

English 2008

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 75

Q.1. Write an essay of 100 to 120 word on any ONE of the following topics. (10)

- i. Pakistan Day Celebration
- ii. Duties of a Monitor in a School
- iii. Games and Sports in the life of a Student
- iv. An Overnight Picnic by the Sea

Q.2 Write an application to your headmaster/headmistress requesting him/her to start the computer classes at your school. (08)

OR

Write a letter to your friend about your favourite hobby and the benefit it gives you.

Q.3 (a) Do as Directed. (04)

i. Ahmed took the S.S.C Examination. (Change into Present Indefinite Tence)

Ahmed takes the S.S.C Examination.

ii. He spit on the floor. (Change into an Interrogative Sentence)

Did he spit on the floor?

iii. She does not make a mistake. (Change into an Affirmative Sentence)

She makes a mistake.

iv. He recommended a better book to his brother. (Change into a Negative Sentence)

He did not recommend a better book to his brother.

Q.3 (b) Change the Voice of the following sentences. (03)

i. He bears all the troubles gladly.

All the troubles are botreby him gladly.

ii. Who broke the chair?

By whom the chair was broken?

iii. I have been surprised by your result.

Your result has suprised me.

Q.3 (c) Change the form of narration of the following sentences. (03)

i. The father said to his son, "Work hard if you want to succeed in Life".

The father advised his son to work hard if he wanted to succeed in life.

ii. He said to me, "Where do you live?"

He asked me where did I live?

iii. He says that he recites the Holy Quran daily.

He says "I recite the Holy Quran daily".

Q.3 (d) Insert suitable prepositions in the following sentences. (02)

i. This book is free **from** mistake.

ii. She has no control **on** her children.

Q.3 (e) Insert the correct forms of the verbs in the given sentences. (02)

i. I (stay) here until he comes back. **stay**.

ii. She has been (reciting) the Holy Quran for the last two hours. **recite**

Q.3 (f) Insert a suitable articles. (01)

i. She met me **a** day before yesterday.

Q.4 (a) Answer any SIX of the following questions in two/three sentences each. (12)

i. What does the Holy Prophet (S.A.W) say about the Holy Book of Allah?

ii. What message did Quaid-e-Azam give the people on the first anniversary of the Independence Day?

iii. How do germs get into our body?

iv. Why did men begin to live together? What happened when the societies grew larger?

v. What is a barrage? What areas of Sindh are irrigated by Guddu Barrage?

vi. What was the role of Lady Haroon in the struggle for Pakistan?

vii. What things are on exhibition in the museum of Moen-jo-Daro?

viii. How important are our neighbours to us according to the Holy Prophet (S.A.W)?

ix. What are the problems faced by Pakistan and how can they be solved?

Q.4 (b) Answer any FOUR of the following into two/three sentences. (08)

i. With what does the poet compare children?

ii. Why did God bless Abou Ben Adhem with his love?

iii. How did the poet feel looking at the daffodils?

iv. Why can the poet not wait to enjoy the beauty of the woods?

v. What did the King say to the Miller in the last stanza of the poem "The Miller of the Dee"?

Q.5 Fill in the blanks of any SIX of the following choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets. (06)

i. A metal statue of a **Dancing girl** has been found in the ruins of Moen-jo-Daro.

(Brave girl, Smiling girl, Dancing girl)

ii. But in my mind is the wind of **Autumn**.

(Winter, Autumn, Summer)

iii. Thou charm'st the wanderer's **Woe** away.

(Show, Woe, Low)

iv. The Holy Prophet (S.A.W) **Urged** the Muslims to help the sick and the suffering.

(Desired, Urged, Pressed)

v. Allama Iqbal said that the **Principle** of European democracy cannot be applied to India.

(Philosophy, Style, Principle)

vi. No lark more **Delightful** than he.

(Blithe, Delightful, Tight)

vii. "The Children" has been composed by **Henry Longfellow**.

(Elasa Kazi, William Wordsworth, Henry Longfellow)

viii. The Pakistan Resolution was passed in A.D. **1941**.

(1941, 1947, 1941)

Q.6 Use any FOUR of the following idioms in your own sentences. (04)

to look after, fond of, to look into, to take part, nothing but, to get over, far and wide

Q.7 Translate the following into English. (06)

کیا اُس کے پاس ایک کتاب ہے۔

Does he possess a book.

ہے؟ اے یاءہب ےن تک ےرامت

How many brothers do you have?

اُس نے مکان خرید لیا ہے؟

He has bought a house.

س وہ امررک راظتننا اک نسود ےن پنا ےس حبص سیم

I have been waiting for my friend since morning.

اگں دودں ین ازس اسے سں وت اگے لوب چس مو رگا

If he speaks the truth i will no give him the punishment.

گے ینء اج ے ے لے نلٹ ے ریوس حبص مو

They will go for a walk early in the morning.

OR

Make the Summary of the following passage.

