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ENGLISH**Paper Code : MDC-ENG-63T-101 OMR Code : 111****(Basics of English Grammar and Composition)****Time : 3.00 Hours****Section – A For Reg./NC: 40/50 Marks****Section – B For Reg./NC: 40/50 Marks****Total Maximum Marks For Reg./NC : 80/100****Instructions for Students (छात्रों के लिए निर्देश)****Students are required to read the instructions carefully before starting solving the question paper.****छात्रों को प्रश्न पत्र हल करना शुरू करने से पहले सभी निर्देशों को ध्यान से पढ़ना आवश्यक है।****Section – A (खण्ड – अ)**

1. Do not open the question booklet until you are asked to do so.	1. इस प्रश्न पुस्तिका को तब तक न खोलें जब तक कहा न जाए।
2. There are 50 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) in the question booklet. All 50 questions are mandatory to solve.	2. प्रश्न पुस्तिका में 50 प्रश्न (MCQ) हैं। सभी 50 प्रश्न हल करना अनिवार्य है।
3. Each question carries 0.80 mark for Regular and 1 mark for NC students.	3. प्रत्येक प्रश्न नियमित विद्यार्थियों के लिए 0.80 अंक का एवं स्वयंपाठी विद्यार्थियों के लिए 1 अंक का है।
4. There are four options for each questions. Fill the correct option in the OMR sheet.	4. प्रत्येक प्रश्न के लिए चार विकल्प हैं। सही विकल्प ओ एम आर शीट में भरें।
5. Student have to darken only one circle (bubble) indicating the correct answer on the OMR Sheet. The circles on the OMR are to be darkened properly with black/ blue ball pen only.	5. छात्र को सही उत्तर निर्दिष्ट करते हुए एक गोले (बबल) को ओ.एम.आर. शीट में गहरा करना है। ओ.एम.आर. पर बने गोले को केवल काले/नीले बॉल पेन से ही काला करना होगा।
6. Fill in all the information (i.e. Roll No. etc.) or both OMR sheet and question booklet before starting the question paper.	6. प्रश्न पत्र शुरू करने से पहले ओ.एम.आर. शीट और प्रश्न पुस्तिका दोनों पर सभी जानकारी (यानि रोल नंबर आदि) भरें।
7. Submit OMR to the invigilator after completion of examination.	7. परीक्षा अवधि पूरी होने पर ओ.एम.आर. पर्यवेक्षक के पास जमा करवायें।
8. Student can leave examination hall only after completion of examination.	8. छात्र परीक्षा अवधि पूर्ण होने के पश्चात् ही परीक्षा कक्ष छोड़ सकता है।

1. Hindu civilization will, we believe, retain its—
 - (a) Future
 - (b) Continuity
 - (c) Past
 - (d) Glory
2. Much that was useless in ancient Indian culture has already :
 - (a) Flourished
 - (b) Decayed
 - (c) Perished
 - (d) Sacrificed
3. The whole South-East Asia received most of its culture from:
 - (a) China
 - (b) India
 - (c) Indonesia
 - (d) Ceylon
4. The Heterodox sect followed.
 - (a) Monastic practices
 - (b) Upanishads
 - (c) Spirituality
 - (d) Christianity
5. Cultural divisions amount the countries are beginning to:
 - (a) Appear
 - (b) Disappear
 - (c) Decay
 - (d) Perish
6. The main problems of India are :
 - (a) Labour saving devices
 - (b) Action and thought
 - (c) Disease and poverty
 - (d) Hectic ways of the world
7. Where is the Angkor located?
 - (a) In Malaya
 - (b) In Sumatra
 - (c) In Cambodia
 - (d) In Java
8. The old face of India :
 - (a) has already changed fully
 - (b) is vanishing daily
 - (c) is changing fast
 - (d) None of the above
9. When was ceylon finally converted to Buddhism:
 - (a) in the reign of Ashoka
 - (b) in the reign of Harsh
 - (c) in the reign of Chandragupta
 - (d) in the reign of Bhoj
10. When was A.L. Basham born?
 - (a) 1911
 - (b) 1912
 - (c) 1913
 - (d) 1914

