

.....from 1884 to
(live)

.....long before we arrived
(left)

Insert appropriate determiners in the
blanks of the given sentences : 1 each

(i) Howwork can be finished
today ?

(ii) There wasoil in the lamp, so
it went out soon.

FIRST SEMESTER

AUTO/CHEMICAL/ETP/MECH/RAC/MOM
OPHTHALMIC/ARCHITECTURAL
ASSISTANTSHIP/COMPUTER SC/
COMPUTER HARDWARE MAINTENANCE/

SECOND SEMESTER

CEMENT TECH/CIVIL/CTM/ELECTRICAL/
PRPC/PRODUCTION ENGG/
PLASTIC TECH/PRINTING TECH/
TEXTILE TECH/ARCHITECTURE &
INTERIOR DESIGN
COMMUNICATION SKILL

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt all questions.

1. Choose the correct answer. 1 each

- (i) What is the general word for the word
'base' ?
- (a) top
(b) bottom
(c) at the side
(d) slanting

(ii) Removing of salt from sea water is called

- (a) salination
- (b) desalination
- (c) notional
- (d) innovation

(iii) One word for 'an act of stopping' is

- (a) Mention
- (b) Prevention
- (c) Convention
- (d) Solution

(iv) Who is an entrepreneur ?

- (a) One who is not only employed but creates employment for others
- (b) One who is only employed
- (c) One who creates jobs for others
- (d) One who is neither employed nor creates employment for others

(v) 'The Last Leaf' is written by :

- (a) O. Henry
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Milton
- (d) R. K. Narayan

(vi) Who is the central character of the story 'The Male Actor' ?

(vii) Who wrote the story 'The Selfish Giant' ?

- (a) Oscar Wilde
- (b) Kahlil
- (c) Tolst
- (d) Samyukta Sen

(viii) A resource that cannot be exhausted or used up is called

- (a) exhaustible
- (b) inexhaustible
- (c) biodegradable
- (d) lost

(ix) Who was suffering from pneumonia in the story 'The Last Leaf' ?

- (a) Johnsy
- (b) Sue
- (c) Meera
- (d) Kelley

(x) The refuse of the biogas dome is called :

- (a) bulb
- (b) sludge
- (c) indurge
- (d) bio-technology

(A) What are the main barriers in the path of communication ? Suggest ways to overcome them.

- (B) Match each of the words in list A with connected word in list B. each

List A

List B

- (i) (Substance) _____ that gradually destroys slowly by chemical action
- (ii) sudden and awkward (dis) growth
tary tightening of muscles
- (iii) Transparent natural rock like substance _____ like quartz
- (iv) (of price, demand) _____ too much too high or great
- (v) Something new that is often _____ is introduced

- (C) Complete the following sentences in appropriate form of words.

utilization, seasoning, production

- (i) The timber can be prepared _____ solar kiln only.
- (ii) The management _____ to announce _____ from _____ for workers.
- (iii) We must _____ our natural resources adequately.

- (d) Write short notes on any *three* of the following topics. 6 each

- (a) Pinch of the world water problem
- (b) Orientation programme for new recruits
- (c) Solar energy
- (d) How can we meet the challenges of environmental pollution
- (e) Entrepreneurship

- (e) (a) Answer five following questions in one or two sentences each (any *three*). 2 each

- (a) How does the law affect the special word?
- (b) What is the role of a safety specialist?
- (c) What area has India done pioneering work?
- (d) What does the term 'biosphere' describe?

- (d) Draft an application for job to the General Manager, Bharat Heavy Electricals India Ltd. for the post of diploma Electrical Engineer with resume. 12

- (e) (a) Write a paragraph on any *one* of the following topics : 13

- (i) Importance of communication skill for Engineers
- (ii) Regging is an evil practice
- (iii) Uses of Science for the welfare of the humankind

(b) Translate the following sentences into Hindi.

- (i) What is a scale model?
- (ii) Water vapourises at 100° celsius.
- (iii) The management should try and equip the factory with the latest safety devices.
- (iv) The work should be done in a systematic manner.
- (v) Land around a river is covered by water.

6. (a) Write precis of the following passage in about one-third of the original length.
- Trees give shade for the benefit of others, and while they themselves are cut down and endure scorching heat, they produce the fruit by which others live. This is the character of good men. *Santalwood*—the more it is cut and no use of it is made, the more it is valued by mankind? *Sandalwood*—the more it is rubbed, the more scent it produces. *Sugarcane*—the more it is peeled and cut into pieces, the more juice does it produce. *Gold*—the more it is burnt, the more brightly does it shine. The men who are noble at heart do not lose their qualities even in losing their lives. What does it matter whether men praise them or not? What difference does it make whether riches abide with them or not? What does

it signify whether they die at this moment or whether their lives are prolonged? Happen what may, those who tread in the right path will not set foot in any other. Live itself is unprofitable to a man who does not live for others. To live for the mere sake of being one's life is to live the life of dogs and cows. Those who lay down their lives for the sake of a friend or even for the sake of a stranger, will assuredly dwell forever in a world of bliss.

- (b) Rewrite the following sentences in the passive voice. (2 each)
 - (i) The scientists believe that there is no life on Mars.
 - (ii) Her beauty struck me deeply.
 - (iii) The committee has prepared the plan of the project.
- (c) Rewrite each of the following sentences choosing the correct verb in each case from the parenthesis. (1 each)
 - (i) Some of the work (remain, remains) entrusted.
 - (ii) Village folk (are, is) simple by nature.
 - (iii) Neither of the machines (work, works) efficiently.
- (d) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences the correct form of the verb given in the parenthesis : (1 each)
 - (i) Some birds every year.

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