Once in a battle Hazrat Ali was in the thickest of the fight against a tribe hostile to Islam. A stout warrior from among the enemy fought his way up to him and attacked him. Hazrat Ali too made a counter attack and a grim fight followed. At last the sword of the enemy broke into pieces and he stood defenceless. When Hazrat Ali saw this he stopped his fight because he desdained to take advantage of the helpless condition of his adversary.

Q.8 Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given at the end. (06)

Pakistan is full of beautiful natural scenery. In the north area the snow-capped mountains with their silvery waterfalls and cool lakes. The central part consists of the fertile green plains of the Punjab and Sindh. Then there are the rocky regions of Baluchistan and the beautiful shores of the Arabian Sea. These geographical variations are reflected in the customs of the people of various regions of our country.

- i. Where are the snow-capped mountains?
- ii. What does the central part of Pakistan consist of?
- iii. Which region of Pakistan is made of hard rocks?
- iv. What do the customs of various regions of Pakistan reflect?
- v. Write the opposite of "Fertile"?
- vi. Write the synonym of "Shore"?

English 2007

TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 75

Q.1 Write an essay of 100 to 120 words on any ONE of the following topics.

- i. Celebration of Eid Milad-un-Nabi at Our School.
- ii. My Next -door Neighbour
- iii. My Best Friend
- iv. A House on Fire

Q.2. Write an application to the headmaster/headmistress of your school requesting him/her to allow your class to visit the book fair at the Expo Centre in your town.

OR

Write a letter to your friend ask him/her to describe what he/she intends to do during the summer vacation.

Q.3 (a) Punctuate the following using capital letters, where necessary:

i. aslam left for multan on monday the 3rd April 2007

Aslam left for Multan on monday the 3rd April 2007.

ii. As days passed latifs love of god grew more and more.

As days passed, Latif's love of God grew more and more.

Q.3 (b) Insert suitable prepositions in the following.

i. He is blind **of** one eye.

ii. My son is suffering **from** fever.

Q.3 (c) Insert the correct form of the verb in each sentence.

i. The patient had (died) before the doctor came. **die**

ii. She (says) her prayers every morning. **say**

Q.3 (d) Do as directed.

i. Did he do the home work? (change into assertive)

He did the home work.

ii. He put out the lamp. (change into negative)

He did not put out the lamp.

iii. He will speak the truth. (change into simple present tense)

He speaks the truth.

iv. He does his homework daily. (change into interrogative)

Does he do his home work daily.

Q.3 (e) Change the voice.

i. Don't post these letters.

Let these letters not be posted.

ii. The soldiers was ordered by the officer to follow the orders.

The officer ordered the soldiers to follow the orders.

Q.3 (f) Change the form of narration.

i. He said to me, "I don't like this book".

He told me that he did not like that book.

ii. The father said to his son, "Work hard if you want to succeed in life".

The father advised his son to work hard if he wanted to succeed in life.

iii. He asked me why I was going to Karachi.

He said to me, "Why you are going to Karachi.

Q.4 (a) Answer any SIX of the following in two to three sentences each.

i. What important objects are kept in the museum of Moen-jo-Daro.

ii. What did Quaid-e-Azam say about education?

iii. Why is Shah Abdul Latif famous and what is his message?

iv. What are the benefits of Guddu Barrage?

v. Why did Allama Iqbal want a separate state for the Muslims of India?

vi. How did the Muslim women work for the independence?

vii. What are the secret of the success?

viii. What is pollution? What are its kinds?

ix. What does the Last Sermon of the Holy Prophet (peace be upon him) teach us?

Q.4 (b) Answer any FOUR of the following into two/three sentences.

i. How does the poetess compare the Neem tree to man?

ii. What are harness bells? Why does the horse shake them?

iii. Who wrote the poem "Children"? How are the children different from the poet?

iv. Who was Abou Ben Adhem? What did he ask the angel?

v. What resemblance does the poet find between the stars and the daffodils?

vi. Who is miller? What was he singing about?

Q.5 Fill in the blanks of any SIX of the following choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets.

i. Ziauddin Ahmed was the Vice-Chancellor of the **Aligarh** University.

(Punjab, Karachi, Aligarh)

ii. The first women ever to make a speech in London's Guild Hall was **Jahan Ara Shahnawaz**.

(Begum Khair-un-Nisa, Sha'ban, Lady Sughra Hidayatullah, Jahan Ara Shahnawaz)

iii. In the poem "Children" the poet is afraid of the **old age**.

(jungle, old age, youth)

iv. The "Miller of the Dee" is composed by **Charles Mackay**.

(Charles Mackay, Henry Leigh Hunt, Wordsworth)

v. Typhoid is caused by **flies carrying germs**.
(stagnant water, mosquito bite, flies carrying germs)

vi. "Blithe" means **happy**.
(sad, happy, angry)

vii. Moen-jo-daro is near **Larkana**.
(Karachi, Hyderabad, Larkana)

viii. Robert Frost was a/an **American** poet.
(American, English, Scottish)

Q.6. Use any FOUR of the following idioms in your own sentences.
to get over, to make cut, dawn to dusk, with open arms, to take off, good at, to get rid of

Q.7 Translate the following sentences into English.

