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# Model Test 01 DHAKA BOARD-2024

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

gentle	by	the	big	way	of	visit	hills	nature
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The Kaptai Lake is located in the hilly district of Rangamati. This is the (a) — lake in Bangladesh. The (b) — beauty of this lake is well-known to all. This huge lake stretches for miles touching different parts (c) — Rangamati district. There are rows of high mountains all around. Between the hills flows the lake water in a zigzag (d) —. The bottoms of the (e) — are submerged in water. When we look at them from a distance, it seems that (f) — hills are floating on water. Being attracted (g) — its captivating natural beauty, every year a great number of nature lovers (h) — it. There is an arrangement for boat journey as well. A number (i) — colourful boats are ready to welcome the tourists. A (j) — breeze is always blowing. It cools the tourists and soothes their minds.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Students teachers' relationship is regarded as the relationship (a) — parents and children. A teacher is next (b) — parents. Parents (c) — up children. On the (d) — hand, a teacher guides the students to materialize their (e) —. A teacher spreads the (f) — of education to remove the (g) — of ignorance. As a (h) —, a student can see the path of prosperity. Thus a teacher helps build up a civilized (i) —. So he is really called (j) — architect of a nation.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

(a) Good health	does not mean	a vital role in attaining this wealth.
(b) Bulky body	makes	the soundness of both body and mind.
(c) To be a healthy men one	leads	our life happy and enjoyable
(d) Food habit	should have	an unhappy life.
(e) An unhealthy man	plays	good health.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

entertain	make	order	want	need	wish	become	be	take	arrive
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A birthday party is arranged to celebrate the day when one was born. It (a) — a happy occasion. Recently it (b) — a tradition to organize a birthday party. For organizing such a party, one (c) — to spend both time and money. He/she starts (d) — preparation from some days ago. A birthday cake (e) — earlier. Then, he/she invites his/her close friends and relatives. Usually friends (f) — to miss such a party. On the appointed day, he/she puts on the best dress and eagerly waits for the invited guests to (g) —. After the arrival of the guests, he/she cuts the birthday cake. By singing happy birthday to you, everybody (h) — him/her. The guests are highly (i) — with delicious foods and snacks. Sometimes there is arrangement for music with a view to (j) — the party more enjoyable.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Why are you putting up the foods in your pockets, sir? Why don't you eat?" asked the noble man. "I'm doing the right thing. My dress deserves these foods, " replied Sheikh Saadi, "I don't understand what you want to mean and I'm sorry, " said the noble man.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- How charming a moonlit night is! (Assertive)
- It presents a very beautiful sight. (Exclamatory)
- It dazzles our eyes and soothes our heart. (Negative)
- People of all ages enjoy a moonlit a night. (Interrogative)
- Little boys and girls make merriment to enjoy themselves. (Complex)
- Everybody likes a moonlit night. (Passive)
- Though the moon gives us light, it does not have the light of its own. (Compound)
- Very few beauties of nature are as charming as a moonlit night. (Comparative)
- Unless one enjoys the beauty of a moonlit night, one cannot explain it properly. (Simple)
- In fact, a moonlit night is very pleasant. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) 1971 is the year when —.
- (b) Bangladesh gained her freedom after —.
- (c) Our brave sons sacrificed their lives so that —.
- (d) We should pay due tribute to those heroes who —.
- (e) Unless we work unitedly, —.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Books are our best friends. They introduce us to the realm of (a) limited knowledge. The books of great (b) write contain noble thoughts and great ideas. We can (c) rich our mind by reading books. The reading of books brings (d) perfect. No spiritual progress and worldly (e) prosper can be imagined (f) with reading books. (g) true speaking, reading books is such a thing which has no (h) alternate. So, we should read books on (i) vary topics so that we may bring proper (j) develop of our spirit.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Many people hanker after money, —?
- (b) But money is not as valuable as morality, —?
- (c) Let us always keep this truth in mind, —?
- (d) Money can hardly bring happiness, —?
- (e) So, we should never have greed for money, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- It is known to all (a) — gold is a valuable metal. There are many metals cheaper than gold though they look like it. (b) — they glitter for sometimes, they fade away in the long run. In our society there are also many people (c) — are outwardly very gentle and polished. Later on, their real identity is revealed (d) — they do not exercise moral value. That's why people say, "All (e) — glitters is not gold."
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- what kind of stories did Aesop tell said Abdullah fables replied mr rahman do you know what fables are no replied abduallh well continued mr rahman fables are stories with a message or a moral

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Habib/Habiba and you have recently obtained MBA from Cumilla University. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The New Nation' that a renowned private company is going to appoint an Assistant Marketing Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are Shuvo/Sova, a student of class IX. Your school is a reputed school but there is no canteen in your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school for setting up a canteen in your school. 10
14. Write a paragraph on 'The Life of a Farmer'. 10
15. Write a composition about 'The Importance of Reading Newspaper.' 12

# Model Test 02 RAJSHAHI BOARD-2024

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

give	a	evil	contrary	from	enough	justice	ensure	deeds	result
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Self purification means to keep the soul free (a) — all kinds of sins as well as from (b) — deeds. This divine quality is (c) — must in our every day life. Only physical priority is not (d) —. mental purity should be (e) — more priority. Self purification inspires one to do good (f) —. On the (g) —. a bad man indulges in various sinful thoughts and deeds. He does not hesitate to do (h) — or any wrong doing. As a (i) —, social peace and order are disturbed. So the usefulness of self purification is undeniable for (j) — peace and harmony in the society.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

