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QUESTION BANK (DESCRIPTIVE)

Subject with Code : Communicative English(19HS0810)

Course & Branch: MCA Year & Sem: I-MCA &I- Sem Regulation: R19

UNIT-1

1. Describe the central theme of the essay “Half a Rupee Worth” [12M]
2. Write a letter to Principal of your college to issue Transfer and study certificates for applying the further study. [12M]
3. Subbiah’s greediness taught him a great lesson. Elucidate this statement. [12M]
4. Read the paragraph and answer the questions: [12M]

Brian is a doctor. He looks after sick people. He usually gets up at 6:00 o’clock. Today he is late, it is 6:30 and he is still in bed. He usually goes to work by train but today he is driving to work. He arrives at work at 6:30 every morning but it is 7:30 now and he is still driving. It’s 12:00 o’clock now. He always has his lunch at 12:00 but today he isn’t having lunch at 12:00, he is looking after his sick patients. It is half past seven now, Brian is watching TV. He usually watches TV at half past seven because his favourite programme starts at half past seven. Brian has his dinner at 8.30 every day and he is having dinner now. It is 12:00 now Brian is going to bed. He always goes to bed at 12:00.

 - a) What does Brian do?
 - b) Why is he driving to work today?
 - c) When does he always have his lunch?
 - d) Why does he usually watch TV at 7.30?
 - e) What time does he arrive at work every day?
 - f) What is the suitable title for the above paragraph?
5. Write an essay on “Half a Rupee Worth”? [12M]
6. How did Subbiah profits increase during the war? How did he tackle the officers? [12M]
7. Write in detail about paragraph writing. [12M]
8. Construct six meaningful Wh-question forms. [12M]
9. a) Define Content words with examples [6M]
 - b) Frame six meaningful simple question forms. [6M]
10. You along with your classmates are planning to visit SatishDhawan Space Centre(SDSC), Sriharikota, Nellore, AP. Write a letter to Principal of your college to get permission for your visiting. [12M]

UNIT-II

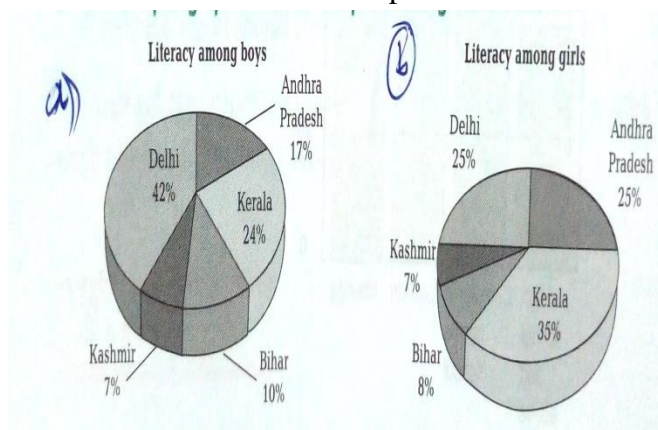
1. Why was Gangi unable to get water from anywhere when the story opens? [12M]
2. a) Write six sentences by using Definite Article [6M]
b) Frame six sentences with Indefinite Articles [6M]
3. Define Cohesive Devices with examples [12M]
4. What were the two women who came to the well talking about? What does this show? [12M]
5. Describe Function words with appropriate examples [12M]
6. Show how this is a tale of social injustice and cruelty. Use examples from the story to elaborate your points? [12M]
7. Why does Premchand use the title, 'The Thakur's well' for his story, and how is this the best title he could have employed? [12M]
8. Describe Mechanics of writing. [12M]
9. Frame six meaningful sentences by using suitable Linkers. [12M]
10. Construct a dialogue between you and your friend about a trip during Dussera holidays [12M]

UNIT-III

1. How does the poem "I am not that woman" depict several ways of exploitation of woman? [12M]
2. How does the woman oppose her exploitation? [12M]
3. What is the central theme of the poem? [12M]
4. How does the poem reflect the present day situation of woman? [12M]
5. Explain redundancy and repetition. [12M]
6. Write any five rules of agreement of the verb with subject. [12M]
7. What kind of changes are deployed to convert direct speech into indirect? [12M]
8. What are the strategies to use text clues for comprehension? [12M]
9. A) Explain future continuous [6M]
B) Explain future perfect continuous? [6M]
10. Write down a list of reporting verbs for academic purpose? [12M]

