



**Part - I**  
**ENGLISH - PAPER - II**  
(First Language)

**Max. Marks : 100**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Instructions to the Candidate :**

- (i) No additional sheets will be provided.
- (ii) All the answers should be written in the given booklet itself.
- (iii) Handwriting should be legible.
- (iv) Put the question number (Roman letters and question numbers) in the margin only before writing the answers.
- (v) Write the answers of a particular section in one place.

**SECTION - A**



- I. Annotate any two of the following in 10-15 lines each : **2x4=**
- (a) Reading maketh a full man; Conference a ready man; and writing an exact man.
  - (b) My gloomy thoughts probably stem from an accident I had few years ago.
  - (c) A mortal dose of chloroform was dropped into the water. The graph became the record of a death agony.
  - (d) Meritocracy by definition means that we cannot let personal prejudices affect our evaluation of an individual's performance.



- II. Annotate any two of the following in 10-15 lines each : **2x4**

- (a) Enough of Science and of Arts  
Close up those barren leaves
- (b) Let us do our work as well,  
Both the unseen and the seen.
- (c) For all the cruel folly you pursue  
I will not cry with suppliant hands to you.
- (d) I am their wall against all danger,  
Their door against the wind and snow.



III. Answer *any two* of the following questions in 10-15 lines each :

II  
2x4=8

- (a) What is meant by working like a master and not as a slave ?
- (b) What did Bacon mean in the line "Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed and some few to be chewed and digested" ?
- (c) How did J.C. Bose prove that plants experience pain like other living beings ?
- (d) What lessons did Dr. Barnard learn from the two children ?

IV. Answer *any two* of the following questions in 10-15 lines each :

2x4=8

- (a) Do you prefer to gain knowledge through books or become wise through experience of Nature ? Give reasons in support of your answer with reference to the poem "The Tables Turned".
- (b) How does the poetess portray the bond between the mother and her children in the poem 'Any Woman' ?
- (c) Attempt a critical appreciation of the poem "On His Having Arrived at the Age of Twenty Three".
- (d) What is the appropriateness of the title "The Builders" ? Do you agree with the poet about building one's own life ?

V. Answer *any one* of the following questions in about 25 lines :

1x8=8

- (a) Describe in detail the major incidents in which Tom and Huck were involved.
- (b) Give a character analysis of Huckleberry Finn.
- (c) Write a character sketch of Tom Sawyer.

### SECTION - B

VI. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow : 5x1=5

A man came to Hyderabad to attend a conference. He was visiting the city for the first time. He wanted to see the Charminar. So the next day after he attended the conference, he set out to visit the Charminar. He asked a police officer for directions to reach the place. The officer said, "wait at this bus stop for the number 65 bus. It'll take you right there". He thanked the police officer and the officer drove off.

Three hours later the police officer returned to the same area to find the man still waiting at the same bus stop. Surprised, he got out of his car and asked the man, "Why are you still waiting? Didn't you get the bus?"

The man replied, "Don't worry officer, it won't be late now. The 58<sup>th</sup> bus just went by!"

1. Why did the man come to Hyderabad?
2. Write a synonym for 'Surprised'.
3. Why was the man waiting at the bus stop?
4. Do you think the police officer gave the right directions to reach the Charminar?
5. State True or False.

The man was visiting the Charminar for the first time.

**VII. Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow : 5x1=5**

The next day was Sunday. Tom wore clean Sunday Clothes - he hated them! Tom, Sid and Mary always went to Sunday School on Sunday morning. But Tom was not a good student and never listened to the teacher.

After Sunday School Tom and his family went to the Church. This Sunday he had a big black beetle in his pocket. When the reverend started speaking, Tom took the black beetle out of his pocket. He put it on the floor. There was a little dog in the Church. It saw the beetle and wanted to play with it. Suddenly the beetle bit the dog's nose. The little dog barked and everyone looked at it. It jumped and ran after the black beetle. It ran all about the Church barking and making a lot of noise.

The people in the Church laughed silently. Their faces were red. The Reverend continued talking but no one listened to him.

1. Where did Tom and his family go after Sunday School?
2. What did Tom have in his pocket?
3. Why did Tom bring the black beetle to Church?
4. Why was the little dog barking?
5. Why were the people's faces red?

**VIII.** Study the advertisement and answer the questions that follow :

**Surgical Strike** by special forces of Indian Army

7 terror launch pads targeted

TAJI. CHINA

AFGHA.

