried.
 - (d) What is lotted cannot be blotted.
 - (e) The answer that he gave was absolutely correct.
- **8.** (a) famous (b) wisdom (c) extraordinary (d) imagination (e) natural (f) artificial (g) association (h) successful (i) reputation (j) multidimensional
- **9.** (a) Everyone is nostalgic in life, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (b) We hardly forget the golden past, do we?
 - (c) The memories of childhood are always haunting us, aren't they?
 - (d) The sweetest memory of childhood is colourful, isn't it?
 - (e) Who forgets these memories, do they?
- **10.** (a) When (b) if (c) Then (d) nor (e) But
- 11. The teacher said to the girl, "Do you think that honesty is the best policy?" "Yes, sir. I think so," said the girl. "Then learn to be honest from your childhood." "Thank you, sir," said the girl. "May Allah bless you," said the teacher.

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34 J BARISHAL BOARD-2020

- 1. (a) unfortunate (b) in (c) this (d) have (e) stomach (f) with (g) though (h) disgraceful (i) The (j) to
- **2.** (a) great (b) for (c) to (d) creating (e) related (f) of (g) but (h) if (i) loving (j) unitedly/together
- **3.** (a) Friction between teenagers and parents is very common.
 - (b) It can certainly occur in all times.
 - (c) One obvious reason is the transition from dependence to independence.
 - (d) Another source of friction is the difficult behaviours of the adolescents.
 - (e) Moreover, moody and sulky behavours are common features of the teenagers.
- 4. (a) refers (b) are treated (c) ensuring (d) cannot be imagined (e) establishing (f) has (already) taken (g) keep (h) creating (i) broaden (j) eliminate
- 5. Harun bade Kiron good morning and asked him (K) how much preparation he (K) had taken for the SSC Examination. Kiron replied that he (K) had taken a great preparation. Harun exclaimed with wonder that he (K) was a very intelligent boy. Then he (H) wished that he (K) might be distinguished with his result.
- **6.** (a) Isn't man the maker of his own fortune?
 - (b) By making proper use of his time, he is sure to prosper in life.
 - (c) The person who does otherwise is sure to repent later.
 - (d) How miserably the lazy suffer in the long run!
 - (e) Isn't to kill time to commit suicide?
 - (f) Our life is only a sum total of hours, days and years.
 - (g) No other season of life is so valuable as youth.
 - (h) In youth, mind is soft to be shaped easily.Or, In youth soft mind can be shaped easily.
 - (i) Use the morning hours of life or you have to pay a heavy price afterwards.
 - (j) We call it the seedtime of life.
- 7. (a) If I had seen him, I would have informed him about the fact.
 - (b) She talked as if she had lost everything.
 - (c) Scarcely had we finished our duty when we left our office.
 - (d) Danger often comes where danger is feared.
 - (e) We have to take rest so that we may save our life from risk.

- **8.** (a) invention (b) consumers (c) unfortunate (d) becomes (e) children (f) scientists (g) incurable (h) invisible (i) irreparable (j) government
- **9.** (a) Optimism is a great quality, isn't it?
 - (b) Everybody believes this truth, don't they?
 - (c) But all can't be optimistic, can they?
 - (d) None but the optimists are accepted by all, aren't they?
 - (e) So, we all should be optimistic about life, shouldn't we?
- 10. (a) If (b) Because (c) Then (d) therefore (e) that
- **11.** "Do not worry about a few mistakes," said the teacher. "You can learn a lot through your mistakes." "Do we learn from our mistakes?" asked the boy.

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35 ✓ DINAJPUR BOARD–2020

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) influence (b) for (c) complete (d) of (e) contact (f) with (g) about (h) which (i) most (j) a
- 2. (a) significant/memorable (b) strength (c) the (d) for (e) inspires/encourages (f) warning (g) prevented/stopped/held (h) defeated (i) powerful (j) subjugated/chained
- **3.** (a) A teacher is a nation builder.
 - (b) He is a window opener for his students.
 - (c) He opens new vistas of knowledge for them.
 - (d) He nurses the young minds carefully.
 - (e) He holds the noblest profession.
- **4.** (a) enlightens (b) is compared (c) removes (d) limit (e) has started (f) may have/get (g) educating (h) get/have (i) encourage (j) can ensure
- 5. Samir told me that he (R) had got GPA 5 in the SSC examination. Addressing him as brother I congratulated him and asked him what he intended to do then. Samir replied that he wanted to study science group in a reputed college. He added that he had a mind to get admission in BUET after his HSC.
- **6.** (a) We want to acquire knowledge and so we should read books.
 - (b) We are introduced to the domain of knowledge by books.
 - (c) The books that are written by great writers contain noble thoughts and great ideas.
 - (d) No other friends are so great as books.
 - (e) Reading books is nobler than any other habit.
 - (f) Books give us both knowledge and pleasure.
 - (g) Some people do not read books and so they keep themselves aloof from the realm of knowledge.
 - (h) Is there any alternative to reading books to make a civilized society?
 - (i) We should motivate people to read more and more books.
 - (j) We cannot but create social movement about reading books.
 - Or, We cannot help creating social movement about reading books.
- **7.** (a) As flower is a symbol of beauty, <u>it is liked by everybody</u>.
 - (b) There is hardly any person who doesn't love flowers.
 - (c) We can turn our enemies into friends if we offer them flowers.
 - (d) It is said that those who do not love flowers <u>can even commit a murder.</u>
 - (e) Many people cultivate flowers because it has now become a source of earning.
- 8. (a) recently (b) untimely (c) violation (d) unskilled (e) unconscious (f) unlicensed (g) faulty (h) endanger (i) safety (j) unaware
- **9.** (a) The freedom fighters are the real heroes, aren't they?
 - (b) Nothing is greater than their sacrifice, is it?
 - (c) Their contribution to our country will always be remembered, won't it?
 - (d) We should never neglect them, should we?
 - (e) Every citizen of Bangladesh must have due respect for them, <u>mustn't they?</u>
- **10.** (a) which (b) that (c) but (d) than (e) So
- 11. "Hello, old lady! What are you doing?" said the princess. "I am spinning a yarn around the spindle," replied the old woman.

Part-B: Composition

36 MYMENSINGH BOARD-2020

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) number (b) throughout (c) national (d) history (e) some (f) rests (g) culture (h) the (i) walks (j) tradition
- 2. (a) from (b) called (c) from (d) any (e) production (f) about/around/only (g) land (h) since/from (i) surrounding/neighbouring (j) use
- **3.** (a) Punctuality denotes the habit of doing a thing in exact time.
 - (b) It is one of the most important qualities of a man.
 - (c) In a wider sense it is the process for proper utilization of time.
 - (d) To maintain punctuality is necessary for all human beings.
 - (e) So, one should form the habit of being punctual from one's childhood.
- 4. (a) heard (b) is (c) is known (d) was born (e) hinder (f) joined (g) began (h) inspired (i) is called (j) remember
- **5.** Ripon respectfully asked his class teacher if he (R) might go in. The teacher replied in the affirmative and asked him (R) why he (R) was so late that day. He (R) replied that his grandfather suddenly had felt severe pain in his (g) chest, and added that for that reason he (R) had rushed to hospital with him (g). The teacher wished that Allah might grant him quick recovery.
- **6.** (a) What an exciting game cricket is!
 - (b) This game is enjoyed by people of all ages.
 - (c) People play it all over the world.
 - (d) At present it is more popular than any other game in our country.
 - (e) In spite of cricket being a costly game, people of all classes enjoy playing it.
 - (f) The game is played between two teams each of which consists of eleven players.
 - (g) There are two umpires to conduct the game.
 - (h) Isn't it full of thrill and excitement for the spectators?
 - (i) Bangladesh is a test playing country and it is developing its standard day by day.
 - (j) We cannot but try our best to improve its present position.
- 7. (a) It matters little to me whether you like me or not.
 - (b) He pretended as if he were innocent.
 - (c) If I had the wings of a bird, I would fly in the sky.
 - (d) Take your umbrella lest you should be drenched in the rain.
 - (e) Hardly had he started for school when the rain started.
- **8.** (a) development (b) largely (c) inaccessibility (d) illiterate (e) population (f) enables (g) properly (h) rational (i) enlightened (j) prerequisite
- **9.** (a) Nothing is more pleasant than the memories of childhood, <u>is it?</u>
 - (b) We hardly forget the golden past, <u>do we?</u>
 - (c) The memories of my childhood still attract me, <u>don't they</u>?
 - (d) Simple things are at the centre of attraction for a child, aren't they?
 - (e) When a man grows up, he may laugh at those things, mayn't he?
- 10. (a) In fact (b) that (c) as (d) If (e) and
- **11.** "Would you please tell me one reason of air pollution?" "Yes, the smoke from our household activities, vehicles, factories etc is mainly causing air pollution."

Part-B: Composition

See the Composition Part of **Special Preparation Supplement Book**

37 J DHAKA BOARD-2019

- 1. (a) anticipated (b) disaster (c) the (d) sustain (e) to (f) erosion (g) indiscriminately (h) an (i) imperative (j) for
- 2. (a) for (b) going (c) where (d) till/before (e) hearing/at (f) early/fast/soon (g) about (h) down (i) burried (j) for
- **3.** (a) Character means mental or moral qualities of a person.
 - (b) It is the combination of some good qualities.
 - (c) It also means psychological or ethical nature.
 - (d) Character of a person is regarded as the crown of life.
 - (e) Everybody hates a man without character.

- **4.** (a) inspires (b) defend (c) is (d) is honoured (e) thinks (f) think (g) die (h) are remembered (i) sacrificed (j) honoured
- **5.** An old man asked me what the time was by my watch. I replied that it was half past nine. Then he told that he wanted to go to my home. He also asked me politely if I would accompany him. I replied in the negative and told that I was sorry because I was going to school.
- **6.** (a) Man is better than any other creation of God.
 - (b) It is our responsibility to do good deeds.
 - (c) We do not measure our life by months or years.
 - (d) People who are honest lead a happy life.
 - (e) Doesn't it matter little/Does it matter much if a man lives many years or not?
 - (f) Is anybody absolutely happy on the earth?
 - Or, Everybody is somehow unhappy on the earth.
 - (g) So time should not be wasted in vain by us.
 - (h) By using time properly, we can be benefited.
 - (i) No man escape death.
 - Or. There is no man but have to die.
 - (j) We take utmost care but cannot avoid death.
- **7.** (a) Where there is a will, there is a way.
 - (b) If a man does not work hard, he will fail to prosper in life.
 - (c) As the people of Bangladesh are hard working, Bangladesh is progressing remarkably.
 - (d) About a decade ago Bangladesh was slow in development, but now she has made a remarkable development in her G.D.P.
 - (e) So, it is our bounden duty to <u>sustain and carry out this development at any cost</u>.
- **8.** (a) mindful (b) respectful (c) teachers (d) dishonours (e) misbehaviour (f) studious (g) attentively (h) successful (i) determination (j) undertake.
- **9.** (a) I am an SSC examinee, <u>aren't I</u>?
 - (b) My expectation is getting A+, isn't it?
 - (c) Some of my classmates became addicted to using mobile phones, didn't they?
 - (d) They could not pass the test exam, could they?
 - (e) Everybody hates them for this reason, don't they?
- 10. (a) which (b) as (c) Besides (d) who (e) Then/Finally.
- 11. "Have you heard the name of Alexander?" asked Mr. Ahmed. "No, sir," Raju replied. "How strange it is!" said he. "Will you tell me about Alexander, please?" "Well, he was the great king of Macedonia."

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38 **√** RAJSHAHI BOARD–2019

- 1. (a) recently (b) victim (c) that (d) the (e) by (f) faulty (g) endanger (h) awareness (i) strict (j) accused.
- **2.** (a) problems (b) cities (c) live/stay/reside (d) areas (e) crisis/want/problem (f) increasing (g) difficult (h) poor/common/insolvent (i) bear (j) needs/requires.
- **3.** (a) Cricket has a great appeal among the people all over the world.
 - (b) But it is a costly game.
 - (c) Recently it has become popular in our country.
 - (d) Its popularity surpasses that of football.
 - (e) Now rural youths are also seen playing cricket.
- **4.** (a) considered (b) formed (c) understanding (d) owes (e) take (f) acquiring (g) forget (h) admit (i) succeed (j) respect.
- 5. The students told the Headmaster that they wanted to celebrate the victory of the National Debate Competition. Then the Headmaster wanted to know its reason. In reply the students told him (H) that they wanted to make it memorable in their life. The Headmaster assured them not to worry. He (H) added that he would take all necessary steps to arrange the function.
- **6.** (a) Isn't patriotism a noble virtue?
 - (b) It is greater than all other virtues in a man's life.
 - (c) It does not persuade a man to do anything unjust.
 - (d) This quality highly motivates a man to sacrifice his life for the country.
 - (e) It is a very outstanding quality.

- (f) A man who has patriotic zeal is called a patriot.
- (g) A patriot fears only the Creator.
- (h) He obeys the law and so he pays taxes.
- (i) All respect him.
- (j) So, let us be patriots.
- **7.** (a) We should keep in mind that <u>health is wealth.</u>
 - (b) If we are not healthy, we cannot do our jobs properly.
 - (c) We must eat balanced diet so that we can keep a sound health.
 - (d) We should wear socks and shoes when we go outside.
 - (e) Nobody likes a man who <u>is habituated to unhealthy lifestyle.</u>
- **8.** (a) riverine (b) agricultural (c) importance (d) dependent (e) insufficient (f) different (g) dries (h) extremely (i) unsuitable (j) betterment.
- **9.** (a) Cutting trees is not good for us, <u>is it?</u>
 - (b) Because trees supply us oxygen, fruits and wood, don't they?
 - (c) We can hardly live without them, <u>can we</u>?
 - (d) They are our best friends, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (e) Let's plant trees more and more, shall we?
- 10. (a) because of/owing to/due to (b) what (c) which (d) Because (e) But
- **11.** "Go to bed now," mother said, "You can complete your assignment in the morning." "No, mom. I'll finish it now."

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39 **√** JASHORE BOARD–2019

- 1. (a) the (b) treatment (c) of (d) generally (e) and (f) A (g) sick (h) the (i) by (j) to
- 2. (a) role (b) moment (c) until (d) language (e) express (f) convey (g) our/necessary (h) ever/ always (i) an (j) what
- **3.** (a) Unemployment is a curse.
 - (b) It weakens the body and mind of our young population.
 - (c) There are more people in our country than jobs.
 - (d) Educated youths remain idle after completing their studies.
 - (e) They should not depend on the government to provide them with jobs.
- 4. (a) memorizing (b) make (c) prepared (d) exercise (e) thinking (f) develop (g) command (h) do (i) claim (j) help.
- 5. The teacher asked the boy why he (b) was disturbing the class in that way. He (t) again asked him (b) if he (b) didn't know that it was an important class. He (t) then ordered the boy to get out of the room and not to come back that day. The boy respectfully apologized to the teacher. He (b) promised that he'd never disturb in the class.
- **6.** (a) What a (devastating) phenomenon of the modern world terrorism is!
 - (b) Isn't it increasing alarmingly at present?
 - (c) Terrorism is more disastrous than anything.
 - (d) Very few problems of the modern world are as corrosive as it.
 - (e) People hate a terrorist.
 - (f) Everybody is now in the threat of violence.
 - (g) There are laws to punish the terrorists but they are not properly applied.
 - (h) If we apply the law properly, we can get rid of terrorism.
 - (i) A terrorist leads a very miserable life.
 - (j) The authorities should bring them to book.
- **7.** (a) The mango is a fruit which grows abundantly in Bangladesh.
 - (b) It is so delicious that everybody likes it.
 - (c) Rajshahi is the place where it grows the most.
 - (d) If you visit Rajshahi, Bogura and Dinajpur <u>you can see a large number of mango trees/orchards.</u>
 - (e) People of these areas produce a huge amount of mangoes and <u>supply them all over the country and even abroad.</u>

- **8.** (a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) renews (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) freshness.
- **9.** (a) You had better drink cold water, hadn't you?
 - (b) The father rose in him at this sight, didn't it?
 - (c) Thank you very much, don't I?
 - (d) He as well as his brother came here, didn't he?
 - (e) Let us go home, shall we?
- 10. (a) Though (b) as well as (c) Moreover/Besides (d) but (e) So/Therefore
- **11.** "Zaman, can you tell me what I am teaching?" the teacher asked. "I'm sorry, sir, I can't follow," replied Zaman. "You can't because you are not attentive," the teacher said.

