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Foundation Course in English - V

(FCE-5) (New Course)

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Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70]

Instructions : (i) All the questions are **compulsory**.

(ii) Figures to the **right** indicate full marks.

1 Answer the following descriptive questions : (any **two**) **20**

- (1) How are cultural diversity and pluralism essential for societal development ?
- (2) How does one pay attention to a high priority task in the middle of one's daily schedules ?
- (3) How does nature play a part in developing a progressive and contended society ?
- (4) Describe Sher Singh's journey from his house to the hospital in your own words.

2 Answer the following in brief : (any **two**) **15**

- (1) What are the two things the invocation wants to 'stream forth' into the hearts and minds of every person ?
- (2) What does World Press Freedom Day serve to remind the public of ?
- (3) Why is time management a vital and necessary part of our lives ?
- (4) What was Sher Singh Bahadur's occupation ? Why and when was he generally sought after ?

3 Prepare a press release on any **one** of the following : **15**

- (1) Efforts being made to create awareness against 'female foeticide'.
- (2) Consumer electronics manufacturing firm giving details of a new gadget launched by them.

OR

Draft a questionnaire on any **one** of the following :

- (1) Eating habits of college students.
- (2) Consumers' reactions to a new shopping mall opened in your city.

4 (a) Translate into Gujarati (mother-tongue) : **10**

After India was free from British rule on 15th August 1947, it adopted its own national flag. Our national flag consists of three colours. They are saffron, white and green. In the centre of white band there is 'Ashok Chakra'. It has 24 spokes. Our flag is the symbol of our pride, freedom and unity among our people. Saffron colour stands for sacrifice, white colour for peace and green for production. The Chakra shows the victory of honesty and justice. Our national flag teaches us that we should believe in truth, sacrifice and unity. Our national flag is hoisted by our Prime Minister on 15th August every year. Our President hoists the flag on 26th January every year. Both of them hoist it on Red Fort and after hoisting they address the people of India.

(b) Translate into English : **10**

ગુજરાત સરકારે પ્રાથમિક શાળાઓનાં બાળકો માટે મધ્યાહ્ન બોજન યોજના દાખલ કરી છે. એ વાતમાં કોઈ શંકા નથી કે આ યોજના બાળકો માટે લાભકારી પુરવાર થશે. બાળકોમાં રહેલા અપૂરતા પોષણની સમસ્યા દૂર કરવામાં આ યોજના મદદરૂપ થશે. જો કે મુખ્ય પ્રશ્ન એ છે કે - 'આ યોજના વ્યવહાર અને સફળ નિવારણ કેવી રીતે કરવામાં આવશે?' પ્રત્યેક પ્રાથમિક શાળાએ રસોઈ ચલાવવું પડશે. ત્યાં બળતણ અને પાણીના પ્રશ્નો હશે. રસોઈ કરવામાં અને તેને બાળકોને પીરસવાની પ્રક્રિયામાં ઘણો બધો સમય ખર્ચાઈ જશે. આમ કરવાને બદલે જો તૈયાર ખોરાક - પડીકાં બાળકોને આપવામાં આવે તો આ મુશ્કેલીઓ હલ થઈ શકે. આમ કરવાથી સમયની પણ બચત થશે.