-ۛ اٹوھچ لاس ود ۛس ھجم ۛءاھب اریم

My Brother is two years younger than me.

-ۛ ای لاهک ان اھک اک تار ۛن رون امم

The guests have taken the dinner.

ایک باختن اک باتک نیرتہب ۛن دم جا ای

Did Ahmed choose the best book.

-ۛ گ ۛی اچ وک ریس مہ وت یگہ ۛی ن شراب رگا

If it would not rain, we shall go for a visit.

-ۛ امران ب ریوصت ۛس ۛٹن ھگ ۛھدا مو

He has been drawing a picture for half an hour.

-ۛ گ ۛی ۛءال فیشت بک بحاص رٹس ام ڈیہ

When will the head-master come?

OR

Make the Summary of the following passage.

We should treat our father kindly for he loved us most when we were young. He is now old and therefore, it is our duty to provide him with every comfort. We should be kind to our mother because she treated us with tender affection in our childhood. She still prays for our welfare. We should make her last days happy and pleasant. This is our moral as well as religious duty.

We should be kind to our brother because his love is the richest jewel on the surface of the earth. We should treat our sister gently for we know how deep her love is for us. Her love towards us will bring us joy and blessings of Allah.

Q.8 Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end.

Tracts of land from which coal is obtained are called coal fields. These so called fields are not on the surface of the earth like fields of rice and wheat but at some depth below it. They consist of layers or beds which run under the ground. When a layer of this kind has been opened the opening is called a mine and hence coal is classed as a mineral. Pakistan possesses many coal fields but much fewer and smaller than those of England in proportion to the size of the country.

The coal too is of inferior quality it is without gas and leaves a much larger amount of ash when it is burnt.

- i. What are coal fields?
- ii. Where is the coal found?
- iii. What is a mine?
- iv. How are the Coal fields in Pakistan compared with those found in England?
- v. Write the other two degrees of "much".
- vi. Write the antonym of "inferior".

English Exam Paper 2006

Question 1

Write an essay of 100 to 120 words on any One of the following topics: (10)

- (i) Responsibilities of a good citizen. (iii) Pollution.
- (ii) The Importance of Technical Education. (iv) Nursing.

Question 2

Write an application to the Headmaster/Headmistress of your school for four days' leave on account of your brother's marriage. (08)

OR Write a letter to your friend describing him/her your hobby.

Question 3

Do as directed:

- (i) Punctuate the following using capital letters, where necessary:(02)
(a) he is an mba (b) i get up in the morning take a bath have breakfast and go to school
- (ii) Insert suitable prepositions in the following: (02)
(a) Trust in God and do the right.
(b) She died of smallpox.

(iii) Insert the correct form of the verb in each sentence: (08)

- (a) Lal Latif _____ in 1752. (die)
- (b) She _____ us to go home, (forbid)
- (c) Do you see the picture? (Change into affirmative.)
- (d) The Villagers refused to pay the tax. (Change into negative.)
- (e) She prays five times a day. (Change into past indefinite tense.)
- (f) God created us. (change into past perfect tense.)

(iv) Change the voice: (02)

- (a) Where was hockey being played by you?
- (b) When will she have finished the work?

(v) Change the narration: (03)

- (a) The General said, "Advance, my men."
- (b) She proposed that we should go for a walk.
- (c) They said, "Oh! that is nonsense."

ANSWER:

- (i) (a) He is an M.B.A.
- (b) I get up in the morning, take a bath, have breakfast and go to school.

(iii) (a) Lal Latif died in 1752.

- (b) She forbade us to go home
- (c) You see the picture.
- (d) The Villagers did not refuse to pay the tax.
- (e) She prayed five times a day
- (f) God had created us

(iv) (a) Where were you playing hockey?

(b) When will the work be finished by her?

(v) (a) The General ordered his men to advance.

(b) She said, " Let us go for a walk."

(c) They exclaimed with anger that, that was nonsense.

Question 4-A

Answer any Six of the following questions in two/three sentences each: (12)

- (i) What is meant by 'Hijra'?
- (ii) Who was Shah Abdul Latif?

- (iii) Which is the best find of Moenjodaro?
- (iv) What do you know about Helen Keller?
- (v) When did the Muslims demand Pakistan?
- (vi) What is the meaning of Madare e Millat?
- (vii) How are diseases caused?
- (viii) What lesson do you learn from the martyrdom of Major Aziz Bhatti?
- (ix) What does 'nursing' mean?
- (x) What is our duty to our country?
- (xi) What is a barrage?

Question 4-B

Answer any Four of the following in two/three sentences: (8)

- (i) What does the neem tree look like?
- (ii) Who wrote the poem 'The Daffodils'? What did the poet see beside the lake?
- (iii) How does the poet feel when he sits thoughtfully on his couch?
- (iv) Why can the poet not wait to enjoy the beauty of the woods?
- (v) What did the king say to the miller?
- (vii) Why was Abou's name on the top of the list?