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40 CUMILLA BOARD-2019

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) with (b) boon (c) a (d) hinders (e) in (f) of (g) eradicate (h) lagging (i) jointly (j) development
- 2. (a) for (b) to (c) a (d) of (e) topics/something (f) written (g) to (h) reading (i) while/but (j) of
- **3.** (a) Discipline means obedience to some sort of rules and regulations.
 - (b) It must be a very important factor in human life.
 - (c) It is not to deny individual freedom.
 - (d) Discipline aims at maintaining social harmony, order and the like.
 - (e) The absence of discipline means chaos and disorder in the society.
- **4.** (a) is known (b) have (c) sacrificed (d) will remember (e) working (f) respects (g) occurs (h) stands (i) should follow (j) committing
- **5.** Sohel wished Rupa good morning and asked her how much preparation she had taken for the upcoming SSC exam. Rupa replied that she had taken a great preparation. She hoped to get 90+ marks in every subject. Sohel exclaimed with wonder that she was so confident.
- **6.** (a) Very few inventions of modern science are so/as great as computer.
 - (b) Computer is not a curse on earth.
 - (c) In spite of being a blessing, it has dark sides.
 - (d) Nowadays people are using computers in almost every sphere of life.
 - (e) We have to depend on it.
 - Or, We must depend on it.
 - (f) Can anyone deny its necessity?
 - (g) It is more used than any other device in our life.
 - (h) We are helped a lot by it.
 - (i) It is useful and so it has become very popular.
 - (j) We cannot imagine our modern life if there is no computer.
- **7.** (a) Books are our best friends because they never betray us.
 - (b) A man who reads books regularly, can become a learned person.
 - (c) By reading books one can surely enrich one's knowledge.
 - (d) We can learn moral values if <u>we read the books of great writers.</u>
 - (e) We should inspire the students so that they can be habituated to reading books.
- **8.** (a) utilization (b) valuable (c) idleness (d) Punctuality (e) enriches (f) human (g) autobiography (h) undone (i) Obviously (j) respectful
- **9.** (a) Sincerity is a great virtue. A sincere man always succeeds in life, doesn't he?
 - (b) The people who are insincere can hardly succeed, can they?
 - (c) Nobody is as successful as a sincere man, are they?
 - (d) Every student should be sincere to shine in life, shouldn't they?
 - (e) Let's be sincere in our life, shall we?
- 10. (a) Though (b) and (c) As (d) but (e) So/ Therefore
- 11. "Why are you late? Always try to attend the class regularly." "Yes, sir," the student said to the teacher.

Part-B: Composition

41 **CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2019**

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) full (b) made (c) objects (d) water (e) clothes (f) forces (g) currents (h) on (i) important (j) the
- 2. (a) a (b) by (c) curse (d) various (e) responsible (f) reckless (g) even/again (h) regularly/ properly (i) without (j) main
- **3.** (a) Every independent country of the world has its own flag.
 - (b) The national flag is the symbol of independence and sovereignty of a nation.
 - (c) Hence, to every nation its flag is dearer than any other thing.
 - (d) We need to safeguard its prestige.
 - (e) For that we need to have patriotic feelings.
- 4. (a) climbed (b) picked (c) took (d) gave (e) felt (f) noticed (g) got (h) did (i) wanted (j) had washed.
- **5.** Rina asked Karim how he was. She further told him that she had gone to his house the day before but had not found him. She again asked him where he had gone. Karim replied that he had gone to the book fair. He added that he had to maintain their school's stall.
- **6.** (a) Haji Mohammad Mohsin was not an unkind man.
 - (b) He was unmarried.
 - (c) People were cordially loved by him.
 - (d) Did he ever think of his own happiness?
 - (e) What a simple life he led!
 - (f) He always helped those who were needy.
 - (g) He contributed much money for education so that the poor students might be educated.
 - (h) He had a vast wealth but he did not spend for his own.
 - (i) Everybody knows his kindness.
 - (j) Very few kind men of the world were as great as he.
- 7. (a) Walk fast lest you should miss the bus.
 - (b) It is high time we took steps against corruption.
 - (c) The man was so weak that he could not talk.
 - (d) A stitch in time saves nine.
 - (e) As he was meritorious, <u>he could understand the matter easily</u>.
- **8.** (a) desired/desirable (b) civilization (c) intolerable (d) deficiency (e) populated (f) insufficient (g) repeatedly (h) immediately (i) government (j) remove.
- **9.** (a) There is little water in this pond, is there?
 - (b) Nobody respects a dishonest man, do they?
 - (c) Let's enjoy a picnic, shall we?
 - (d) What a pity, isn't it?
 - (e) Don't disturb me, will you?
- 10. (a) but (b) Earlier/Previously (c) But (d) Besides (e) Therefore
- **11.** "Do you know me?" "Yes, I know you from my childhood." "What's your name?" "My name is Sumon." "Thank you a lot," said Mr. Jamal.

Part-B: Composition

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42 SYLHET BOARD-2019

- 1. (a) adulteration (b) of (c) hardly (d) which (e) or (f) At (g) the (h) into (i) for (j) which
- 2. (a) an (b) beside/ by (c) of (d) a (e) always/ often (f) his (g) of (h) rare (i) true/ real/ good/ actual (j) own/ self/ personal
- **3.** (a) Man is curious by nature.
 - (b) He wants to know various things of the world.
 - (c) Newspapers is one of the best media to satisfy his curiosity.
 - (d) It has a great educative value.
 - (e) It shows us the outside world like a mirror.
- **4.** (a) is facing/ faces (b) has (already) created/ made (c) is trying (d) solved (e) making (f) is (g) helps (h) doing/ to do (i) engaging/ to engage (j) making/ creating

- 5. The stranger asked the boy whether he (b) could tell him (s) the way to the nearest hotel. The boy respectfully replied in the affirmative and said that he (b) could. He (b) asked him (s) whether he (s) wanted a residential one in which he (s) could spend the night. In reply the man told him (b) that he (s) did not want to stay there but he (s) only wanted a meal. Then the boy suggested that Paradise Garden would be better for him (s).
- **6.** (a) Very few evils are so bad as corruption.
 - (b) A man who is corrupted can do anything against morality.
 - (c) A corrupted man is hated by people.
 - (d) Who respects him? Or, Does anybody respect him?
 - (e) The man taking bribe is next to devil.
 - (f) We have strict law, but we are still affected by this evil.
 - (g) A corrupted man is the most hated person.
 - (h) We hope Bangladesh to be free from this evil.
 - (i) Nobody accepts/welcomes a corrupted man. Or, There is nobody but avoids a corrupted man.
 - (j) What an unhappy life a corrupted man leads!
- **7.** (a) Acid rain is harmful because <u>it causes great harm to our environment mainly to our forests and lakes.</u>
 - (b) The wind was so strong that it blew away many of our thatched houses.
 - (c) Had he been a little careful he could have saved his kid from being injured.
 - (d) They were frightened when the thunder storm began.
 - (e) Take your umbrella lest you should get drenched.
- **8.** (a) luxurious (b) indifferent (c) amusement (d) merriment (e) self-centered (f) realization (g) unbounded (h) sufferings (i) uncomfortable (j) betterment
- **9.** (a) Telling lies is a great sin, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) One lie begets hundred lies, doesn't it?
 - (c) None believes a liar, do they?
 - (d) He has to lead a miserable life, doesn't he?
 - (e) So, all of us ought to refrain from telling lies, oughtn't we?
- 10. (a) who (b) Because (c) In fact/ Moreover/ Besides (d) So/Therefore (e) Therefore/ In fine/ At the same time
- 11. Who are jolly? Those who have sound health are jolly. Sound mind lies in sound body. Minds become jolly when our life is filled with pleasure.

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43 J BARISHAL BOARD-2019

- 1. (a) beautiful (b) rising (c) sight (d) within (e) longest (f) The (g) bewitching (h) mangrove (i) wild (j) charming
- 2. (a) cultivate/ grow (b) to (c) farmer (d) determination (e) vegetable (f) foreign (g) in (h) the (i) food/diet (j) export
- **3.** (a) Child labour means to engage a child in physical or mental labour.
 - (b) It is the worst form of violation of human rights.
 - (c) Child labourers are exploited and ill-treated.
 - (d) Child labourers are deprived of the basic human rights.
 - (e) The government should ensure the rehabilitation of those children.
- **4.** (a) emerged (b) been (c) is (d) been brought (e) were confined (f) found (g) gives (h) work (i) are (j) earning.
- Rifat told Munir that he (M) had not attended his (R) birthday party. Munir replied to his friend that he was extremely sorry. He (M) added that he (M) had to go to his (M) uncle's house in Dhaka. Then he (M) asked Rifat how the programme was. Rifat said that he (R) should be allowed to show him (M) the photographs.
- **6.** (a) Isn't internet a computer-based networking system?
 - (b) It is a transmitting system of information which is speedy.
 - (c) Aren't its functions smooth and rapid? Its functions are not unsmooth and slow.
 - (d) A man having an internet connection gets a link soon according to his expectation.

- (e) As many educational institutions use internet, they are greatly benefited.
- (f) All the renowned libraries of the world can be visited by a student without going there.
- (g) What a (an effective) role it plays in the modern world of communication!
- (h) Very few topics have become as popular as e-commerce to the customers.
- (i) It helps the customers to buy or choose anything and they do not have to go to market.
- (j) It is a very amazing milestone in the modern world of communication.
- **7.** (a) There is a proverb that <u>Health is wealth.</u>
 - (b) Who does not know this wise saying?
 - (c) Unless you have good health, you cannot be happy.
 - (d) You may have a lot of wealth but all your wealth is of no use when if / you are unhealthy.
 - (e) It is high time, we were very much careful of our health.
- **8.** (a) relaxation (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) monotonous (e) smoothness (f) renews (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) idleness (j) freshness
- **9.** (a) To tell a lie is a great sin. Sinners suffer in the long run, don't they?
 - (b) Flowers are the symbol of beauty and purity. Nobody dislikes flowers, does anybody/do they?
 - (c) I want to meet her. She hardly comes here, does she?
 - (d) Vitamins are essential for our health. So we must eat vegetables to get vitamins, mustn't we?
 - (e) Truthfulness is a great virtue. So, don't tell a lie, will you?
- 10. (a) However/ At present/ Today (b) Due to/ Because of (c) as well as/ and (d) Besides (e) Consequently.
- **11.** "Don't you have any relative here to stay with?" "No, sir. So, I need transfer certificate to be admitted there."

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44 J DINAJPUR BOARD-2019

- 1. (a) advancement (b) with (c) connection (d) network (e) of (f) smaller (g) within (h) short (i) thirsty (j) miracle
- 2. (a) the (b) melting (c) in (d) as (e) for (f) atmosphere (g) are (h) in (i) is (j) balance
- **3.** (a) Integrity is an uncommon quality of human beings.
 - (b) A man of integrity upholds his honesty and truthfulness even at the cost of his life.
 - (c) He never thinks to tell a lie or do any dishonest deed.
 - (d) He is a man of great courage.
 - (e) Those who possess this quality are considered super human beings.
- 4. (a) is (b) taken (c) secured (d) dependent (e) earn (f) are treated (g) pass (h) increased (i) should be allowed (j) will do.
- **5.** Sara courteously requested Niha to give her (S) her (N) English Grammar and Composition Book. Niha replied that she (N) could not give it. She added that she (N) had to take it with her (N) in the class. Then Sara assured her (N) that she (S) would return the book before the class started. Hearing this, Niha allowed her (S) to take it. Then Sara thanked her (N).
- **6.** (a) Facebook is not an uncommon social network.
 - (b) Now people all over the world are using it.
 - (c) Who doesn't use it?
 - (d) Every student has a smart phone.
 - (e) Everyone likes social network.
 - (f) No other social network is so/as good as facebook.
 - (g) In spite of its giving pleasure, we cannot get freedom to use it.
 - (h) If you do not use it, you cannot keep pace with the modern world.
 - (i) We can use it and get much new information.
 - (j) I wish I could open a facebook account.
- **7.** (a) Leisure means the time when we have no work.
 - (b) As we live in a materialistic world, we have to do a lot of work.
 - (c) But it should be kept in mind that <u>leisure is part of work</u>.
 - (d) If a man does not take rest after a work, he will feel tired and bored.
 - (e) So, we should take rest so that we may work with a renewed vigour.

- **8.** (a) resourceful (b) information (c) teachers (d) reference (e) studying (f) situation (g) completely (h) relation (i) teacher (j) popularity
- **9.** (a) Our examination is over. Everybody is free now, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - (b) He along with his friends will pay a visit to Sylhet, won't he?
 - (c) But Aslam has little interest about it, has he?
 - (d) He as well as his parents visited Sylhet last year, <u>didn't he?</u>
 - (e) As they visited many interesting places, they could enjoy a lot, <u>couldn't they?</u>
- 10. (a) as/what (b) But (c) as well as (d) But (e) or
- 11. "Stop. You are eating all our bread," shouted the two rats. "I'm doing my best. But I have told you that it's difficult," said the monkey. "Give us that little piece. Haven't I laboured a lot for you?" replied the monkey." How foolish we are believing you!" said the two rats.

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45 COMBINED BOARD EXAM-2018

[Dhaka; Rajshahi; Jashore; Cumilla; Chattogram; Sylhet; Barishal & Dinajpur Board] **Part–A: Grammar**

- 1. (a) lies (b) apparently (c) sorts (d) worst (e) in (f) has (g) about (h) of (i) coping (j) awareness
- 2. (a) refers (b) the (c) on (d) position (e) but (f) by (g) nobody (h) be (i) dint/virtue (j) can
- **3.** (a) Blood donation is a very noble deed.
 - (b) By donating blood we save the life of dying patients.
 - (c) Many of us have misconception about blood donation.
 - (d) Every man in sound health can donate blood after every three months.
 - (e) Donating blood will cause no harm to us.
- 4. (a) was asked (b) compose (c) promised (d) finished (e) was (f) containing (g) didn't agree (h) wanted (i) refused (j) returned
- 5. Shabab asked Tahsin whether he (T) had visited the Shat Gambuj Mosque. Tahsin replied in the negative and said that he (T) had not visited it. Shabab said that he (S) had been there the previous week and exclaimed with joy that the mosque was very beautiful. At this Tashin proposed to Shabab that they should go there the following year.
- **6.** (a) Taimur was one of the greatest conquerors.
 - (b) Young Taimur once attacked the province of a powerful prince.
 - (c) He entered the kingdom of the prince and captured a large village.
 - (d) Taimur's all soldiers were killed by the army.
 - (e) He disguised himself as a poor traveller so that he could survive.
 - (f) Coming to a house he asked for something to eat.
 - (g) There lived a woman in the house who was old.
 - (h) Didin't the woman become sympathetic to see Taimur?
 - (i) How hot the food was!
 - (j) Taimur was so hungry that he couldn't wait.
- **7.** (a) It is English which <u>is spoken all over the world</u>.
 - (b) But most of the students don't know how to do well in English.
 - (c) If a student wants to do well in English he must learn English grammar well.
 - (d) Unless he/ she practises it, he/ she can't learn it well.
 - (e) It is high time we learned the four skills of English.
- **8.** (a) generally (b) lovers (c) outward (d) hardly (e) valuable (f) various (g) beautiful (h) measurement (i) careful (j) repentant
- **9.** (a) At present, everybody likes cricket, don't they?
 - (b) Students hardly miss watching this game, do they?
 - (c) Nothing is more enjoyable to them than cricket, is it?
 - (d) How exciting the game is!, isn't it?
 - (e) Let's play this game, shall we?
- 10. (a) While (b) that (c) so that (d) because (e) Consequently/ As a result/ That is why
- **11.** "What's your programme after the examination?" asked Ratul. Nabil said, "I havn't yet decided. Can you suggest any?" "Let's go on a picnic," said Ratul. "What an excellent idea!"

