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SECTION - A

1 The following sentences are unacceptable. In each case (a) point out the feature that makes the sentence unacceptable and (b) rewrite the sentence so that it is acceptable. : (any **five**) **1×5=5**

- (1) Bat menace ends on Modhera Sun Temple.
- (2) Portable flash lights have help the ASI fight the bat menace.
- (3) Modhera Sun Temple is visited it by a number of tourists every year.
- (4) The temple has been used by the bats as its home for long time.
- (5) Should we spread fragrance to get rid of bats? No, we should spread it.
- (6) The tourists who want to spend more time at the temple leave because of hard smell of bats.
- (7) Why can we do trouble bats?

2 Answer briefly : (any **five**) **3×5=15**

- (1) Discuss following lexemes in terms of their nature, scatter, set and collocation. (a) apple (b) signboard (c) make up
- (2) Comment on the difference of the following sentences.
 - (a) The IPL team arrives in Chennai soon.
 - (b) The IPL team is arriving in Chennai soon.

- (3) Assign a formal label and a semantic label.
 - (a) Why did politicians fight with airlines?
 - (b) The air hostess was abused by the member of parliament.
 - (c) Please obey rules.
- (4) State the case relationship in the following sentences.
 - (a) A bomb blast happened at the station in St.Petersburg.
 - (b) The bombs were planted by the terrorists.
 - (c) Passengers were running from one station to another.
- (5) State whether the following sentences are simple or multiple and pick out the clauses.
 - (a) The Railway police have directed station officials to book people who take selfies on platform.
 - (b) Those who take selfies will be booked under sections for attempting to commit suicide which can invite a jail term of up to a year.
- (6) Identify the adverbs and label them.
 - (a) Hence, the social media supports Virat
 - (b) Frankly, I don't agree with Australian media.
 - (c) Therefore, sledging should be given back.
- (7) Comment on the difference of the following sentences.
 - (a) I must help her.
 - (b) I should help her.

3 Attempt any two of the following : **2×10=20**

- (a) Analyze the structure of the NPs drawing tree diagrams (all).
 - (i) The award-winning Tata car.
 - (ii) All those very expensive SUV cars.
 - (iii) A pair of white Chinese shoes.
 - (iv) India's largest tunnel at Kashmir.

- (b) Analyze the structure of the VPs drawing tree diagrams (all).
- (i) Are being questioned.
 - (ii) Should have been planning
 - (iii) Had been arrested.
 - (iv) Might have been released.
- (c) Discuss the concepts Time, Tense and Aspects with examples.

SECTION - B

4 Choose the appropriate words from the brackets and fill up the blanks. **1×10=10**

- (1) Learners' grammar is known as _____
- (A) Generative Grammar
 - (B) G2
 - (C) G1
 - (D) Implicit Grammar
- (2) "See you Monday" is an example of _____
- (A) Descriptive Grammar
 - (B) Structural Grammar
 - (C) Prescriptive Grammar
 - (D) Communicative Grammar.
- (3) Collocation shows _____
- (A) natural use of words together
 - (B) rules of sentence formation
 - (C) synonyms
 - (D) antonyms.
- (4) A lexeme is _____ unit.
- (A) grammatical
 - (B) semantic
 - (C) morphological
 - (D) phonological
- (5) The tense of the following sentence : 'We will win' _____.
- (A) past tense
 - (B) future tense
 - (C) present tense
 - (D) present perfect

- (6) Tense in a sentence, which has an auxiliary and a main verb, is marked by _____
- (A) subject (B) auxiliary
(C) main verb (D) adjective
- (7) A prepositional phrase has a preposition as its head and a _____ as its main constituent.
- (A) noun (B) verb phrase
(C) adjective (D) adverb
- (8) The following sentence has aspect. _____ "They have finished all work".
- (A) progressive (B) passive
(C) perfective (D) perfective and passive
- (9) A cohesive adverb modifies _____
- (A) subject (B) a situation in past
(C) a clause ahead (D) verb
- (10) The intensifier in noun phrase modifies _____
- (A) noun (B) class
(C) adjective (D) determiner

5 Answer in not more than 100 words : **6×2=12**
(Any 2 out of 3)

- (a) What are finite and non finite verbals in English?
(b) What are the types of grammar?
(c) How would you differentiate prescriptive and descriptive grammar?

6 Write short notes (any two) not more than 70 words. **2×4=8**

- (1) Criteria for acceptability.
(2) Prepositional phrase.
(3) Indian features of English
(4) Use of Passive voice.
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