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D. He may be paralyzed with fear, run away or fight.

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UNIT -I

1	PART - A		
	Answer all the following questions.		
	a). What were the two prized possessions of the young?	[L1][CO1]	[2M]
	b). Write Synonym and Antonym for the word "Shabby"	[L1][CO1]	[2M]
	c). Mention any two capitalization rules.	[L2][CO1]	[2M]
	d). Della bought a gift to Jim. (Identify the subject, predicate in the sentence)	[L1][CO1]	[2M]
	e). What is the affix of "independent"?	[L1][CO1]	[2M]
	PART- B		
2	a) Read the paragraph and answer the questions.	[L2][CO1]	[5M]
	If a person suddenly encounters any terrible danger, the change of nature		
	one undergoes is equally great. Sometimes fear numbs our senses. Like animals,		
	one stands still, powerless to move a step in fright or to lift a hand in defense of our		
	lives, and sometimes one is seized with panic, and again, act more like the inferior		
	animals than rational beings. On the other hand, frequently in cases of sudden		
	extreme peril, which cannot be escaped by flight, and must be instantly faced, even		
	the most timid men at once as if by miracle, become possessed of the necessary		
	courage, sharp quick apprehension and swift decision. This is a miracle very		
	common in nature. Man and the inferior animals alike, when confronted with almost		
	certain death 'gather resolution from despair' but there can really be no trace of so		
	debilitating a feeling in the person fighting, or prepared to fight for dear life. At		
	such times the mind is clearer than it has ever been; the nerves are steel, there is		
	nothing felt but a wonderful strength and daring. Looking back at certain perilous		
	moments in my own life, I remember them with a kind of joy, not that there was		
	any joyful excitement then, but because they broadened my horizon, lifted me for a		
	time above myself.		
	i). The title that best suits the passage would be:-		
	A. The Will to Fight		
	B. The Miracle of Confronting Danger		
	C. The Change of Nature		
	D. Courage and Panic		
	ii).A man may react to sudden danger in three different ways. What are they?		
	A. He may flee in panic, or fight back or stand still.		
	B. He may be paralyzed with fear, seized with panic or act like an inferior animal.		
	C. He may be paralyzed with fear, or seized with panic, or as if by miracle, becom		
	of the necessary courage, and face the danger.		

iii). Explain the phrase 'gather resolution from danger'

- A. Find peace in times of difficulty.
- B. A state of utter hopelessness makes one determined to face the difficulty.
- C. To remain calm and not to lose hope.
- D. To be enthusiastic and brave the odds.

iv). The author feels happy in the recollection of dangers faced and overcome because

- A. They brought him a new experience.
- B. They added a new perspective and lifted him above himself for a time.
- C. These experiences boosted his confidence.
- D. He felt elated as he was alive.

v). What is the meaning of the word debilitating?

- A. enfeeble
- B. strengthen
- C. debase
- **D.** Thriving

b) Read the paragraph and answer the questions

[L2][CO1]

[5M]

Mike and Morris lived in the same village. While Morris owned the largest jewelry shop in the village, Mike was a poor farmer. Both had large families with many sons, daughters-in-law and grandchildren. One fine day, Mike, tired of not being able to feed his family, decided to leave the village and move to the city where he was certain to earn enough to feed everyone. Along with his family, he left the village for the city. At night, they stopped under a large tree. There was a stream running nearby where they could freshen up themselves. He told his sons to clear the area below the tree, he told his wife to fetch water and he instructed his daughters-inlaw to make up the fire and started cutting wood from the tree himself. They didn't know that in the branches of the tree, there was a thief hiding. He watched as Mike's family worked together and also noticed that they had nothing to cook. Mike's wife also thought the same and asked her husband" Everything is ready but what shall we eat?". Mike raised his hands to heaven and said "Don't worry. He is watching all of this from above. He will help us." The thief got worried as he had seen that the family was large and worked well together. Taking advantage of the fact that they did not know he was hiding in the branches, he decided to make a quick escape. He climbed down safely when they were not looking and ran for his life. But, he left behind the bundle of stolen jewels and money which dropped into Mike's lap. Mike opened it and jumped with joy when he saw the contents. The family gathered all their belongings and returned to the village. There was great excitement when they told everyone how they got rich. Morris thought that the tree was miraculous and this was a nice and quick way to earn some money. He ordered his family to pack some clothes and they set off as if on a journey. They also stopped under the same tree and Morris started commanding everyone as Mike had done. But no one in his family

