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**SHASTRI (Part II)
EXAMINATION, 2020**

**(Foundation Course)
ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

Paper Second

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Attempt all questions.

1. Attempt any *five* of the following : 15
 - (a) What is the basic difference between the working of a scientist and that of an ordinary individual ?
 - (b) Sum up the discoveries made by Sushruta.
 - (c) Why does the agony of plant leave us indifferent ?
 - (d) Who persuaded Ramanujan to get in touch with Prof. G. H. Hardy ?
 - (e) In what sense are computer and programmes half alive ?
 - (f) In how many ways does the pollution enter the waterways ?
 - (g) How was uranium designated ?
 - (h) Write a summary of the essay 'Democratic Decentralization.'

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2. (A) Read the following passage and answer the questions given at the end : 5

It is better to give hope and strength and courage than money. The best help is not to bear the troubles of others for them but to inspire them with courage and energy to bear their burdens for themselves and meet the difficulties of life with bravery. To help others is not an easy matter, but requires a clear head, a wise judgment as well as a warm heart. We must be careful not to undermine independence in our anxiety to relieve distress. It is important, therefore so far as possible not so much as to give a man bread as to put him in the way of earning it. We must try to help our neighbors as much as we can but every man is duly bound to stand on his own feet.

Questions :

- (a) For what a man is duly bound ?
 - (b) What is the best form of help that a man should adopt for helping others ?
 - (c) What questions are necessary for a man to enable him to help others ?
 - (d) Give a main idea of the passage in three sentences.
 - (e) Give a suitable title to the passage.
- (B) Give synonyms of the following words (any *five*) : 5
- (a) outstanding
 - (b) change
 - (c) poor

- (d) influence
- (e) permit
- (f) entire

- (C) Give antonyms of the following words (any *five*) : 5

- (a) hard
- (b) prosperity
- (c) import
- (d) digestion
- (e) sensitive
- (f) exhale

3. Write a report of the following (any *one*) : 15
- (a) Traffic jams in your city
 - (b) Water pollution in your area
 - (c) Cleanliness drive in your college premises
4. Explain the idea in about **200—250** words of the following (any *one*) : 15
- (a) Time is money.
 - (b) Failures are the pillars of success.
 - (c) Work is worship.
5. Do as directed (any *fifteen*) : 15
- Fill in the blanks with suitable articles :
- (a) She is little Hitler.
 - (b) Anjali is engineer.

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Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions or self-forms :

- (c) Shreya has made very unpopular.
- (d) She cut while cutting vegetables.

Correct the following sentences :

- (e) She leaves for Raipur last week.
- (f) Here is coming the bridge.

Change into passive voice :

- (g) They found her guilty of murder.
- (h) They painted the doors blue.

Insert suitable prepositions :

- (i) I am anxious her poetry.
- (j) I am afraid her.

Fill in the blanks with the proper form of (gerund or infinitive) of the verbs given in bracket :

- (k) Seeing is (believe).
- (l) Would you mind a little ? (wait)

Fill in the blanks by choosing appropriate word from the options given in bracket :

- (m) Rhea will be surprised prices come down. (if, when)
- (n) She will not come you call her. (if, unless)

Correct the sentences :

- (o) There is going the bus.
- (p) I smelling something burning.

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Punctuate the sentences :

- (q) Is he a good boy.
- (r) What a marvelous idea.

Combine the sentences using 'either' 'or' :

- (s) (i) Be honest.
- (ii) You will lose your job.

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