Question 5

Fill in the blanks of any Six of the following choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets: (06)

- (i) We have the _____ to give us guidance. (Holy Quran, Sunnah, Fiqah)
- (ii) Shah Abdul Latif was born in _____ A.D. (1689, 1690, 1691)
- (iii) The Pakistan Resolution was passed at _____ (Peshawar, Rawalpindi, Lahore)
- (iv) The poem Children is written by _____ (Henry Leigh Hunt, Henry Longfellow, Robert Frost)
- (v) Robert Frost was a/an _____ poet. (American, English, German)
- (vi) A man who sews clothes is called a _____ (weaver, tailor, mason)
- (vii) The king was in search of the secret of _____ (failure, pleasure, success)
- (viii) The length of Guddu Barrage is _____ metres. (1255, 1355, 1455)

Question 6

Use any Four of the following idioms in your sentences: (04)

a bed of roses; at all costs; far and wide; to wind up; a lot of; all of a sudden; to give up.

Question 7

Translate the following sentences into English: (06)

- (1) People had been praying for rain from the last two months.
- (2) Has Zarreen been teaching in this school since 1980.
- (3) Do not let him pluck flowers.
- (4) Akram and Aslam were not fast friends.
- (5) The gardener will be watering the plants.

OR

Make a summary of the following passage reducing it to one-third of its length:

Kind words have greater power than gold. A man once lay in sorrow and deep distress. A rich man heard of his grief. He gave him gold but not a kind word. Another man passed by him. He had no gold to give. He spoke kind words and gave him sympathy. The sorrow of the miserable man passed. He was again well and strong. He paid back the gold the rich man had, given him but he could not pay back the kind words and sympathy of the poor man. Justly he said, "Gold is great, but greater than gold is sympathy."

Question 8

Read the following passage and answer the questions given under it: (06)

But this is because we have forgotten the noble examples of our Holy Prophet (peace be upon him). He would never ask anyone to do anything, which he himself would not do. He loved doing work for himself and for others with his hands. He repaired his shoes, mended and washed his clothes and swept his room. When the mosque of Madina was being built, he carried mud and building material. During the Battle of Khandaq, he joined his Companions in digging the ditch outside Madina.

- (i) Write any three noble examples of our Holy Prophet (Peace Be Upon Him)
- (ii) What did the Holy Prophet (Peace Be Upon Him) love?
- (iii) What kind of work did he perform when the mosque of Madina was being built?
- (iv) What did the Holy Prophet (Peace Be Upon Him) and His companions dig outside Madina?
- (v) Make nouns from the verbs 'bury' and 'die'.

English Exam Paper 2005

1. Write an essay of 100 to 120 words on any one of the following Topics : (10)

- (i) The recess Time in your school
- (ii) Tsunami Disaster
- (iii) Advantages and Disadvantages of Watching T.V Programmes
- (iv) My Favourite Cricketer

2. Write a letter to your father requesting him to give you permission to go with a friend to his/her village during the summer vacation.

OR

Write an application to your headmaster/headmistress requesting him/her to issue you the transfer

certificate. (8)

3. Do as directed: (15)

(i) What are you doing ? (change into passive voice)

(ii) I gave him a book. (change the voice)

(iii) She said to him, "I met your uncle yesterday. " (change into indirect narration)

(iv) The man is mortal. (correct the sentence)

(v) _____ Punjab is _____ fertile province of Pakistan. (Insert Article (s),Where necessary.)

(vi) His brother is _____ honest man. (Insert a suitable article)

(vii) God helps those _____ help themselves. (Insert a Pronoun)

(viii) We Played a hockey match. (change into negative form.)

(ix) He spoke a lie. (correct the sentence)

(x) He worked hard because he wanted to win a prize. (change into present indefinite tense)

(xi) I run fast. (change into an interrogative sentence)

(xii) The Sun rises from the East. (correct the sentence)

(xiii) She did not make a noise. (change into affirmative)

(xiv) He does not like it. (change into future tense)

(xv) He said to them, "May you succeed." (change into indirect speech)

4.(a) Answer any Six of the following in two to three sentences each : (12)

(i) Give a brief description of the Guddu Barrage.

(ii) What measures are being adopted by the Government to solve the main problems of the country?

(iii) What are the services of Begum Jahan Ara Shahnawaz in the freedom movement of Pakistan?

(iv) Who is Allama Iqbal and why is he famous?

(v) What did Allama Iqbal say in his Allahabad Address?

(vi) What difficulties did Helen Keller face a blind person?

(vii) Where is Moenjodaro situated and what is the cause of its fame?

(viii) Name some of the famous shrines found in different parts of Pakistan?

(ix) On what three principles did the Holy Prophet (PBUH) establish the Islamic society at Madina?

4.(b) Answer any four of the following in two to three sentences each : (8)

(i) What according to the poetess, is the highest sim of life?

(ii) Mention the two moods of the poet in the poem 'The Daffodils'.

(iii) The poet says that the children are thinking of the brooks while he is thinking of autumn. What does this mean?

