SUBJECT : 2) COMPULSORY ENGLISH – II

Day : Wednesday   Time : 11.00 AM TO 02.00 PM
Date : 10/04/2019   Max. Marks : 60
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N. B. :
    1)   All questions are **COMPULSORY**.
    2)   Figures to the right indicate **FULL** Marks.

Q. 1   Attempt **ANY TWO** of the following questions: **(12)**

    a)   How according to Mahatma Gandhi, can equal distribution be brought about through non-violence?

    b)   Explain *Sarvodaya* Economics by Vinoba Bhave

    c)   Comment on the ending of the story 'The Bet'.

Q. 2   Critically appreciate **ANY TWO** of the following poems: **(12)**

    a)   'Polonius to Laertes'

    b)   'No Men are Foreign'

    c)   'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening'

Q. 3   Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: **(12)**

    a)   Utility of Hazlitt's advice to his son

    b)   Wanserkaopf's examination by the history teacher

    c)   The true wealth according to Acharya Vidyasagar

Q. 4   **A)**   Match the Synonyms: **(06)**

1.	clever	disclose
2.	reveal	hike
3.	begin	dangerous
4.	increase	hard
5.	hazardous	bright
6.	difficult	start

    B)   Match the Antonyms: **(06)**

1.	ancient	wise
2.	foolish	prospective
3.	sad	bright
4.	retrospective	modern
5.	dull	solutions
6.	problems	cheerful

Q. 5 A) Write a paragraph on **ANY ONE** of the following: **(06)**

    1)   Global Warming

    2)   India and the e-Age

B) Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:

The Iliad is a story of Troy, a rich trading city in Asia Minor. It was well situated, both the commerce and agriculture. Round their city the Trojans had built a strong wall so that no enemy should attack them from the sea. The wall was so broad that people could stand and sit and walk on it. The great gates stood open, and people could go to the seashore outside and come in as they pleased. But in time of war the gates would be closed; and then the city was like a strong fortress, quite safe from all attacks, protected by the walls surrounding it, as well as by the hills behind.

Thus, Troy was a strong city, strongly protected by its walls and strongly defended by its brave soldiers. But all the kings and heroes of Greece had declared war against the Trojans, because Paris, a prince of Troy, had persuaded Helen, wife of a Greek king Menelaus, to elope with him. He had brought her to Troy. The Greeks wanted to take revenge on Troy for the wrong done to Menelaus. They sailed to Troy and laid siege to the city. The Trojans, too, fought hard and the siege continued for ten long years. Great heroes on both sides were killed in the course of the war. Hector was killed, Achilles and Paris were killed. Everything ended in a great tragedy.

Questions:

1)	What was special about the great wall built by Trojans?	**(02)**
2)	What was the cause of war between the Greeks and Trojans?	**(01)**
3)	Who persuaded Helen to elope with?	**(01)**
4)	Why did the Trojans build a wall round the city?	**(01)**
5)	How did the Trojan war end?	**(01)**

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