

LAHORE HIGH COURT , LAHORE
CIVIL JUDGES CUM JUDICIAL MAGISTRATES
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION, 2017

PAPER – V-----ENGLISH

TIME ALLOWED: 03 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 150

Q.No.1. Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end:

Men pass from birth to death, sometimes happy; sometimes unhappy; sometimes generous, something grasping and petty; sometime heroic, sometimes cowardly and servile. To the man who views the procession as a whole, certain things stand out as worthy of admiration. Some men have been inspired by love of mankind; some by supreme intellect have helped us to understand the world in which we live; and some by exceptional sensitiveness have created beauty. Thus men have done what lay in their power to make human life a better thing than the brief turbulence of savages. The civilized man, where he cannot admire, will aim rather at understanding than at reprobating. He will seek rather to discover and remove the impersonal causes of evil than to hate the men who are in its grip.

Questions:

- (a) Make a précis of the passage in 50 words and also suggest a suitable title. (20)
- (b) Translate the passage into Urdu. (20)

Q.No.2 Use TEN of the following idioms in sentences to explain their meaning (20)

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| (i) At a pinch | (ii) At loggerheads |
| (iii) Bear upon | (iv) Hope against hope |
| (v) To lend countenance to | (vi) Look askance |
| (vii) To be at a loss | (viii) Out of the wood |
| (ix) Move heaven and earth | (x) Maiden speech |
| (xi) To read between the lines | (xii) The lion's share |

Q.No.3 Construct sentences to distinguish between the meanings of any TEN of the following pair of words (No credit will be given for single correct sentence). (20)

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| (i) Accede, Concede | (ii) Admission, Admittance |
| (iii) Dissent, Descent | (iv) Immunity, Impunity |
| (v) Seam, Seem | (vi) Heartless, Heartfelt |
| (vii) Apprehend, Comprehend | (viii) Stile, Style |
| (ix) Amiable, Amicable | (x) Whet, Wet |
| (xi) Suit, Suite | (xii) Rest, Wrest |



(20)

Q.No.4. Rewrite the following sentences correctly.

- (i) The witness swore that this is false.
- (ii) Why the Government levies taxes.
- (iii) God gives us every necessary of life.
- (iv) My friend told that he is not to blame.
- (v) A right of way has been concerned him.
- (vi) The people cry against high taxes.
- (vii) I entered in an agreement with my friend.
- (viii) You can easily dispense his services.
- (ix) The President went to USA a week before.
- (x) The judge disposed the case at once.
- (xi) The waves beat the shore.
- (xii) Be careful to guard mistakes in your English.
- (xiii) There is nothing such as chance.
- (xiv) He asked me why did I speak.
- (xv) For whose benefit the Post Office is maintained.
- (xvi) He had diminished all his land and property.
- (xvii) I intended to have written a letter to you a week before.
- (xviii) My son died and I grieve my loss.
- (xix) I hope you are keeping good health.
- (xx) He suggested me this.

Q. No. 5. Write an essay on ONE of the following topics:

(50)

- (i) A friend in need is a friend indeed.
- (ii) A wise man is a man who knows he is a fool.
- (iii) The pleasure of reading.
- (iv) Strikes.
- (v) The power of media.

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TOTAL MARKS: 150

Q.No.1 What did Bacon mean in the line "some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some to be chewed and digested."? (25)

OR

Helen Keller says that people value their time and gifts only when they run short of them. Why?

Q.No.2 Write an essay on ONE of the following topics: (30)

- (a) What's in a name. (b) Prosperity gains friends and adversity tries them.
(c) What Pakistan needs today. (d) Lawyers and strikes.
(e) Knowledge is power.