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11. Rosemary fell was shopping in ____.
(a) Bond street
(b) Curzon street
(c) Regeant street
(d) London street
12. The Shopman showed Rosemary fell a little ____ .
(a) box
(b) flower box
(c) car
(d) Lilac flower
13. Rosemary gave the beggar girl a cash gift of ____
(a) Three pounds
(b) Twenty pounds
(c) Five pounds
(d) Nine pounds
14. Katherine mansfield was born in year?
(a) 1888
(b) 1889
(c) 1887
(d) 1886
15. 'A cup of Tea' short story was first published in year :
(a) 1920
(b) 1921
(c) 1922
(d) 1923
16. The main female character of Katherine Mansfield 'A cup of Tea'?
(a) Rosemary fell
(b) Rosemary well
(c) Rosemary smith
(d) Rosey
17. Is a Cup of Tea a metaphor?
(a) Metaphorical and descriptive of Invigoration
(b) Methaphor of wife
(c) Method of descriptive
(d) None of the above
18. What was the name of the poor girl mentioned in "A cup of Tea"?
(a) Miss Southe
(b) Miss Smith
(c) Miss Rosey
(d) None of the above
19. 'A work of Art' – Anton Chekhov was published in year?
(a) 1885
(b) 1886
(c) 1887
(d) 1888
20. What is the style of Anton Chekhov?
(a) Realism writing style
(b) Unrealism writing style
(c) Socialrealism style
(d) None of these

21. Who wrote—"Wonder That was India"?
- (a) A.L. Basham
 - (b) Salman Rushdie
 - (c) Mulk Raj Anand
 - (d) All of the above
22. "The Heritage of India"—was published in year—
- (a) 1975
 - (b) 1976
 - (c) 1977
 - (d) 1978
23. Which city is called "Heritage of India"?
- (a) Ahmedabad
 - (b) Surat
 - (c) Delhi
 - (d) Jaipur
24. A precis means :
- (a) Detailed Description
 - (b) Concise, accurate summary of text
 - (c) Features writing
 - (d) None of the above
25. The word "Precis" which is of origin?
- (a) English
 - (b) French
 - (c) German
 - (d) Italy
26. Which of the following is not a rule of "Precis writing"?
- (a) Always have a heading
 - (b) Use as extensive vocabulary as possible
 - (c) Remove any irrelevant information present in the original passage
 - (d) Do not use any short forms or abbreviations
27. What is Rule of Precis writing?
- (a) Slowly and careful read the passage
 - (b) Go through and write
 - (c) Too lang
 - (d) Spent long time in reading
28. Spam email is also known as ____.
- (a) spoof
 - (b) virus
 - (c) junk email
 - (d) draft mail
29. What does an email clients "Drafts" folder serve as?
- (a) Archive deleted emails
 - (b) Organise emails into folders
 - (c) Save drafts of unsent emails
 - (d) Store received emails
30. Which of the following icon is used to add an attachment to an email?
- (a) Stationery icon
 - (b) Paper clip icon
 - (c) GIF icon
 - (d) Emoji icon

SET B

Q.31-35. Translate the following words from Hindi to English.

31. अरण्य—
(a) Soul
(b) Wild
(c) Beast
(d) None of the above
32. हथकरघा—
(a) Hand work
(b) Handloom
(c) Handicraft
(d) None of the above
33. शपथ—
(a) Term
(b) Team
(c) Pledge
(d) None of the above
34. नियति—
(a) Destiny
(b) Tory
(c) Tear
(d) None of the above
35. विजय—
(a) Treat
(b) Twin
(c) Twell
(d) Triumph

Q.36-40. Use correct form of Articles.

36. He is _____ LLM.
(a) the
(b) an
(c) a
(d) none of the above
37. She need _____ pen.
(a) the
(b) an
(c) a
(d) none of the above
38. _____ Flute of Lord Krishna is famous.
(a) The
(b) An
(c) A
(d) None of the above
39. _____ Aravali is the oldest Mountain.
(a) The
(b) An
(c) A
(d) None of the above
40. Half _____ hour is not a long duration.
(a) the
(b) an
(c) a
(d) none of the above

Q.41-46. Use correct form of verb.

