

NOVEMBER 2014

71001/CLZ1A

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (25 marks)

1. Answer any FIVE of the following questions in about 30 words each : $(5 \times 2 = 10)$
 - (a) For what reasons do people read?
 - (b) According to Gandhi, what is expected of a woman?
 - (c) What does Wordsworth want his friend to do?
 - (d) How are the woods described by Frost?
 - (e) Who was Lenny Burton?
 - (f) Why did Rahim Khan's wife leave him?
 - (g) What is positive thinking?

2. Rewrite as directed any TEN of the following : $(10 \times 1 = 10)$
 - (a) It _____ (rain) yesterday. (Fill in the blank with a suitable verb given in bracket)
 - (b) Priya _____ (be) a good dancer. (Fill in the blank with the suitable form of the verb given in bracket)

- (c) I saw the movie. (Change into negative)
- (d) This is the picture that I drew. (Change into interrogative)
- (e) Latha went to the market. (Who)
- (f) It was a cloudy day. (Add question tag)
- (g) I is a good boy. (Correct the sentence)
- (h) There is an railway station in my place. (Correct the sentence)
- (i) What is your father? (Give a suitable answer)
- (j) There is a river in my village. (Frame a suitable question)
- (k) Attract. (Use the word as a noun and as a verb in a sentence of your own)
- (l) Give the synonyms of the following words :
Apt, intelligent.

3. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below : (5)

Rahim fell in love with Radha. She was a Hindu. So Rahim's parents were against the marriage. They did not want him to join the circus. It was low and immoral. They wanted him to be a tiller and continue the family tradition. To prevent Rahim's marriage with Radha, Rahim's father told Radha's father that he should find a boy for Radha. Radha was married to a middle-aged pot-bellied banya, Ram Lal.

- (a) Why were Rahim's parents against his marriage?
- (b) What was low and immoral?
- (c) What did Rahim's parents want him to be?
- (d) Who was Ram Lal?
- (e) Whom did Radha marry?

PART B — (5 × 4 = 20 marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 150 words each.

- 4. How is modern prose different from that of the 16th and 17th centuries?
- 5. Comment on the water in Lake Isle of Innisfree.
- 6. Explain the inner meaning in “Stopping By Woods on a Snowy Evening”.
- 7. How is Rosemary Fell portrayed by Katherine Mansfield in “A Cup of Tea”?
- 8. Write briefly on the last days of Rahim Khan.

9. Describe the difference between the speeches of Cicero and Demosthenes.
10. According to Kipling, how can one make a success of life?

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Write essays on any THREE of the following in about 300 words each.

11. What does Inge mean by spoon-feeding and what according to him are its evil effects.
12. Summarize Gandhi's views on restoring women their legitimate rights.
13. Give a critical summary of the poem "The Tables Turned".
14. Comment on Somerset Maugham's view on judging people as revealed in the story "A Friend in Need".
15. How can one achieve progress in one's life?
