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Regular/Back Exam – 2080 Mangsir/Poush

Program: Health All

Full Marks: 80

Year/Part: 1st Year (2016)

Pass Marks: 32

Subject: English

Time: 3 hrs.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Attempt ALL questions.

1. Read the following passage carefully and answer the [5×2=10] questions given below:

'Bio' means living beings and 'diversity' means variance or difference. Hence, it means the existence of several sorts of animals and plants which make balance in environment.

Nepal is rich in biodiversity as the nature has granted her physical diversity. She has got terai, low land, high hills, valleys, mountains and the high Himalayas with noticeable variance in climate. Nepalese find flora and fauna vary with climatic zones.

The terai belt is hot, hilly is moderate and the mountain belt is cold. The plants and animals to these geographical zones are different as they live and survive with the nature. Climate simply makes an effect and an effect to all sorts of living beings. Yak can't survive in terai and neither the camels nor the elephants in the mountain. It is because the physical structure of the animals with the power of adaption.

The more fine flora and fauna means the more and strong natural balance. Natural balance simply and smoothly runs ecological and natural ecosystem. In order to run this ecosystem, every element must be preserved with care. Biodiversity now has become a parts of research for natural and international scholar and researchers bio-diversity supports the nation to develop to a large extent.

Questions:

- What is bio-diversity?
- How is the climate of the hilly region of Nepal?

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- c. Why should all sorts of plants and animals be preserved?
d. Why don't we find yaks in the terai?
e. Give suitable title for the passage.
2. Answer any **ONE** of the following questions: [10]
a. Summarize the poem "The Poplar Field".
b. Sketch the characters of 'Malini' and 'Supriya'. (Malini)
3. Answer any **THREE** of the following questions: [3×5=15]
a. Highlight the consequences of having plural children as mentioned by Barbara Holland. (Speaking of Children)
b. Why did phoenix take a long and difficult journey to the town? (A Worn Path)
c. Why did Soji Sakota open the door at mid night although he had some doubts? (The Loving Mother)
d. Explain the paradox, "The Child is father of the Man". (My Heart Leaps Up)
e. Justify the real relationship between Michael and Helen. (The Gardener)
4. Write a couple of paragraphs about your short trip to a village. [5]
5. a. Arrange the following words in the alphabetical order. [3]
purpose, pupil, publish, purple, pursuit, pursue
b. Find the quarter of dictionary of the given words. [2]
yak, cat, fox, monkey
c. Use prefixes to the given words: [3]
justice, happy, arrange, formal, migration, fit
d. Convert the American spellings into British spellings. [2]
color, program, center, skillful
6. Change the voice of the following: [5]
a. I have visited my parents.
b. She is calling me.
c. They are cutting a tree.
d. The boy was writing some poems.
e. The students took an exam.

7. Fill in the blank spaces with suitable prepositions: [5]
a. I met him the way to home.
b. Raju gave smoking.
c. He completed all his homework 8 PM.
d. John has been teaching 10 years.
e. Mary prefers tea coffee.
8. Use suitable connectives in the given sentences: [5]
a. He failed the exam – his laziness.
b. Krishna went to school – he could meet the principal.
c. Raju helped me – I easily passed the exam.
d. John got success – his illness.
e. Deepa went to the kitchen – eat dinner.
9. Change these sentences as indicated in the brackets. [5]
a. He always goes for morning walk. (Negative)
b. Tilak found a book in the library. (Where Question)
c. He said to me, "How old are you?" (Indirect Speech)
d. Hari never eats meat. (Affirmative)
e. She has collected the flowers for Tihar. (Yes/No Question)
10. Write a letter to the Mayor of your municipality complaining [10]
the problem of drinking water in you locality.

Good Luck !