PAKISTAN

Pb

Delhi.

RAJ

Mid-night to 4:30 AM

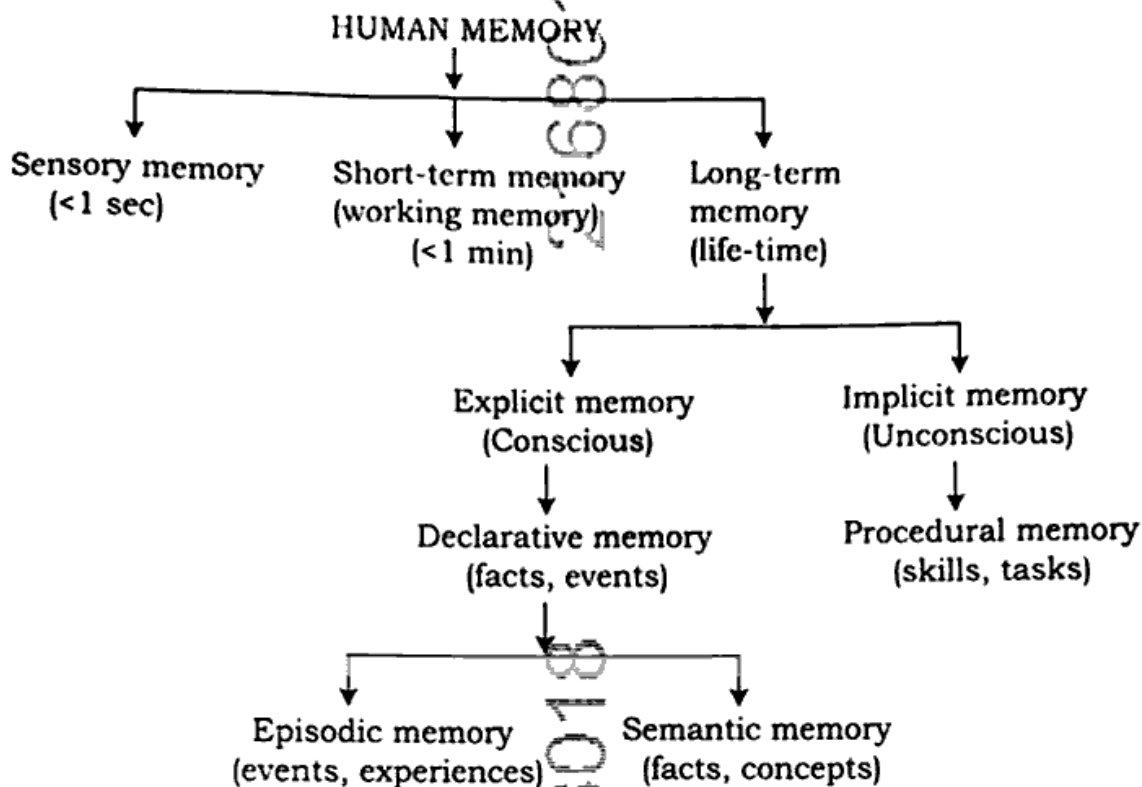
- Heliborne and ground forces used
- Terror launch pads were in the range of 2 to 3km from LoC, were under surveillance for over one week
- 'Significant casualties' on terrorists and those who are trying to support them

Announcement of strikes by Indian army was made soon after Prime Minister Narendra Modi chaired a meeting of Cabinet Committee on Security (CCS)

1. Name atleast three countries that can be seen in the map.
2. Which country has carried out the Surgical Strike ?
3. Where were the terror launch pads ?
4. How many terror launch pads were targeted ?
5. At what time did the surgical strike take place ?

- IX.** Study the tree diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow :  
The following tree diagram shows the different types of Human Memory.

5x1=5



1. Basically how many types of memory do we have ?
2. Which of the main sub-divisions has further divisions ?
3. State true or false.  
Unconscious memory is also known as implicit memory.
4. What comes under episodic memory ?
5. Short term memory lasts for \_\_\_\_\_.

### SECTION - C

- X.** You are interested in doing a short term course in Spoken English during your Summer Vacation. Write a letter to the Director, NEO Spoken English and Grammar Institute, Annamaiah Circle, Tirupathi, enquiring about the terms and conditions for the course.

1x5=5

**Hints :** Interested to learn English - Course duration - Course fee - timings - enquiry of terms and conditions.

OR

Write a letter to your father asking him to send money as you have to buy new books and pay the public examination fee.