Part-B: Composition



মূল বইয়ের বাইরে আরও শীর্ষস্থানীয় স্কুলের প্রশ্নপত্র ও উত্তরমালা

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Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

take

| 1. | 1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | | | | | | | | | of some of | | | |
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| | The name of | of my schoo | l is Bogura | Cantonmer | nt Public Sc | hool and Co | ollege. It is | one of the b | est (a) — | _ | | | |
| | in our cour | ntry. The sc | hool is situ | ated (b) —— | - the entran | ice of the ca | antonment. | It is 10 kilo | meters | | | | |
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in our country. The school is situated (b) —— the entrance of the cantonment. It is 10 kilometers away (c) —— Bogura town. The school is housed (d) —— a nice four story building. The Principal has a separate room to sit (e) ——. The office rooms are adjacent (f) —— the principal's room. The clerks maintain the records of (g) —— school. There is teachers' common room. There (h) —— also science laboratories, library and guest room. Our school starts at 11 a.m. (i) —— breaks at 3.20 p.m. We get a recess (j) —— half an hour to take our tiffin.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Zahid is (a) —— S.S.C examinee. He is not (b) —— to his lessons specially to English because he is very weak in English. Moreover he is lazy. So his (c) —— in English is not good. A month (d) —— his examination he managed a short suggestion of probable questions (e) —— English. On the day of examination of English he started (f) —— the examination hall (g) —— bit earlier. He entered the examination hall with a (h) —— heart. As usual the bell rang (i) —— just time. The invigilators gave the scripts and the question to the students. Zahid took the script and the question paper. He was disappointed to (j) —— the questions because no question was common to him.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Independence | went | the war. |
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| No nation | took place | to the battle field to save the country. |
| Our war of independence | is | it without struggle. |
| People of all walks of life | can achieve | in 1971. |
| They | joined | the birth right of a man. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

see

gather

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

encourage

| The boat race (a) —— by any club. The date (b) —— in due course. The spectators (c) —— and line |
|--|
| up along the banks of the river in which the race (d) —— place. The hawkers (e) —— moving through |
| the crowd selling many things. The boats (f) —— in a proper row. The rowers look much excited. |
| They (g) —— by their supporters. The umpire and judges take their position. A great excitement (h) |
| — through the crowd. Now the zero hour (i) — for the starting of the race. The starter (j) — the |
| signal. Right go the boats onward. A huge cry goes round the place. |

pass

arrange

announce

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

come give put

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Mina said to Rina, "When does your SSC Examination commence?" "It commences in 2nd week of February 2024, " she said. "Your SSC Examination is knocking at the door and don't waste your time," said Mina. "You're right." said Rina. "And I am learning my lessons with profound attention. Please pray for me."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) If we read books, we can discover new worlds. (Simple)
- (b) While reading books we enter in a new world. (Complex)
- (c) If we do not read books, we cannot keep pace with modern life. (Compound)
- (d) Reading is one of the best habits. (Positive)
- (e) A book is as living as its writer. (Comparative)

| (a) Walk fast lest ——. (b) Hardly had the assembly begun ——. (c) Five years have passed since ——. (d) It is high time we ——. (e) Danger often comes ——. 8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | |
|---|------------------|
| (g) Nobody dislikes this habit. (Affirmative) (h) Reading books is a very good habit. (Negative) (i) We should visit a book fair. (Interrogative) (j) We should read books more and more. (Imperative) 7. Complete the sentences. (a) Walk fast lest —. (b) Hardly had the assembly begun —. (c) Five years have passed since —. (d) It is high time we —. (e) Danger often comes —. 8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. | |
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| (d) It is high time we ——. (e) Danger often comes ——. 8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. | |
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| anybody. He is free from (e) <u>conduct</u> . He is (f) <u>study</u> . He is not (g) <u>sincere</u> and (h) <u>attentive</u> to study. He maintains (i) <u>punctual</u> . He is honest and (j) <u>truth</u> . | |
| 5. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| (a) I am a test examinee, ——? | |
| (b) Let me make the best use of time, ——? | |
| (c) We should not neglect the freedom fighters, ——? | |
| (d) Man hardly believes a liar, ——?(e) As we are friends, we should keep in touch, ——? | |
| • | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| Dengue fever is a serious disease (a) —— is caused by a kind of virus called 'Dengue Virus'. (this virus was identified in Africa (c) —— now it has spread all over the world. (d) —— in most dengue fever has its remedy, it is better to prevent it. (e) —— we keep our dwelling houses cle people are conscious of it, we can easily avoid this disease. | (b) st cases |
| 11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| he said to the <mark>sh</mark> oe maker you are a big block head you have done the reverse of what i desir told you to make one of the shoes larger than the other and instead of that you have made of them smaller than the other | |
| Part-B : Composition [40 Marks] | |
| 12. Mind that you are Mahfuz/Mahfuza. Your home district is Dhaka. You have completed M.S.S. in Library Science from Dhaka University. You have found a job circular in 'The Independent' for the position of an Assistant Librarian in The Dhaka Central Library. N write a CV with cover letter for the post to the Director of the library. Your CV should exceed one page. | low |
| 13. Suppose you are Arif/Arifa, a student of class 10 in Bogura Central High School. Your f | father |
| faces financial difficulty to pay your tuition fees. Now, write an application to the Head | |
| for full free studentship. | 10 |
| 14. Write a paragraph on "Water Pollution" answering the following questions : | 10 |
| (a) What is water pollution? (b) What are the ways of water pollution? (c) What are the harmful effects of it? (d) How can it be reduced? (e) How can we get rid of this problem? | ul |
| 15. Write a composition on "The Season you Like Most". | |

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Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the f | orms of some of |
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| A (a) —— fighter is a warrior who took part (b) —— our war of Liberation in 1971. A freedom fighter | | | | | | | | | | |
| is (c) —— greatest son of the soil. The (d) —— of our motherland was dearer (e) —— a freedom fighter | | | | | | | | | | |
| (f) — his life. So when he heard the declaration (g) — independence in 1971, he joined the war. | | | | | | | | | | |
| He joined the war (h) ——. He had strong moral courage. He was mainly a guerrilla (i) ——. He | | | | | | | | | | |
| attacked the enemy from (j) —— unknown place and then disappeared. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

You are the students of class Ten, (a) —— highest class of the school. (b) —— come to this stage, you had to undergo a lot of hardship and had to (c) —— efforts. None of you can (d) —— the fact of getting help from many dedicated and friendly teachers. This is however, (e) —— usual process. The teachers did a tremendous job to bring (f) —— to this stage. All (g) —— have been done to you to help you (h) —— an ideal person, having (i) —— ability and integrity (j) —— your own excellence.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| | would often go | by the rulers of Athens. | | | | | |
|----------|----------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Socrates | was killed | a natural death. | | | | | |
| Не | did not die | out in the streets of Athens. | | | | | |
| | wanted | to spread knowledge among the people. | | | | | |
| | would stop | passersby at different places in the streets and asked them simple questions. | | | | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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There are many reasons for which many students in our country (a) — in English. That English is a foreign language is the main reason. English is as though it (b) — a language (c) — for a particular class of people. It (d) — as a sheer wastage of time. They (e) — to cram English as though they (f) — cramming is the only way to learn English. But (g) — they been earnest in learning English they could have (h) — it easily. Moreover they are not (i) — properly. In addition, the text books (j) — according to the need of the learners.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Do you know why you are sent to school?"

"For playing with friends, father."

"No, you are sent to learn to, read and write".

"But I won't read and write" replied Jack sulkily.

"Yes, you will".

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Visiting a village is quite pleasant. (Negative)
- (b) I was born in a very big village. (Compound)
- (c) Doesn't our village stand on the Karotoa? (Statement)
- (d) A village home is very sweet. (Complex)
- (e) Those living in the village can enjoy a pollution free environment. (Interrogative)
- (f) My villagers get facilities but they are not sufficient. (Simple)
- (g) To a man, no other place is as beloved as his native village. (Comparative)
- (h) A village home is the sweetest place. (Positive)
- (i) There is noone but loves his village home. (Affirmative)
- (j) The village home is an extraordinary one. (Negative)

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| | Natural calam | ity has | become | a commo | n affair in E | Bangl | adesh | . It means | natural (a | a) —— wh | ich | is | |
| | caused (b) — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 3. | Make five ser | itences | s using p | arts of s | | om e | | | | | | \times 5 = 5 | |
| | Health | | | | cannot | | happy if he is blessed with sound health. | | | | | | |
| | It | | | | can be | | always fresh and jolly. | | | | | | |
| | A person | | | | means | | the soundness of body and mind. | | | | | | |
| | A healthy per | rson | | | is | | enjoy his l <mark>ife</mark> at all. | | | | | | |
| | A person hav | in <mark>g</mark> ill-l | nealth | | remains | | the most valuable asset of a person. | | | | | | |
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| | through fair n | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | them. Their hours and days (e) — only for earning money. Thus they (f) — after money till death. They may (g) — their bags with money but their money becomes a liability to them. Costly dress is | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (h) —— by the | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | happy though | | | | | | • | | | • | | | |
| 5 . | Change the n | arrativ | e style o | of the fol | lowing text | . . | | | | | | 5 | |
| | "I heard the n | | | | | | | | | Ruma. "I i | feel a | a bit | |
| | well," replied | | | - | | ound | soon, | " said Nas | ima. | | | | |
| 6. | Change the s | | | _ | | | | | | | 1 × 1 | 10 = 10 | |
| | (a) Mr. Rahim is one of the best teachers in our area. (Make positive degree)(b) He possesses a high moral value. (Make passive voice) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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7. Complete the sentences.

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- (a) —— if he told me.
- (b) The answer —— by him was right.
- Finishing the work ——. (c)
- (d) I saw my mother ——.
- He went to the USA in order that ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. Debate is an art of speaking. It helps the debater to speak (a) logic and argumentatively on (b) differ subjects. It teaches us (c) argue. You cannot defeat your opponent if you speak (d) logic. A skilled debater can (e) easy beat the opponent. It also develops (f) create in a debater. It also (g) smart the participants. So, we should give (h) inspire to our students to (i) take in debate competition. Now, there are many organizations which arrange debate (j) compete among the students of different schools and colleges. Make tag questions of these statements. $1 \times 5 = 5$ Nobody should escape from his duty, ——? Let's finish our programme, ——? (b) He as well as his friends joined the party, ——? (c) The sister rose in her, ——? (d) We seldom want war, ——? $1 \times 5 = 5$ 10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. Ripa is a student of class ten. (a) —— she is meritorious, she never takes pride in her merit. She is helpful to all. (b) —— any weak student comes to her with any problem, she tries to help him/her. She is respectful to the seniors (c) —— affectionate to the juniors. She is simple in behavior (d) — strict in principle. (e) ——, everyone loves her. 11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5 why didn't you go to school yesterday said mother i was ill mum the girl replied how are you today the mother asked again well said the girl **Part-B: Composition** [40 Marks] 12. Suppose, you are Ariful Haq/Arifa Khatun and you have completed your graduation in Computer Science. Recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The Daily Jugantor' for the post of an Assi<mark>stant Programmer in the Asian Elect</mark>ronics Company Ltd. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not be exceeded more than one page. 8 13. Suppose, you are Jaber/Jarin, a student of class ten in Mymensingh Town High School, Mymensingh. Your school has a library but it lacks modern amenities. Now, write an

application to the Headmaster for increasing library facilities of your school.

14. Write a paragraph on 'A School Magazine.'

15. Write a composition on 'The Game You Like Most.'

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| | human functions | know learn | n with c | capacity | work | intelligence | animals | term | | | |
| | Man is blessed (a) — | - the power to th | ink and rea | act on (b) | —. Poss | essing the (c |) —— and | ability to | | | |
| | respond in this way is | | | | | | | | | | |
| | problem-solving (f) — | | _ | _ | | • | | | | | |
| _ | this is (i) —— as artific | _ | | that mak | kes compu | iters to beha | = | | | | |
| 2. | Fill in the blanks with | | _ | -11 | D-: | 1 | | $5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | |
| | An advocate of female Cumilla. She (c) —— h | | | | | | | | | | |
| | a girls' high school in t | | | | | | | | | | |
| | her (f) — village and | | | | | _ | | _ | | | |
| | Faizunnesa (i) —— diff | _ | | | | _ | | _ | | | |
| | founded an (j) —— the | re. | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. | Make five sentences | using parts of s | sentences f | from eacl | h column | of the table | below. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ | | | |
| | The Padma Bridge | constructed | a four lan | e highway | y and a si | ngle track ra | ilway. | | | | |
| | The two level bridge | cost | the bridge | e mainly. | | | | | | | |
| | A Chinese company | has connected | BDT 32,000 crore to complete the bridge. | | | | | | | | |
| | It | has | Dhaka to | the south | nern regioi | n of Banglade | Bangladesh. | | | | |
| | The 6.15 km bridge | carries | 41 section | ns, each 1 | 50.12 me | eter long and 22.5 meter wide. | | | | | |
| 4. | Complete the following | ng text wit <mark>h r</mark> ig | tht forms o | f the ver | bs give <mark>n</mark> i | in the box. | 0. | $5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | |
| | subdue be | write engage | e send | esteem | n inflict | visit | deprive | regard | | | |
| | It was long since I (a) — your illness, I (c) —— y awareness among peopeducation and guidant burden in the society. | you. Since my reple (e) —— their ce. They (g) —— | eturn from A daughters and (h) —— | Austr <mark>ali</mark> a, to school. – by their | I have go . In our co | t m <mark>yse</mark> lf (<mark>d)</mark> – untry girls (f | — in rais) —— of p | ing roper | | | |
| 5. | Change the narrative | | _ | - | | | | 5 | | | |
| | Sabina said to Alam, " | Happy birthday | to you. You | ı are looki | ing very sı | nart." "Than | ks for you | r | | | |
| | appreciation," said Alam. "Where is Manika? Won't she come?" "Sorry, she has gone to hospital with | | | | | | | | | | |
| | her mother." she replied. "But why," he asked. "She fell on the road and lost sense," said Sabina. | | | | | | | | | | |
| _ | "Let's go to the hospita | | •• | | | | | 10 10 | | | |
| 6. | Change the sentence | _ | | | | | 1 | × 10 = 10 | | | |
| | | (a) I answered her beckoning. (Compound)(b) I went over during the interval. (Complex) | | | | | | | | | |
| | (c) Someone had mentioned her name to me. (Passive) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | (e) We are none of us | s getting any you | unger. (Affir | mative) | | | | | | | |
| | (f) She asked me to | luncheon. (Passi | ive) | | | | | | | | |
| | (g) It was twenty yea | | _ | | _ | | | | | | |
| | (h) I was earning a li | | | ogether. (| (Complex) | | | | | | |
| | (i) She read a book of | ot mine. (Passive | 2) | | | | | | | | |

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) If you want to be a good student ——.

(j) I was too young to say 'no' to a woman. (Complex)

- (b) Follow me lest ——.
- (c) —— provided that you return it in time.
- (d) People who live in glass houses ——.
- (e) He was so craven ——.

| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | | | | | | | |
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| | parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | | | | | |
| | (a) <u>corrupt</u> is one of the greatest challenges of the world. It occurs in (b) <u>vary</u> ways. (c) <u>bribe</u> is or | ie of | | | | | | |
| | them. It is a major hindrance to the (d) <u>sustain</u> development. It is (e) <u>corrode</u> on the very fabric of | ſ | | | | | | |
| | society. We need a corruption free society in order to (f) $\underline{\text{sure}}$ our all round (g) $\underline{\text{develop}}$. (h) $\underline{\text{extort}}$ | and | | | | | | |
| | (i) <u>adulterate</u> of food-stuffs are other forms of it. All attempts to curb corruption have proved to be | эе (j) | | | | | | |
| | <u>effect</u> . | | | | | | | |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. $1 \times$ | 5 = 5 | | | | | | |
| | (a) The guide was not a woman, ——? | | | | | | | |
| | (b) I along with my sister visited my aunt, ——? | | | | | | | |
| | (c) The jury gave unanimous opinion, ——? | | | | | | | |
| | (d) Rakib and not his friends had done it, ——? | | | | | | | |
| | (e) Not only my parents but also I was present there, ——? | | | | | | | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. $1 \times$ | 5 = 5 | | | | | | |
| | Dengue fever is a serious disease (a) —— is caused by a kind of virus called 'Dengue' virus. (b) —— | | | | | | | |
| | this virus was identified in Africa. (c) —— now it has spread all over the world. (d) —— in most cases | | | | | | | |
| | dengue fever has its remedy, it is better to prevent it. (e) ——. we keep our surroundings clean a | nd | | | | | | |
| | be conscious of it, we can easily avoid this disease. | | | | | | | |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 | | | | | | |
| | give me a few grains of corn i am dying of hunger said the grasshopper but what did you do in | | | | | | | |
| | summer didnt you store any grain the ant remarked i was too busy in singing said the grasshop | per | | | | | | |
| Part | t-B: Composition [40 Marks] | | | | | | | |
| 12. | Suppose, some IT officers will be appointed in a mobile company. Your name is Monira and | đ | | | | | | |
| | you are interested to join the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post of an I' | | | | | | | |
| | Officer. | 8 | | | | | | |
| 13. | Imagine, your name is Shima, you have passed SSC. Now, write an application to your | | | | | | | |
| | Headmaster for a testimonial. | 10 | | | | | | |
| 14. | Write a paragraph on 'Price Hike'. | 10 | | | | | | |
| | Write a composition on 'Your Childhood Memories'. | 12 | | | | | | |

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Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |

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| Everybod | y knows th | at food ad | ulteration | is (a) —— | crime. Adı | ulterated fo | ood is pois | sonous and | 1 | |
| dangerou | dangerous (b) —— our health. People eating this (c) —— of food (d) —— victims to liver disease, | | | | | | | | | |
| cancer, k | idney failur | re and so o | on. (e) —— | dishones | t businessi | men who a | ire avaricio | ous run af | ter mo | ney |
| and make | e money (f) | —— by do | ing this (g |) worl | k. They thr | rive (h) | – the mise | ries of oth | ers. Tł | ıey |
| (i) —— de | serve exem | ıplary pun | ishment fo | or their ab | ominable o | erime. Som | ne strict m | easures m | ust be | |
| taken to end this abominable task of the (j) —— businessmen and the illegal money makers. | | | | | | | | | | |

