



Q1(A) A1)

- (1) Cut in- A red car cut in ahead of me and nearly caused me to run off the road.
- (2) Compassion: Compass, passion, poison etc.
- (3) Ticket master,
Light drizzle
- (4) The Dauphin will give me, all I need, to free Orleans.
- (5) Why didn't you attend school yesterday?

A2)

- (1) The whole suburb was destroyed by the forest fire.
- (2) flour (noun): This is the main ingredient in bread.

It's a powder made from ground grains. Tony wanted to make a cake, but he didn't have any flour, so he couldn't.

flower (noun): The decorative, colorful part of a plant.

If you want to give flowers to somebody you love, avoid white roses. They are often given when someone dies.

- (3) He said, "Where is she going?"

(B))

- (1) Where is the ice cream - Main clause
That was in the freezer - Subordinate clause
- (2) I awoke late the next morning and Anil had already made the tea.

Q2(A))

- (1) (i) True
(ii) False
(iii) True
(iv) False
- (2) 1. **Our time is limited.**
2. Don't waste time living someone else's life.
3. **Don't trapped by Dogma.**
4. Let other's opinion not drown out our inner voice.
- (3) (i) trapped by
(ii) turned out
(iii) Signed off
(iv) drown out
- (4) (i) It was their farewell message, wasn't it?
(ii) lived - verb Tense- Simple past tense
- (5) "Stay hungry, stay foolish" means you should always learn, move forward, avoid taking things personally and be indifferent when things don't go as planned.

(B))**(1)** (1) (i) False - The brilliance of a mirror can be diminished

(ii) True

(iii) True

(iv) True

(2) (i) We can remove the impurities in our lives by **living pure and ethical lives**.(ii) Dr Kalam made his first unsuccessful **launch in 1970 under Professor. Satish Dhawan**.(3) (i) discuss - **discussion** (ii) resonate - **resonance** (iii) receive - **receipt** (iv) serve -**service**

(4) (i) Prof. Dhawan has received so many master's degrees.

(ii) It suddenly struck that Dr. Kalam's advice resonated from Dhawan's beliefs.

(5) Being spiritual can help us feel positive and strong in the face of difficulties. Life is full of good times and bad but nothing is permanent. So have faith in the Almighty and you will be able to face any difficulties that you come across in life. You feel that there would be some way out of the troubles that you face if you keep that positive faith in the goodness of life.

Q3(A))**(1)** (1) (i) False - You need to face your opposition bravely.

(ii) True.

(2) If you gladly sweat for, fret for, and plan for it and lose all your terror of the opposition for it.

(2) God will help one to succeed when he sees that one has tried one's best. He will support us seeing our struggles and our perseverance to attain success in whatever we are doing.

(3) The figure of speech used here is tautology as useless and worthless mean the same.

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(1) 'Where the Mind is Without Fear' is a thought-provoking poem written by Nobel Laureate Rabindranath Tagore, an Indian Writer, Poet and Philosopher. It is a prayer to God in which Tagore addresses God as "My Father" and asks Him to awake his country into a heaven of freedom, where there is a total freedom of good thoughts, good words and good actions. He wishes for a country where people should be free from fears, where knowledge would be free to all individuals and people from all castes and religions should be united. The poem is written in free verse without any rhyme scheme or metre throughout the poem. Figures of speech like Repetition, Metaphor and Personification are used to give more poetic effects. "where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection" - Here the poet personified 'tireless striving' stretching its arms to reach its goal.

The poet uses many metaphors to elaborate the evils existent in the country. It is the full of positive and negative imagery.

Q4(A))**(1)** (1) (i) False

(ii) True

(iii) False

(iv) True

(2) The secrets of a good time manager are:

i. He/she grabs the time.

ii. He/she utilizes it properly.

iii. He/she invests time into productive work.

iv. He/she does not allow time to flow and pass away without offering any result.

(3) (1) Adverb - accordingly, successfully, always

(2) (i) utilize (ii) entertain

(4) (i) Not only proper planning but also utilization of time is important for the achievement of goals.

(ii) Refrain from allowing the time of flow.

