



SHORT QUESTIONS

(SECTION - B)



1.

(i)

(a)

And o'er...

... no more

Ans

REFERENCE TO THE CONTEXT

These lines have been taken from the poem 'The Solitary Reaper', written by the William Wordsworth. In this poem, the poet explains the immortality and universality of art. The poet explains how you do not need to be able to understand the lyrics to enjoy the music. In order to convey



his message, the poet
talks about a young
reaper who sings in
her melodious voice
as she does her
job. This scene is
thoroughly enjoyed by
the poet.

EXPLANATION

In these lines, the poet
says that as the
lass bends over the
sickle, he

(b)

Feel at ...

... shut on me

REFERENCE TO THE CONTEXTReference to the Context

These lines have been taken from the poem 'Once Upon a Time', written by Gabriel ~~Wolk~~ ^{Wolk} ~~Wolk~~ ^{Wolk}. This poem is in the form of a father giving advice to his son. The poet, ~~who~~ is also the father, says to his son that the gone are the days when people used

to be honest with each other. Nowadays, people have become artificial and fake. The poet says that he too has forgotten how to smile with honesty and wants his son to teach him again.

Explanation

In these lines, the poet explains how nowadays, people invite others to their house and say that they should feel comfortable when they are in reality, but they have no affection.



for their guest at all.
The poet says people
invite him to their
house, but when he
visits them once
or twice, he is no
longer entertained at
their house. This shows
how people have
become heartless in
this day and age.
Their flattery is just
for the sake of
appearing good.



2.

(ii)

b. At first...
... to school

Ans

Reference

Poem : All the World's a Stage

Poet : William Shakespeare

Paraphrase

The first stage of life is being an infant, who is uncomfortably moving and puking in the nurse's arm. The second stage is that of being a whining school boy, who takes

his satchel and unwillingly
walks to school at a
pace as slow as a snail
that of

3. (xiii)

What . . .

(Ans)

Reference

This question has been
taken from the lesson 'The
Last Leaf'.

Answer

'The Last Leaf' teaches us a lesson of hope, love, sacrifice and a strong will power. This story teaches us how our mentality affects our physical well being. If a person has a strong will power, he will be able to overcome any illness or disease. Similarly, the friendship between Sue and Johnsy gives a message of love and care. Finally, Mr. Behrman's sacrifice teaches us that the best people are those

who are willing to
climb every mountain for
their ~~loved~~ ones.

(iii)

4. What were . . .

(Ans)

Reference

This question has been
taken from the
Lesson 'Jinnah's Vision
of Pakistan'

Answer

5) Muhammad Ali Jinnah was of the view that the partition of India was unavoidable. Initially, he had worked for a united India. However, he later realised that the formation of Pakistan was inevitable due to the differences between Muslims and Hindus. He worked day and night for the partition of India and it led to the formation of Pakistan. He wanted this state to be an example for the rest of the world where

every citizen is
granted freedom.

5.

(vii)

How . . .

(Ans)

Reference

This question has been
taken from the lesson
'Seerat-e-Tayyiba and the
Muslim Youth'.

Answer

The Holy Prophet (PBUH)
served to be Allah's
last messenger. He

equated himself with the
last brick of an
otherwise complete house
of prophethood, by
stating that if one
imagined prophethood to be
like a beautiful
house where there was
room for one more
brick, and people
passed that house
and appreciated the
rest of the house
but wished that it
were complete, then I
should be imagined as
that last brick. This
hadith was narrated
by many companions.

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6.

(v)

Write . . .

(Ans)

Character Sketch

Appearance : Armand Aubigny is a young, strong man looking who is good as well.

Noble Family : Armand belongs to a noble and powerful family.

Marriage : Armand falls in love with Désirée and eventually marries her.

Cruel : Armand is very cruel with his slaves.

Racist : Armand is a racist character who has developed a hatred for blacks.

(xi)

7.

Why . . .

(Ans)

Answer

The Battle of Uhud was fought between the Meccan pagans and Muslims. As the Meccans marched towards the Madina, the Holy Prophet



(PBUH) suggested that the Muslims should adopt a defensive strategy and stay inside Madina. This would have weakened the enemy by spreading its army into parts. The youth, however, wanted to face them in the open field. ~~At~~ At the end, the Prophet (PBUH) listened to the youth and took the battle to an open field.

8.

(viii)

What...

(Ans)

Answer

Jinnah envisioned true freedom for the people of Pakistan. He wanted every Pakistani to be able to visit his or her religious place, no matter what religion he belonged to. He wanted everyone to be able to vote freely as well. Similarly, he wished for every Pakistani



to be able to speak
freely. Another interesting
aspect of Jinnah's vision
was that he wanted
Pakistanis to be free
of all social evils.
as well

9. (x)

What . . .

(Ans)

Answer

The writer states that,
"when we look at

stars, we look at history".

By this statement, he means to say that

the light from stars takes years billions of years to reach us.

While it is true that light from some stars takes less time, we still see it as it

was during that point of time. For

example, light from sun takes about

eight minutes to

reach us. Therefore,

when we look at

the sun, we are actually seeing it

as it was eight minutes ago.