The Padma multi-purpose bridge has (a) — a new era in the history of Bangladesh. This mega project has been implemented (b) — any foreign aid. The southern 21 districts were cut (c) — from the main-land by the mighty Padma river. So, this vast area could not keep pace (d) — the other parts considering economic development. But direct connection with (e) — capital by this bridge is going to expand trade and commerce. Besides, tourism is also (f) — to speed up. All these are contributing much (g) — our economic growth and surely reduce the poverty of those (h) —. The construction of the bridge (i) — was our long-cherished (j) — at last came true.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

(a) Global warming	is rising	mainly responsible for it.
(b) Irresponsible activities of human beings	refers	due to global warming.
(c) Sea level	is	to the increase in the temperature of the globe.
(d) As a result, the coastal areas	can reduce	to be vulnerable.
(e) Using of renewable energy	are going	temperature rise to a great extent.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

throw	kill	work	have	release	ensure	be	live	originated	pollute
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Rivers generally (a) — from a mountain or a lake. They (b) — very much important for our existence and economy. But unfortunately we are (c) — our rivers by throwing industrial and domestic wastes. Most of the industries (d) — waste treatment plants. These kinds of industries are (e) — liquid wastes directly and continuously (f) — the water. Our unconscious people also (g) — different kinds of waste materials into rivers. So, to keep the existence of fishes and other species (h) — in the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the people (i) — together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment can't be (j) — for the next generation.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

“What are you reading?” Rifat said to Sifat. “I am reading an interesting drama written by Shakespeare. What an interesting drama it is! I have collected it from our school library”, said Sifat. “Please lend me the book”, said Rifat.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Water is one of the most useful elements in nature. (Positive)
- It is a very important asset. (Exclamatory)
- We cannot pass a single day without water. (Interrogative)
- Its main source is the rain that creates streams, lakes and rivers. (Compound)
- We have rain during the monsoon. (Complex)
- Heavy rainfall often causes flood. (Passive)
- Crops are damaged. (Active)
- Our winter is dry and rainless. (Negative)
- Does rainless winter bring good harvest? (Assertive)
- We can grow more crops if we can make the best use of rain. (Simple)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Hardly had he heard the news —.
- (b) She went to Dhaka so that —.
- (c) It is high time —.
- (d) Five years passed since —.
- (e) If I had been sincere to my studies, —.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- The nature of mother's love is the same in all countries. It is (a) universe. For our (b) exist on earth, we (c) great owe to our father and mother, (d) special to our mother. A mother's love is (e) parallel and unique. A child's (f) relate with its mother is (g) heaven and (h) spirit. We can (i) hard see a mother (j) different to her children.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Bangladesh came into being at the cost of a bloody war, —?
- (b) So, everyone has some duties and responsibilities to this country, —?
- (c) As a citizen of this country, we can hardly forget our duties, —?
- (d) I am proud to be a citizen of this country, —?
- (e) Let us work together to build up our country, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Facebook is a social medium (a) — is very popular. (b) — it provides the users with various information, all do not use it for positive purposes. Many Facebook users (c) — some of the youngsters sometimes use it whimsically which creates (d) — misunderstanding (e) — destroys social peace and order.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- do you know me yes i know you from my childhood, whats your name my name is sumon thank you a lot said mr Jamal.

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

12. Suppose, you are Samira/Shamim and you have passed B.Sc (Hons) Chemistry. You have seen a circular for the post of a Medical Representative in a renowned company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are Samin, a student of Rupnagar School. You are interested to go on a study tour. Now, write an application to the Headteacher of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10
14. Write a paragraph on “Our National Flag”. 10
15. Write a composition on “Your Favourite Hobby”. 12

# Model Test 03 JASHORE BOARD-2024

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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Language is the means (a) — which we share our thoughts and ideas (b) — others. It is our primary (c) — of communication. There are thousands of (d) — in the world but it is (e) — for a person to learn (f) — all. English is (g) — language of international communication. It is the most (h) — used language in the world. It also plays an essential role (i) — our lives. So, the importance (j) — learning English cannot be ignored.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

The earth is a vast planet. It is (a) — in shape. One third of its total area is land while the other three portions are covered with (b) —. The water areas are divided into oceans, seas and (c) —. The surface of the land area is (d) — of variety. There are high hills, green forests (e) — stretches of deserts. The land mass is divided (f) — some continents. Under each continent, there are a (g) — of countries. The interior of the earth is (h) — in mineral resources. There is existence of life only on (i) — earth. But, this existence of life would be impossible (j) — sunlight. In fact, sunlight is the prerequisite for the existence of all types of living beings.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below.  $1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) A man without an aim		a definite aim.
(b) So, everybody	be	more difficult than the choice of a profession.
(c) But nothing	becomes	like a ship without a rudder.
(d) Because there	should have	very difficult for a student.
(e) That is why, to choose a profession		many paths and courses open to all.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

focus	follow	control	wait	write	understand	read	upgrade	play	be
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Text books are the rich sources of information and knowledge. They (a) — a vital role in teaching-learning activities. If a student (b) — the text books thoroughly, hc/shc can get a clear idea about different topics. In the class room, teachers (c) — on the texts well. Unfortunately, some students (d) — the importance of reading text books. Again, in many schools guide books are (c) — in the class room. The concerned authority should monitor the class rooms with a view to (f) — this unexpected activity. Besides, teachers (g) — conscious of their duties and responsibilities. A strong foundation of knowledge is impossible without reading the text books well. These living sources of knowledge (h) — by the highly qualified educationists. The government is working relentlessly to (i) — the standard of the text books. The nation (j) — eagerly for the days when our students will lend Bangladesh applying their knowledge, skill and wisdom.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.  $5$