Q.No.3 Write a letter to the Education Secretary requesting him to instruct the Heads of Educational institutions to inculcate in the minds of their students the sense that the National Flag must be respected. (25)
(Please make sure that Name, Roll No. etc is not given in the letter)

Q.No.4 Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end:

Teaching is not confined to parents and professional teachers. Wherever there are beginners and experts, old and young, there is some kind of learning going on, and some sort of teaching. In every business and industry there are learners and teachers. Indeed, we are all pupils and we are all teachers. Think of your own life as an individual: much of it is routine; some of it is amusement; the rest is made up of learning and of teaching. Whether you are a doctor enlarging his knowledge of certain types of illness or a housewife planning her work more effectively, whether you are a trade union official learning about economics or a typist learning about life on a minimum wages, whether you are a young husband cheering upon his wife, a political speaker influencing an audience, a bus driver covering a new route, or an author writing a book — you are learning for yourself and teaching others. Most people do not realize how much even of their private life is taken up with amateurish teaching and haphazard learning; and not many understand that most of us, as public beings, either learn or teach incessantly.

- (a) Write a precis of the above passage and also suggest a suitable title. (15)
(b) Translate the above passage into Urdu. (15)

Q.No.5 Re-write the following dialogues in continuous narrative in reported speech (indirect) throughout. (10)

"Look here!" said the boy who was struggling violently to escape, "who are you?" Why do you hold me in this manner? I've done nothing to you." "No," said the man, "you've done nothing to me, my boy, but you've done a great deal to other folk! I happen to live opposite to the house of which you broke the window this morning; and I saw you slip a fire – work yesterday into Mrs. Brown's letter-box."

Q.No.6 Insert commas, semi-colons, colons and any other marks of punctuation, where necessary, in any five of the following sentences: (10)

- (a) If we compare different kinds of men or different races of men or the same animals or men when differently fed we find still more distinct proof that the degree of energy essentially depends on the nutritiveness of the food.
- (b) Look brother to the left and tell me if you do not see a light.
- (c) At length he reached Madina the most sacred city of the Muslims.
- (d) He is sure to burn himself some time and it is quite essential to his safety in life that he should learn by experience the properties of flame.
- (e) He was eminently suited for the post he had long experience in the work and he was popular with his colleagues.
- (f) They found a comfortable harbour in the island and they went ashore next morning for water.
- (g) Fatigued by the protracted labours of the day we retired early to rest.

Q.No.7 Construct sentences to distinguish between the meanings of any FIVE of the following pair of words (No credit will be given for single correct sentence). (10)

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| (a) Antipathy, apathy | (b) Equable, equitable | (c) Disinterested, indifferent |
| (d) Infamous, notorious | (e) Morals, morale | (f) Organism, organisation |
| (g) Scrip, script | (h) Status, statute | |

Q.No.8 Write sentences illustrating the use of FIVE of the following idiomatic phrases: (10)

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| (i) Bad form | (ii) East about | (iii) Clean hands |
| (iv) A far cry | (v) Eat one's words | (vi) With an eye to |
| (vii) Fly in the face of | (viii) With flying colours | |



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TOTAL MARKS: 100¹⁵⁰

- Q.No.1 Discuss the three possibilities for the world narrated by Bertrand Russell in his essay "The Future of Mankind". (25)

OR

According to Bacon "Studies serve for delight, for ornament and for ability". Discuss.

- Q.No.2 Write an essay on ONE of the following topics. (30)

- (a) Islam a code of life (b) Gender equality is a myth
(c) Truth is lived, not taught (d) Expanding Information Technology; a curse or blessing
(e) Democracy and illiteracy do not move together.

- Q.No.3 Write a letter to your pen friend living abroad explaining him the Legal /Judicial System of Pakistan. (Please make sure that Name, Roll No. etc is not given in the letter). (25)

- Q.No.4 Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end :

Of all the characteristics of ordinary human nature envy is the most unfortunate ; not only does the envious person wish to inflict misfortune and do so whenever he can with impunity, but he is also himself rendered unhappy by envy . Instead of deriving pleasure from what he has , he derives pain from what others have . If he can , he deprives others of their advantages , which to him is as desirable as it would be to secure the same advantages himself. If this passion is allowed to run riot it becomes fatal to all excellence , and even the most useful exercise of exceptional skill. Why should a medical man go to see his patients in a car when the labourer has to walk to his work? Why should the scientific investigator be allowed to spend his time in a warm room when others have to face the inclemency of the elements? Why should a man who possesses some rare talent of great importance to the world be saved from the drudgery of his own housework ? To such questions envy finds no answer. Fortunately , however, there is in human nature a compensating passion , namely that of admiration . Whosoever wishes to increase human happiness must wish to increase admiration and to diminish envy.

