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Synonyms:

1. Absurd - illogical, hobbled – walked unsteadily, monotonous - boring, seclusion – isolation, dilapidated – damaged, pallor – appearance, puckered – wrinkled, shroud - wrap
2. princely – very large, appetite – hunger, lauded – appreciated, conviction – belief, felicitation – congratulatory, adulation – appreciation, etched – imprinted.
3. Antipathy – strong dislike, reluctant – unwilling, delinquent – wrong doing, abstracted – lacking, prosaic – dull, audacious – bold, indignant – very angry, quivering – trembling, vexation – annoyance.
4. Bloatocrat – aristocrat, electrified – shocked, congealed – frozen, smothered – suppressed, glibly – sincerely, rectitude – honesty, guile – cunning, baize – woollen material, farthings – paisa, indelibly – lasting permanently.
5. Conferred – granted, reiterate – do again, enunciated – spoke clearly, ruggedness – toughness, eschewed – discard, venerable – valued, feudal – middle age, confronting – resisting, inherent – inborn, cloistered – restricted, inheritors – successors, replenish – refill, endowed – gifted, crusade – campaign.
6. Alley – narrow, yanked – pulled, consternation – worry, extravagantly – excessively, cascade – waterfall, concourse – public building, gashed – cut deeply, exasperation – irritation, suave – sophisticated, catastrophes – a terrible disaster.

Antonyms:

1. Frivolous x serious, omitted x included, protest x accept, serenity x anxiety, scattered x gathered, monotonous x interesting.
2. Compulsory x unnecessary, traditional x modern, expensive x cheap, hopeful x desperate, accepted x refused, vanished x appeared, doubtful x certain, shrouded x exposed.
3. Vintage x modernistic, antipathy x amity, reluctant x inclined, prosaic x exceptional, shrouded x uncovered, mediocre x unacceptable, eccentric x conformist, indignant x pleased, vexations x delight, quivering x settled, suspicious x certain, sullen x cheerful, trusted x believed, liberal x conservative
4. Valiant x coward, full x empty, congealed x thinned, indelible x forgettable, guile x honesty, rectitude x immortality, electrified x discouraged, grave x excited.
5. Conscious x indifferent, reiterate x take back, persuaded x dissuade, unexpected x expected, regrets x happiness, prominent x ordinary, eminent x inferior, faithful x disloyal, inherent x external, enunciate x whisper, rugged x smooth, traitor x patriots.
6. yanked x pushed, panic x peace, disgorging x restrain, extravagantly x temperately, lavish x frugal, gashed x healed, irritated x delighted, suave x unrefined, venerable x wicked.

7. compound words: N + N - moonlight, N + V - sunrise, V + N - suitcase, N + Adj - sky blue, Adj + N - blackboard, Adj + V - whitewash, hard work, N + G - story telling, G + N - dining table, prep + N - upstream, outpatient, Adv + V - overthrow, upset
Toll plaza, spotless, waterproof, party full, homecoming, overstraining, courtyard, door knobs, overcoat, singsong, beehive,

8. Prefix: post, dis, un, ir, im, non, pre **Suffix:** ly, able, tion, ful, ment, ate, ism, al, ship

9. Abbreviation: IELTS, GST, TNPSE, STD, ISD, MBA, MHRD, GPS, NSS, PTA, NGO, ICU, IIM, MRI, ECG, NCC, LED, CPU, CBSE, GDP, LCD, NRI, IIT, ITI, USB, NEET, CCTV, RAM, VAT, CAD, ATM, LAN, NASA, UGC (PAGE. 28)

10. Clipping words: chimpanzee, photograph, cafeteria, gasoline, helicopter, memorandum, influenza, bridegroom, perambulator - pram, refrigerator - fridge, Laboratory, Gymnasium, advertisement, discotheque, handkerchief, telephone, microphone, kilogram, mathematics - maths, demonstration, demarcate - mark, adversity - varsity

11. definition of words: Bibliomania – desire to read books, pyromania – desire to set fire, Kleptomania – desire for stealing, **Phobia- fear of sth:** Bibliophobia – books, Anglophobia – English, Acrophobia – height, Hydrophobia – water, Theophobia – God, Xenophobia – strangers, **gist: study of sth.** Pathologist – diseases, ornithologist – birds, entomologist – insects, archaeologist – art facts, sociologist – human society, geologist – earth, Linguist – languages, seismologist – earthquake, herpetologist - reptiles, amphibian, meteorologist – atmosphere, polyglot – many Languages, patriotism – love of country

12. foreign words: liaison – communication, ex gratia – out of good will, ad hoc – not a planned happening, bonafide – genuine, en masse – as a whole group, sine die – without a date, erratum – error, bon voyage – say good bye, prima facie – at first sight, in toto – totally, rapport – close relationship, viva voce – spoken exam, en route – on the way, Faux pas – mistake, not polite, magnum opus – master piece.