(xii)

10.

What...

(Ans)

Answer



Jahangir Khan suffered an early setback due to a medical condition. He was told that he would not be able to fulfill his dream. However, his passion and enthusiasm inspired him to still go for it. It was his

strong will power and
unmatched determination
to be an excellent
sportsman that
motivated him to
become one of the
greatest players in
the history of
squash. Jahangir proved
to be a man of
steel as nothing
stopped him from
fulfilling his dream.

Q.3.

IMPORTANCE OF HONESTY

IN DAILY LIFE

Honesty is the best policy. These wise words bear immeasurable value. As long as a person abides by this golden rule, he will succeed in life. His soon as he abandons it, he will suffer setbacks. Therefore, one can rightly say that honesty holds great importance in our daily lives.



An honest man is always respected by the society. People hold him in high esteem. The elders praise him while the younger ones idealize him. He becomes a role model for everyone in his

An honest man is always appreciated by Allah. Our Creator God has commanded us to be honest. A true Mu'min is scrupulously honest in his dealings. He does not cheat. Allah says in the Holy



Quran :

" Woe to the cheaters "

The Holy Prophet (PBUH) also commanded us to be honest. He wanted to eradicate dishonesty.

The Prophet (PBUH) was extremely honest himself too. Due to his unparalleled honesty, he earned the titles of 'Sadiq' and 'Amin'.

Therefore, honesty holds great value in Islam.

On the contrary, a dishonest man is always hated by the society. People tend to avoid him. They do not



respect him. A dishonest
man is not liked
by Allah either.

To conclude, honesty plays
a great role in
our daily life.
In order to gain
the respect of society
and to please Allah,
one has to stay
away from all
kinds of dishonest dealings.
Only an honest man
can be promised
respect in this world
and the next.

Q.4.

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CONTINUATION SHEET



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(صرف پورڈ کا استعمال کیجیے) انیسوارمہاں پکھڑہ

(a)

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i.

He asked whether they had visited the museum before it had closed.

ii.

She told me that she had not been feeling well for days.

iii.

He said, "Are you writing an article about the climate change?"

iv.

He asked if I had heard the latest news about the elections.



v. They exclaimed with excitement
that I had played
wonderfully. ✓

(b).

(i)

Throne : Ali will be the
next person to sit on
the throne. ✓

Thrown : The bag was thrown
out of the building. ✓

(ii)

Sent : I sent him a
letter. ✓



Cent : The book costs only
one cent.

(iii)

Moor : You can not grow
crops on land that
has been termed as 'moor'.
Moor the ships, near the shore.

More : I need more men
to complete this job.

(iv)

Soar : Come and soar
with me like a bird.
The Eagle was soaring high in the sky.

Sore : Ahmad has a sore
throat.



(v)

Meat : One should eat cook
meat if he waits
more proteins in his
diet.

Meet : I want you to
meet my friend.

Q. 6.

Character sketch

Roger



Fic. No.

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(صرف بورڈ کے استعمال کیلئے) امیدوار یہاں کچھ نہ لکھیں

Introduction : The character of Roger has been taken from 'Lord of the Flies'. This novel has been written by William Golding.

Appearance : Roger appears to be a young boy who has not yet reached teenage. However, he is very strong and athletic.

Arrival : Roger is part of the boys who have been



stranded on the island.

Friendship : Roger is a close friend of Jack and stays close by him.

Hunting Skills : Roger is a skilled hunter who actively takes part in hunting activities.

Savagery : Over the course of the story, Roger slowly descends into savagery.

Murder : Roger is responsible for the murder of Piggy.



Hate : Roger is an ally of Jack. Therefore, he holds a hatred for Ralph.

Bully : Rogers enjoys bullying and always belittles others.

Escape : Roger is allowed to escape the island when the group stumbles across them. Officers who rescue them.

Q.5.

Summary



SUMMARY

It was fury, it was wrath, but above all, it was the thirst for revenge. Three thousand Meccan pagans travelled to Medina to avenge their defeat at Badr. When this news reached Madina, the Muslims prepared themselves for battle. The Holy Prophet (PBUH) wanted to fight while staying in the city. However, the energetic youth wanted to take the battle to an open ground. Ultimately, the Prophet (PBUH) gave preference to the opinion of youth.



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(صرف بورڈ کے استعمال کیلئے) امیدوار یہاں کچھ نہ لکھیں

The Muslims started the battle well and troubled the Meccans. The enemies of Islam soon began to retreat. The Muslims thought they had won the war as their opponents started fleeing. Prior to the start of the war, the Prophet had appointed archers on a small hill. As the opponents started to run away, they left their position. This gave the Meccans a chance to strike back and cause chaos among



the Muslims as they
martyred a companion
that resembled the Prophet
(PBUH). Many close companions
embraced martyrdom but
ultimately Muslims
controlled the situation
again. This battle taught
Muslims a very important
lesson (that greed and
disobedience of the
Prophet causes trouble).