Mother said to Nafi, "What are you doing now?" "I am doing my homework, " said Nafi. "Why did not you do it yesterday?" asked mother. "I was ill yesterday, " said Nafi. "Can I help you?" said mother.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.  $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Water is a liquid substance. (Interrogative)
- It is used for various purposes in our daily life. (Active)
- We drink water to satisfy our thirst. (Complex)
- We get water from many sources. (Passive)
- Surface water is not safe for drinking. (Affirmative)
- We should drink tube-well water. (Imperative)
- Polluted water is very dangerous for our life. (Exclamatory)
- If we throw wastage and dirt into water, we make it polluted. (Simple)
- Pure water is one of the most valuable things for our lives. (Positive)
- Who can live without water? (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) A man is known ———.
- (b) ——— while choosing a companion.
- (c) Students must avoid evil companions so that ———.
- (d) If a student mixes with evil companions, ———.
- (e) It is high time ———.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- A computer consists of both hardwares and softwares. The (a) touch components are called hardwares. On the other hand the (b) touchable programmes are called softwares. Hardwares and softwares are interdependent. Without one, the other is (c) value. Software (d) design are called software engineers. Software engineering is a (e) demand subject in a university. A well designed software can solve any problem. Business organizations (f) include banks are completely dependent on softwares. In fact, office (g) manage can't be thought of without the application of proper softwares. For the (h) develop of our software industry, the government has already set up a number of high-tech parks. Our software engineers arc working (i) restless to develop newer softwares to make our life easy and (j) comfort.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Patriotism persuades a man to do everything just, ———?
- (b) A patriot hardly fears anybody, ———?
- (c) Everybody respects a patriot, ———?
- (d) What an outstanding quality it is! ———?
- (e) Let's be patriots, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- We know that trees are very important (a) ——— they produce oxygen (b) ——— is a must for all living creatures. They are our best friends (c) ——— we are not conscious of it. Time is coming (d) ——— there will be no tree left for us. (e) ———, we should plant more and more trees for our own sake.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- won't you go to school today raju he said dad i feel feverish i dont want to go to school ok take rest now said he.

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Rashed Alnned/Rasheda Rahman and after graduation you have completed a course on computer. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of a computer operator in an organization. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are Nabil/Nabila of City Model High School, Khulna. There is a library in your school but the facilities are not sufficient. Now. write an application to the Headmaster requesting him for increasing library facilities. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "A School Magazine". 10
15. Write a composition on "The Season You Like Most". 12

# Model Test 04 CUMILLA BOARD-2024

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

nutrition	normal	illiterate	grow	ability	malnutrition	due	rapid	aware	nutrition
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Adolescence or puberty is a period after childhood. During this period physical and mental (a) — of boys and girls is so (b) — that they need proper amount of (c) — food. But many boys and girls are not (d) — of this fact. So often they suffer from (e) — which hampers their (f) — growth. Even some parents do not have the (g) — to provide their children with the (h) — they need. Sometimes it happens (i) — to the parents' reluctance, unawareness or (j) —.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Man is a social being. So he lives (a) — a society. Mutual understanding and cooperation are (b) — to ensure a peaceful society, (c) — produce ideal members of a (d) —, an ideal family contributes a (e) —. A child's future behaviour is greatly influenced (f) — the culture of his family, (g) — a child is born and brought (h) — in a rude and chaotic environment, he also becomes (i) — in behaviour and creates (j) — and indiscipline in the society.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Physical fitness		physical exercise regularly.
Physical exercise	is	a precondition to lead a healthy life.
People of all ages	take	essential for achieving physical fitness.
Many changes	should take	a balanced diet.
Beside physical exercise, everybody		place inside body due to physical exercise.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

ensure	create	waste	divide	remain	do	appear	save	execute	end
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Proper time management makes it possible to complete any work timely. If a person (a) — his works into smaller portions and (b) — them accordingly, the whole work will be (c) — in time. Time is not (d) — because of doing the work in a planned way. As a result, enough time (e) —. Besides proper use of time (f) — by doing the work in this process. As each piece of work (g) — quickly, opportunity to do additional works (h) —. Again due to time management, no part of work (i) — difficult and no work (j) — pending.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

The teacher entered the classroom and said, "Dear students, are all of you present today?" "Except Rina, all are present, sir," said the captain. "She has not come because of her mother's illness." "Oh! What a sad news it is! May her mother come round soon," said the teacher.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Strategy is the most important thing in the examination. (Comparative)
- No answer in the exam should be elaborated unnecessarily. (Active)
- When a student gets the question paper, he should read it attentively. (Simple)
- Initially the questions may seem difficult. (Negative)
- A student should try to answer all the questions to do good in the exam. (Complex)
- If a student answers all the questions correctly, he will get good marks. (Simple)
- A student should not write irrelevant answers. (Affirmative)
- How irritated the examiners become to see such irrelevant answers! (Assertive)
- The examinee should not waste time by doing so. (Passive)
- By following the process, every student can achieve a good result in an examination. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Five years have passed since —.
- Hurry up lest —.
- We love and help one another as if —.
- We can learn moral values if —.
- Students stopped playing after —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- The other name of water is life. Clean water is (a) drink. Dirty water is (b) safe. Clean water is (c) contaminate and (d) suit for drinking. Bangladesh is a (e) river country. But we get (f) adequate water for use. The water of most of our rivers is (g) filth and (h) poison. We should keep surface water clean for our health and (i) long. The government should play an (j) act role to keep water safe.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Slow and steady wins the race, ———?
- (b) The mother has risen in her to see the orphan, ———?
- (c) He hardly cast a vote for me, ———?
- (d) Kindly do me a favour, ———?
- (e) I need not go there, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- It is known to all (a) ——— about half of our population are women. They are entitled to equal rights and privileges (b) ——— men enjoy, (c) ——— in reality, they do not get their dues. For the true development of our country, they should be given proper education and training. (d) ——— every woman is a potential mother and her influence on her children is very great. (e) ———, we should pay proper attention to our women folk.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- how dare you wake me up the lion roared i shall kill you for that please let me go the mouse cried.