(iv) The poet calls the children living poems and all the rest dead. Why does he say so?

(v) Who is a miller and what was he singing about?

(vi) Who wrote the poem Abou Ben Adhem and what did Abou see in the room?

5.Fill in any Six blanks choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets: (6)

(i) Latif's Urs is held at his shrine every year on 14th of _____. (Rajab, zil hajj, **Safar**)

(ii) She looked after her illustrious brother. 'Illustrious' means; _____. (

distinguished, enlightened, graceful)

(iii) The miller of the Dee is composed by _____. (Henry leigh Hunt, Wordsworth, **Charles Mackay**)

(iv) The Muslims demanded Pakistan in _____. (1947, **1940**, 1920)

(v) As happy as a _____. (**clown**, king, bird)

(vi) A man who records history is called a/an _____. (politician, author, **historian**)

(vii) The Holy Prophet (S.A.W) performed Hajj in the _____ of Hijra. (9th year, **10th year, 11th year**)

(viii) ' Sweet accord ' means _____. (shining face, **smiling face**, beautiful face)

6. Use any four of the idioms in your own sentences: (4)

(i) a lot so

(ii) to look into

(iii) to break the ice

(iv) to get through

(v) to get over

(vi) at a stretch

(vii) to end in smoke

7. Translate the following sentences into English: (6)

اس شہر میں کئی ہائی اسکول ہیں۔

ولج ہتھائی اب۔

۔ےھ اتلوب چس هو

اسلم كئى گھنٹوں سے ورزش كر رها هے۔

۔ےھ ایل رك اتشان ین ىم

۔وھ اطع یگدنز لىوط وك پآ ےك ےھ اعد ىرىم

OR

Summarise the following passage and give a suitable title to it.

Character plays a very important role in our life. There is an old proverb, "If wealth is lost nothing is lost, if health is lost something is lost but if character is lost every thing is lost." Loss of wealth can be compensated by dint of hard labour. Health can be recouped by rich diet but loss of character is an irreparable loss. The stigma on character cannot be blotted out for generations. It brings our reputation to naught and a slur on fair name. However hard we may try waste it off but the

result will be failure. It is essential to safeguard it at all costs.

8. Read the following passage and answer the questions given under it : (6)

The farmer leads a very simple life. He lives in an ordinary thatched house or hut, which consists of

two or three rooms. There is no gateway but a narrow opening to enter the room. He works in his small

fields the whole day long till evening. His wife helps him in his outdoor duties as well. She looks after children, cooks meals and grows food crops for her husband. The farmer brings things from the

market, collects wood for use as fuel and rears cattle.

(i) In what sort of house does a farmer live?

(ii) What are the duties of a farmer?

(iii) What does the farmer's wife do?

(iv) Give a suitable title to the above paragraph.

English Exam Paper 2004

ENGLISH 2004 Time : Three hours

Question 1

Write an essay of about 120 to 150 words on any One of the following topics: (10)

(i) Blessings of Science,

(ii) Newspapers

(iii) Visit of Indian Cricket Team to Pakistan.

(iv) Traffic Hazards in Karachi.

Question 2

Write an application to the headmaster/ headmistress of your school requesting him/her to grant you leave for fifteen days to perform Umra. OR

Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper on the shortage of water supply in your area: OR

Write a dialogue between two friends discussing advantages and disadvantages of computer.(08)

Question 3

Do as directed: (15)

- (i) ____ grass is green and the roses are red.(Insert suitable articles, where necessary).
- (ii) An apple a day keeps doctor away(Insert suitable articles)
- (iii) He arrived at the station in the nick of time. (Supply an appropriate preposition).
- (iv) You should get rid of this bad habit.(Insert a suitable preposition)
- (v) I am writing a short story.(Change into an interrogative sentence.)
- (vi) She gave Ali a mango. (Change into passive voice).
- (vii) The letter has been posted by him (Change into active voice).
- (viii) Love your parents. (Change into passive voice.)
- (ix) He said, "Hard work makes him tired." (Change the form of narration.)
- (x) He said to me, "Do not spit here." (change the form of narration.)
- (xi) He said that he did not understand the meaning of that sentence. (Change the form of narration.)
- (xii) If it (not rain) we (go) out for a walk in the evening.(Put the verb in brackets in the correct form of tense.)
- (xiii) He did not write a letter. (Change into an affirmative sentence.)
- (xiv) I drank orange juice. (Change the verb into present perfect tense.)
- (xv) I told Arif that I am not going to London next month.(Punctuate and use capital letters, where necessary.)

ANSWERS

- (v) Am I writing a short story?
- (vi) A mango was given to Ali by her.
- (vii) He has posted the letter.
- (viii) Let your parents be loved.
- (ix) He said that hard work made him tired.
- (x) He advised me not to spit there.
- (xi) He said, "I do not understand the meaning of this sentence."
- (xii) If it does not rain we shall go out for a walk in the evening.
- (xiii) He wrote a letter. (xiv) I have drunk orange juice.
- (xv) I told Arif, that, I am not going to London next month.