What cure is there for envy ? For the saint there is the cure of selflessness , ^{though} ~~though~~ even in the case of saints envy of other saints is by no means impossible. But, leaving saints out of account, the only cure of envy in the case of ordinary men and women is happiness , and the difficulty is that envy is itself a terrible obstacle to happiness ?

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But the **EGAD** man may say: 'What is the good of telling me that the cure of envy is happiness. I can **EGAD** happiness while I continue to feel envy, and you tell me that I cannot cease to be envious until I find happiness'. But real life is never so logical as this. Merely to realize the cause of one's own envious feeling is to take a long step towards curing them.

- (a) Write a précis of the above passage and also suggest a suitable title. (15)
(b) Translate the above passage into Urdu. (15)

Q.No.5 Rewrite the following dialogues in continuous narrative in reported speech (indirect) throughout: (10)

'Really, what has got into you all today?' said Professor McGonagall, turning back into herself with a faint pop, and staring around at them all. 'Not that it matters, but that's the first time my transformation's not got applause from a class'. Everybody's heads turned towards Harry again, but nobody spoke. Then Hermione raised her hand. 'Please, Professor, we've just had our first Divination class, and we were reading the tea leaves, and-' 'Ah, of course', said professor McGonagall, suddenly frowning. 'There is no need to say any more, Miss Granger. Tell me, which of you will be dying this year?'

Q.No.6 Insert commas, semi-colons, colons and any other marks of punctuation, where necessary, in any five of the following sentences: (10)

- (a) nor should the hindus fear that the creation of autonomous muslim states will mean the introduction of a kind of a religious rule in such state I have already indicated to you the meaning the word religion as applied to Islam.
- (b) man is neither impotent nor omnipotent he has powers and his powers are surprisingly great but they are not so great as he might wish.
- (c) where they all come from those people I cannot imagine but there they are and more and more of them I find the very trains up to town uncomfortably crowded these days.
- (d) twenty four years ago he writes I left an england sedate complacent and very well to do I have returned to find that she is poor harassed and continually taking herself to task.
- (e) well I must say the farmer took the whole thing like a gentleman gentleman farmer I suppose you'd call him and he said well look we had better go in and have a drink and wait until the missis turns up.
- (f) the object of writing is to say something we want to say in other words to convey meaning this which should be an easy task is considered by most people to be fraught with difficulty.
- (g) there is no reason why we should not hope to see free ample and lovely exercise in the open air brought within the reach of every human being there can be no limit to the beneficial extension of athletics.

Q.No.7 Construct sentences to distinguish between the meanings of any FIVE of the following pair (10) of words (No credit will be given for single correct sentence).

- (a) Ingenious, Ingenuous (b) Placable, placeable (c) Virtuous, virtual
(d) Corporal, corporeal (e) Altar, Alter (f) Bear, bare



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TOTAL MARKS: 100

Q.No.1 Write a precis of the following passage and also suggest a suitable title: **(20)**

A painter of eminence once resolved to finish a piece which should please the whole world. When, therefore, he had drawn a picture, in which his utmost skill was exhausted, it was exposed in the public market place with directions for every visitor to mark with a brush which lay nearby every limb and feature that appeared erroneous. The spectators came and in general applauded; but each, willing to show his talent at criticism, marked whatever he thought proper. At evening, when the painter came, he was mortified to find the whole picture one universal blot-not a single stroke that was not stigmatized with marks of disapprobation: not satisfied with this trial, the next day he was resolved to try them in a different manner, and exposing his picture as before, desired that every spectator would make those beauties he approved or admired. The people complied; and the artist returning found his picture replete with marks of beauty: every stroke that he had seen yesterday condemned, now received the character of approbation "well" cries the painter, I now find that the best way to please one-half of the world is not to mind what the other half says; Since what are fault in the eyes of these, Shall be by those regarded as beauties.