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Rimon/Rima of 40/A Station Road, Dinajpur. You have completed MBA from a renowned university. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in a reputed newspaper for the position of a Public Relation Officer in a Life Insurance Company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Milon/Mili, a student of Pragati Bidya Niketon, Jhenidah. Your school needs a multimedia classroom with internet facilities, as technology is an integral part of modern education. Now, write an application to your Headmaster on behalf of all the students of the school requesting him to take necessary steps for setting up a multimedia classroom with internet facility in your school. 10
14. Write a paragraph on “Environment Pollution” in about 250 words. 10
15. Write a composition on “A Journey You have Recently Made.” 12

# Model Test 05 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2024

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

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## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

about	between	of	basic	no	educate	almost	right	will	light
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Education removes our ignorance and gives us the (a) — of knowledge. In respect (b) — imparting education, there should be (c) — discrimination (d) — man and woman. Education is one of the (e) — human rights. If we deprive woman of the (f) — of education (g) — half of our population (h) — remain in darkness. No development can be brought (i) — without the participation of woman. So, the government is doing everything to (j) — the womenfolk.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Modern civilization is the (a) — of science. Science has worked (b) — a magician in the world. We can't do even a (c) — day without the help of science. Many quick means (d) — communication like telephone, telex, fax, telegram, satellite etc. are (e) — greatest wonders of science. Nowadays a message can be sent from one corner of the world to another in the twinkle of (f) — eye. Science has brought a revolutionary (g) — in all fields. In the field of medical science (h) — has got eyes, lame has got legs, deaf has got hearing power. (i) — diseases which were incurable in the past are now easily (j) —.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

	gives	us news of home and abroad.
Newspaper	has	useful to all section of people.
It	are	great educative value too.
They	present	really part and parcel of our life.
	is	us the outside world like a mirror.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

command	prepare	claim	memorize	develop	help	do	think	make	exercise
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Most of the students of our country are expert in (a) — answers. They do not (b) — notes themselves. They get them (c) — by their tutors. Their tutors (d) — their brain for the students. So, the (e) — power of the students does not (f) —, They do not have any (g) — of their language. They, of course, (h) — well in the examination. But for this, they can (i) — no credit of their own. This result does not (j) — them in their later life.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

“I've got GPA-5 in the SSC Examination”, said Abir. “Congratulations, brother!” I said. “What do you intend to do now?” “I wish to study in a reputed college ” Abir replied.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Internet is a computer-based networking system. (Interrogative)
- It is a speedy transmitting system of information. (Complex)
- Its functions are not only smooth but also rapid. (Affirmative)
- A man has an internet connection and gets a link soon. (Simple)
- Many educational institutions are greatly benefited through the use of internet. (Complex)
- A student can visit all the renowned libraries of the world without going there. (Passive)
- It plays an effective role in the field of trade and commerce. (Exclamatory)
- E-commerce has become one of the most popular topics to the customers. (Comparative)
- It helps the customers to buy anything easily without going to market. (Compound)
- What an amazing milestone it is in the modern world of communication ! (Assertive)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Unless you study attentively —.
- Walk fast lest —.
- He will swim after —.
- Danger often comes where —.
- We should take a rest so that —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Mobile phone is a great (a) invent of modem science. The (b) consume of mobile phone are increasing day by day. People are getting benefits. But it is (c) fortunate that mobile phone sometimes (d) comes a cause of health hazard, especially the (e) child are affected much. According to the (f) science mobile phone causes brain tumours, genetic damage and many other (g) cure diseases. They believe that (h) visible uncontrolled radioactivity of mobile phone causes (i) repairable damage to human body. They say that the (j) govern should control radioactive sources.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Everybody believes this truth, ———?
- (b) We hardly forget the golden past, ———?
- (c) Nothing was said, ———?
- (d) Don't disturb me, ———?
- (e) Let's be sincere in our life, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Morning walk is a good habit for all classes of people. (a) ——— it is a simple exercise, it is good for health both physically (b) ——— mentally. (c) ——— the morning air is fresh and free from any kind of noise and pollutions, it keeps us sound and healthy. Morning walk costs nothing (d) ——— gives more. (e) ——— we should make the habit of morning walk.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- the teacher said to the girl do you think that honesty is the best policy yes sir i think so said the girl then learn to be honest from your childhood thank you sir said the girl may aliah bless you said the teacher

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Omai Borua. You have recently passed HSC. You have found a job advertisement in a national newspaper that there is a vacant post for the position of a Salesman in a manufacturing company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are Munna/Munni, a student of Govt. M.C. Academy, Sylhet. You don't have a computer club in your school. Now, write an application to your Head teacher to set up a Computer Club. 10
14. Write a paragraph on 'The Life of a Farmer' in about 200' words. 10
15. Write a composition on 'Your Favourite Game' in about 250 words. 12