Question 4-A

Answer any six of the following in two to three sentences each: (12)

- (i) How has China been able to make such a rapid progress in all walks of life?
- (ii) What menu and games did Shahnaz prepare for the party?
- (iii) How did the companions of the Holy Prophet (Peace be upon him) set the examples of dignity of labour?
- (iv) What sort of benefits did the village people get from the village fair?
- (v) What are the food crops and cash crops of Nigeria.
- (vi) Write about the famous saints of Sindh.
- (vii) Describe the process of mending a puncture at a bicycle repair shop.
- (viii) What are the chief exports of Nigeria?
- (ix) How did Sultan Nasiruddin earn his living?

Question 4-B

Answer any four of the following in two to three sentences each: (08)

- (i) Why did the minstrel boy destroy his harp?
- (ii) What kind of people are needed to raise the dignity of a nation?
- (iii) What does the poet see from the railway carriage?
- (iv) What message does the poet give in the poem 'speak Gently'?
- (v) What is the idea behind the poem 'Little Things'?
- (vi) What does 'anonymous' mean? Why should we speak gently to the aged people?

Question 5

Fill in the blanks choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets: (05)

- (i) The farmers use _ to enrich the soil. (Insecticides, medicines, chemical fertilizers)
- (ii) The poem Casablanca has been written by(Louis I.Newman, W.Wordsworth, Felicia Dorthea).
- (iii) The Holy Prophet (peace be upon him) practiced what he _____(believed, sought, preached)
- (iv). King Bruce was the king of _____ (England, Scotland, Ireland)
- (iv) Women, how divine your mission.Here upon our natal sod. (natal sod' means_____. (Birth, strange, land).

Question 6

Use any Three of the following idiomatic structures in sentences of your own: (03) to have a bone to pick with someone; day in and day out; to turn over a new leaf; a wild goose chase; to kick up a row.

Question 7

Translate the following sentences into English: (05)

Answer:

(1) It has been raining heavily since morning.

(2) I was waiting for you.

(3) The train has left for Lahore

(4) I am very happy with you.

(5) When did your headmaster come?

OR

Complete the following story in your own words.

The sky was overcast with thick clouds and the night was pitch dark. Soon heavy downzone started and the river flowing beside the village was flooded

Question 8

Read the following passage and answer the question given below: (05)

Mr. Jinnah said, "In India there are two nations, the Hindus and the Muslims. Just as the Congress stands for the right of the Hindus, so the Muslim League stands for the rights of, the Muslims. The Muslims and the Hindus have lived together for hundred of years, but they have not lived like good neighbours. They seem to have nothing in common. The heroes of one nation are mostly looked upon as the enemies of the other. Their languages, their religion and their ways of living are all different, Ray living together for along time, they have learnt to hate each other. It is time that they should part. There are certain parts of India where there are more Muslims than Hindus. Those parts should be ruled over by the Muslims. They should form a new state called Pakistan.

(i) What did the Congress and the Muslim League stand for?

(ii) Now long had the Muslims and flee Hindus lived together as neighbours in India?

(iii) What kind of relation grew between them by living together for so long?

(iv) What was the right thing for the Muslims and the Hindus to do?

(v) What parts of the land were to make Pakistan?.

Question 9

Make a precis of the following passage: (04) So the clever Claudius planned to send Hamlet to the English court and to have him moralized when he landed in England. He pretended to Hamlet that he was sending him there on affairs of state, for this time England belonged to Denmark. But really he sent, by two attendants who went with the prince, a letter to the king of England ordering him to put Hamlet to death as soon as he landed in England.

Karachi Board IX English Exam Paper 2003

1. Write an essay of 100 to 120 words on any one of the following topics : (10)

(i) Annual prize distribution function in my school

(ii) My hobby

(iii) Merits and Demerits of T.V

(iv) My country

2. Write an application to your headmaster/headmistress requesting him/her to allow your class to go on

a picnic. (8)

OR

Write a letter to your uncle thanking him for the present sent on your birthday.

3. Do as directed : (15)

(i) It was such ____ fine day that _____ man went to seaside. (Insert suitable articles) (a)(a)

(ii) The old woman lives from hand to mouth. (change the verb into past continuous tense.)

(iii) Tariq rises _____ the sun. (Insert a suitable preposition) (With)

(iv) I said to him." Are you suffering from fever.?" (change the form of narration)

(v) We lived like geese neighbours. (change into an interrogative sentence)

(vi) I have been living here for the last five years. (change the verb into past perfect tense)

(vii) He is blind ____ one eye. (Insert a suitable preposition) (of)

(viii) I said to him,"kindly ,lend me your book." (change the form of narration)

(ix) You do not stick to what you say. (Change into an affirmative sentence)

(x) He enquired of me what i would do after the examination. (change the form of narration)

(xi) ahmed left the quetta on tuesday the 6th of august 2002 . (Punctuate and use capital letters ,Where necessary)

(xii) He went to school yesterday. (change into negative form.)

