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Subject Name: English

Time: 02:30 pm - 05:00 pm **Total Marks: 70**

Instructions:

1. **Attempt all questions.**
2. **Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.**
3. **Figures to the right indicate full marks.**
4. **English version is considered to be Authentic.**

Q.1 Answer the following questions. (Any SEVEN) **14**

1 What in your opinion can India teach to the rest of the world?
2 What are the two secrets of Dabbawalas' success?
3 How can a person cheat you while chatting?
4 Why did the speaker suggest Tod to take taxi to the club?
5 How did Dasa become the hero of the day?
6 How did Schatz's father clarify his doubt about temperature?
7 How can we use internet as a travelling guide?
8 In what areas of life is courage actually required according to Lincoln?
9 What is the difference between India and the West regarding professionalism?
10 How do Dabbawalas use colours and codes for the delivery of tiffin boxes?

Q.2 **(a)** Answer the following questions. (Any FOUR) **04**

1. Who announced the entry of the Cobra in to the house?
2. When did the business of Dabbawala start?
3. Write one disadvantage of internet.
4. How long ago did Tod borrow a dollar from the author?
5. What does the author mean by accountability?

(b) Answer the following questions. (Any FOUR) **04**

1 How many people die of snake bites every year?
2. Why did Schatz think that he was going to die?
3. What is marriage regarded as in India?
4. What does 6 sigma rating mean?
5. What is a cyber crime?

(c) Write a short note on any ONE. **03**

1. Efforts of the author to remind Tod about the dollar
2. Dasa's character

(d) Write a short note on any ONE. **03**

1. Role of internet in our life
2. Schatz's illness and his condition

Q.3 **(a)** Do as directed. (Any THREE) **03**

1. He is clever but he failed. [use though]
2. He speaks English well. [make negative]
3. If you come early, we shall go out. [use unless]
4. Though he was injured, he decided to take part in the race. [use inspite of]
5. He did not took rest last night. [Correct the sentence.]

(b) Fill in the blanks using proper word given in the brackets. (Any THREE) **03**

1. Lata is _____ M.Sc student. [the, a, an]
2. The job is very risky. _____ candidates would be willing to accept it. [many, few, a few]
3. Bread and butter _____ always a good item for morning breakfast. [was, are, is]
4. There _____ twelve months in a year. [is, are, were]

(c) Fill in the blanks using proper modal auxiliary. (Any FOUR) **04**

1. _____ God bless you with long and healthy life.
2. There are dark clouds in the sky. It _____ rain any moment.
3. I am getting very late. I _____ go now.
4. He is very old but he _____ walk very fast.
5. _____ you please, lend me your pen for a while?

(d) Fill in the blanks using proper verb forms. (Any FOUR) **04**

1. Listen, someone _____ outside. [cry]
2. The leader _____ in Rajkot just now. [arrive]
3. He _____ his birthday every year. [celebrate]
4. They _____ the house before we arrived. [leave]
5. While she _____, she heard the blast outside. [cook]

Q.4 **(a)** Fill in the blanks using proper preposition. (Any THREE) **03**

1. He is sitting _____ his father and mother.
2. I shall meet you _____ Monday.
3. We shall go to the Mount Abu _____ vacation.
4. Do not park your car _____ my gate.

(b) Join the following sentences using proper connector given in the brackets. (Any FOUR) **04**

1. He is late. He will be punished. [but, if, and]
2. Do not go out. It is raining. [because, though, otherwise]
3. Run fast. You will miss the bus. [and, or, as]
4. I was sick yesterday. I could not come to the college yesterday. [though, if, so]
5. The carpenter is an old man. He worked with us last year. [who, whom, whose]

(c) Change the following sentences into Passive Voice. **07**

1. Valmiki wrote the Ramayana.
2. He has published the book recently.
3. She is making tea.
4. They will open a new shop shortly.
5. He can repair this machine.
6. We should help the poor.
7. Rama is reading a story.

Q.5 **(a)** Draft a letter to place an order for purchasing stationery items for your store. **07**

(b) Write a dialogue between two friends about future academic plans after completion of diploma study. **07**

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