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

with	for	compliment	of	from	in	the	leisure	idle
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Leisure is the moment when a person is free (a) — his work as well as his worries and tensions. It is (b) — free time when we can enjoy ourselves (c) — doing something. So leisure is pleasure but it is not wasting time in (d) —. In fact, leisure and labour are (e) —. In leisure we have freedom (f) — doing what gives us pleasure and refreshes our mind. Our life is full (g) — duties. In spite of being very busy in the present age, we cannot deny the need of (h) — in life. A little leisure refreshes our mind and we can start working again (i) — renewed energy. Leisure makes us fit (j) — doing more difficult work.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

You are the students of class ten. (a) — highest class of the school. To come to this (b) — you had to undergo (c) — lot of hardship and had to make effort. None of you can deny the fact of getting help (d) — many dedicated and friendly teachers. This is however, (e) — usual process. What tremendous jobs the teachers shouldered to bring you (f) — this stage. All these have been done to you to help you (g) — becoming a (h) — person, having (i) — ability and integrity (j) — your own excellence.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Independence	went	the war.
No nation	joined	to the battle field.
Our war of independence	is	to save the country.
People of all walks of life	took place	it without struggle.
They	can achieve	in 1971.
		the birth right of a man.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

enable	give	exercise	send	do	compare	mean	be	bring
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Science (a) — simply miracle. It (b) — about a change over the face of the globe. It (c) — man to control the forces of Nature and employ them to his service. With the help of science we can now (d) — messages across the seas, fly in the air like the winged bird. Modern science may (e) — to Aladin's magic lamp. Cinema, radio, television, gramophone, electric fan and watch (f) — all the gifts of modern science. The cinema (g) — the moving and talking pictures of men and women. It (h) — a great influence in our daily life. The radio (i) — us to listen to the talks of people living hundreds of miles away from us across seas and mountains. The television (j) — pictures seen through the wireless.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

The teacher said to Shafin, "Why are you talking in the class? You should behave yourself." Shafin replied, "Sir, I am sorry. I am asking Sifat to lend me his pen. My pen has run out."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Who does not want to succeed in life? (Assertive)
- Being industrious, everyone can prosper in life. (Negative)
- It is not an easy thing. (Affirmative)
- The idle always lag behind. (Complex)
- We must work hard so that we can earn money. (Simple)
- By working hard, we can improve our lot. (Compound)
- The light of prosperity can be seen by a hard working person. (Active)
- Women should work as much as men. (Comparative)
- We should remember that industry is the key to success. (Passive)
- An idle man leads a very miserable life. (Exclamatory)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- Cricket is a game —.
  - Boys and girls of our country —.
  - Though cricket is a costly game, —.
  - Bangladesh is a test playing country —.
  - to upgrade the standard.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Child labour is considered a matter of (a) grace for a nation. Wherever children are employed either it is domestic work or factory work, either it is rickshaw pulling or working in a shop or hotel, they are (b) treated. Their (c) employ don't give them their due rights. Children work for longer period in (d) healthy and (e) favourable condition and what is (f) sorrow they are not given due wages. Many children do the work of the adults and often do the (g) risk and (h) danger work. Strict laws should be (i) forced against employing children in manual work. Their parents should be (j) courage to send their children to school.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- At present extended families are found in rural areas, —?
  - There're many members in extended families, —?
  - The house is always full of guests, —?
  - It becomes very difficult for one to study, —?
  - In the same room children are found reading, gossiping and sleeping, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Almost all countries of the world suffer from the curse of unemployment problem. (a) — nowhere in the world this problem is so acute as in our country. There are many reasons behind it. (b) — our country is industrially backward. (c) — our system of education fails to give a student an independent start of life. It has little provision for vocational training. (d) — our students and youths have a false sense of dignity. (e) — they run after jobs only.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- why don't you attend classes regularly the teacher said to the boy you cannot expect good results unless you attend classes as i tell you i am sorry sir said the student

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Nafiz/Nafisa. A computer programmer will be appointed in the National ICT Research Centre, Dhaka. So, a vacancy advertisement has been published in "The Daily Star" for the post. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Tanim/Tonima, a student of Pioneer High School, Rangpur. You are facing some problems in your school library especially the inadequacy of books essential for preparing notes. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school, praying for enhancing library facilities. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag". 10
15. Write a composition on "Importance of Reading Newspapers". 12

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Dengue fever is (a) — tropical virus-infected disease. It is (b) — in more than 110 countries. It is (c) — by dengue virus. The fever is spread by (d) — Aedes mosquitoes. When the mosquito (e) — a man, the virus enters the blood cell, grows-rapidly and attacks many (f) — of the body. There is (g) — specific medicine to treat dengue infection. So, we must put emphasis (h) — preventive measures. For this we must keep our surroundings clean to stop (i) — of Aedes mosquitoes. Again we must not (j) — to accumulate water in any open space for more than two days.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Our forests are a part of our environment. To (a) — ecological balance, forests are necessary. But the amount of forests of the country (b) — being shrunk day by day. Some people remain (c) — with their personal benefits. They do not (d) — of the environment. Trees produce oxygen and (e) — the environment cool and prevent the rise of temperature. Whereas, some greedy people, out of their self-interest, (f) — the forests by cutting down trees at (g) —. They should know and realize that indiscriminate (h) — down of trees destroys the ecological balance. They should also realize that if this destruction (i) — one day our country may turn into a desert. We hope that they will ultimately realize the (j) —.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