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2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

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 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

(a) — is a noble quality. Everybody likes a truthful person. It is considered to be (b) — greatest and noblest of all virtues. It denotes the very habit of speaking (c) — truth. It is synonymous (d) — the word straight-forwardness. This very simple and unique virtue costs a man nothing but earns for him (e) — lot. For example, it crowns a man (f) — honour and (g) —. Besides, everybody believes him and respects him. Furthermore, he always enjoys both happiness and peace. He is afraid (h) — none but the Almighty. But sometimes a truthful man is to face (i) — untoward situation and may fall prey (j) — some culprits.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Sincerity | | properly. | | |
|---|-------|------------------------------|--|--|
| A sincere man | are | also sincere in their works. | | |
| Great people | is | not aware of its importance. | | |
| The people of <mark>ou</mark> r country | works | indifferent to their work. | | |
| They | | a great virtue. | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ be take move recover prosper waste shorten mean make go

| A proverb goes that time and tide wait for none. Since the dawn of civilization time is (a) ——, it (b) |
|--|
| — any rest. It is never constant. Time once gone is (c) — forever. Lost health may be regained by |
| medicine and proper caring and nursing. Lost time cannot be (d) —— by any means because nobody |
| can stop the ceaseless onward march of time. Life (e) —— nothing but the sum total of some |
| moments. Nobody should (f) —— time. Life (g) —— with the passage of time. One hour is lost, it (h) |
| — one hour is gone forever from our span of life. Those who (i) — proper use of time, can (j) — |
| in life. |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"What is the time by your watch?" he said. "It is half past nine," I said. He said, "I want to go to the school. Would you accompany me, please?" "No, I am sorry," replied I.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) All men must die. (Negative)
- (b) It matters little if a man lives many years or not. (Interrogative)
- (c) Our life is not measured by months or years. (Active)
- (d) The people who live only for their own interest are not the real human beings at all. (Compound)
- (e) Their life is not better than that of a beast. (Positive)
- (f) If we can do something good to society, we can be immortal. (Simple)
- (g) People will always remember those who do something good for society. (Negative)
- (h) It is our own responsibility to do good deeds. (Interrogative)
- (i) We cannot live long on earth. (Affirmative)
- (j) Actually no human being can escape from death. (Complex)

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15. Write a composition on "Recent Flood of Bangladesh".

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Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| ı. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | s of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 3$ |

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|] | Dengue is a (a) — infection transmitted to humans through the (b) — of infected mosquitoes and | | | | | | | | | |
| j | is found in tropical and sub tropical climates worldwide, mostly in urban and semi-urban areas. The | | | | | | | | | |
|] | primary (c) —— that transmit the disease are Aedes aegypti mosquitoes. Many DENV infections | | | | | | | | | |
|] | produce (d | d) —— milo | d illness; c | ver 80% o | f cases are | e asymptor | natic. DEN | ₩ can caı | ıse (e) —— | - acute |
| 1 | flu-like illı | ness. There | e is no spe | cific treati | nent (f) — | — dengue; | however, | timely det | ection of c | ases, (g) |
| - | — any warning signs of severe dengue infection, and appropriate case management are key | | | | | | | | | |
| (| elements of care (h) —— prevent patient death. Bangladesh's climate conditions are becoming more | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | favorable (i) —— the transmission of dengue due to excessive rainfall, water logging, flooding, rise in | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | temperature and the unusual (i) —— in the country's traditional seasons. | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Human life is full (a) —— woes and sufferings. Even our joy and happiness get tainted (b) —— sorrows and sufferings. Hence we see (c) —— great many poets and philosophers dwelling (d) —— the sunny and seamy sides of life. It is almost impossible for one to have (e) —— taste of joy (f) —— experiencing (g) —— magnitude of ills and sufferings that beset our life. Being rational, we are (h) —— to analyze our hopes and aspirations, (i) —— our success and achievement. But alas! sorrows and despairs are predominating. And our joy and happiness seem to be (j) —— and visionary.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 =$

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| Efforts | | its interst without struggle. |
| Life | become | not a real triumph if both the sides are not equally matched. |
| Games | loses | one kind of continious examination. |
| A victory | be | dull if there is no competition. |
| Really, life | | extremely needed for the progress in life. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. avoid be spend bring operative disturb cause use come

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

save

| Most of the students are (a) —— mobile phone not for their necessary communication but for their |
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| addiction to facebook. Some students (b) —— mobile phones in their classes. They often (c) —— the |
| class by (d) —— their phones in the classroom (e) —— the eyes of the teachers. Even out of school, |
| they (f) — much time on the screen of their phones. Thus they are (g) — great harm to their |
| eyesight. Eradication of the students' addiction (h) —— inevitable now. So, all should (i) —— forward |
| with a view to (j) —— the young generation. |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The boy said to the teacher, "Sir, please pray for me". "Yes, of course. But why?" said the teacher. "I am going to sit for the SSC Exam this year". "How is your preparation?" "Very good, sir. I hope, I will get GPA-5," said the boy. "How confident you are! May Allah fulfill your expectation." "Thank you sir," said the boy.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) How charming a moonlit night is! (Make it assertive)
- (b) It presents a beautiful sight. (Make it exclamatory)
- (c) It dazzles our eyes and soothes our heart. (Make it passive)
- (d) People of all ages enjoy a moonlit night. (Make it interrogative without changing meaning)
- (e) Little boys and girls make merriment and amuse themselves. (Make it simple)
- (f) Poets of all languages have sung highly of a moonlit night. (Make it complex)
- (g) The visibility of beautiful nature at night makes the vision mysterious. (Make it complex)
- (h) In winter, a moonlit night apears the most magical. (Make it positive)
- (i) Without enjoying the beauty of moonlit night, one cannot tell about it. (Make it complex)
- (j) In a word, a moonlit night is very pleasant. (Make it negative without changing the meaning)

15. Write a composition on "Physical Exercise".

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| Complete | the follo | wing text v | vith rig | ht forms o | f the | verbs ø | iven in | the box. | 0 | $.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
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- Computers are nowadays being used in almost every sphere of life. (Active)
- (e) We cannot but depend on it. (Affirmative)
- No one can deny its necessity. (Interrogative) (f)
- It is the most used device in our life. (Comparative) (g)
- (h) It helps us a lot. (Passive)
- Because of its usefulness, it has become very popular. (Compound) (i)
- (j) Without computer, we cannot imagine our modern life. (Complex)

Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- Books are our best friends because ——.
- A man who reads books regularly ——.
- (c) By reading books ——.
- (d) We can learn moral values if ——.
- We should inspire the students so that ——.

school.

| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the | | | | | | |
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| | parenthesis. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ | | | | | |
| | Success in life depends on the proper (a) (utilize) of time. Those who waste their (b) (value) time in (c) | | | | | | |
| | (idle), reduce the time of their important work. (d) (Punctual) is another great virtue of | of human beings | | | | | |
| | that (e) (rich) the (f) (man) life. If one takes lesson from the (g) (biography) of success | ful persons, one | | | | | |
| | will learn that they never kept any work (h) (do) for the next day. (i) (Obvious), they w | ere true to their | | | | | |
| | word. So, they got a (j) (respect) position in the society. | | | | | | |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ | | | | | |
| | (a) You will surely fail if you fail to plan, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (b) A good plan scarcely lets you fail, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (c) Great people could do nothing without a plan of action, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (d) Future also dare not fail a well-planned effort, ——? | | | | | | |
| | (e) So, plan before proceed, ——? | | | | | | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ | | | | | |
| | Truthfulness is the greates of all virtues. (a) —— we do not cultivate the habit of spea we cannot command the confidence of others. A lie never lies hidden, (b) —— it will or tomorrow. (c) ——, all despise him considering his social status. The habit of spea (d) —— must be formed from the very childhood. We should know (e) —— speaking t most rewarding thing in life. | come out today king the truth, | | | | | |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 | | | | | |
| | the man said to me where are you going i am going to school said i did you go to schoil replied why didn't you go i was very busy said i | _ | | | | | |
| Part | t-B: Composition [40 Marks] | | | | | | |
| 12. | Suppose, some junior officers will be appointed in Simanto Bank, Sylhet. You a | re interested to | | | | | |
| | be one. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exc | eed one page. 8 | | | | | |
| 13. | Suppose, you are Ripon/Ripa. You are a student of class ten of Chittagong Labo | oratory School | | | | | |
| | and College. You don't have English Language Club in your school. Now, write a | n application | | | | | |
| | to the Headmaster for taking necessary steps to set up a English Language Clul | n in vour | | | | | |

14. Write a paragraph on 'The Life of a Farmer' within 150 words.

15. Write a composition on "Duties of a Student" within 250 words.

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Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms | s of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |

| play | on | a | by | for | the | to | with | put | as |
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| Present age is often referred (a) —— as an information age. (b) —— key to information is the use of | | | | | | | | | |
| digital tec | digital technology that is information and communication technology. (c) —— the needs of society, | | | | | | | | |
| ICT (d) — | ICT (d) —— the most significant role in changing, updating and advancing (e) —— present society. In | | | | | | | | society. In |
| Banglade | Bangladesh, we (f) —— special emphasis (g) —— the use of digital technologies for improvement of | | | | | | | | nent of |
| our activi | ties with (h | ı) —— goal | l to realize | vision 202 | 21. (i) —— | 2021 after | 50 years | of indeper | ıdence. |
| We are de | termined t | o be a mid | ldle incom | e country | (j) —— pea | ice, prospe | erity and d | ignity. | |

Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Metro train are used for short distance traveling. Normal trains are for (a) —— distance traveling. Metro rail is known (b) —— heavy rail. It is (c) —— high capacity public transport which is found (d) —— the metropolitan cities. It is a rapid transit system (e) —— runs below the (f) —— and it is called a subway (g) — underground. In the city (h) — Dhaka it is introduced by the name, Dhaka metro Rail. It is (i) —— approved mass rapid transit system. Its average (j) —— is 30 km/h, It will make Dhaka a traffic jam free city.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Discipline | must be | chaos and disorder in the society. | | | | |
|---------------------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| It | is | a very important factor in human life. | | | | |
| The absence of discipline | means | not to deny individual freedom | | | | |
| | aims | at main <mark>taining social</mark> harmony order and the like | | | | |
| | | obedience to some sorts of rules and regulations. | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. eradicate wash deserve expose ruin produce take preserve

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

| Formalin is a very toxic chemical which is widely used in fish and fish products, fruits and |
|---|
| vegetables with a view to (a) —— them for a long time. If formalin (b) —— to any foodstuff once, it (c) |
| —— easily. Even (d) —— with hot water is not effective enough to make foods safe. So, our people (e) |
| — to the high risk of formalin intoxication. The use of formalin and other poisonous substances in |
| food products (f) —— various alarming diseases like liver cirrhosis, cancer etc. Long time use of |
| formalin certainly (g) —— one to death. The criminals related to this ghastly crime (h) —— severe |
| punishment. So stern action (i) —— against those who (j) —— our nation by poisoning our food |
| stuffs. |

Change the narrative style of the following text.

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Moon : What are you doing?

Sumon: Project work.

: What is the topic of your project work?

Sumon: Learning by doing, It's an interesting learning process.

Mahon Oh! Really! How funny!

: Yes, we are enjoying it very' much.

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- People in general are fond of glittering things. (complex)
- (b) They are the lovers of surface. (interrogative)
- (c) They are concerned at the outer show of things and beings. (Active)
- (d) They do no bother about intrinsic value. (Affirmative)
- (e) Gold is one of the precious metals. (positive)
- But there are some other metals looking like gold. (compound) (f)
- They fade soon and lose their beauty. (Simple) (g)
- Similarly, there are some people acting like the wise. (complex) (h)
- (i) As soon as their real identity gets revealed, people leave them. (Negative)
- (j) We are very foolish believing in them. (exclamatory)

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| 7. | Complete the sentences. (a) Walk fast lest ——. | 1 × 5 = 5 |
| | (b) But for your heartily assistance ——. | |
| | (c) None is to none ——. | |
| | (d) — how it can be done. | |
| | (e) We can not blot ——. | |
| 8. | Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words g | iven in the |
| | parenthesis. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |
| | (a) <u>Violate</u> of traffic rules is not an (b) <u>common</u> sight in our country. The (c) <u>violate</u> nobody cares for the traffic rules. Very often, an (e) <u>ethical</u> competition is found at overtake other vehicles. Most of our drivers are (f) <u>literate</u> . They are very much (g) going to happen. The loss of life by accident caused due to fast (h) <u>drive</u> is not a manner. | mong the drivers to care about what is |
| | due to (i) <u>proper</u> (j) <u>implement</u> of traffic rules. | |
| 9. | Make tag questions of these statements. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | (a) Either he or his friends were guilty,——? | |
| | (b) Allah is second to none, ——? | |
| | (c) What cannot be cured must be endured, ——? | |
| | (d) Fish in the pond, ——? | |
| | (e) He hardly thinks of deceiving your, ——? | |
| 10. | Complete the passage using suitable connectors. | $1 \times 5 = 5$ |
| | It is more than five deades (a) — Bangladesh came into being. If we observe all t We will notice that (b) — the country is beset with so many drawbacks. (c) — democratic country, the practice of democracy is partially hindered here. Corrupt (d) — it were not a malpractice at all. Time has come to pull the brake against c corruption should be regarded as a valid practice in the country. | ours is a officials take bribe |
| 11. | Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. | 5 |
| | he said i can chop some wood today i said but i have a boy coming from the orphabut you are small size does not matter chopping wood he said | anage i an the boy |
| Part | t-B : Composition [40 Marks] | |
| 12 . | Suppose, you are Shahida and you are an MSC in EEE. Alpha Tech Ltd. Dhak | a has advertised |
| | the post of an IT officer in the Daily Sun on 31 July 2023. You want to apply | for this post. |
| | Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed | one page. 8 |
| 13 . | Suppose, you are Habiba. Recently flood has destroyed the main road of you | r area. It has |
| | created untold sufferings for the people of the area. Now, Write an application | n to the Mayor of |
| | your City Corporation for repairing the road immediately. | 10 |
| 14. | Write a paragraph on "A book Fair you visited". | 10 |
| 15. | Write a composition on "Duties and responsibilities Towards parents". | 12 |

54 CANTONMENT PUBLIC SCHOOL & COLLEGE, BUSMS, PARBATIPUR, DINAJPUR Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the for | ms of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ |

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|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------|----------|--|--|
| There is a close relationship between man (a) —— nature. Man has established (b) —— friendship | | | | | | | | | |
| with nature. It helps us (c) —— many ways. Similarly trees are closely related (d) —— our life. Trees | | | | | | | | | |
| play (e) — important role in our life (f) — economy. Trees are very (g) — to us. We get oxygen (h) | | | | | | | | | |
| —— them. T | hey are (i) — | — great sour | ce of food an | d vitamin. Th | ney meet (j) $-$ | — our local | demands. | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Man is the (a) — of his own fate. If he makes a proper (b) — of time and does his duties (c) — he is sure to improve and (d) — in life. But if he'does not (e) — it, he is sure to (f) —. Then he will be (g) — to drag a miserable (h) —. To spoil time is (i) — for a person, for our life is nothing (j) — the sum total of hours, days and years.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Drug addiction | is | strong attraction for any harmful thing. |
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| Drugs | has | not only a national but also a global problem. |
| These drugs | means | used for intoxicating and stimulating effects. |
| Addiction | are | grasped the young generation of the country. |
| | | taken by smoking or through injection. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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|-----------|-----------------------|----------|--------|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|----------------------|-------|----------|-------------|------------|
| One day a | schol | ar (a) - | — a | river v | with a | boat | . Sud | denly | a gh | astly | wind | (b) — | — to | blow. The | scholar |
| (c) — w | ith fe <mark>a</mark> | r. The | boatn | nan (d | l) —— | him | if he | (e) — | — ho | w to s | swim. | The | ansv | wer from th | e scholar |
| (f) —— ne | gativ <mark>e.</mark> | Then | the bo | atma | <mark>n (</mark> g) – | , " | Very : | soon | you a | re go | <mark>in</mark> g to | (h) - | <u> </u> | You (i) | – a lot of |
| knowledge | e but i | t (j) — | – to u | se at | this m | omer | nt." | | | | | | | | |

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5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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"Why did you not go to school yesterday?" said the mother to the girl. "I was ill, mum." the girl replied. "How are you today?" the mother asked again. "Well," said the girl. "Don't worry for me."