(5) Time and tide wait for none. Time is very precious. A second that has passed cannot come back ever again in our life. Thus, it is important to perform our activities at the right time. If we keep on procrastinating, tasks

will pile up and we will never get anything done. Thus, we must always be on time and respect time.

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Q5)

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Q6 (A))

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(1) Table	Information
i. Name of the Mission	Chandrayaan-2
ii. Date of Launch	22 July
iii. Centre of Launch	Satish Dhawan Space Centre at Sriharikota
iv. Name of the Rover	Pragyan, meaning 'wisdom'
v. Founder of Indian Space Programme	Vikram Sarabhai

A2)

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Social Media -New issues

The societal challenges and issues brought on by the technological tsunami are absolutely unprecedented. In particular, teenagers must contend with a mental obstacle that is completely new to them. Teenagers' relationships with one another and their proclivities have changed as a result of the pervasive use of digital technologies. Many youngsters therefore lack crucial interpersonal communication abilities. Teenagers use their smartphones for more than nine hours per day on average. Teenagers fear new situations like "fear of missing out" due to a technologically induced sense of isolation. Teen feels isolated and their sleeping habits often shift. Additionally, it causes eating issues. Sometimes they assume an untrue facade of "stylish image," smoke, and drink.

Cyberbullying is another issue that has emerged. Exchanging provocative photographs can lead to cyber blackmail, which can lead to heinous cybercrime. This frequently occurs when teenagers experience low self-esteem and resort to immoral means of gaining and maintaining attention. They frequently post things to attract attention. Teenagers, their families, and society at large suffer as a result of social media's ability to give an escape route in the most undesirable way.

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Q7 (A))

A1)

(1) We naturally seek the company of those whose tastes are the same as our own. " Birds of a feather flock together." Fools do not like the company of wise men, and wise men avoid fools. Studiously-minded people do not find much in common with frivolous and pleasure- hunting folk; and the frivolous think book-worms are dull dogs. Sinners feel uncomfortable in the presence of saints, and saints do not seek the company of sinners.

We can, therefore, as a rule judge a man's character by the sort of people he chooses as his companions. ".Tell me who are a man's friends, and I will tell you his character." If a man's chosen comrades

silly, empty-headed, worldly people, the presumption is that he is the same, or he would scarcely choose such company. If they are of a criminal class, he is probably criminally minded. If they are serious, earnest and honourable gentlemen, he is probably of the same type himself. Lambs don't make friends with wolves nor doves with hawks. At the same time it is not always safe to judge men by this standard. People have sometimes made sad mistakes by thinking a man must be the same as the company he keeps. A good example of this is the case of Henry V, king of England. Before he came to the throne, he was apparently, as Prince Hal, a wild and vicious young man, the boon companion of men like Sir John Falstaff and his drunken, roistering and worthless crew. Yet as soon as he became king, he dropped all his bad companions, and became one of the bravest, wisest and best kings England has had. His after-life proved that, though he kept bad company in his youth, he was not a bad man.

A still more striking example is that of Jesus, the founder of Christianity. He deliberately chose to make the erring and wayward and wicked his friends, so that his enemies sneered at him and called him "a gluttonous man and wine-bibber ; the friend of publicans and sinners". Yet he was the holiest of the saints. He mixed with these people to save them from their sins, as a doctor visits the sick. So before we judge a man by his companions, we must know why he seeks such companions.

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Mother's love is priceless

He boarded the train happily and he searched his pocket for the tickets and found an envelope from his mother. Rajesh was worried as he could not find his tickets in his trouser pockets. All he had was an envelope with his name on it. Rajesh opened the envelope to find a handwritten note. He grew angry with his mother for misplacing his tickets. Helpless, he began reading the note. His mother wrote about how she would miss him as he was travelling miles away from home.

Rajesh's mind suddenly wavered back to the T.C. who was approaching him. Worried, he read the last lines of the letter, 'I have booked you a first-class ticket for your journey so that you don't have to worry while travelling alone at night. Love, Maa.' As Rajesh hastily looked back into the envelope, he found a ticket for the A.C. coach which he happily showed the T.C. In a blink, at that moment, Rajesh realised that there is nothing more precious than a mother's love.

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All the Best