(a) The Republic of Maldives	faces	the tourists across the world.
(b) The location of the country	be	the country every year.
(c) Its heavenly beaches	visit	a south Asian country.
(d) Millions of tourists from different countries	attract	the bad impact of climate change.
(e) Unfortunately the country	be	in the Indian ocean.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

throw	kill	work	have	release	be	ensure	live	originate	pollute
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Rivers generally (a) — from a mountain or a lake. They (b) — very much important for our existence and economy. But unfortunately we are (c) — our rivers by throwing industrial and domestic wastes. Most of the industries, (d) — waste treatment plants. These kinds of Industries are (e) — liquid wastes and continuously (f) — the water. Our unconscious people also (g) — different kinds of waste materials into rivers. So, to keep the existence of fishes and other species (h) — In the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the people (i) — together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment can't be (j) — for the next generation.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

“What are you reading?” Rifat said to Sifat. “I am reading an interesting drama written by Shakespeare. What an interesting drama it is! I have collected it from our school library,” said Sifat “Please lend me the book”, said Rifat.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- The Padma is one of the mightiest rivers of Bangladesh. (Positive)
- It is a very turbulent river. (Exclamatory)
- When it is winter, the river remains calm and tranquil. (Simple)
- But during the rainy season, the river assumes a terrible shape. (Compound)
- Everybody knows this. (Interrogative)
- The river is used for different purposes. (Active)
- As our farmers use its water for irrigation purpose, they can grow plenty of crops. (Compound)
- Everyone likes the Hilsa fish of the river. (Negative)
- The river destroys the houses of men but it is still very useful to us. (Complex)
- So, we should save this useful river. (Imperative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Since Bangladesh is an agricultural country, —.
- (b) As its economy depends on agriculture, —.
- (c) We have to develop our cultivation so that —.
- (d) Despite working hard, our farmers do not get what —.
- (e) Steps should be taken to improve their condition because —.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Everybody wants to be happy. But (a) happy is not attained so (b) easy. It is a relative term. A man with huge wealth may remain (c) happy. Whereas a day labourer may get ample (d) happy if he has (e) satisfy over the (f) limit money he earns everyday. (g) actual, for being happy or unhappy, a man is (h) psychology motivated. So, it (i) full depends on one's (j) mental.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Industry is the key to success, —?
- (b) The industrious are prosperous, —?
- (c) They hardly suffer from poverty, —?
- (d) On the other hand, idleness is a curse, —?
- (e) The idle seldom prosper, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Facebook is a social medium (a) — is very popular, (b) — it provides the users with various information, all do not use it for positive purposes. Many facebook users (c) — some of the youngsters sometimes use it whimsically which creates (d) — misunderstanding (e) — destroys the social peace.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- the old woman said, can you give me some food i have been starving for three days the young man said why do you beg cant you work

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Rann/Ratna. You have completed MBA and you have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The Daily Star' for the post of a Senior Officer in a private bank. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the General Manager for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are Nabil/Nabila, a student of class 9 of Balaka Model High School, Rajshahi. Students of your school feel the necessity of opening a canteen in the school campus. Now, write an application to your Head Teacher, on behalf of the students of the whole school, praying for opening a canteen in the school campus. 10
14. **Suppose, one day you visited a tea stall in your locality. You stayed there for about an hour and had some experiences about the stall. Now, write a paragraph on "A Tea Stall".** 10
15. Suppose, as a student you are sincere in study and alongside your academic study, you read newspapers regularly. Now, write a composition on "The Importance of Reading Newspapers". 12

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Sports are very essential (a) — us. There are various types of sports. Among them cricket, football, swimming etc. are very (b) —. All types of sports are (c) — to us. There is a relation (d) — the body and the mind. A sound mind lies in a sound body” is a wise (e) —. In order to gain success in life, we should have sound health which depends (f) — regular (g) — in games and sports. Sports keep us (h) — fit. Sports play (i) — important role in forming one’s (j) —.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 English is a widely (a) — language. In our country we (b) — it as a (c) — language. It is not our (d) — tongue. Naturally, it is very (e) — to learn. We have a very poor (f) —. on this language. As a result, we don’t (g) — interest in this language. For all these (h) — English is (i) — for us to (i) —.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Everybody	creates	love which is the food of our soul.
Love	should	divine.
We	is	love.
It	need	inspiration to go ahead.
		love all the creations of God.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