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Mr. Rahim, one of my cousins is a good teacher. (Complex)
- (b) He is older than I. (Positive degree)
- (c) He wants his students to be good citizens. (Complex)
- (d) He leaves no stone unturned to teach them morality. (Affirmative)
- (e) He becomes very happy when the students achieve good results. (Exclamatory)
- (f) Mr. Rahim is not only punctual but also sincere. (Simple)
- (g) He is the best teacher in our area. (Negative)
- (h) He cannot remain sitting in the class. (Affirmative)
- (i) He goes to class after taking preparation. (Compound)
- (j) All the students respect him very much. (Passive)

7. Complete the sentences.

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 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) He asked me whether ——.
- (b) Had I the wings of a dove ——.
- (c) He could help you provided that ——.
- (d) Hardly had the bell rung ——.
- (e) We must look before we leap lest ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Life without leisure and (a) <u>please</u> is dull. Life becomes (b) <u>charm</u> if it does not have any time to enjoy the (c) <u>beauty</u> objects of nature. (d) <u>monotony</u> work hinders the (e) <u>smooth</u> of work. Leisure (f) <u>new</u> our spirit to work. Everybody knows that (g) <u>work</u> is (h) <u>harm</u>. Leisure does not mean (i) <u>averse</u> to work. It gives freshness and (j) <u>create</u> to our mind.



55 VIDYAMOYEE GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, MYMENSINGH Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| ı. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the form | s of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $0.5 \times 10 = 3$ |

| safe | know | develop | precaution | reduce | belief | possible | direct | recur | be |
|--|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|----------|--------|-------|----|
| Bangladesh (a) — in the active earthquake zone. It is (b) — to all Bangladeshis. Experts are | | | | | | | | | |
| alarmed by the (c) —— of quakes during recent years. But they give no (d) —— answer to the | | | | | | | | | |
| question of (e) —— about the buildings of Dhaka city. As there is every (f) —— of earthquakes in | | | | | | | | | |
| Bangladesh, experts call for taking adequate (g) —— measures to (h) —— losses. Rajuk (i) —— that | | | | | | | | | |
| an earthqı | uake resis | tant buildi | ng code shou | ıld be (j) — | , | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Diaspora is an age-old (a) ——. In recent times, Rohingya (b) —— has attracted a lot of attention. More than one million Rohingyas have (c) —— from Myanmar to Bangladesh. Their (d) —— is (e) to the adverse conditions in Rakhaine state of Myanmar, the (f) —— homeland of the Rohingyas. The government of Bangladesh has (g) —— this huge number of refugees on humanitarian (h) ——. But these people are a huge (i) ---- on our economy and on our environment. The, world community should extend their full support to the (j) —— Rohingyas so that they can soon return their homeland.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| A peace movement | may have | for peace and non-violent relationship. | | | | |
|---|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Means to achieve these ends | tends | to achieve ideals such as the ending of wars. | | | | |
| Different organizations involved in peace movements | include | to oppose the proliferation of dangerous technologies and weapons of mass destruction. | | | | |
| The peace movement | | advocacy of pacifism, non-violent resistance, diplomacy etc. | | | | |
| People of the world. | long | some diverse goals. | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$ act damage breed rise result consider overcome build endeavor compare

| | act | damage | breed | rise | resuit | consider | overcome | build | endeavor | compare | | | |
|---|---|--------|-------|------|--------|----------|----------|-------|----------|---------|--|--|--|
| | Self-control (a) — great power. It (b) — all other virtues. Man generally (c) — on impulses and | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | strong-desires. Vicious desires (d) —— the purity of heart and mind (e) —— in the degeneration of | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| human nature. It is self-control that can help a man (f) — up a pure character which is very | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| essential to (g) —— above the level of inhumanity. Nothing can (h) —— to self-control to (i) —— | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | inhumanity. So, everybody (j) —— for being self-controlled. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Change the narrative style of the following text.

"I suddenly heard a gunshot and went towards die door." the witness said to the International crimes Tribunal. "I saw many Al-Badr men and the members of the Pakistani Army on my house premises." "Did you recognize some of the Al-Badr men?" said the judge. "I could recognize one Hamid in my village who brought the members of the Pakistani Army to the village," said the witness.

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Most of the students cannot write the answer scripts properly. (Affirmative)
- Being unable to make out the questions, they memorize the answers with unnecessary and irrelevant details. (complex)
- Inspite of the teacher's suggestion to make a brief answer, they are proved to make a lengthy answer. (Compound)
- The Students should answer to the questions briefly and to the point to obtain good marks. (Passive)
- (e) Copying anything blindly is strictly prohibited. (Active)
- The students studying seriously can expect to make an excellent result. (Complex)
- But most of our students are inattentive to their study. (Negative)
- (h) They kill their valuable time in gossiping and playing with mobile sets or watching television. (Passive)
- They do not take their exams seriously. (Interrogative) (i)
- So, study seriously and enjoy a better future. (Simple)

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15. Write a composition on 'Patriotism'.

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KEY TO SCHOOL EXAM QUESTIONS

46 J BOGURA CANTONMENT PUBLIC SCHOOL & COLLEGE, BOGURA

Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) schools (b) at (c) from (d) in (e) in (f) to (g) the (h) are (i) and (j) for

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) an (b) attentive (c) preparation (d) before (e) on (f) for (g) a (h) pounding (i) on (j) see

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Independence is the birth right of a man.
- (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
- (c) Our war of independence took place in 1971.
- (d) People of all walks of life joined the war.
- (e) They went to the battle field to save the country.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) is arranged (b) is announced (c) gather (d) takes (e) are seen (f) are put (g) are encouraged (h) passes (i) comes (j) gives

5. Changing the form of speech

Mina asked Rina when her (R) SSC Examination would commence. She (R) replied that it would commence in 2nd week of February 2024. Mina told her (R) that her SSC Examination was knocking at the door and forbade her (R) to waste her (R) time. Rina retorted that she (M) was right and added that she (R) was learning her lessons with profound attention. Rina requested her (M) to pray for her (R).

6. Changing sentences

- (a) By reading books, we can discover new worlds.
- (b) When we read books, we enter a new world.
- (c) We must read books otherwise we cannot keep pace with modern life.
- (d) Very few habits are as good as reading.
- (e) A book is not less living than its writer.
- (f) A well written book is the most pleasing thing.
- (g) Everybody likes this habit.
- (h) Reading books is not a bad habit at all.
- (i) Shouldn't we visit a book fair?
- (i) Let's read books more and more.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) Walk fast lest you should miss the class.
- (b) Hardly had the assembly begun when it started raining.
- (c) Five years have passed since <u>I came here</u>.
- (d) It is high time we <u>started saving money for future</u>.
- (e) Danger often comes where it is feared.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) mindful (b) respectful (c) teachers (d) dishonour (e) misconduct (f) studious (g) insincere (h) inattentive (i) punctuality (j) truthful

9. Tag questions

- (a) \bar{I} am a test examinee, aren't I?
- (b) Let me make the best use of time, will you?
- (c) We should not neglect the freedom fighters, should we?
- (d) Man hardly believes a liar, does he?
- e) As we are friends, we should keep in touch, shouldn't we?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) which (b) At first/Primarily (c) but (d) Though/Although (e) If

11. Capitalization and punctuation

He said to the shoe maker, "You are a big block head! You have done the reverse of what I desired you. I told you to make one of the shoes larger than the other. And instead of that you have made one of them smaller than the other."

47 ✓ NAOGAON KRISHNADHAN (KD) GOVERNMENT HIGH SCHOOL, NAOGAON Test Examination-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) freedom (b) in (c) the (d) independence (e) to (f) than (g) of (h) willingly (i) fighter (j) an

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) the (b) To (c) give (d) deny (e) a (f) you (g) these (h) become (i) the (j) of

Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Socrates wanted to spread knowledge among the people.
- (b) He would often go out in the streets of Athens.
- (c) He would stop passers by at different places in the streets and asked them simple questions.
- (d) He did not die a natural death.
- (e) He was killed by the rulers at Athens.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) fail (b) were (c) meant (d) is regarded (e) begin (f) considered (g) had (h) learnt (i) motivated (j) are not written

5. Changing the form of speech

Father asked Jack if he knew why he was sent to school. Jack replied that he was sent for playing with friends. Father replied/contradicted in the negative that he(J) was sent to learn, to read and write. But Jack sulkily told that he wouldn't read and write. Father strongly affirmed that he(J) would.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) Visiting a village is not unpleasant at all.
- (b) I was born in a village and it was very big.
- (c) Our village stands on the Karotoa.
- (d) A home which is in village is very sweet.
- (e) Can't those living in the village enjoy a pollution free environment?
- (f) My villagers get insufficient facilities.
- (g) To a man, his native village is more beloved than any other place.
- (h) No other place is as sweet as a village home.
- (i) Everyone loves his village home.
- (j) The village home is not an ordinary one.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) No sooner did we reach the station than the train left.
- (b) United we stand, divided we fall.
- (c) Fools rush in where angels fear to tread.
- (d) All is well that ends well.
- (e) Actions speak louder than words.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) democratic (b) achievements (c) poverty (d) gradually (e) non-political (f) activists (g) innocent (h) death (i) vandalism (j) extremists

9. Tag questions

- (a) Everybody wants to succeed in life, don't they?
- (b) The idle can hardly shine in life, can they?
- (c) One's strong will helps one to succeed, doesn't it?
- (d) So, don't waste your time, will you?
- (e) But me no buts, will you?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) as well as (b) when (c) Suddenly (d) When (e) As a result

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"Run! Run! The owner is coming", said the naughty boy while others giggled. They were, in fact, gathering the windfall mangoes. "Why are you here? I'll punish." "You will never get hold of me."

48 SOARD OF INTERMEDIATE & SECONDARY EDUCATION, JASHORE [JAMUNA] Test Examination-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) disaster (b) by (c) to (d) The (e) untold (f) severe (g) without (h) after (i) famine (j) up

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) effect (b) for (c) curious (d) possible (e) the (f) of (g) outlook (h) abroad (i) with (j) creation

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Health is the most valuable asset of a person.
- (b) It means the soundness of body and mind.
- (c) A person can be happy if he is blessed with sound health.
- (d) A healthy person remains always fresh and jolly.
- (e) A person having ill-health cannot enjoy his life at all.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) make (b) is earned (c) have (d) doesn't bring (e) are spent (f) run (g) fill (h) worn (i) are (j) enjoy/can enjoy

5. Changing the form of speech

Nasima told Ruma that she(N) had heard the news of her (R) illness the previous day. She(N) asked her how she(R) was that day. Ruma replied that she(R) felt a bit well. Nasima forbade her to worry. She(N) added that she(R) would come round soon.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) Very few teachers in our area are as good as Mr. Rahim.
- (b) A high moral value is possessed by him.
- (c) He wants that his students will/should be good citizens.
- (d) He turns every stone to teach them morality.
- (e) How happy he becomes when the students achieve good results!
- (f) Inspite of being kind hearted, Mr. Rahim is strict in principles.
- (g) Does he sit motionless before his class?
- (h) He is more popular than any other teacher.
- (i) He takes preparation and goes to class.
- (j) That is why, all his colleagues and students love him.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) I would help him if he told me.
- (b) The answer that was given by him was right.
- (c) Finishing the work he went to bed.
- (d) I saw my mother cooking my favourite dish in the kitchen.
- (e) He went to the USA in order that <u>he could obtain higher education</u>.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) logically (b) different (c) argument (d) illogically (e) easily (f) creativity (g) smartens (h) inspiration (i) undertake (j) competitions

9. Tag questions

- (a) Nobody should escape from his duty, should they?
- (b) Let's finish our programme, shall we?
- (c) He as well as his friends joined the party, didn't he?
- (d) The sister rose in her, didn't it?
- (e) We seldom want war, do we?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) Though (b) If/When/Whenever (c) and (d) but (e) So

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"Why didn't you go to school yesterday?" said mother. "I was ill, mum", the girl replied. "How are you today?" the mother asked again. "Well", said the girl.

Part-B: Composition

49 ✓ NAWAB FAYZUNNESSA GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, CUMILLA Test Examination–2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)– Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) with (b) functions (c) capacity (d) animals (e) learning (f) work (g) intelligence (h) term (i) known (j) humans

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) education (b) poet (c) inherited (d) established (e) and (f) own/native (g) charity (h) contributed (i) patronized (j) inn

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) The Padma Bridge has connected Dhaka to the southern region of Bangladesh.
- (b) The two level bridge carries a four lane highway and a single track railway.
- (c) A Chinese company constructed the bridge mainly.
- (d) It cost BDT 32,000 crore to complete the bridge.
- (e) The 6.15 km bridge has 41 sections, each 150.12 meter long and 22.5 meter wide.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) had written (b) being (c) would have visited (d) engaged (e) to send (f) are deprived (g) are inflicted (h) subdued (i) are regarded (j) should be esteemed

5. Changing the form of speech

Sabina wished Alam happy birthday and also said that he was looking very smart. Alam replied with thanks for her appreciation. Alam asked about Manika and wanted to know where she was and added that if she wouldn't come. Sabina replied feeling sorry that Manika had gone to hospital with her mother. Then Alam asked why Manika had gone there. Then Sabina replied that her (M) mother had fallen on the road and had lost her sense. Then Alam proposed to go to the hospital.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) She beckoned me and I answered her.
- (b) I went over when it was interval.
- (c) Her name was mentioned to me by someone.
- (d) She was older than I expected.
- (e) We all are getting older.
- (f) I was asked to luncheon by her.
- (g) Twenty years ago, I was living in Paris.
- (h) I was earning a little so that I could keep body and soul together.
- (i) A book of mine was read by her.
- (i) I was so young that I could not say 'no' to a woman.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) If you want to be a good student, you should attend classes regularly and study diligently.
- (b) Follow me lest <u>you should miss the train</u>.
- (c) Feel free to borrow my book provided that you return it in time.
- (d) People who live in glass houses should not throw stones to others.
- (e) He was so craven that he could not muster the courage to face the situation.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) Corruption (b) various (c) Bribery (d) sustainable (e) corroded (f) ensure (g) development (h) Extortion (i) adulteration (j) effective

9. Tag questions

- (a) The guide was not a woman, was he?
- (b) I along with my sister visited my aunt, didn't I?
- (c) The jury gave unanimous opinion, didn't it?
- (d) Rakib and not his friends had done it, hadn't he?
- (e) Not only my parents but also I was present there, wasn't I?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) that (b) At first (c) But (d) Though (e) If

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"Give me a few grains of corn. I am dying of hunger," said the Grasshopper. "But what did you do in summer? Didn't you store any grain?" The Ant remarked. "I was too busy in singing," said the Grasshopper.

50 ✓ GOVERNMENT MUSLIM HIGH SCHOOL, CHATTOGRAM Test Examination-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) a (b) for (c) kind (d) fall (e) The (f) only (g) heinous (h) on (i) surely (j) greedy

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) Truthfulness (b) the (c) the (d) with (e) a (f) with (g) dignity (h) of (i) an (j) to

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Sincerity is a great virtue.
- (b) A sincere man works properly.
- (c) Great people are also sincere in the works.
- (d) The people of our country are not aware of its importance.
- (e) They are indifferent to their work.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) moving (b) doesn't take (c) gone (d) recovered (e) is (f) waste (g) shortens (h) means (i) make (j) prosper

5. Changing the form of speech

He asked me what the time was by my watch. I replied that it was half past nine. He said that he wanted to go to school. He asked me politely if I would accompany him. I replied in the negative and said that I was sorry.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) No man escape from death.
- (b) Does it matter much if a man lives many years or not?
- (c) We do not measure our life by months or years.
- (d) The people live only for their own interest and they are not the real human beings at all.
- (e) Their life is as good as that of a beast./The life of a beast is as good as theirs.
- (f) We can be immortal by doing something good to the society.
- (g) People will never forget those who do something good for society.
- (h) Isn't it our own responsibility to do good deeds?
- (i) We can live short on earth.
- (j) Actually there is no human being who can escape from death.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) Truthfulness is a great virtue because it leads us to the path of truth.
- (b) One cannot command the respect of others unless one does the same towards others.
- (c) One may succeed once or twice by telling a lie but it gets exposed sooner or later.
- (d) Nobody will trust you if you are a liar.
- (e) So, it is a wise decision to farm the habit of speaking the truth.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) Patriotism (b) harmful (c) unpatriotic (d) rulers (e) venomous (f) careful (g) invisible (h) easily (i) unexposed (j) prediction

9. Tag questions

- (a) We need to prepare well for the exam, don't we?
- (b) To do so we must study regularly, mustn't we?
- (c) But we do not follow the rules at all, do we?
- (d) When the exam approaches, there is no way but start cramming, is there?
- (e) You should not do that, should you?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) ever (b) and (c) Consequently/As a result (d) through (e) who

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"Why did you not go to school yesterday, said the mother, "I was ill, mum," the girl replied. "How are you today?" the mother asked again. "Well," said the girl.