Q.No.2 Write an essay on ONE of the following topic: **(20)**

- I. Pandemics impact on Pakistan
- II. Advantages and Disadvantages of online classes.
- III. Issues of the Muslim ummah
- IV. Are leaders born or made
- V. Describe yourself and your personality to a stranger (please don't mention any name, while writing this essay)

Q.No.3 Use the following idioms in sentences to illustrate their meaning: **(20)**

- I. Fifth wheel
- II. Freak out
- III. Dead ringer
- IV. Gold digger
- V. Straight arrow
- VI. In a fog
- VII. Hit the Hay
- VIII. Seize the day
- IX. Quick and dirty
- X. In a Heartbeat



Q.No.4 Construct sentences to distinguish between the meanings of the following pair of words
(No credit will be given for single correct answer)

Curb, kerb
Crawl, kraal
Moat, Mote
Carat, Caret
Trussed, Trust
Douse, Dowse
Baize, Bays
Coop, Coupe
Rued, Rude
Byte, Bight

Q.No.5 Rewrite correctly the following sentences: (10)

- Anyone can do it if one tries.
- The climate of Multan is hotter than Lahore.
- The jury was divided in its verdict.
- He is suffering from fever for ten days.
- Kashmir is famous for its sceneries.
- The majority of people in Pakistan is poor.
- Although he is poor but he is honest.
- I am too tired to attend to some work.
- Such things which you say are not true.
- Many a soldier lost their life in war.

Q.No.6 Translate the following paragraph into English (10)

بچپن عمر کا بہترین حصہ ہے۔ اس لیے آپ نے اکثر بڑے بوڑھوں سے سنا ہو گا کہ کاش وہ ایک دفعہ پھر بچپن میں جاسیں
شاید اس کی وجہ یہ ہے کہ ہم جوانی اور بڑھاپے کی ذمہ داریوں سے گھبراتے ہیں۔ بچپن میں کوئی ذمہ داری نہیں ہوتی اس
وجہ سے کوئی غم بھی نہیں ہوتا۔ بچہ دن بھر کھیلتا ہے۔ اس کے والدین اس سے محبت کرتے ہیں۔ اچھا کھلاتے ہیں۔ عمدہ
لباس خرید کر دیتے ہیں۔ اگر بچے کو کھلونے اور کپڑے نہ بھی ملیں تو وہ اس کی پرواہ نہیں کرتا۔ اس کے لیے زندگی ازخود
کھلونا ہے۔ وہ ہر چیز میں ایک نیا پن ہاتا ہے۔ لیکن جب بچہ جوانی میں قدم رکھتا ہے تو چیزوں کا نیا پن ختم ہو جاتا
ہے۔ اور شاید یہی وجہ ہے کہ اس کی خوشی بھی کم ہو جاتی ہے۔



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Paper-V

ENGLISH

Time allowed: 03 HOURS

Total marks: 100

Note: Attempt all questions.

Q: 1 Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end:

People moan about poverty as a great evil; and it seems to be an accepted belief that if people only had plenty of money, they would be happy and useful and get more out of life. As a rule, there is more genuine satisfaction in life and more obtained from life in the humble cottage of the poor man than in the palaces of the rich. I always pity the sons and daughters of rich men who are attended by servants and have governesses at a later age; at the same time I am glad to think that they do not know what they have missed. It is because I know how sweet and happy and pure the home of honest poverty is, how free from perplexing care and from social envies and jealousies_ how loving and united its members are in the common interest of supporting the family that I sympathize with the rich man's boy and congratulate the poor man's son. It is for these reasons that from the ranks of the poor so many strong, eminent, self reliant men have always sprung and always must spring. If you will read the list of the "Immortals who were not born to die," you will find that most of them have been born poor.

(a) Write a précis of the above passage and assign a suitable heading to it.

(15 Marks)

(b) Translate the above passage in to Urdu.

(15 Marks)

Q: 2 Write an essay on any ONE of the following topics:

(i) Social Media: Bane or Boon? (ii) Hard Work VS Smart Work (iii) Importance of Investing in Alternative Fuels (iv) The Right to Privacy is a Fundamental Right in Pakistan (v) Participation of the Judiciary in Politics (vi) Global Warming.

