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3 Hours / 100 Marks

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- Instructions* – (1) All Questions are *Compulsory*.
(2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
(3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
(4) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

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- 1. Answer any 10 (TEN) of the following in 2-3 sentences. 20**
- What is the advice of Dr. Kalam to the new generation?
 - What are the types of touch screens?
 - What is self awareness?
 - What are the harmful effects of sitting cross-legged?
 - Why did Narayana Murthy not join IIT?
 - Why should a tooth brush be changed regularly?
 - How did Ajay's teacher help him?
 - What type of plastic materials are found on the streets?
 - Name the awards won by Malathi Holla.
 - When does Ajay recall his teacher?
 - What does Dr. Kalam think about failures?
 - What are the effects of 'greed for money'?

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2. a) **Answer any THREE of the following in 75 words.** **12**
- (i) Attitudinal handicap is much worse than physical handicap, justify the statement with an example.
 - (ii) What are the ill effects of junk food on health?
 - (iii) How has plastic spoiled the land?
 - (iv) How does Ajay Prasad express his gratitude towards his teacher at the end?
- b) **Change the narration : (Any four)** **4**
- (i) He asked her, “How is your father?”
 - (ii) He said to his servant, “Hurry up!”
 - (iii) Teacher often says to me, “If you don’t work hard, you will fail.”
 - (iv) “How smart you are!” she said.
 - (v) The officer said to him, “follow the instructions given.”
3. a) **Develop a paragraph on the following in 75 words.** **6**
(Any One)
- (i) Importance of sports and games.
 - (ii) Internet - uses and misuses.
- b) **Write 6-8 dialogues on any one of the following - situations.** **6**
- (i) Between two friends discussing their holiday plans.
 - (ii) between a traffic cop and a bike rider on breaking traffic rule.
- c) **Develop a speech on any one the following situation.** **4**
- (i) Prepare a welcome speech on the occasion of Alumni Meet of your Institute. Assume yourself as the Alumni Committee Convenor.
 - (ii) Prepare a vote of thanks on the occasion of valediction ceremony of a training program.

4. a) **Write the meaning of the following pair of words and use them in your own sentences. (Any Two)** 4
- (i) Birth - Berth
 - (ii) Hair - heir
 - (iii) Week - weak
- b) **Make sentences using following collocations. (Any four)** 4
- (i) go crazy
 - (ii) take a look
 - (iii) come to an end
 - (iv) Make a difference
 - (v) Run out of time
- c) (i) **Write the synonyms of the following words. (Any two)** 2
- (1) Disaster
 - (2) Miracle
 - (3) Humorous
- (ii) **Write the Antonyms of the following words. (Any two)** 2
- (1) Natural
 - (2) Deep
 - (3) Optimistics
- d) (i) Write two words beginning with the prefix - Mis 2
- (ii) Write two words beginning with the suffix - ment 2
5. a) **Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.** 12

Most patients find it very difficult to talk to doctors about their fees, so they just pay whatever they are billed and console themselves with feeling ripped off. Many face unnecessary surgery because they are too abashed to seek out second or third surgical opinions. The ugly victim-syndrome shows itself again. If you can't talk to people about what they are charging you for services they are in business to provide, simply because you have elevated them so far above yourself that you cannot imagine their condescending to hear you, then you have set yourself up to be victimized every time you think about buying medical treatment,

legal advice, education, etc. By conceding special titles like “doctor,” “professor” or “sir” to these people, you are constantly putting yourself in inferior positions. The only result is that you feel victimized, and may will be victimized, because you cannot deal with them on equal footings.

To avoid the victim snares of authority figures, you have to begin seeing them simply as human beings, no more important than you, who perform tasks they have been highly trained for, and for which you are therefore paying very highly. Remember that if anyone ought to be elevated in importance it is the person being served, the one paying the freight. You cannot give any person more esteem than you give yourself and expect to be treated as an equal. If you are not treated as an equal, you are a victim who must look up, ask permission, wait in line, hope for some nice treatment from your supervisor, trust that you won't be overcharged or done in by someone who won't discuss his charges, or does so in a patronizingly hasty manner.

But all of this happens because you let it happen. Professional or authority figures will respect you if you command their respect, while treating them with courtesy for their professionalism, but never reacting with awe for their “superhuman” status or allowing them to victimize you in any other way.

- (i) Why do most patients feel ripped off?
- (ii) How do people put themselves in inferior positions?
- (iii) How does ugly victim-syndrome affect common man?
- (iv) How can we avoid the victim-syndrome?
- (v) How does one escape victimization?
- (vi) What happens when a person is not treated as equal?

b) Rewrite the following in Active/Passive voice. (Any four)

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- (i) Raju is preparing the project.
- (ii) We shall need large number of men for work.
- (iii) An article was written by him.
- (iv) They invited me to deliver a lecture.
- (v) He had purchased a car last year.

6. a) **Fill in the blanks with suitable articles. (Any four)** 4
- (i) Finish the work within _____ hour.
 - (ii) I cannot remember _____ story which he told.
 - (iii) Nobody likes _____ person with bad temper.
 - (iv) _____ French flag flew on the top of the building.
 - (v) He is _____ professional cricketer.
- b) **Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. (Any four)** 4
- (i) He whispered _____ her ear.
 - (ii) It must be done _____ any price.
 - (iii) Honesty is written _____ his face.
 - (iv) He lived _____ a wooden hut.
 - (v) The factory remains closed _____ Sundays.
- c) **Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions. (Any four)** 4
- (i) She was late for class _____ she missed the train.
 - (ii) I was so tired _____ I could not stand.
 - (iii) _____ he is poor, he is happy.
 - (iv) Shall we do the work now _____ post pone it?
 - (v) She is intelligent _____ she is lazy.
- d) **Rewrite the sentences using correct form of verb. (Any four)** 4
- (i) He was sick so he (stay) at home.
 - (ii) I _____ (complete) the project just now.
 - (iii) The workmen _____ (leave) as soon as the working hours are over.
 - (iv) He _____ (recover) from his illness.
 - (v) He _____ (visit) Goa recently.
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