51 CHATTOGRAM GOVERNMENT HIGH SCHOOL, CHATTOGRAM Test Examination-2023 English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) viral (b) bite (c) vectors (d) only (e) severely (f) for (g) identifying (h) to (i) for (j) shifts

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) of (b) with (c) a (d) on (e) a/the (f) without (g) the (h) able (i) with (j) elusive

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Life is one kind of continuous examination.
- (b) Efforts are extremely needed for the progress in life.
- (c) Games become dull if there is no competition.
- (d) A victory is not a real triumph if the both sides are not equally matched.
- (e) Really, life loses its interest without struggle.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) using (b) bring (c) disturb (d) operating (e) avoiding (f) spend (g) bringing (h) is (i) come (j) saving

5. Changing the form of speech

The boy requested the teacher respectfully to pray for him (B). The teacher replied in the affirmative and said that he would surely pray for him (B). The teacher also asked why he would pray for him. The boy replied that he was going to sit for the SSC Exam that year. The teacher asked how his (B) preparation was. The boy replied respectfully that his preparation was very good. He (B) also added that he hoped he would get GPA-5. The teacher exclaimed with wonder that he was very confident. He (T) also prayed that Allah might fulfill his expectation. The boy thanked him (Teacher) respectfully.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) A moonlight night is very charming.
- (b) What a beautiful sight it presents!
- (c) Our eyes are dazzled and our heart is soothed by it.
- (d) Don't people of all ages enjoy a moonlit night?
- (e) They are the poets of all languages who have sung highly of a moonlit night.
- (f) The poets of all languages have sung highly and it is of a moonlight night.
- (g) It is the visibility of beautiful nature at night which makes the vision mysterious.
- (h) In winter, no other night appears so magical as a moonlit night.
- (i) If one doesn't enjoy the beauty of moonlit night, one cannot tell about it.
- (j) In a word, a moonlit is not unpleasant at all.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) Truthfulness is the greatest of all the virtues because it embodies honesty and builds trust.
- (b) We cannot command the confidence of others unless we are truthful.
- (c) The man whom nobody believes is a liar.
- d) A man may succeed once or twice by telling a lie, but he will not succeed in the long run.
- (e) When once one's falsehood is brought to light, people will hate him.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) elderly (b) developed (c) accordingly (d) developed (e) treatment (f) unwanted (g) forgetful (h) contributions (i) useful (j) valuable.

9. Tag questions

- (a) Few people know about true friendship, do they?
- (b) Trust begets friendship, doesn't it?
- (c) There is hardly any man who has no friend, is there?
- (d) Everyone loves to be loved by his friends, don't they?
- (e) Let's culture true friendship among us, shall we?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) that (b) who (c) that (d) both (e) as much as/as soon as

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"Do not worry about a few mistakes," said the teacher. "You can learn a lot through your mistakes." "Do we learn from our mistakes?" asked the boy. "Yes, we learn."

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Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) influence (b) for (c) a (d) of (e) contact (f) with (g) about (h) which (i) more (j) completely

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) an (b) the (c) a (d) proper (e) the (f) An (g) a (h) the (i) An (j) any

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Many of us have misconception about blood donation.
- (b) By donating blood, we save the life of dying patients.
- (c) Blood donation is a very noble deed.
- (d) Every man in sound health can donate blood after four months.
- (e) It causes no harm to us.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) depends (b) lead (c) build (d) work (e) remembered (f) idle (g) will lag (h) are (i) have reached (j) follow

5. Changing the form of speech

Mrs. Nasima told her student that she had heard the news of his illness the previous day. She asked him how he was then. The student respectfully replied that he felt a bit well that day. Mrs. Nasima forbade him to worry. She hoped/told that he would come round soon.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) Very few inventions of modern science are as great as computer.
- (b) Computer is not a curse on earth.
- (c) Inspite of being a blessing, it has dark sides.
- (d) People are nowadays using computer in almost every sphere of life.
- (e) We must depend on it.
- (f) Who can deny its necessity?
- (g) It is more used than any other device in our life.
- (h) We are helped a lot by it.
- (i) It is useful and so it has become very popular.
- (j) If there is no computer, we cannot imagine our modern life.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) Books are our best friends because they never leave us.
- (b) A man who reads books regularly can enrich his knowledge.
- (c) By reading books we can quench our curiosity.
- (d) We can learn moral values if we read good books.
- (e) We should inspire the students so that they can learn to make the best use of books.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) utilization (b) valuable (c) idleness (d) Punctuality (e) enrich (f) human (g) biographies/auto-biographies (h) undone (i) Obviously (j) respectful

9. Tag questions

- (a) You will surely fail if you fail to plan, won't you?
- (b) A good plan scarcely lets you fail, does it?
- (c) Great people could do nothing without a plan of action, could they?
- (d) Future also dare not fail a well-planned effort, dare it?
- (e) So, plan before proceed, will you?/won't you?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) If (b) Ultimately (c) As a result (d) therefore/hence (e) that

11. Capitalization and punctuation

The man said to me, "Where are you going?" "I am going to school," said I. "Did you go to school yesterday?" "No", I replied. "Why didn't you go?" "I was very busy", said I.

53 SARISHAL GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, BARISHAL Test Examination—2023 English (Compulsory)—Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) to (b) The (c) For (d) plays (e) the (f) put/ are putting (g) on (h) a (i) By (j) with

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) long (b) as (c) a (d) in (e) that (f) surface (g) or (h) of (i) an/government (j) speed

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Discipline means obedience to some sorts of rules and regulations.
- (b) It is a very important factor in human life.
- (c) It aims at maintaining social harmony, order and the like.
- (d) It must be not to deny individual freedom.
- (e) The absence of discipline means chaos and disorder in society.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) preserving (b) is added (c) cannot be eradicated (d) washing (e) are exposed (f) produces (g) leads

(h) deserve (i) must be taken/should be taken (j) ruin/are ruining

5. Changing the form of speech

Mohon asked Sumon what he (S) was doing. Sumon replied that he (S) was doing project work. Mohon asked what the topic of his project work was. Sumon replied that the name was learning by doing. He also added that it was an interesting learning process. Mohon exclaimed with joy and asked if it was really like that. He also exclaimed with wonder that how funny it was. Sakil replied in the affirmative and said that they were enjoying it very much.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) People in general are fond of things which are glittering.
- (b) Aren't they the lovers of surface?
- (c) Outer show of things and beings concerns them.
- (d) Do they bother about intrinsic value?
 Or, They are habituated to intrinsic value.
- (e) Very few metals are so precious as gold.
- (f) But there are some metals and they look like gold.
- (g) By fading soon, they lose their beauty.
- (h) Similarly there are some people who act like the wise.
- (i) No sooner has their real identity got revealed than people leave them.
- (j) How foolish we are believing in them!

7. Completing sentences

- (a) Walk fast lest you should miss the train.
- (b) But for your heartily assistance, <u>I would not be able to do the work</u>.
- (c) None is to none <u>under the sun</u>.
- (d) I do not know how it can be done.
- (e) We cannot blot what is lotted for us.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) Violation (b) uncommon (e) violators (d) unpunished (e) unethical (f) illiterate (g) careless (h) driving (i) improper (j) implementation.

9. Tag questions

- (a) Either he or his friends were guilty, weren't they?
- (b) Allah is second to none, is He?
- (c) What cannot be cured must be endured, mustn't it?
- (d) Fish in the pond, will you?
- (e) He hardly thinks of deceiving your, <u>does he?</u>

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) that (b) in fact (c) Though (d) as if/ as (e) and

11. Capitalization and punctuation

He said, "I can chop some wood today."

I said, "But I have a boy coming from the orphanage."

"I'm the boy."

"But you're small."

"Size doesn't matter, chopping wood," he said.

54 CANTONMENT PUBLIC SCHOOL & COLLEGE, BUSMS, PARBATIPUR, DINAJPUR Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

1. Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) and (b) a (c) in (d) to (e) an (f) and (g) useful (h) from (i) a (j) up

2. Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) architect/maker (b) division (c) accordingly (d) prosper/succeed/shine (e) do (f) repent (g) bound/compelled (h) life (i) suicidal (j) but

3. Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- (a) Addiction means strong attraction for any harmful thing.
- (b) Drug addiction is not only a national but also a global problem.
- (c) Drugs are used for intoxicating and stimulating effects.
- (d) Drugs are taken by smoking or through injection.
- (e) These drugs have grasped the young generation of the country.

4. Right form of verbs

(a) was crossing (b) began (c) was trembling (d) asked (e) knew (f) was (g) said (h) be drowned (i) may have (j) won't come

5. Changing the form of speech

The mother asked the girl why she had not gone to school the previous day. The girl replied that she had been ill. The mother then asked how she was feeling that day. The girl replied that she was well and told her not to worry for her.

6. Changing sentences

- (a) Mr. Rahim who is one of my cousins is a good teacher.
- (b) I am not as old as he.
- (c) He wants that his students will be good citizens.
- (d) He tries by his all means to teach them morality.
- (e) How happy he becomes when the students achieve good results!
- (f) Besides/Apart from being punctual, Mr. Rahim is sincere.
- (g) No other teacher in our area is as good as he.
- (h) He must remain active in the class.
- (i) He takes preparation and then goes to class.
- (j) He is respected very much by all the students.

7. Completing sentences

- (a) He asked me whether <u>I would join the company</u>.
- (b) Had I the wings of a dove <u>I would fly here and there in the sky</u>.
- (c) He could help you provided that you did the job successfully.
- (d) Hardly had the bell rung when the students went out from the classrooms.
- (e) We must look before we leap lest we should fall in danger.

8. Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) pleasure (b) charmless (c) beautiful (d) Monotonous (e) smoothness (f) renews (g) overwork (h) harmful (i) aversion (j) recreation

9. Tag questions

- (a) None of us can solve this problem, <u>can we</u>?
- (b) There is little water in the glass, <u>is there</u>?
- (c) One cannot deny this proposal, can one?
- (d) You need to see a doctor, don't you?
- (e) Nothing was said, was it?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) but (b) and (c) If (d) Otherwise (e) that

11. Capitalization and punctuation

"How is your father, Bilkis?" said Mr. Rahman. "He is very well. Thank you," Bilkis replied. "I am glad to hear that he is in good health," said Mr. Rahman.

55 VIDYAMOYEE GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, MYMENSINGH Test Examination-2023 ▶ English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Part-A: Grammar

Filling in the gaps with clues

(a) is (b) known (c) recurrence (d) direct (e) safety (f) possibility (g) precautionary (h) reduce (i) believes (j) developed

Filling in the gaps without clues

(a) issue/phenomenon (b) diaspora (c) come/migrated (d) migration (e) due (f) ancestral (g) accepted (h) ground (i) burden (j) migrated

Producing sentences from a substitution table to make a text

- A peace movement seeks to achieve ideals such as the ending of wars.
- Means to achieve these ends include advocacy of pacifism, non-violent resistance, diplomacy
- Different organization involved in peace movements may have some diverse goals. (c)
- The peace movement tends to oppose the proliferation of dangerous technologies and weapon of mass destruction.
- People of the world long for peace and non-violent relationship.

Right form of verbs

(a) is considered (b) breeds (c) acts (d) damage (e) resulting (f) build (g) rise (h) be compared (i) overcome (j) should endeavor

Changing the form of speech

The witness told the international crimes Tribunal that he had suddenly heard a gunshot and gone towards the door. He added that he had seen many Al Badr men and the members of the Pakistani Army on his house premises. The judge asked him if he had recognized some of the Al-Badr men. The witness answered that he could recognize one Hamid in his village who had brought the members of the Pakistani Army to the village.

Changing sentences

- Few students can write the answer scripts properly.
- As they are unable to make out the questions, they memorize the answers with unnecessary and irrelevant details.
- The teacher suggests them to make a brief answer but they are proved to make a lengthy (c) answer.
- The question should be answered briefly and to the point by the students to obtain good marks.
- Teachers strictly prohibit copying anything blindly. (e)
- The students who study seriously can expect to make an excellent result.
- But must of our students are not attentive to their study. (g)
- Their valuable time is killed by them in gossiping and playing with mobile sets or watching television.
- Do they take their exams seriously?
- So, study seriously to enjoy a better future.

7. Completing sentences

- All of us have to work hard with a view to succeeding in life.
- Could you avoid laughing aloud after reading the jokes?
- Democratic Govt. will provide us with the rights to vote. (c)
- Since it was raining heavily, <u>I could not go out</u>. Had I been a rich man, <u>I would have taken Lionel Messi to his favourite restaurant</u>.

Adding suffix, prefix or both

(a) economic (b) institution (c) increasing (d) arrangement (e) physiological (f) disintegration (g) intensification (h) relationships (i) misbehave (j) misconducts

Tag questions

- The fans made in Japan move fast, don't they?
- (b) A boy like you should not do this, should he?
- 'He' is a pronoun, isn't it?
- These sounds can be easily avoided, can't they? (d)
- Someone has come, haven't they?

10. Use of sentence connectors

(a) But (b) because (c) Actually (d) Firstly (e) Besides

Capitalization and punctuation

Suppose, you as a student, need to about group work in the classroom. So, you ask yourself or your teacher or anyone else, what is group work or you may find about it in a book, In this way, you may know or you have the knowledge about group work. To do group work, the class have to divided into groups.



অধিক অনুশীলনের মাধ্যমে সেরা প্রস্তুতির জন্য স্পেশাল মডেল টেস্ট ও উত্তরমালা

56 SPECIAL MODEL TEST-1

Full Marks: 100 Time: 3 hours

[Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks]

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | the | removed | intoxication | effective | preserve | to | ruin | immediately | toxic | ingest | | | |
|--|---|---------|--------------|-----------|----------|----|------|-------------|-------|--------|--|--|--|
| Formalin is a very (a) —— chemical which is widely used as the (b) —— of foodstuffs like fish, milk, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | fruit, vegetables etc. Once formalin is added (c) —— any foodstuff, it cannot be easily (d) ——. Even | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| washing with hot water is not (e) —— enough to make food safe. So, our people are exposed to (f) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| — high risk of formalin (g) —. But (h) — of a little amount of formalin can (i) — cause serious | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | injury to our digestive system. Long term use of this poison certainly leads one to death. So, strict | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | action must be taken against those who are (i) —— our nation by poisoning our foodstuffs. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $5 \times 10 = 1$

Afforestation means planting or preserving trees. It is (a) — opposite to deforestation. Trees and plants are part and parcel (b) — the environment. Ecology (c) — depends on them. The country will (d) — into a desert unless there are trees. The trees help to protect the soil (e) — erosion. Flood cannot affect those areas (f) — with trees. Storm cannot (g) — its force (h) — the places where there are trees. So we should (i) — our fallow land for (j) — benefit of our life.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Independence | went | the war. | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| No nation | took place | to the battle field to save the country. | | | |
| Our War of Lib <mark>er</mark> ation | is | it without struggle. | | | |
| People from all walks of life | can achieve | in 1971. | | | |
| They | joined | the birthright of a man. | | | |

4. Complete the following passage with suitable verbs from the list. Put them in the correct tense. Use the negatives where necessary. $.5\times 10=5$

| offer | welcome | make | stay | arrange | wait | be | chain | come | conquer |
|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Time is co | ompared to | o a gypsy v | who (a) — | – anywher | e for long. | The poet | (b) —— tin | ne to be hi | s guest for |
| a day. He | e (c) —— ti | ime many | valuable g | gifts and h | onour. He | offers bell | ls (d) —— | of the bes | t silver for |

a day. He (c) —— time many valuable gifts and honour. He offers bells (d) —— of the best silver for his horse and a golden ring for himself. He will (e) —— a peacock dance in honour of time. But time is a thing that never stays. The greatest tragedy is that it never (f) —— back. It never (g) ——. Man has been able to (h) —— the world but he is (i) —— by the time. He (j) —— nothing but the puppet to the power of time.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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The teacher said to Amir, "Why are you talking in the class? You should behave yourself," Amir replied, "Sir, I am sorry. I am asking Raihan to lend me his pen. My pen has run out." The teacher said, "Be attentive and listen to my lecture."