(xiii) That pen has not been brought be me. (change the voice)

(xiv) Did he learn his lesson properly? (change into an assertive sentence.)

(xv) Who is knocking at the door? (change the voice)

4.(a) Answer any six of the following questions in two/three sentences each : (12)

(i) What does the last sermon of the Holy Prophet (peace be upon him)teach us ?

(ii) What,according to Shah Latif, is the aim of life ?

(iii) What did Allama Iqbal say about Islam in his Allahabad address ?

(iv) What do flies and dust carry? What diseases are caused by flies ?

(v) What is Nishan-e-Haider and to whom is it awarded ?

(vi) What does 'nursing' mean? What did the Holy Prophet (pbuh)give Hazrat Ghifaria and why ?

(vii) What is our duty to our country ?

(viii) What did QUID-E-Azam say about education ?

(ix) What is the moral of the lesson "The secrete of Success" ?

4.(b) Answer any four of the following questions in two/three sentences each : (8)

(i) Why does the poetess say that the neem tree is unafraid.

(ii) What happens to the poet when he lies on his couch ?

(iii) How are the children different from the poet ?

(iv) Why was Aou Ben Adhem's name on the top of the list ?

(v) Why does the horse think it strange to stop by the woods ?

(VI) Who is the miller and where does he dwell? What was he singing about ?

5. Fill in any six blanks choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets : (6)

(i) The collection of Shah Latif's poetry is called _____ . (Diwan-e-Latif , Latif's poetry, **Risalo of Shah Abdul Latif**)

(ii) The Streets and houses of Moenjodaro were made of _____ . (concrete, cement, **baked brick**)

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(iii) The Muslims demanded Pakistan in _____ A.D. (1947, **1940**, 1920)

(iv) Soothing means _____ . (**comforting**, troublesome, quarrelsome)

(v) Thousands of years ago , men lived in _____ . (tents, huts, **caves**)

(vi) In the poem 'children' the poet is afraid of _____ . (jungle, youth, **old age**)

(vii) Typhoid is caused by _____ . (stagnant water, mosquito bite, **flies carrying germs**)

(viii) 'Sweet accord' means _____ . (shining face, **sweet and smiling face**, beautiful face)

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6. Use any four of the following idiomatic structures and phrases in your own sentences : (4)

(i) to make the most of

(ii) side by side

(iii) fond of

(iv) to get over

(v) to lay down one's life

(vi) to look down upon

(vii) to get through

7. Translate the following sentences into English :

- سی ہرے کچ رک متخ ماک ان پامہ

- یہت ی کچ وہ ان اور ی ژاگ لہپ سے بن چنہپ رپ نشیٹسا رامہ

- رے اهر اتلیہک ٹکرک سے حبص هو

- رے کللم ی عرز کی ا ناتس کاپ

- رے ہت رے ہر ژا می اوہ رے دن رپ

- رے ہاتوہ بورغ می برغم جروس

OR

Write the summary of the following passage :

The great advantage of early rising is the good starts that you take. The early riser has done a large amount of hard work before other men have got out of bed. In the early morning The mind is fresh and there are few sounds of other distractions : so that the work done at that time is generally well done. The early riser also finds time to take exercise.

8. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below : (6)

A great part of Arabia is desert. There is nothing but sand and rock at most of the places. The sand is so hot that you cannot walk over it with your bare feet in the day time. Here and there in the

desert are springs of water. The springs are few and far apart, but where there is one, green grass very soon covers the ground all around it, soon figs, grass and palm trees grow, making a cool, green, shady place around the spring, such a place is called an Oasis. The Arabs who are not in

the cities, live in the desert all the year round. They live in tents, they move from one oasis to another seeking grass and water for their sheep, goats, camels and horses. They are generally called

Bedouin. They eat ripe sweet figs, dates and meat of their animals.

- (i) What is the desert made up of ?
- (ii) Why is it difficult to walk in the desert during the day time?
- (iii) What is an Oasis?
- (iv) Who are Bedouin and why do they keep shifting their homes?
- (v) What is the staple food of the Bedouin?
- (vi) Make nouns from 'Live' and 'grow'.

English Exam Paper 2002

ENGLISH 2002 Time: Three Hours. Max. Marks: 75

Question 1

1. Write an essay of 100 to 120 words on any One of the following topics: 10

- i) A Visit to the Quaid-e-Azam Park
- ii) My Ambition in Life
- iii) A Memorable Day in my Life
- iv) A Picnic at Seaside

Question 2

2. Write an application to the headmaster/headmistress requesting him/her to issue you transfer certificate.

OR

Write a letter to your friend describing your hobby.

Question 3

3. Do as directed: 10

- i) I am working hard for my examination. (Change the verb into past perfect tense)
- ii) The teacher taught us grammar. (Change the voice).
- iii) She cut her finger with a knife. (Change into an interrogative sentence).
- iv) That man is not known to me. (Change the voice).
- v) Latif's 'Urs' is held. his shrine. (Insert a suitable preposition).
- vi) He said to me, "Your son is very intelligent." (Change the form of narration).