lag	reach	lead	follow	depend	build	remember	be	idle	work
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Bangladesh is full of natural resources. The prosperity of the country (a) — on the proper utilization of the resources. We should not (b) — lazy life. We should all (c) — up our country. For this reason, we have to (d) — hard. No nation can prosper without industry. We should (e) — that industry is the key to success. If we (f) — the days away, we (g) — behind. The nations that (h) — industrious (i) — the pinnacle of development. So, we should (j) — them.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 “Why did you not go to school yesterday?” said the mother to the girl. “I was ill mom,” the girl replied. “How are you today?” The mother asked again. “Well” said the girl. “Don’t worry for me”.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- A Journey by train is always enjoyable. (Negative)
- People are fond of a journey by train. (Interrogative)
- It is not unpleasant. (Affirmative)
- When a man makes a journey by train, he can enjoy natural scenery. (Simple)
- People like it as it is cheap. (compound)
- There are class distinction in a train and people can buy tickets of various classes. (Complex)
- Train is one of the most comfortable vehicles. (Comparative)
- A man can enjoy a train journey. (Passive)
- It was introduced by the British govt. (Active)
- A train journey is very safe. (Exclamatory)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- If you are up and doing in studies —.
- Read attentively lest —.
- Failing in the examination —.
- So, it is high time for you —.
- that a stitch in time saves nine.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Honey is (a) nature produced by honey bees through (b) collect of nectar from (c) differ flowers and then store them in the hive. But now-a-days there are (d) keep who rear bees in (e) wood hives and produce honey (f) commercial. This is (g) full chemical and hazard free activity. With the support of the govt. and (h) government organizations (i) approximate 300 bee keepers have been trained for honey (j) produce.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) None can solve this problem, ——?  
 (b) Everybody hates them, ——?  
 (c) Let's do the work, ——?  
 (d) Telling lies is a great sin, ——?  
 (e) How nice the bird is! ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Trees are very important (a) —— . They produce oxygen (b) —— is a must for man and all living beings. We must realize (c) —— they help us in many ways. (d) —— trees are less in number, there will be an increased amount of carbon di-oxide in the atmosphere (e) —— it will enhance greenhouse effect.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- the man said to me where are you going i am going to Varsity said i did you go to Varsity yesterday no i replied why did you not go i was very busy said i.

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

12. Suppose, you are Samir/Samirah. You have passed H.S.C examination with a Computer Diploma. You have seen a vacancy that Cantonment Public School and College, Chattogram is going to recruit a Computer Operator. You want to do the job. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Rabeya/Rubel. You are studying in Rangpur Zilla School, Rangpur. You and some of your friends need some extra classes on English Grammar. Now, write an application to your Headmaster requesting him to arrange some extra classes after regular classes. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "A Winter Morning". 10
15. Write a composition on "Your Favourite Hobby". 12

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 3 hours

Full marks : 100

[ N.B. The figures in the right margin indicate full marks. ]

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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A man cannot remember everything that happened in his (a) —. But certain events are vivid in his (b) — mind. They sometimes peep (c) — his mind's eye. Very simple and trifling things are the centre of (d) — to a child. When a man grows up, he may laugh (e) — those things. For example, at the age of 6 or 7, when children's teeth start to fall, they start looking for a rat's hole, (f) — in villages. Because they have heard that if they put the (g) — tooth in a rat's hole, the rat will give them one of (h) — teeth. Believing that they find out a rat's hole (i) — put the fallen tooth inside it. This incident makes them laugh (j) — they grow up.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

To earn fame in life man has to possess some good qualities. Among them honesty is the best. The man (a) — possesses this quality is the happiest man (b) — the earth. All the people respect him (c) — his honesty. On the other hand (d) — dishonest man is hated by all. By telling (e) —, a man may prosper for the time (f) —, but finally he is to suffer a (g) —. We must be honest (h) — our thoughts and deeds. Childhood is the best time to (i) — honesty. It is our moral (j) — to give our children proper idea about what is right and what is wrong.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Culture		badly confluence by the negative impacts of western culture.
It	be	Very fond of showing hospitality.
Hospitality	represent	a term used for a way of life.
We		A society's beliefs, customs, languages, foods etc.
But nowadays our culture		a part of Bangladeshi culture.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

talk	enable	live	prove	be	choose	give	fail	suffer	take
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There are several reasons why friendship (a) — so necessary in human life. A man without a friend feels like a man (b) — alone in an isolated place. Moreover, it (c) — him lead his life in a better way. By (d) — to a friend a man can get relief. The advice (e) — by a friend is sometimes more reliable than his own judgement. Thus, it (f) — that friendship is really important. But a man must (g) — time while (h) — a friend. If he (i) — to select the right person as a friend, he (j) — in the long run.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

The teacher said to Rafiq, "Why didn't you come to school yesterday?" Rafiq said. "Sorry, sir. I took my mother to the hospital." The teacher said. "How sad the news is! May she get well soon."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Corruption is one of the worst evils. (Positive)
- A corrupt person can do any thing against morality. (Complex)
- People hate a corrupt person. (Passive)
- Nobody respects him. (interrogative)
- Though we have strict laws, we are still affected by this evil. (Compound)
- No other person is as hated as a corrupt person. (Superlative)
- We hope that Bangladesh will be free from this evil. (Simple)
- Everybody avoids a corrupt person. (Negative)
- A corrupt person leads a very unhappy life. (Exclamatory)
- Let us all work together to make Bangladesh a corruption free country. (Assertive)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Walk fast lest ———.
- (b) I saw the baby ———.
- (c) Ten years have passed since ———.
- (d) Though he works hard, ———.
- (e) If I were a bird, ———.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Life without leisure and (a) relax is dull. Life becomes (b) charm if one does not have any time to enjoy the (c) beauty objects of nature. (d) monotony work hinders the (e) smooth of work. Leisure (f) rich our spirit to work. Everybody knows that (g) work is (h) harm. Leisure does not mean (i) idle. It gives freshness by (j) charge our energy.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Patriotism is a noble virtue, ———?
- (b) Wise people teach us to love our own country, ———?
- (c) We should remember that motherland is above everything, ———?
- (d) Some people forget it, ———?
- (e) We hope that everybody will love his motherland, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- We can't deny the importance of tree plantation, (a) ——— our lives on earth directly or indirectly depend on it. (b) ——— it is a matter of sorrow that we are cutting down trees indiscriminately. (c) ——— trees are planted more and more, soon our country will turn into a desert. (d) ———, there will be a harmful change in the climate. (e) ———, we should plant more and more trees for our own sake.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- hi Jhorna, Im coming to Bangladesh next month Will you receive me at the airport said Meghla. Dont worry Ill be there Jhorna said.