**Hints :** Doing well in internal exams - Hostel accommodation is good - good health - send money - to buy new books for reference - to pay public exam fee.

XI. Write a short paragraph of about 8 lines describing about your ideal daily routine.

1x5=5

OR

Write a short paragraph of about 8 lines describing the process of applying for a job.



XII. Prepare a curriculum vitae based on the information given below :

1x5=5

Pocha Sumalatha - aged 22 years - B.Sc. (CS) - 79% marks - Govt. Degree College, Visakhapatnam - Intermediate (MPC) - 88% - Govt. Junior College, Anakapalli - SSC - 90% - Govt. High School, Anakapalli - applying for the post of System Analyst - Mozaic Software Company, Visakhapatnam.



XIII. Fill in the Bank withdrawal form based on the following information :

5x1=5

(It is not necessary to draw the form. Write the numbers 1 to 5 and the corresponding answers)

You are Mr. Ahmed Hussain. You have a Savings bank account in Gandhi Nagar branch of Andhra Bank. Your Account No. is 105672349873214. Withdraw an amount of Rs. 1500/- by filling the SB withdrawal form.

<b>आन्ध्रा बैंक Andhra Bank</b> (भारत सरकार का उद्यम - A Govt. of India Undertaking)		नगरीय शाखा / Branch Not Negotiable. Not Payable in Clearing नकदी / CASH TRANSFER टोकन नं. / Token No.		अकाउंट नं. / Account No. 11183
बचत बैंक खातारूप वाली SAVINGS BANK WITHDRAWAL FORM नं. No. KT		468707		दिनांक / Date
खातेदार (री) के नाम / Name(s) of Account Holder(s)		②		
खाता नं. / Account Number		③		
कृपया स्वयं का/आपका Please pay Self/Your Self for the purpose of				
रुपये Rupees				
नकदी भुगतान के लिए "नकद भुगतान करें" स्टाम्प लगाइए / Affix PAY CASH Stamp for cash payment				
प्रविष्टि की गई Entered	टाई किया गया Posted	सत्यापन किया गया Verified	④	
ऑपरेटर/ऑफिसरी Operator/Officer आईडी नं. ID No.	ऑपरेटर/ऑफिसरी Operator/Officer आईडी नं. ID No.	सत्यापन ऑफिसरी Verifying Officer आईडी नं. ID No.	⑤	
खातेदार (री) के हस्ताक्षर / अंगुलि निशान / Signature(s) / Thumb Impression(s) of the account holder(s)				
Note: This is not a cheque. The Withdrawal Form is payable only at the Account Branch if or all transactions the account holder should personally submit the Withdrawal Form along with the relative passbook. Otherwise payment will be refused.				

XIV. Write a dialogue between the lecturer and a student who is trying to find out from the lecturer about the different career options available to him after the Intermediate Course.

1x5=5

OR

Construct a dialogue between two students to introduce themselves on the first day of college and their conversation about their school/college and home town.



**XV. Read the following passage and make notes :**

**1x5=5**

The process of study involves four operations – perception, comprehension, retention and retrieval. In other words, you should first perceive what is relevant to your needs and select only those areas which are important. You cannot study everything available in every book you can lay your hands on. Once you have decided on areas, which are important, you have to read and understand – or comprehend the material that you have selected – for no learning can take place without comprehension. What is not understood is not learnt. Comprehension is thus imperative in the process of learning. However, mere comprehension is not enough. What one understands now, may also be easily forgotten later. Hence, you, as a student, have to make special efforts to retain what you comprehend. You also have to retrieve all that you learn throughout the year at the time of examination.

(Certificate in Communication skills : Study skills – Note Making and Summarizing. Writing skills, IGNOU)

**XVI. Match the words in Column 'A' with their meanings/definitions in Column 'B' : 5x1=5**

**Column 'A'**

**Column 'B'**

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|-----------------|--|
| 1. Egoist       | (a) having no life                                 |
| 2. Microcosm    | (b) looking around carefully                       |
| 3. Inanimate    | (c) strength of character                          |
| 4. Circumspect  | (d) writing about books used, list of books used   |
| 5. Bibliography | (e) a small miniature model of something           |
|                 | (f) who always thinks about self, a selfish person |
|                 | (g) time sequence                                  |

**XVII. Mark stress for any five of the following words.**

**5x1=5**

1. water
2. record (v)
3. education
4. confidential
5. student
6. roadside
7. exam
8. holiday
9. commandeer
10. question