- vii) All of them heard the news long ago.(Change to negative form).
- viii) I have learnt English for more than five years.(Change the verb into past perfect continuous tense).
- ix) Did you not do your work properly?(Change into an assertive sentence).
- x) We must realize how much we owed our society.(Insert a suitable preposition).
- xi) The river Indus is the longest river in Pakistan.(Insert suitable article(s), where necessary).
- xii) She told me that she did not like pizza.(Change the form of narration).
- xiii) He fights with a sword.(Change the verb into future continuous tense).
- xiv) build up pakistan higher stronger and firmer said the quaid a azam(Punctuate and use capital letters, where necessary).
- xv) You did not bring the book today.(Change to affirmative form).

Answers

- i) I had worked hard for my examination.
- ii) We were taught grammar by the teacher.
- iii) Did she cut her finger with a knife?
- iv) I do not know that man.
- vi) He told me that my son was very intelligent.
- vii) All of them did not hear the news long ago.
- viii) I had been learning English for more than five years.
- vii) You did your work properly.
- xii) She said to me, "I do not like Pizza"
- xiii) He will be fighting with a sword. xiv) "Build up Pakistan higher, stronger and firmer," said the Quaid-e-Azam.
- xv) You brought the book today.

Question 4

(a) Answer any Six of the following questions in two to three sentences each:(12)

- i) What did the Holy Prophet (peace be upon him) tell about the superiority of a person?
- ii) What are the qualities of Shah Latif's poetry?
- iii) What are the responsibilities of a good citizen?
- iv) What is 'Otaq'? what do people do there?
- v) What objects were found in the ruins of Moenjodaro?
- vi) What lesson do we learn from the martyrdom of Major Aziz Bhatti?
- vii) What advice did the Quaid-e-Azam give his people?
- viii) What is a barrage? What are its benefits?
- ix) How did the Muslim women work for independence?

b) Answer any Four of the following questions in two to three sentences each: (8)

- i) How does the Neem tree serve the human being?
- ii) What was Abou Ben Adhem doing when the angel came the first time?
- iii) What is a harness bell? Why does the horse shake it?
- iv) Why is the Miller happier than the King?
- v) What is the message of the poem Children
- vi) What do you know about William Wordsworth?

Question 5

Fill in any Six blanks choosing the correct answer for each from the brackets: 6

- i) The King asked the old man ____ questions. (2, 3, 4)
- ii) James Henry Leigh Hunt was a/an ____ poet, (American, Scottish, English).
- iii) In 1944, Dr. Ziauddin Ahmed was the Vice-Chancellor of ____ University. (Aligarh, Karachi, Punjab)
- iv) The first woman ever to make a speech in London's Guild Hall was ____ (Lady Sughra Hidayatullah, Begum Khairunnisa Shaban, Jahan Are Shahnawaz)
- v) A poet could not but be gay In such a jocund company! Here 'jocund' means _____. (serious, lively, shining)
- vi) Dr. Muhammad Iqbal was not only a great poet but also an active ____ (Politician, businessman; medical practitioner)
- vii) As happy as a _____. (clown's, king, bird)
- viii) Ye are better than all the _____ That ever were sung or said. (poems, songs, ballads)

Question 6

Use any Four of the following idiomatic structures and phrases in sentences of your own: 4
to look into; to get on; once again; as a result of; with heart and soul; to give in; to put out.

Question 7

Translate the following sentences into English: 6

Answer:

- i) The students had gone before the teacher came.
- ii) Are we discharging our duties?
- iii) He does exercise everyday.
- iv) She will go to Lahore after the examination. v) Yesterday, the weather was pleasant.
- vi) God is great and merciful. OR

Write the summary of the following passage:

A great man once said that everything counts and nothing matters. The full meaning of this compact sentence maybe lost upon you because of your unfamiliarity with the language. Let me try and explain. It means that everything we do here whether in an examination, in playing a game or any business we may undertake in life, everything counts in order to achieve success.

Every moment must be used. Every nerve must be strained. Every opportunity realised. But if we fail, it does not matter The world will go on just the same.

Question 8

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below: 6

Mustafa Kemal set about reforming the people of Turkey. He began with an apparently simple matter, clothes. The traditional garments of the Turks had to give place to more modern coats and hats, and if people objected they were forced to obey. The laws of the land, too, seemed to him clumsy and unjust. He Abolished them and put in their place the German commercial, the Italian penal and the Swiss civil code of laws. He would borrow from any and every nation, but only ideas. Those ideas had to be worked by the Turks themselves. Kemal, with the help of his sister, organised women's societies. Soon there were two women judges in Angora and four women on the Municipal Council of Istanbul.

- i) What was the first reform of Kemal?
- ii) Why did he abolish the laws of his country?
- iii) From which countries did he borrow the laws?
- iv) What did he do for the uplift of women?
- v) What was the result of establishing women's societies?
- vi) Make nouns from 'organise' and 'simple'.