- 6. Read the following passage and transform the underlined sentences as directed. $1 \times 10 = 10$
 - (a) Very few cities in the world are as busy as Singapore. (Use comparative degree)
 - (b) There are a good number of luxurious hotels in Singapore. (Make interrogative sentence)
 - (c) Millions of people visit Singapore every year. (Use passive voice)
 - (d) People who love food can taste local as well as foreign food. (Make simple sentence)
 - (e) The people of Singapore are very well behaved. (Make exclamatory sentence)
 - (f) Welcoming the tourists warmly, they show hospitality to them. (Make compound sentence)
 - (g) They are industrious. (Make negative sentence)

- (h) They are too polite to misbehave towards others. (Make complex sentence)
- (i) The tourists are also pleased with them. (Use active voice)
- (j) People from all over the world go there to enjoy the beauty of the city. (Make complex sentence)

Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) If I had been invited to join the party, ——.
- (b) The boy acted as though ——.
- (c) No sooner had the teacher entered the classroom ——.
- (d) It was many years since ——.
- (e) Fools rush in where ——

8. Fill in the gaps in the following text by adding suffix, prefix or both with the root words underlined in the box. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

We are living in a (a) <u>democrat</u> country. We have many (b) <u>achieve</u> thugh we live in (c) <u>poor</u>. The country is gradually advancing towards (d) <u>prosper</u>. But political (e) <u>stable</u> is a barrier to the path of development. The (f) <u>confrontation</u> political environment of Bangladesh hits the economy hard. Direct (g) <u>product</u> losses are estimated at around 1 percent of GDP due to disruptions in economic activities caused by political (h) <u>disturb</u>. For Bangladesh to comfortably reach middle income status, the country needs (i) <u>last</u> political stability, investments to regain momentum, and increasing female labour (j) <u>participate</u>.

9. Fill in the blanks with tag questions.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Nobody was present yesterday, ——
- (b) The widower shut the door, ——?
- (c) Writing many letters makes him happy, ——?
- (d) Let him enjoy the farewell dinner, ——?
- (e) I'd help you if you came here, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Where there is a will, there is a way. This proverb is necessarily true. People hate their fate (a) — they don't get the result as their wishes. But (b) — a man works deliberately for building his future, success will touch him definitely. There is no magic power; (c) — it is the magic of hard work. (d) — one works hard to attain success, fortune will never follow him. The unlucky people rebuke the fate. (e) — there is no alternative to hard work.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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the traveller said can you tell me the way to the nearest inn yes said the peasant do you want one in which you can spend the night no replied the traveller I only want a meal

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose you are looking for a job after completing your MBA. You have seen an advertisement for the post of a Marketing Executive in a reputed multinational company RFL, Motijheel CA, Dhaka. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV and cover should not exceed one page each.
- 13. Write an application to the Headmaster of your School requesting him for arranging an English Daily in the common room.
- 14. Write a paragraph in 250 words on "Dowry System in Bangladesh."
- 15. Write a composition on "The Satellite TV Channel & its impact."

57 SPECIAL MODEL TEST-2

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.

| of | the | for | at | which | adulterate | hardly | or | into | | | |
|--|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| The issue of food (a) —— has drawn the attention (b) —— general people. We (c) —— find any food in | | | | | | | | | | | |
| our country (d) —— is not adulterated in one way (e) —— other. (f) —— present, sub-standard foods | | | | | | | | | | | |
| are sold o | n most of (| g) —— hote | els. Very re | cently gove | rnment has | directed a n | nobile court | to look (h) | | | |
| — the matter of food (i) —. They are catching dishonest hoteliers red handed (j) — using | | | | | | | | | | | |
| unhygienic food ingredients. | | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

come

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

English is regarded as (a) — international language. It is spoken all (b) — the world. So the importance (c) — this language can hardly be exaggerated. Almost all the books (d) — higher education are written (e) — English. today every organization needs employees who can speak and write (f) standard form of English. English is spoken (g) — with the mother tongue almost everywhere. Ours is (h) — age of globalization. We need to (i) — English to join (j) — advanced world.

Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

keep

| Earthquake | destroy | have enough preparation to save us from it. | | | | |
|-------------|---------|---|--|--|--|--|
| It | is | a natural disaster. | | | | |
| We | do not | get any warning before it. | | | | |
| Earthquakes | should | many towns with the people. | | | | |
| | | more destructive than flood. | | | | |

Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

play

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$ work

| Today women (a) — an important role in all spheres of life. They are no longer (b) — to the four | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| walls of their husband's house. They have come out of the kitchens and (c) —— hand in hand with | | | | | | | | | | |
| men in all the development words of the government. By (d) —— higher education, they (e) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| pilots, doctors, engineers, teachers, administrators etc. They have (f) —— able to prove their worth. | | | | | | | | | | |
| They (g) — much to the economy of the country. Now, it has (h) — to the realization of the men | | | | | | | | | | |
| that true development of the country. Now it has (h) —— to the realization of the men that true | | | | | | | | | | |
| development of the country is never possible (i) —— half of the population idle at home. So it (j) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| no telling that women are playing a great role in the socio-economic condition of our country. | | | | | | | | | | |

confine

been

need

receive

Change the narrative style of the following text.

become

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"Good morning, students, "said the teacher. "How are you?" "We are fine. sir, What about you?" "I am too. Please sit down. Have you prepared your lesson?" the teacher asked. "Sorry, sir, we have not prepared our lesson, "they replied.

Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

Health is wealth. (Complex)

contribute

- (b) A healthy poor man is happier than a sick moneyed man. (Positive)
- Though a healthy man is an asset to his family, an unhealthy man is liability. (Compound)
- He can succeed in life. (Interrogative) (d)
- So, everybody cannot but be conscious of his health. (Affirmative) (e)
- Everybody must take care of his health all the time. (Negative) (f)
- Health can be improved by regular physical exercise and a balanced diet. (Active) (g)
- The people who are poor cannot afford to take a balanced diet. (Simple) (h)
- They are very concerned with the quantity of food. (Exclamatory) (i)
- Everybody should know it that malnutrition causes weakness. (Passive)

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15. Write a composition on 'Your Aim in Life' in about 250 words.

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58 SPECIAL MODEL TEST-3

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

| 1. | Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the form | ns of some of |
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| | the words. You may need to use one word more than once. | $5 \times 10 = 5$ |

| power | by | mount | the | throttle | to | hanker | lead | source | in | | | |
|--|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|--|--|--|
| It is (a) —— instinct of everyone to (b) —— up the top position and power. There is no other passion | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (c) —— the world which is so (d) —— as the love of power. Man always (e) —— after power. Power is | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| the (f) — | — of all st | rength. Bu | ıt excessiv | e desire fo | or power (g | g) —— one | to disast | er. Notwitl | nstanding, | | | |
| people always rush (h) —— the power. Sometimes a powerful nation or society is dominated (id) —— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| the passion. It wants to (j) —— the smaller and the weaker neighbours. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Man is the supreme creation of Allah. He is different from other animals, because he (a) — more IQ than them. He can (b) — between right and wrong because of his (c) —. He can (d) — himself from (e) — any harmful deed. He can (f) — himself for his (g) —. But sometimes, he acts out of (h) — and it brings (i) — to him. So, he should apply his (j) — consciously.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| Independence | went | the war. to the battlefield to save the country. | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| No nation | took place | | | |
| Our war of liberation | is | it without struggle. | | |
| People from all walks of life | can achieve | in 1971. | | |
| They | joined | the birthright of a man. | | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | use | implen | nent | require | come | | have | constitute | und | dermine | honour | create | ensure |
|---|--|---------|------|-----------|-------------------------|----|-------------------------|-------------------------|------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|
| It | It is high time we (a) — our brain about the curse of dowry. The issues of dowry (b) — to be | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| cc | nside | ered in | view | of the co | ount <mark>ry'</mark> s | so | cio- <mark>eco</mark> r | nomic, <mark>cul</mark> | ural | and poli | tical circ | umstance | s. United |
| efforts (c) — to put an end to violence against women. A specific framework must be drawn up to | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| be (d) —. Anyway, we can hope that dowry system (e) — to an end in the time to come. It (f) — | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| sc | social imbalance and (g) — women. But the fact is that women (h) — half of our total population. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| S | So, we must (i) —— them and at the same time we must (j) —— their proper education. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

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Himi said to Rimi, "Why don't you get up early from sleep?" Rimi said, "It is tough to me to leave bed early." "Alas! It's a bad habit," said Himi. "If you leave bed early, you can enjoy sound health. Follow my advice," "I will try my best to do this," said Rimi.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Corruption is a great curse to our nation. (Complex)
- (b) No other problem is so great as corruption. (Comparative)
- (c) It prevails in every walk of our life. (Complex)
- (d) It destroys everything. (Negative)
- (e) It can be compared to cancer. (Active)
- (f) It paralyses the whole nation. (Passive)
- (g) We must realize the fact and come forward against corruption. (Simple)
- (h) We have to create awareness among the people to get rid of this problem. (Complex)
- (i) Both the government and the people should work together. (Compound)
- (j) Educated people cannot avoid the responsibility of solving this problem. (Interrogative)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Historical places help us ——.
- (b) Man is curious ——.
- (c) —, he can know many things.
- (d) We should pay a visit to a historical place ——.
- (e) It is high time ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

The dead (a) <u>war</u> was brought before the widow. She stood beside the dead body. She was (b) <u>speech</u> because she was (c) <u>whelmed</u> with grief. All standing around the dead body (d) <u>called</u> the good qualities of her husband. But she was still standing (e) <u>moved</u>. She burst into tears when her child was given onto her lap. She wept (f) <u>bitter</u> thinking of the (g) <u>fortune</u> of her child as it had become (h) father. She also felt proud of her husband's (i) <u>hero</u>. Her husband embraced (j) <u>martyr</u>.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) One should keep one's promise, ——?
- (b) Rafiq along with his classmates went to a seminar, ——?
- (c) Runa and not her sisters got the second prize, ——?
- (d) Death is preferable to dishonour, ——?
- (e) It scarcely rains in winter, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Morning walk is a good habit for all classes of people. (a) —— it is a simple exercise, it is good for health (b) —— mind. (c) ——, morning air is fresh and free from any kind of noise and pollution. Morning walk is such an exercise which costs nothing (d) —— gives more. (e) —— we should make a habit of morning walk.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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what kind of stories did aesop tell asked anwar fables replied mrs amin do you know what fables are no replied anwar well continued mrs amin fables are stories with a message or a moral

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Tanvir/ Tasnuva. You have completed your education and are looking for a job. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in the 'Daily Star' for the post of a medical representative in Beximco Pharmaceuticals Ltd, Dhaka. Now make a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV must not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose, you are Arnob/ Anushka. You are a student of Model High School, Daulatpur, Kushtia. There is no debating club in your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school for opening a Debating Club in your school.
- 14. A rickshaw puller is a very familiar figure in our country. He plays a great role in our communication system. But he leads a very miserable life for financial problem. Now, write a paragraph in 150 words on 'The life of a rickshaw puller'.
- 15. A student has many duties and responsibilities. He/she can play an important role to build up the nation. Now, write a composition on "Duties of a Student".

59 ✓ SPECIAL MODEL TEST-4

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You can use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

| | in | dark | the | from | an | learning | often | our | that | worthy | |
|--|---|------|-----|------|----|----------|-------|-----|------|--------|--|
| A teacher is (a) —— compared with (b) —— architect. He is called (c) —— architect of a nation. He is | | | | | | | | | | | |
| the light of (d) —— and makes the illiterate people (e) —— citizens of our country. But it is a matter | | | | | | | | | | | |
| of regret (f) — the teachers are not held (g) — due respect in (h) — society. They lead a humble | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | life in the midst of want. Still they keep the light of education burning in order to remove the (i) —— | | | | | | | | | | |
| | of illiteracy and superstitions (j) —— the society. | | | | | | | | | | |

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. Use only one word in each blank. $.5 \times 10 = 5$ A true friend is (a) — asset. He stands (b) — his friends in time (c) — danger. He is not (d) — greedy person. He (e) — wishes for the welfare of (f) — friend. But it is a matter (g) — regret that a true friend is very (h) — today. A selfish man can not be a (i) — friend. He always think of

his (j) —— interest.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

| | | not cut trees at random. |
|-------|--------|--|
| Trees | are | a great source of food and vitamins. |
| We | play | an important role in our life. |
| They | should | our best friends. |
| | | plant trees more and more for a better future. |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. $.5 \times 10 = 5$ pollute suffer save do look fall become be use throw

The other name of water is life. We can not (a) — a single moment without it. Water is (b) — not only for drinking purposes but also for household works and industrial works. Water becomes (c) — in many ways. The mills and factories pollute water by (d) — waste into it. Water (e) — polluted by chemicals and different elements. Sometimes people (f) — from many diseases. We should (g) — very careful about it. We must (h) — for safe source of drinking water. Otherwise, we must (i) — in danger. Let us (j) — water from pollution.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

"May I come in, Sir?" said the guardian. "Yes, come in, please", said the Headmaster. The guardian said, "well, all the guardians along with you must do something for the betterment of our children. They are losing their morality". The Headmaster said, "Let's plan something for their betterment.

6. Change the sentences according to directions given in the brackets.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

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- (a) Birds are one of the greatest gifts of nature. (Positive)
- (b) Who does not love birds? (Assertive)
- (c) We must be kind to them. (Negative)
- (d) They help to keep ecological balance. (Interrogative)
- (e) In winter some birds come to our country from Siberia. (Complex)
- (f) The birds eat up the insects which are harmful for our crops. (Simple)
- (g) Birds beautify nature to a great extent. (Passive)
- (h) Very few living things are as useful as birds for our ecosystem. (Superlative)
- (i) Birds are very essential. (Exclamatory)
- (j) Crow is the ugliest of all birds. (Comparative)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) We work hard so that ——.
- (b) If we are not industrious, ——
- (c) A man who leads an idle life ——.
- (d) An idle man can never help people and so ——.
- (e) We know the proverb that ——.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the underlines. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

A (a) <u>free</u> fighter is a (b) <u>war</u> who took part in our War of Liberation in 1971. The (c) <u>dependence</u> of our motherland was (d) <u>dear</u> to a freedom fighter than his life. He joined the war (e) <u>willing</u>. He had no (f) <u>might</u> weapons with him. But he had strong moral courage. He was (g) <u>main</u> a guerrilla (h) <u>fight</u>. He attacked the enemy from an (i) <u>known</u> place and then (j) <u>appeared</u>.

9. Add tag questions to the statements below.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) Hellow, Liza. Father's birthday is on Monday next, ——?
- (b) Yes, Lili, only two days are left, ——?
- (c) We need to buy some beautiful gifts this year, ——?
- (d) Of course. Let's go to a watch shop, ——?
- (e) What a nice idea, Liza, ——?

10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Women are, nowadays, as important as men in the society. They constitute nearly half of our total population. (a) —— there can be no denying the fact (b) —— they too possess equal rights and duties (c) —— men do. They have noble mission to fulfill as men. (d) —— they get opportunity, their genius, powers (e) —— capacities will bloom fully.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the text below:

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my dear mother you letter is just to hand it seems to me that you are anxious for me why you need not think about me

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Sanglap and you have passed H.SC and got a diploma on computer. Now, write a CV with cover letter for the post of a computer operator in a company. Your CV should not exceed one page.
- 13. Suppose you are the students of Cumilla Zila School. Cumilla. The students of your class want to go on a study tour. So you need permission of the headmaster. Now, write an application to the headmaster of your school seeking his permission to go on a study tour.
- 14. Imagine, you paid a visit to a book fair. Write a paragraph in about 150 words answering the following question.
 - (a) What was the occasion? (b) Where was the fair held? (c) Why did you go there? (d) What did you see there? (e) What was your feeling?
- 15. Write a composition on "Newspaper".

60 SPECIAL MODEL TEST-5

Part-A: Grammar [60 Marks]

up

need

learn

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

mean

the

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|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| When you are reading something (a) —— English, don't look (b) —— every new word and (c) —— or | | | | | | | |
| you will soon become fed (d) ——. Only look up something that is really important for understanding | | | | | | | |
| (e) —— text. When you have finished reading, look back again what you have read and then you will | | | | | | | |
| perhaps look (f) — some extra words and write (g) — the new expressions which interest you. | | | | | | | |
| Similarly, when you listen (h) —— English teachers, don't panic, may be you hear some words or | | | | | | | |
| expression | that you don | 't know. You | have to try | to make (i) - | —— what the | e teacher is | talking, keep |
| quite and th | ne overall (j) – | will often | become clea | ır. | | | |

down

out

modify

go

speak

express

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

in

 $.5\times 10=5$

to

Language plays a very important role from (a) — moment we wake up in the morning. We use language (b) — different purposes. We use it (c) — express our feelings and emotions. We use it (d) — obtain information (e) — express our ideas and thought, (f) — convey our message or to pass (g) — information (h) — others. Languages ever present in our activities and expressions. It is (i) — inseparable part (j) — what we are and what we do, perceive and believe.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. $1 \times 5 = 5$

design

| Ambition | needs | a particular ambition. | |
|------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| Almost all of us | means | to be competitive too. | |
| One's ambition | may be materialized | and sometimes hindered. | |
| One | will never be | successfu <mark>l i</mark> n li <mark>fe if one s</mark> its idly. | |
| | cherish | desire to achieve something. | |

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.

teach

 $.5 \times 10 = 5$ understand

| Communicative competence in English is urgently (a) —— in our country. The present world (b) —— |
|--|
| fast and developing by leaps and bounds. In order to keep pace with the present world, we cannot |
| help (c) —— English, but the present system of teaching and learning English is not up to the mark. |
| The text books (d) —— for the classes IX-X have to (e) —— and made updated. The learners of our |
| school and colleges (f) —— and write English fluently. They can not even (g) —— their listening skill. |
| As a result they fail to (h) —— when the native speaker (i) —— to them in English. The teachers also |
| don't (j) —— methodically. |

improve

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.

talk

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"Do you know why you are sent to school?" "For playing with friends, father." "No, you are sent to learn to read and write". "But I won't read and write," replied Jack sulkily. "Yes, you will".