(20 Marks)



Q:3 Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper discussing the role of judges and lawyers in defending the rule of law. (Please make sure that Name, Roll No. etc. is not given)
(20 Marks)

Q:4 Write sentences illustrating the use of FIVE of the following idiomatic expressions:

(i) Take a rain check (ii) Bolt from the blue (iii) Cut the mustard (iv) Get wind of something (v) Once in a blue moon (vi) A snowball effect (viii) Spill the beans

(10 Marks)

Q:5 Construct sentences to distinguish between meanings of any FIVE of the following pair of words: (No credit will be given for single correct sentence)

(i) Cite, Site (ii) Council, Counsel (iii) Descent, Dissent (iv) Elusive, Illusive
(v) Rain, Reign (vi) Cession, Session (vii) Collision, Collusion (viii) Decry, Descry

(10 Marks)

Q:6 Punctuate the following paragraph:

If you look about you and consider the lives of others as well as your own if you think how few are born with honour and how many die without name or children how little beauty we see and how few friends we hear of how many diseases and how much poverty there is in the world you will fall down upon knees and instead of repining at one affliction will admire so many blessings which you have received from the hand of God.

(10 Marks)

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PAPER-V

ENGLISH

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

Note: Attempt all questions.

Q.1: Make a Precis of the following text:

15 Marks

When I pulled the trigger, I did not hear the bang or feel the kick – one never does when a shot goes home – but I heard the devilish roar of glee that went up from the crowd. In that instant, in too short a time, one would have thought, even for the bullet to get there, a mysterious, terrible change had come over the elephant. He neither stirred nor fell, but every line of his body had altered. He looked suddenly stricken, shrunken, immensely old, as though the frightful impact of the bullet had paralyzed him without knocking him down. At last, after what seemed a long time – it might have been five seconds, I dare say – he sagged flabbily to his knees. His mouth slobbered. An enormous senility seemed to have settled upon him. One could have imagined him thousands of years old. I fired again into the same spot. At the second shot he did not collapse but climbed with desperate slowness to his feet and stood weakly upright, with legs sagging and head drooping. I fired a third time. That was the shot that did for him. You could see the agony of it jolt his whole body and knock the last remnant of strength from his legs. But in falling he seemed for a moment to rise, for as his hind legs collapsed beneath him he seemed to tower upward like a huge rock toppling, his trunk reaching skyward like a tree. He trumpeted, for the first and only time. And then down he came, his belly towards me, with a crash that seemed to shake the ground even where I lay.

Q.2: Translate the above text into Urdu:

15 Marks

Q.3: Write an Essay on any One of the following topics:

20 Marks

- How far do you agree that "Revenge is a kind of wild justice"?
- If gold rusts, what shall iron do?

- c) If the gross inequality between income and consumption goes on increasing, we are bound to meet a very gloomy end.
- d) The consequences of urbanization on natural habitats and wild life
- e) Half of the world does not know how the other half lives.
- f) The impact of white-collared crimes on society

Q.4: Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper about the dire need of civil rights protection for all citizens: 20 Marks

Q.5: Make sentences with any Five of the following idiomatic expression: 10 Marks
(Your sentences must reveal the meanings of the idioms)

- (i) Carrot and stick policy
- (ii) In the dock
- (iii) Give the devil his due
- (iv) A pink slip
- (v) From the horse's mouth
- (vi) On the gravy train
- (vii) Grease the wheels
- (viii) Cost an arm and a leg

Q.6: Make sentences with any Five of the following pairs of words: 10 Marks
(Your sentences must reveal the meanings of the words. No credit will be given for a single correct sentence)

- (i) Condole, Condone
- (ii) Haven, Heaven
- (iii) Maize, Maze
- (iv) Corps, Corpse
- (v) Veracious, Voracious
- (vi) Whet, Wet
- (vii) Sheath, Sheathe
- (viii) Ransom, Ramson

Q.7: Punctuate the following passage: 10 Marks

I assure you sir said the accountant, I haven't embezzled any money I would rather die than deceive my masters your statement no doubt reflects your honesty said the inspector, however I have to gather some more evidences to get at the truth how many cashiers work here three sir I have to interrogate them too do make them bring their nobile phones tomorrow I will also need yours im sure I will find out the real culprit