13. idioms: tight corners – a difficult situation, shot his belt – to exhaust his efforts, in a nice pickle – difficult situation, have cold feet – nervous and anxiety, alarm bells ringing – sign of something going wrong, back to the wall – in serious difficulty, saved by the bell – help at the last moment, hang out to dry – abandoning one who is in difficulty, hit the road - set out on a journey, take for a ride – to be deceived, in panic mode – strong anxiety or fear.

14. question Tags: is, are, was, were, shall, should, can, could, will, would, have, has, had. He sings well – doesn't he?, He sang well – didn't he? They play well – don't they?

15. Plural: Datum - data, alumnus - alumni, index - indices, analysis - analyses, formula - formulae, tooth - teeth, child – children, mouse - mice

16. Syllabication : Mono - 1, Di - 2, Tri - 3, Tetra - 4, Penta - 5, Poly – 6.

17. Relative pronoun: Noun ____ Verb (Who), Noun things ____ (which), Noun ____ things (whose), Noun ____ Pronoun (whom) , Place - where

18. Sentence Pattern: SVO, SVOA, SVC, SVCA, SVOC, SVOCA, SVIODO, SVIODOA
C – Complement, A – adjunct (time, phrase, adverb) IO- him, her, them, us

19. Link words: As, If, unless (____ in front) / but, and, or, till (____ in middle)

20. Euphemism : lavatory – rest room, housewife – home maker, undertaker – mortician, accidental death – collateral damage, beating children – corporal punishment, die – breath one's lost, pregnancy – in the family way, vomited – blow chunks, jail – correctional facility, slow learners – late bloomers, fat – full figured, blind – visually challenged , unemployed – between jobs, late – chronologically challenged.

2 marks: 21 - 26

Poem 1 : Once upon a Time – Gabriel Okara

1. Explain 'to laugh with their hearts'? people smile with genuine emotions.
2. Explain 'ice block cold eyes'? Eyes refer to eyes without warmth.
3. Explain cocktail face? Cocktail face refers to a face capable of showing mixed emotions.
4. What is 'good riddance'? Good riddance means the relief in getting rid of an unwanted visitor.
5. What is the meaning of fangs? Fangs are the teeth of a venomous snake used to inject poison.

Poem 2: Confessions of a Born Spectator - Ogden Nash.

1. Whom does the poet admire? The poet admires the athletes.
2. for what reasons do the athletes sweat? The athlete plays for fun and for benefits.
3. Why are athletes often rough during play? The athletes are rough because everyone wants to win.
4. Why are doctors called? Doctors are called when players get injured.
5. What is gaudy pomp? Gaudy pomp means showy dress.

Poem 3: Lines written in early spring – William Wordsworth

1. What is the poet's faith? The poet's faith is that the flower is happy with the air it breaths.

2. What trait of Nature do we see here? We see the love of nature in all its creations.
3. What does 'heaven' refer to? Heaven refers to God.
4. Why does the poet call it 'holy'? Nature is God's work from heaven. So the poet calls it holy.
5. What does 'blended notes' refer to? Blended notes refer to the heavenly music.
6. What are the fair works of nature? The human soul is the fair work of nature.
7. What is a primrose? It is a wild plant with yellow flowers.

Poem 4: Macavity – The Mystery Cat – T. S. Eliot

1. Why is he called the hidden paw? Macavity leaves no footprints at the crime site.
2. What is 'Scotland Yard'? It is the head quarters of London Metropolitan Police Service.
3. Explain 'monster of depravity'? Macavity is an evil monster of all devilish qualities.
4. Who is a fakir? A fakir is a holy person who has the power to float in air.

Poem 5: Everest is not the only peak – kulothungan

1. How should we carry out our duties? We should carry out our duties with sincerity and honesty.
2. Which is our stronghold? Courage is our stronghold.
3. What is the speaker proud of? The speaker is proud of his position in life.
4. Who is considered rich? People who live with dignity are considered rich.
5. What is their asset? Honour is their asset.
6. What is our strength? Dignity and pride are our strength.