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	i) Jenny won the writing competition for her class. (Identify the subject)		
	ii) Identify the subject in the sentence : The old, abandoned church caught on fire!		
	iii) Identify the subject in the sentence : Are you going to the dance tonight?		
	iv) Identify the predicate in the sentence : Jenny won the writing competition for		
	her class.		
	v) Identify the predicate in the sentence : The river flows swiftly.		
	b) Write any five parts of sentences of your own.	[L1][CO1]	[5M]
7	List out all the parts of speech with examples.	[L1][CO1]	[10M]
8.	a) Identify the sentence Structure.	[L1][CO1]	[10M]
	1. The boys are playing foot ball now		
	A. SVOA B. SVC C. SVA D. SVOC		
	2. I smell something burning		
	A. SV B. SVOC C. SVO D. SVOO		
	3. She seems haughty		
	A. SVC B. SVO C. SVA D. SVOA		
	4. The Doctor gave him a shot		
	A. SVOO B. SVOC C. SVA D. SVOA		
	5. All women love jewels and silk saris		
	A. VS B. SVO C. SVAC D. SVA		
	b) Make sentence structure for the following patterns.		
	I. SV		
	II. SVO		
	III.SVA		
	IV. SVOC		
	V. SVIODO		
9.	a) Write the Synonyms and Antonyms for the following.	[L1][CO1]	[5M]
	1. Prudence 2. ecstatic 3. gleaming 4. coveted 5. shabby		
	b) Identify the appropriate Vocabulary from the options given.	[L1][CO1]	[5M]
	i. Della (wriggled, whirled) off the table and went to him.		
	ii. I feel the work is (laborious, lavish)		
	iii. The dull precious metal seemed to flash with a reflection of her bright spirit.		
	(Write antonym of the bold word)		
	iv. Gold is an expensive metal while iron is (write the appropriate		
	antonym)		
	V. He often visits me but I go to his house. (write the appropriate		
	antonym)		
10	a) Add affixes to these root words to fill the gaps:	[L1][CO1]	[5M]
10	(ed, un, mis, ened, ing, tion, ill, ment, ness, dis)		
	(ed, dii, mis, ened, mg, don, m, ment, ness, dis)		
	i He is (manner), he does not know how to behave with elders.		
	(broad).		
	iii A (combine) of motivation and hard work can fulfill your dreams.		
	iv The doctors have advised her to be (stressed) only then she can overcome		
	the (weak).		
	v She (behave) in the class because of which teachers (agree) to let her		
	sit in the class. b) Frame any five wh- type questions.	[L3][CO1]	[5M]
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UNIT –II

