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Attempt any FIVE questions in all. Selecting THREE questions from Section A and TWO questions from Section B. All questions carry equal marks. Over attempt will be ignored altogether.

SECTION – A**Question No. 1**

- (a) Define the following and give examples.
- i. Imperative Sentence
 - ii. Complex Sentence
 - iii. Transitive Verb
 - iv. Proper Noun
 - v. Auxiliary Verb
- (b) Change the following into interrogative sentences.
- i. She likes reading novels.
 - ii. He improved his handwriting.
 - iii. She left school last year.
 - iv. It was getting darker.
 - v. They have listened to the news.
- (c) Change the gender.
- i. Landlord
 - ii. Dog
 - iii. Host
 - iv. Ram
 - v. Husband

Question No. 2

- a) Insert appropriate article.
- i. The book on _____ table is mine.
 - ii. He is _____ untidy boy.
 - iii. Who was declared _____ best athlete?
 - iv. Have you seen _____ ewe?
 - v. Time makes _____ worst enemies friends.
 - vi. _____ moon did not rise early.
 - vii. March is _____ third month of the year.
 - viii. Get _____ pound of sugar from the nearest shop.
 - ix. What _____ beautiful stroke he played!
 - x. It is _____ hopeless case.
- b) Insert appropriate prepositions.
- i. He has a passion _____ arguing.
 - ii. She is good _____ English.
 - iii. He is indifferent _____ his own interest.

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- iv. He is prompt _____ carrying out orders.
- v. Are you dependent _____ your parents?
- vi. He insisted _____ going there.
- vii. She takes _____ her mother.
- viii. He is incapable _____ painting this picture.
- ix. Why do you quarrel _____ your neighbors?
- x. He prefers vegetables _____ meat.

Question No.3

- a) Change into verbs.

Decision	Resolution	Dependence	Imposition	Dwelling
Death	Complaint	Association	Condolence	Encroachment

- b) Change into plurals.

Dog	Bank	Step-son	Axis	Mouse
Goose	Knife	Child	Life	Box

Question No.4

- (a) Bring one word for each expression.

- i. The science of plants
- ii. Which cannot be seen
- iii. Government of the people, by the people, for the people.
- iv. An overeater
- v. A person who writes plays
- vi. One who is present everywhere
- vii. Not having a backbone
- viii. A person who hates marriage
- ix. Which cannot be heard
- x. Words having opposite meaning

- (b) Correct the verb in each parenthesis.

- i. He said that he (is) fine.
- ii. He was (appreciate) by his colleagues.
- iii. I (buy) this house last year.
- iv. Why did you (wrote) the letter?
- v. The dog is (chase) the cat.
- vi. He (is) studying since morning.
- vii. I have (do) my duty.
- viii. They will have (pay) the admission fee.
- ix. Did you (saw) her?
- x. Everyone (like) success.

B.Com/ADC Part-IQuestion No. 5

- a) Make comparatives and superlatives.
Good Bad Much Close Interesting
- b) Change the narration.
- i. She says, "I like cosy tea."
 - ii. I said to her, "Can you resolve this issue?"
 - iii. They said, "We do not tell lies."
 - iv. He said to me, "I shall not ignore you."
 - v. She said to her friend, "Let us go for a walk."

Section-BQuestion No. 6

Define precis. Write the characteristics of a good precis.

Question No. 7

Make a precis of the following passage reducing it to 1/3 of its length. Give a title as well.

There were many obstacles to the development of commerce in the middle ages. Dangers by land and sea had to be considered by the merchant who wished to send his goods to some distant part; but as the towns grew and multiplied, the resolution and ingenuity of man rendered it, possible for commerce to increase steadily, till by the dawn of the modern period every country in Western Europe had felt its beneficent influence. When we think of poorness of communication, the vast forests, the inferior roads, the unbridged rivers and the innumerable foes lining the trade routes, it would seem, at first sight, almost an impossibility for merchants in the north of Europe to have interaction and dealings with those of the south.

Question No.8

Write an essay on one of the following topics.

- i. Overpopulation
- ii. Cottage Industry
- iii. Life in a Big City
- iv. Internet Revolution