6. Change the sentences according to directions.

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Copying in the examination is a social crime. (Interrogative)
- (b) It is a very serious crime. (Exclamatory)
- (c) The student who copies in the exam deceives himself. (Simple)
- (d) Copying in the exam cannot bring any benefit. (Passive)
- (e) What a shameful practice it is! (Assertive)
- (f) By resisting this malady we can strengthen our education system. (Complex)
- (g) If we fail to stop it, our education will be questioned. (Simple)
- (h) Our exam system should be moderated. (Active)
- (i) Nothing is as hateful as copying in the exam. (Comparative)
- (j) The government is sincere in removing this crime. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) United we stand, ——.
- (b) know this wise saying?
- (c) Unless you are united, you ——.
- (d) The story of the old man and his sons teaches us ——.
- (e) It is high time we ——

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. $.5 \times 10 = 5$

In the past (a) <u>dictate</u> was a routine work. That is the pupils would write at their teachers' dictation. Then the (b) <u>dictate</u> piece of topic would be checked and (c) <u>checked</u>. Thus they could learn spelling and word meanings. Students could follow the (d) <u>pronunciate</u> of their teachers and make correction in case of (e) <u>spelling</u>. This practice should have (f) <u>continue</u> as this was very (g) <u>benefit</u> for the pupils. Today, the dictation (h) <u>write</u> is not practised and for this reason our students can not write (i) <u>speed</u> and they also commit many mistakes in their (j) <u>write</u> presentation.

9. Make tag questions of these statements.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

Zayed works with the slum dwellers. He often thinks of their way of life. Today he is speaking to himself about them.

- : Slum dwellers are rootless people, ——?
- : They live there in an inhuman condition, ——?
- : They don't abide by any law and order in their society, ——?
- : Everybody should come forward to rehabiliate them, ——?
- : Only then they will be able to get rid of this dark life, ——?

10. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

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In our society we find a group of people who are fond of sky high talking. They often pay that they can do so (a) — better (b) — that. In fact they are good for nothing. They want to hide their inability by their sky high talking. (c) — such kind of people are asked to show their performance, they quarrel with their tools. (d) — a man of action talks less and advises others to talk less and work more. A man of action need not talk about his ability (e) — he is not an empty vessel.

11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

do not speak ill of others to speak ill of others is a great sin rather rectify yourself through self-criticism if you rectify yourself in this way others will follow you if you speak ill of others only problems increase this does not do any good to society.

Part-B: Composition [40 Marks]

- 12. Suppose, you are Rahat Aziz/Fouzia Islam of House No. 03, Block: B, Main Road, Uposhahor, Sylhet. Recently you have passed B.Sc. Honours in Chemistry. You have seen a vacancy for the post of a Medical Representative in Square Pharmaceuticals Limited, Dhaka. Now write a CV with a cover letter to the Director of Human Resource Department of Square Pharmaceuticals Limited for the post in response of an advertisement published in 'The Daily Star' on 17th September 2017.
- 13. Write an application to the Chairman of your Upazilla for relief for the flood affected people. 10
- 14. Write a paragraph o 'International Mother Language Day'.

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15. Write a composition on 'Female Education'.

SOLUTION TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST [Paper-II]

56 KEY TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST-1

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) toxic (b) preservative (c) to (d) removed (e) effective (f) a (g) intoxication (h) ingestion (i) immediately (j) ruining
- 2. (a) quite (b) of (c) fully/completely (d) turn (e) from (f) covered (g) apply (h) on (i) use/utilize (j) the
- **3.** (a) Independence is the birthright of a man.
 - (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
 - (c) Our War of Liberation took place in 1971.
 - (d) People from all walks of life joined the war.
 - (e) They went to the battlefield to save the country.
- **4.** (a) does not stay (b) welcomes (c) offers (d) made (e) arrange (f) comes (g) waits (h) conquer (i) chained (j) is
- **5.** The teacher asked Amir why he was talking in the class and said that he should behave himself. Amir respectfully apologised that he was asking Raihan to lend him his pen because his pen had run out. Then the teacher advised him to be attentive and listen to his lecture.
- **6.** (a) Singapore is busier than most other cities in the world.
 - (b) Aren't there a good number of luxurious hotels in Singapore?
 - (c) Singapore is visited by millions of people every year.
 - (d) People loving food can taste local as well as foreign food.
 - (e) How well behaved the people of Singapore are!
 - (f) They welcome the tourists warmly and show hospitality to them.
 - (g) They are not idle/lazy.
 - (h) They are so polite that they cannot misbehave towards others.
 - (i) They also please the tourists.
 - (j) People from all over the world go there so that they can enjoy the beauty of the city.
- 7. (a) If I had been invited to join the party, I would have responded to the invitation whole heartedly.
 - (b) The boy acted as though he knew nothing about the affair.
 - (c) No sooner had the teacher entered the classroom than the students stood up.
 - (d) It was many years since we had got together.
 - (e) Fools rush in where the angels fear to tread.
- **8.** (a) democratic (b) achievements (c) poverty (d) prosperity (e) instability (f) confrontational (g) production (h) disturbance (i) lasting (j) participation
- **9.** (a) Nobody was present vesterday, were they?
 - (b) The widower shut the door, didn't he?
 - (c) Writing many letters makes him happy, doesn't it?
 - (d) Let him enjoy the farewell dinner, will you?
 - (e) I'd help you if you came here, wouldn't I?
- 10. (a) because (b) if (c) but (d) Unless (e) So/Therefore
- **11.** The traveller said, "Can you tell me the way to nearest inn?" "Yes," said the peasant. "Do you want one in which you can spend the night?" "No," replied the traveller. I only want a meal."

Part-B: Composition

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57 KEY TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST-2

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) adulteration (b) of (c) hardly (d) that (e) or (f) At (g) the (h) into (i) aulteration (j) for
- 2. (a) an (b) over (c) of (d) of (e) in (f) a (g) along (h) an (i) learn/know (j) the
- **3.** (a) Earthquake is a natural disaster.
 - (b) It is more destructive than flood.
 - (c) We do not get any warning before it.
 - (d) We should have enough preparation to save us from it.
 - (e) Earthquakes destroy many towns with the people.

- **4.** (a) play (b) confined (c) are working (d) receiving (e) are becoming (f) been (g) contribute (h) come (i) keeping (j) needs
- **5.** The teacher wished the students good morning. Then he asked them how they were. Students respectfully replied that they were fine. Then they asked the teacher what was about him (t). In reply he (t) told them that he was fine too. Then he asked them whether they had prepared their lesson. They respectfully replied with sorrow that they had not propared their lesson.
- **6.** (a) It is health which is wealth.
 - (b) A sick moneyed man is not so happy as a healthy poor man.
 - (c) A healthy man is an asset to his family but an unhealthy man is a liability.
 - (d) Can't he succeed in life?
 - (e) So, everybody must be conscious of his health.
 - (f) Everybody cannot but take care of his health all the time.
 - (g) One can improve one's health by regular physical exercise and a balanced diet.
 - (h) The poor people can not afford to take a balanced diet.
 - (i) How concerned they are about the quantity of food!
 - (j) It should be known to everybody that weakness is caused by malnutrition.
- 7. (a) As flower is a symbol of love, beauty and purity, it is liked by everybody.
 - (b) There is hardly any person who doesn't love flowers.
 - (c) We can turn our enemies into friends if we offer them flowers.
 - (d) It is said that those who do not love flowers <u>can even commit a murder.</u>
 - (e) Many people cultivate flowers because it has now become a source of earning.
- **8.** (a) Perseverance (b) successful (c) unsuccessful (d) misfortune (e) persevering/perseverent (f) Sincerity (g) enables (h) appropriately (i) formative (j) abuse/misuse
- **9.** (a) Begging is the result of our poor socio-economic system, <u>isn't it?</u>
 - (b) Beggars do not have any social dignity, do they?
 - (c) Everybody feels pity for them, don't they?
 - (d) Micro-credit organizations can come forward to solve the problem, <u>can't they?</u>
 - (e) The government should have social security belt, shouldn't it/they?
- 10. (a) who (b) because (c) Besides (d) So (e) Moreover
- 11. "I have got GPA-5 in the S.S.C examination," said Rafiq. "Congratulation!", said I "What do you intend to do now?" "I want to study in a reputed college. I'll try to get admission in Notre Dame College", Rafiq replied.

Part-B: Composition

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58 √ KEY TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST-3

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) the (b) climb (c) in (d) powerful (e) hankers (f) source (g) leads (h) to (i) by (j) throttle
- 2. (a) has (b) differentiate (c) rationality/conscience/sense (d) refrain/abstain (e) doing/performing/committing (f) blame (g) misdeed (h) irrationality/whim (i) ruin/downfall/destruction (j) sense/conscience/rationality
- **3.** (a) Independence is the birthright of a man.
 - (b) No nation can achieve it without struggle.
 - (c) Our war of liberation took place in 1971.
 - (d) People from all walks of life joined the war.
 - (e) They went to the battlefield to save the country.
- **4.** (a) used (b) have to (c) are required (d) implemented (e) will come (f) creates (g) undermines (h) constitute (i) honour (j) ensure
- **5.** Himi asked Rimi why she (R) didn't get up early from sleep. Rimi replied that it was tough to her to leave bed early. Himi exclaimed with sorrow that it was a bad habit and said that if she (R) left bed early she could enjoy sound health. And at last she (H) told her (R) to follow her advice. Rimi said that she would try her best to do that.
- **6.** (a) It is corruption which is a great curse to our nation.
 - (b) Corruption is greater than any other problem.
 - (c) It is every walk of our life where it prevails.
 - (d) It does not leave anything undestroyed.
 - (e) We can compare it to cancer.

- (f) The whole nation is paralysed by it.
- (g) Realizing the fact, we must come forward against corruption.
- (h) We have to create awareness among the people so that we can get rid of this problem.
- (i) Both the government and the people should be united and should work.
- (j) Can educated people avoid the responsibility of solving this problem?
- **7.** (a) Historical places help us know the history of a place.
 - (b) Man is curious to know the unknown and see the unseen.
 - (c) If a man visits historical places, he can know many things.
 - (d) We should pay a visit to a historical place whenever we get chance.
 - (e) It is high time we paid a visit to a place of historical importance.
- **8.** (a) warrior (b) speechless (c) overwhelmed (d) recalled (e) unmoved (f) bitterly (g) misfortune (h) fatherless (i) heroism (j) martyrdom
- **9.** (a) One should keep one's promise, shouldn't they?
 - (b) Rafig along with his classmates went to a seminar, didn't they?
 - (c) Runa and not her sisters got the second prize, did they?
 - (d) Death is preferable to dishonour, isn't it?
 - (e) It scarcely rains in winter, does it?
- 10. (a) Though (b) and (c) Moreover/Besides (d) but (e) So/Therefore
- **11.** "What kind of stories did Aesop tell?" said Anwar. "Fables," replied Mrs. Amin. "Do you know what fables are?" "No," replied Anwar. "Well," continued Mrs. Amin, "Fables are stories with a message or a moral."

Part-B: Composition

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59 KEY TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST-4

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) often (b) an (c) the (d) learning (e) worthy (f) that (g) in (h) our (i) darkness (j) from
- **2.** (a) an (b) by (c) of (d) a (e) always (f) his (g) of (h) rare (i) true (j) own
- **3.** (a) Trees are our best friends.
 - (b) They play an important role in our life.
 - (c) Trees are a great source of food and vitamins.
 - (d) We should not cut trees at random.
 - (e) We should plant trees more and more for a better future.
- 4. (a) do (b) used (c) polluted (d) throwing (e) becomes (f) suffer (g) be (h) look (i) fall (j) save
- **5.** The guardian respectfully asked the headmaster if he (g) might go in. The headmaster replied in the affirmative and politely told him to go in. The guardian suggested that all the guardians along with him (h) had to do something for the betterment of their children. He added that they (c) were losing their morality. The headmaster suggested that they should plan something for their (c) betterment.
- **6.** (a) Very few gifts of nature are so/as great as birds.
 - (b) All/Everybody loves birds.
 - (c) We must not be unkind to them.
 - Or, we cannot but be kind to them.
 - (d) Don't they help to keep ecological balance?
 - (e) It is winter season when some birds come to our country from Siberia.
 - (f) The birds eat up the harmful insects for our crops.
 - (g) Nature is beautified by birds to a great extent.
 - (h) Birds are one of the most useful things for our ecosystem.
 - (i) How essential birds are!
 - (j) Crow is uglier than all other birds.
- **7.** (a) We work hard so that we can prosper in life.
 - (b) If we are not industrious, we will lag behind.
 - (c) A man who leads an idle life wants to do evil work.
 - (d) An idle man can never help people and so he is neither praised nor respected by them.
 - (e) We know the proverb that <u>an idle brain is the devil's workshop</u>.
- **8.** (a) freedom (b) warrior (c) independence (d) dearer (e) willingly (f) mighty (g) mainly (h) fighter (i) unknown (j) disappeared

- 9. (a) Hellow, Liza. Father's birthday is on Monday next, isn't it?
 - (b) Yes, Lili, only two days are left, isn't it?
 - (c) We need to buy some beautiful gifts this year, don't we?
 - (d) Of course. Let's go to a watch shop, shall we?
 - (e) What a nice idea, Liza, isn't it?
- 10. (a) So (b) that (c) as (d) If (e) and
- **11.** My dear mother, your letter is just to hand. It seems to me that you are anxious for me. Why? You need not think about me.

Part-B: Composition

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60 KEY TO SPECIAL MODEL TEST-5

Part-A: Grammar

- 1. (a) in (b) up (c) meaning (d) up (e) the (f) up (g) down (h) to (i) out (j) expression
- 2. (a) the (b) for (c) to (d) to (e) to (f) to (g) necessary (h) to (i) an (j) of
- **3.** (a) Ambition means desire to achieve something.
 - (b) Almost all of us may have a particular ambition.
 - (c) One's ambition may be materialized and sometimes hindered.
 - (d) One will never be successful in life if one sits idly.
 - (e) One needs to be competitive too.
- **4.** (a) needed (b) is going (c) learning (d) designed (e) be modified (f) cannot speak (g) improve (h) understand (i) talks (j) teach
- **5.** Father asked Jack if he knew why he (J) was sent to school. Jack replied that he (J) was sent to school for playing with friends. Father disagreed with him and said that he (J) was sent to learn, to read and write. Jack replied sulkily that he (J) won't read and write. Then his father insisted that he (J) should read and write.
- **6.** (a) Isn't copying in the examination a social crime?
 - (b) What a serious crime it si!
 - (c) The student copying in the exam deceives himself.
 - (d) Any benefit cannot be brought by copying in the exam.
 - (e) It is a very shameful practice
 - (f) If we resist this malady, we can strengthen our education system.
 - (g) Our education system will be questioned in case of our failure to stop it.

 Or, In case of our failure to stop it, our education system will be questioned.
 - (h) We should moderate our exam system.
 - (i) Copying in the exam is more hateful than anything.
 - (j) The government is not insincere in removing this crime.
- 7. (a) United we stand, divided we fall.
 - (b) Who doesn't know this wise saying?
 - (c) Unless you are united, you will not be able to face any crisis boldly.
 - (d) The story of the old man and his sons teaches us that unity is strength.
 - (e) It is high time we became united.
- **8.** (a) dictation (b) dictated (c) rechecked (d) pronunciation (e) misspelling (f) continued (g) beneficial (h) writing (i) speedily (j) written
- **9.** Zayed works with the slum dwellers. He often thinks of their way of life. Today he is speaking to himself about them.
 - : Slum dwellers are rootless people, <u>aren't they?</u>
 - : They live there in an inhuman condition, don't they?
 - : They don't abide by any law and order in their society, do they?
 - : Everybody should come forward to rehabiliate them, shouldn't they?
 - Only then they will be able to get rid of this dark life, won't they?
- **10.** Don't speak ill of others. To speak ill of others is a great sin, rather rectify yourself through self-criticism. If you rectify yourself in this way, others will follow you. If you speak ill of others, only problems increase. This does not do any good to society.
- 11. (a) much (b) than (c) If (d) On the contrary/But (e) as/since

