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ENGLISH COMMUNICATION SKILLS-II

Paper-221

Semester-IV

Time allowed : 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks : 75

Note: Attempt all questions from Section A, B and C as directed.

SECTION-A

1. Discuss the role of evil as opposed to good in the story of the novel, 'Oliver Twist' and show how it is convincingly portrayed through character and action.

OR

Examine the plot and structure of 'Oliver Twist.'

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2. Discuss in detail the character - sketch of 'Oliver Twist.'

OR

Write a brief character - sketch of Fagin. 10

SECTION-B

3. Attempt any **six** questions in about 120 words each, of the following : 6×3= 18

- (i) How was Oliver named? Do you think Mr. Bumble is really 'literary'?
- (ii) Who was Mr. Bumble?
- (iii) Why was Oliver brought before the Board and how did the Board decide on his future?
- (iv) Mr. Bumble was looking for a buyer for Oliver. Whom did he finally find?
- (v) Describe Oliver 's meeting with Noah Claypole.

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- (vi) How did Oliver leave the Coffin maker's house?
- (vii) Describe Oliver's journey to London and his suffering.
- (viii) Unlike Noah, Dawkins was friendly with Oliver. Why?
- (ix) Describe Mr. Fang and his behaviour.

4. Read the following paragraph carefully.

Transcode and build a dialogue between Arzoo, the host of the show (interviewer), in conversation with the well-known skin specialist and renowned aesthetician, Dr. A. Jamuna.

This is an interview with a well-known skin specialist and internationally renowned aesthetician, Dr. A. Jamuna, revealing details of the inside and outside of our skins. She explains the various skin types and the meaning of pigmentation of the skin. According to her, pigmentation is due to the melanin present in the

skin coupled with climatic and regional conditions. She also says that various factors are responsible for the darkening of the skin. In the end, she sums up by giving some useful tips for the maintenance of the skin. 7

SECTION-C

5. Attempt any 15 sentences of the following :

Add a or the :

- (i) Where is your dictionary? It's on bottom shelf of my bookcase.
- (ii) What exactly is an olive? I'm sure it's fruit.
- (iii) We studied history of Scotland.

Choose one expression from each pair for the space in the following :

- (iv) (Life's troubles / Troubles of life)
..... can sometimes leave us with a frown.

- (v) (morning special of news / morning's special news)

But this is here.

Add a, one, the or no article in the following :

- (vi) There was dog looking lost outside.
(vii) There was only toilet roll left.

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentences :

- (viii) What's in the book? Look at the page.
(a) content (b) contents
(c) content's (c) contents'

Identify the one underlined expression (A, B, C, or D) that must be changed in order to correct the sentence.

- (ix) Two metres are about the size of most
 A B C
doorways.
 D

Complete the sentences with the quantifiers (a few, every, most, many, much, etc.)

- (x) A minority is the smaller part of a group, sometimes consisting of only people.
(xi) The maximum weight allowed per passenger is a restriction on how luggage each person is permitted to put on board an aircraft.

Write the sentences, adding some and any. Make any other necessary changes :

- (xii) How you had news from your family in Prague ? I heard that areas were badly flooded.
(xiii) There was woman here yesterday asking if we had old clothes, but I told her we had not them.

Complete the sentence with quantifiers (any, some, no, none)

(xiv) I went to get those empty boxes from the back of the bookshop, but someone else had taken the whole stack. There were left.

Complete the sentence with these words (either, neither, each, none, every)

(xv) Next year you'll have to send £ 400 in quarterly payments, which is £ 100 three months.

(xvi) day is better than the last.

Add more, more of, most or most of:

(xvii) Saudi Arabia is very hot and it is a desert.

Add a few, few, a little or little:

(xviii) The teacher seemed disappointed.

Add a pronoun to the following sentence:

(xix) I think should cut government spending rather than raise our taxes again.

Rewrite the sentence in a less formal style beginning with 'it'.

(xx) Not having a car can be a big disadvantage.

15×2 = 30