	PART A		
1	Answer all the following questions.		
	a) Write about the structure of a paragraph.	[L2][CO2]	[2M]
	b) What does the poet want to convey through the poem 'The Brook'	[L1][CO2]	[2M]
	c) Write two examples using the following Cohesive device.	[L1][CO2]	[2M]
	i) in order to ii) Moreover		
	d) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.	[L1][CO2]	[2M]
	i) He is honourable man.		
	ii) George isEuropean.	ET AIF COAI	FOR #1
	e) Frame examples of your own for the following.	[L2][CO2]	[2M]
	i) Homophones ii) Homonyms		
	PART-B	II 11[CO2]	[[] []
2	a) Describe paragraph writing.	[L1][CO2]	[5M]
	b) Write a paragraph on any topic of your own.	[L2][CO2]	[5M]
3	a) What are the cohesive devices? Make any ten sentences by using Cohesive Devices.	[L1][CO2]	[5M]
	b) Fill in the blanks with suitable Cohesive Devices.	[L1][CO2]	[5M]
	(while, besides, before, and, though, whereas)		
	1 he worked hard, he failed.		
	2. Raju celebrated his birthday on 10th of December Mohan		
	celebrated his birthday on 12th of December.		
	3 he is an English teacher, he can speak Telugu.		
	4he was going to market, he met his old friend.		
	5. He is planning to meet the minister the chief secretary.		
4	a) Describe the central theme of the poem "The Brook".	[L2][CO2]	[5M]
	b) Write a brief note on "The Brook" by Alfred Lord Tennyson.	[L2][CO2]	[5M]
5	Make your own sentences by using the following Linkers.	[L3][CO2]	[10M]
	However, moreover, therefore, as a result, instead of, in order to, in particular,		
	especially, with reference to, as well as.	[T 1][CO2]	[10] [1
6	Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.	[L1][CO2]	[10M]
	i) He has one rupee note in pocket.ii) Varanasi is holy city.		
	iii) John is European.		
	iv) She is honest woman.		
	v) Honesty is best policy.		
	vi) Sita's brother isengineer inreputed company.		
	vii) There iseucalyptus tree near my house.		
	vii) She is honorary secretary of the club.		
	ix) We met European girl in Rishikesh.		
	x) John uses Internet a lot.		
7	Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions.	[L1][CO2]	[10M]
	i. It's very kind you to help us.		
	ii. The old man suffered a heart attack.		
	iii. Please write pencil.		
	iv. He is angry me.		
	v. The manager didn't take part the discussion. vi. He's very good telling jokes.		
	vi. He's very good telling jokes.		
	vii. I'll see you the conference		
	viii. We sat down the grass and ate our lunch.		

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	ix. My parents got married the 1970s.		
	x. There's a good restaurant the end of the street.		
8	Frame ten meaningful sentences by using homonyms.	[L3][CO2]	[10M]
9	What is homophone? Write ten meaningful sentences by using homophones.	[L2][CO2]	[10M]
10	Define homograph. Mention ten meaningful sentences by using homograph.	[L2][CO2]	[10M]

UNIT –III

	PART-A		
1	Answer all the following questions. a) Explain the general strategies of Reading Comprehension? b) What are text clues for Comprehension? c) Write about active listening. d) Write any two compound words. e) Describe your daily routine in four sentences. PART-B c) List out the stars involved in summerizing a taut.	[L2][CO3] [L1][CO3] [L1][CO3] [L1][CO3]	[2M] [2M] [2M] [2M] [2M]
2	a) List out the steps involved in summarizing a text. b) Summarize the text given below: There are times when the night sky glows with bands of color. The bands may begin as cloud shapes and then spread into a great arc across the entire sky. They may fall in folds like a curtain drawn across the heavens. The lights usually grow brighter, then suddenly dim. During this time the sky glows with pale yellow, pink, green, violet, blue, and red. These lights are called the Aurora Borealis. Some people call them the Northern Lights. Scientists have been watching them for hundreds of years. They are not quite sure what causes them. In ancient time	[L1][CO3] [L2][CO3]	[5M]
3	a) Prepare Note-making for the following text Conversation is indeed the most easily teachable of all arts. All you need to do in order to become a good conversationalist is to find a subject that interests you and your listeners. There are, for example, numberless hobbies to talk about. But the important thing is that you must talk about other fellow's hobby rather than your own. Therein lies the secret of your popularity. Talk to your friends about the things that interest them, and you will get a reputation for good fellowship, charming wit, and a brilliant mind. There is nothing that pleases people so much as your interest in their interest. It is just as important to know what subjects to avoid and what subjects to select for good conversation. If you don't want to be set down as a wet blanket or a bore, be careful to avoid certain unpleasant subjects. Avoid talking about yourself, unless you are asked to do so. People are interested in their own problems not in yours. Sickness or death bores everybody. The only one who willingly listens to such talk is the doctor, but he gets paid for it.	[L3][CO3]	[5M]
	b) Elucidate note-making, its methods and systems.	[L3][CO3]	[5M]
4	a) What are the DOs and Don'ts of paraphrasing and classify it?	[L1][CO3]	[5M]
	b) Paraphrase the following short passage The koala bear of Australia is a living "Teddy Bear." Its thick coat of gray fur is just as soft as the beloved toy. The koala has a large head, big ears and small, dark eyes that look at you without expression. Its nose, as black as patent leather, seems too big for the rest of its face. Long Beach City College WRSC. The koala is a gentle little animal. It is almost defenseless. Only its color protects it from enemies. The koala makes no nest. It just sits in the forked branches of a tree. Unlike a bird, it cannot balance itself with its tail—because it has no tail. It likes gum trees the best because it loves entirely on the leaves of the tree.	[L2][CO3]	[5M]
5	a) Write down five modal verbs with examples for each.	[L1][CO3]	[5M]