Poem 6: The Hollow Crown – William Shakespeare.

1. What is the meaning of bequeath? It means passing on legal rights to the rightful heir.
2. What does the 'small model' refer to? Small model refers to human body.
3. What does the antic mean? Antic means a court jester.
4. Who is the antic? Death is the antic.
5. Who comes at last? Death comes at last.
6. What do the 'graves, worms and epitaphs' refer to? They refer to the human mortality.
7. What does 'castle wall' refer to? Castle wall refers to the human body.
8. Who is Bolingbroke? Is he friend or foe? He is king Richard's cousin. He is a foe to the king.

Figure of speech: as, like – simile, if not - metaphor, personification, anaphora, oxymoron

Alliteration: first letter.

27. Report the Dialogue: 1. asked / wh/ho & if 2. replied / that 3. ordered / to
I, You – he, she ; We – they;

28. If clause:

1. If you run fast, you will win the match.
2. If you played well, you would win the match.
3. If you had studied well, you would have scored high marks.

29. Begin with should, had, were / making inversion:

If I were a bird, I would fly.

Ans. Were I a bird, I would fly.

30. Simple, Compound, Complex :

No.	simple	Compound	Complex
1.	In spite of + V + ing	but / yet	Though, Although
2.	In case of + V + ing	and	If
3.	In case of + Not + V + ing	or / otherwise	unless
4.	Too... to	very.... and so.. cannot	So....that... cannot
5.	V + ing	and so	As / Since / Because

30. Active and passive voice:

1. open the door – Let the door be opened
2. Don't open the door - Let the door not be opened.
3. Who gave you a pen? – By whom was a pen given to you?

5 marks questions:**44. Summary writing:** Rough draft, Fair draft, title

No. Of words in the text :

No. of words in the Fair draft:

45. Responding to the Advertisement:

From

To

Sub: Application for the post of _____

Dear Sir,

I am XXX. I have completed B. A. degree. I saw your add. I apply for the post of _____. I have good communication skill. I have computer knowledge. If you give me the job, I will do well. I added my Bio data.

Thank You.

Yours truly,

Bio Data:

Name: / Father's Name: / Address: / Date of Birth: / Sex: / Status: / Nationality: /

Qualification: / Addl. Qualification: / Experience: / Languages Known: / Salary Expected: /

Declaration: The above details are true. I will do my job well. Thank you.

46. Fill in the Blanks:

1. Homophones: peace, piece/ dessert, desert/ adopted, adapted/ stationary, stationery/ principal, principle/ personnel, personal, / steel, steal / sell, cell

2. Modal – should (order), can (ability), would (respect or permission)

3. Semi modal: How dare, used to (when, since, during) , need not, ought to (order)

4. Link words: As, If, unless (_____ in front) / but, and, or, till (_____ in middle)

46. SPOT THE ERRORS:

1. Prefer, senior, junior, inferior and superior - than not 'to'.
2. One of the noun- plural (students, players)/ verb – singular.(is, was) one of the students is
3. Use 'a' – a one, a university, a universal, a useful, a European, a union
4. Use 'an' - an M.Sc., an honest, an Hmt, an MLA
5. Though – but, As – and, As – so, unless – or, If - and
6. Neither... nor, either... or, verb 'is'
7. Advices – advice, furnitures – furniture, meals – meal (not s)
8. The English – English, Veena – the veena, the violin, the sun, the moon, the Bible, the Quran,
9. If clause: work – will pass, worked – would pass, had worked – would have passed.
10. Prepositions: confident ~~on~~ of, hope ~~through~~ for, met in ~~with~~ by, on ~~foot~~ foot, congratulated ~~of~~ on, discuss about , enter in to, cousin brother,

47. Identity the field words:Agriculture: hybrid, Yield, crop, paddy, harvest, seeds, fertilizersSpace: Comet, satellite, rocket, missileEducation: Student, skill, drop outs, exam, slow learners, resultSports: Referee, player, game, result, defeat, victory, champion, winner, world cup, captaincomputer: e mail, monitor, data, internet, hardware, password, menu, laptop, software commerce:

asset, market, price, profit, share, turnover, expenditure, property,

Weather: fog, rain, monsoon, humid, foggy, cloudy, windy, drizzle, showers,Nutrition: food, cholesterol, junk food, rice, diet.Politics: election, party, cabinet, leader, minister.

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