UNIT-IV

1. Write an essay on ‘What is my name?’ [12M]
2. What is the theme of story ‘What is my name?’ [12M]
3. a). What made Mrs.Murthyrestore to know her name? [6M]
 b). Do you notice any change in Mrs.Murthyin the first picture and Saradain the second picture? [6M]
4. a) DoyoufindanysimilaritiesbetweenMrs.Murthyandthewomeninyourfamily?Ifyes, list them [6M]
 b).WhichpartofthestoryshowsthatMrs.Murthyfeelsheridentityrestored? [6M]
- 5). Why do you think the writer decided to focus on the question of married women’s identity? [12M]
- 6). Do wry was given in Sarada’s marriage .Is givingandtakingDowryan offence? Writeyour thoughts on people offering and demanding dowry? [12M]
- 7). Describe a book you have recently read. [12M]
- 8). Write six meaningful sentences by using Compare and Contrast. [12M]
9. You and stranger Conversation about asking and giving directions. ‘What’s the quickest way to get to the airport from here?’ [12M]
10. Transfer information from pictorial to text. [12M]



UNIT-V

1. a) What Kalam’s father’s advice about dealing with adversity. [6M]
 b) Make a role play between two classmates share their experiences of learning English [6M]
2. Give an account of the author’s reminiscences of his early life at Rameswaram. [12M]
3. a) fill the suitable articles. [6M]
 i) He is not _____ honorable man

- ii) Varanasi is _____ holy city
- iii) Sanskrit is _____ difficult language
- iv) French is _____ language
- v) He's working in _____ garden
- vi) Tom is _____ player in our team
- b) What kind of life would Kalam's father lead? [6M]
4. a) Read the paragraph and answer the following questions: [6M]

Student Volunteers Needed!

On Saturday, December 12th, from 10 A.M. until 4 P.M. Carverton Middle School will be holding a music festival in the school gymnasium. The special event will feature a variety of professional musicians and singers.

| Task | Time | Date |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| Make posters | 1 P.M.–4 P.M. | December 5 th |
| Set up gym | 11 A.M.–4 P.M. | December 11 th |
| Help performers | 9 A.M.–4 P.M. | December 12 th |
| Welcome guests | 10 A.M.–2 P.M. | December 12 th |
| Clean up gym | 4 P.M.–7 P.M. | December 12 th |

Interested students should speak with Ms. Braxton, the music teacher. Students who would like to help at the festival must have written permission from a parent or guardian.

- i). What time will the festival begin?
- ii). What job will be done the day before the festival begins?
- iii). Who is told to talk to Ms. Braxton?
- b) How did his father's attitude to adversity influence to young Kalam? [6M]
5. Does a man have any relation with the universe? How, according to the author's father, can a man establish a link with the cosmos? [12M]
6. a) What is difference between Scanning, skimming and skipping [6M]
- b) Write the suitable form of the verb that agrees with the subject [6M]
- i) The quality of the candies _____ poor.
- ii) Thirty years _____ long time
- iii) The famous singer and composer _____ arrived

- iv) Oil and water _____ not mix
- v) My glasses _____ on the bed
- vi) Two and two _____ four.
7. a) What is the difference between superficial listening and attentive listening? [6M]
- b) What are the 5 strategies of communication skills? [6M]
8. Correct the following sentences [12M]
- a) The president wanted to at once discuss the matter
- b) These habits must and should be developed at an early stage, I think
- c) They were studying at home hard all the day
- d) Mohan's mother serves always an excellent dinner.
- e) Not only is this book interesting but also informative
- f) I have London been to several times this year
9. "I have endeavored to understand the fundamental truths" who is "I" referred here? What are the fundamental truths? Who relieved them to the speaker? [12M]
10. a) Fill in the blanks with correct tenses [6M]
- i) He dare not _____ this office again.(enter)
- ii) I shall have _____ my job by evening (finish)
- iii) They went to Japan _____ them? (do)
- iv) Have you ever _____ of this write before? (hear).
- v) No one _____ your story when you tell them. (believe)
- vi) They were eating dinner when the lights _____ out. (go)
- b) Frame the sentences under given the prepositions
(according to, towards, instead of, within, during, since) [6M]