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b) Differentiate past perfect and future perfect tense with examples.	[L4][CO3]	[5M]
a) Explain any five rules of sub-verb agreement with examples.	[L2][CO4]	[5M]
b) Rewrite the following sentences with sub-verb agreement.	[L1][CO4]	[5M]
i. The list of items are on the desk.		
ii. Bread and butter are my breakfast.		
iii. The captain along with players are coming into ground.		
iv. My parents and I am going to festival.		
v. There is four hurdles to jump.		
a) Explain how the compound words are formed.	[L2][CO4]	[5M]
b) Describe the types of compound words.	[L2][CO4]	[5M]
a) Elucidate the types of collocations.	[L3][CO4]	[5M]
b) Write down five collocations with examples.	[L2][CO4]	[5M]
What are the significant achievements of Elon Musk?	[L1][CO4]	[10M]
Write a note on biographical sketch of Elon Musk.	[L2][CO4]	[10M]
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UNIT -IV

	PART-A		
1	Answer all the following questions.		
	a) Convert the following Direct speech into Indirect Speech.	[L2][CO5]	[2M] [2M] [2M] [2M]
	i) My mother said, "The baby is sleeping."		
	ii) She said to me, "I will bake a cake."		
	b) Change the following sentences from active voice to passive voice.	[L1][CO5]	[2M]
	i) Ram played hockey.	[22][000]	[]
	ii) Children like sweets.		
	c) What are the main parts of a formal letter?	[L1][CO5]	
	d) What are the main characters in the short story "The Toys of Peace"?	[L1][CO5]	
	e) Choose the correct option to complete the sentences below.	[L1][CO5]	
	i) They (buy, bought, buying) a Car yesterday.		
	ii) She (will come, came, coming) here tomorrow.		
•	PART-B		
2	Convert the given Bar Graph into a paragraph.	[L4][CO5]	[10M]
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	Car journeys into the city centre		
	10000 9000 8000 7000 6000 5000 4000 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 Www.ielts-exam.net Westgate Street and Park Lane closed to traffic		
3	a. You are a student of Siddharth Institute of Engineering & Technology, Puttur.	[L2][CO5]	[5M]
	You are sick and need leave from college for two days. Write a letter to the		
	Principal for the same.		
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b. Write a few examples of jargon as a barrier to communication. .

a. Describe a couple of the peace toys' that Harvey brings for Eric and Bertie.

b. What announcement by the National Peace Council does Elizabeth show

What is the theme of "The Toys of Peace" by Saki?

What do these toys represent?

her brother?