41. Ragini is _____ a song.
 (a) song
 (b) singing
 (c) singed
 (d) none of the above
42. Soniya has already _____ a mobile.
 (a) purchasing
 (b) purchased
 (c) purchase
 (d) none of the above
43. Always _____ the truth.
 (a) speak
 (b) speaking
 (c) spoke
 (d) none of the above
44. Sun _____ in the west.
 (a) sets
 (b) setting
 (c) settle
 (d) none of the above
45. Ram _____ to hospital yesterday.
 (a) go
 (b) going
 (c) went
 (d) none of the above

46. Why are you _____ ?
 (a) laugh
 (b) laughed
 (c) laughing
 (d) none of the above

Q.47-50. Spotting of Errors.

47. A sun light us.
 (a) Sun
 (b) A
 (c) Us
 (d) None of the above
48. They you live long.
 (a) Live
 (b) They
 (c) Long
 (d) None of the above
49. It shall rain tonight.
 (a) May
 (b) Shall
 (c) It
 (d) None of the above
50. I have lived here formed ten years.
 (a) Formed
 (b) Lived
 (c) Here
 (d) None of the above

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Basics of English Grammar and Composition

Section – B (खण्ड – ब)

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS (सामान्य निर्देश)

- (i) No supplementary answer-book will be given to any candidate. Hence the candidate should write the answer precisely in the Main answer-book only.
किसी भी परीक्षार्थी को पूरक उत्तर-पुस्तिका नहीं दी जायेगी। अतः परीक्षार्थियों को चाहिये कि वे मुख्य उत्तर-पुस्तिका में ही समस्त प्रश्नों का उत्तर लिखें।
- (ii) In Section - B there are 8 questions the candidates are required to attempt 4 questions, each question carries 10 marks for regular students and 12.5 marks for non-collegiate students.
खण्ड-ब में कुल 8 प्रश्न हैं परीक्षार्थी को 4 प्रश्न करने हैं। प्रत्येक प्रश्न नियमित परीक्षार्थी के लिए 10 अंक का है एवं स्वयंपाठी परीक्षार्थी के लिए 12.5 अंक का है।
- (iii) Make sure that your question booklet has all the 50 questions in Section - A and 8 questions in Section-B. Defection Booklet can be changed within 10 minutes.
प्रश्न-पुस्तिका में सभी खण्ड-अ में 50 प्रश्न एवं खण्ड-ब में 8 प्रश्न छपे हैं, इसकी जाँच कीजिए। त्रुटिपूर्ण पुस्तिका को 10 मिनट में बदलवाया जा सकता है।
- (iv) If there is any difference in English and Hindi version, the English version will be considered authentic.
यदि प्रश्न के हिन्दी एवं अंग्रेजी रूपान्तरण में कोई अन्तर हो तो अंग्रेजी रूपान्तरण को ही सही माना जाये।

Section – B

1. Write an essay on the significance of prepositions and articles in construction grammatically correct sentences. 10/12.5
2. Explain the symbolism of “A Work of Art” by Anton Chekhov. 10/12.5
3. Discuss the stress patterns and transcription of words in english, with examples of commonly misunderstood pronunciations. 10/12.5
4. Explain the importance of “The Heritage of India” by A.L. Basham in understanding Indian culture and traditions. 10/12.5
5. Discuss the role of social class and materialism in “A cup of Tea” by Katherine Mansfield. 10/12.5
6. Write a precis of the following passage and provide a suitable title. 10/12.5

Teaching is the noblest of professions. A teacher has a sacred duty to perform. It is he on whom rests the responsibility of moulding the character of young children. Apart from developing their intellect, he can inculcate in them qualities of good citizenship, remaining neat and clean, talking decently and sitting properly. These virtues are not easy to be imbibed. Only he who himself leads a life of simplicity, purity and rigid discipline can successfully cultivate these habits in his pupils. Besides a teacher always remain young. He may grow old in age, but not in spite. Perpetual contact with budding youths keeps him happy and cheerful. There are moments when domestic worries weigh heavily on his mind, but the delightful company of innocent children makes him overcome his transient moods of despair.

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7. Draft a professional email to your professor requesting an extension for an assignment submission. 10/12.5
 8. Discuss the role of translation in bridging linguistic and cultural gaps, using examples from your own experience or study. 10/12.5
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