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[L2][CO5]

[L1][CO5]

[L2][CO5]

[L1][CO5]

[5M]

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[5M]

UNIT -V

	PART-A		
1	Answer all the following questions.		
	i) What are the two key terms involved in listening comprehension?	[L1][CO6]	[2M]
	ii) Write any two factors for effective reading.	[L2][CO6]	[2M]
	iii) What is an oral presentation?	[L1][CO6]	[2M]
	iv) Write about present tense with suitable examples.	[L2][CO6]	[2M]
	v) What is an essay?	[L1][CO6]	[2M]
	PART-B		
2	a)What is formal oral presentation?	[L1][CO6]	[5M]
	b) What are the steps involved in oral presentation?	[L1][CO6]	[5M]
3	a) Write the strategies of effective reading.	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
	b) Read the paragraph and answer the following questions:	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
	A boy was one day walking in a field when he saw a sheep coming		
	toward him. The poor animal came running up quite close to him. She then went		
	on a few steps, at the same time, turning around and looking up at the boy's face,		
	and bleating loudly. The boy had never seen a sheep act in this way before and		
	wanted to find out what the sheep wanted, he began to follow her across the field.		
	On and on she went, every now and then turning round to see if the boy was		
	coming. At last, she led the way to a place where there was a running stream and a		
	deep pool of water. As soon as he came to this spot, the boy saw a little lamb		
	struggling in the water. It had fallen over the bank into the pool below and trying		
	to get out. The poor mother sheep must have known that she needed help to save		
	her little one. By leaning over the bank, the boy found that he could just reach the		
	lamb. He caught hold of it and lifted it up on the bank. The mother sheep seemed		
	greatly pleased to have her lamb again beside her.		
	i) The boy decided to follow the sheep because the sheep		
	A. was asking for help		
	B. acted in a strange way		
	C. had no lams around her		
	D. was old and lonely		
	ii) On the way to the stream, the sheep kept looking back to		
	A. thank the boy for his kindness		
	B. enjoy the handsome boy		
	C. make sure the boy's following		
	D. show her lamb was in danger		
	iii) To the boy, the mother sheep was		
	A. brave		
	B. helpless		
	C. clever		
	D. less fun		
	iv) The word "stream" in the reading probably means		
	A. a deep water pool		
	B. a narrow river		
	C. a spot for sheep to play in		
	D. running water around the field		
	v) In the writer's view, the story is		
	A. unbelievable		
	B. educational		
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	D. pitiful		
	C. full of knowledge		
4	a) What are the characteristics of an essay?	[L1][CO6]	[5M]
	b) Write an essay on Wonders of Science.	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
5	a) What are the steps involved in editing the text?	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
	b) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles where necessary.	[L1][CO6]	[5M]
	i. Raju is university professor.		
	ii Eiffel Tower lights up at night.		
	iii. Mount Everest ishighest peak in the world.		
	iv. Sanskrit is difficult language.		
	v. Tom is player in our team.		
6	a) Correct the following sentence with suitable preposition.	[L1][CO6]	[5M
	i. Mr. Sunil used a black board of a whiteboard.		
	ii. He has submitted the report by a stipulated time.		
	iii. He has been working here for 2018.		
	iv. I will be going to church on the morning.		
	v. She placed the plates to the dining table.	II 41[CO4]	[5M]
	b) Frame five meaningful sentences on Subject - Verb agreement.	[L4][CO6] [L1][CO6]	[10M
7	Correct the following sentencesi. She has gone to school in the morning.		
	iii. India will win Independence in 1947.		
	iv. She usually don't care of my advice.		
	v. If you get up early, you would not catch the bus.		
	vi. His health has improved since he leaves Bombay.		
	vii. If it dropped, it will break.		
	viii. He come yesterday to college.		
	ix. He has came this morning.		
	x. When I reached Shimla, it will be snowing.		
8	What are Technical Jargons? Illustrate them with suitable examples.	[L2][CO6]	[10M
9	a) Write the difference between Internal and External Motivation.	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
	b) Write a short essay on Self– motivation.	[L2][CO6]	[5M]
10	Descent your views on 'The newson of Interneus and Communication'	II 21[CO6]	[10]/[

[10M]

[L3][CO6]

b) Write a short essay on Self– motivation.

Present your views on 'The power of Interpersonal Communication'.

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