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

12. Suppose, 'X' Group of Companies will appoint some Account, Officers. You, Tahsin/Tahsina have completed your MBA and are interested to be an Accounts Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Tahmid/Tahmida You are a student of Kazi Nazrul Islam Memorial High School, Bogura. The students of your class are interested to go on a study tour. So, you need the permission of the Headmaster of your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10
14. Write a paragraph in 250 words on Our National Flag. 10
15. Write a composition on The Season You Like Most. 12

# Model Test 10 DHAKA BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Rangamati is one of (a) — most attractive hilly districts of Bangladesh. It is located (b) — the western bank of Kaptai lake. Most of the visitors visit the place for its (c) — eye-catching natural beauty. Nature has adorned this town (d) — all the elements of beauty. (e) — hills covered with green trees present (f) — unique sight. There are many tourist spots here. The suspension bridge of Rangamati is (g) — attraction for the tourists. It is also a home of several (h) — ethnic groups. (i) — trip to Rangamati would be (j) — outstanding experience for the nature lovers.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

independent	nature	neighbour	large	share	number	abode	source	to	Asia
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Bangladesh is a south (a) — country. It is blessed with (b) — beauty. Natural resources abound in this country. Bangladesh (c) — boundary with India and Myanmar. The three sides of the country are surrounded by these two (d) —. The Bay of Bengal is (e) — the south of Bangladesh. The majority of the (f) — mangrove forest Sundarbans lies in this country. This forest is the (g) — of the world famous Royal Bengal Tiger. A (h) — of rivers criss-crossed this forest. It is also a great (i) — of natural wealth. Bangladesh got her (j) — through a nine month long freedom war.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

(a) Global warming	i. is rising	i. mainly responsible for it.
(b) Irresponsible activities of human beings	ii. refers	ii. due to global warming.
(c) Sea level	iii. are	iii. to the increase in the temperature of the globe.
(d) As a result, the coastal areas	iv. must come	iv. temperature rise to a great extent.
(e) Using of renewable energy	v. are going	v. to an agreement to fight against this disaster.
(f) So, world leaders	vi. can reduce	vi. to be vulnerable.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

obey	ensure	be	expect	refer	have	require	respect	hamper	reflect
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Social value (a) — to customs, beliefs, special practices and norms. It (b) — the culture of a nation. It (c) — great educative value in our life. In the past, people were very much conscious of (d) — social value in each and every walk of life. Earlier each and every person (e) — very careful of social value. But at present our social value is in a great threat. Young people don't (f) — duly to their elders that result in social degradation. As a result, peace and order and decent life are greatly (g) —. So with a view to (h) — peace and order in the society, social value is badly (i) —. Without social value we can't (j) — decent, comfortable, happy and peaceful life.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- The moon is the only sub-planet of the Earth. (Interrogative)
- It is very charming to look at. (Exclamatory)
- Everybody is charmed with its beauty. (Active)
- Who doesn't like the moon? (Affirmative)
- The moon is the most beautiful thing. (Positive)
- Only the moon shines at night. (Negative)
- Poets have composed many poems about the beauty of it. (Passive)
- What an exiting scene the full-moon presents! (Assertive)
- The moon is not as big as the earth. (Comparative)
- We should go out at night to enjoy a moonlit night. (Imperative)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) "Industry is the key to success," —.
- (b) If we want to build up our career, —.
- (c) —, we can reach our expected destination.
- (d) A hardworking student is sure —.
- (e) It is high time —.
7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Knowledge (a) (light) our mind. It enables a man to have (b) (master) over all forces of nature. There are so many wild beasts which are (c) (strong) than man. There are forces in nature such as (d) (light) and thunder, flood and earthquake etc. which can destroy a man and (e) (civil) in a moment. But a man rules over them all and makes them serve (f) (accord) to his wish. He makes use of the solar power to (g) (bright) the night. He is the (h) (conquer) of time and space. All discoveries and (i) (invent) are the results of (j) (know). It makes him (k) (doubt) the mightiest of all the (l) (create) in the universe. To maintain (m) (superior), man has to work (n) (through) his life.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- (a) Modesty is a great virtue, —? —?
- (b) The modest always respect their superiors, —? —?
- (c) Everybody likes a modest person, —? —?
- (d) A modest student hardly fails to reach his goal, —? —?
- (e) Let's try to be modest in our way of life, —? —?
- (f) Avoid the immodest companions, —? —?
- (g) An ideal student is always modest in his behaviour, —? —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- mehdi said to nitu whats your programme after the text examination nitu said i have decided to visit the padma bridge what an excellent idea it is

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

10. Suppose, you are Salam/Salma and you have completed your post graduation degree. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of an Assistant Teacher of English in a famous school. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 15
11. Suppose, you are the inhabitants of Polashpur under Homna Upazila, Cumilla. The main road of your locality is severely damaged. Now, write a complaint letter to the DC, Cumilla requesting him to take necessary steps for repairing the road immediately. 10
12. Write a paragraph on "Your School Library". 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Rangamati is one of (a) — most attractive hilly districts of Bangladesh. It is located (b) — the western bank of Kaptai lake. Most of the visitors visit the place for its (c) — eye-catching natural beauty. Nature has adorned this town (d) — all the elements of beauty. (e) — hills covered with green trees present (f) — unique sight. There are many tourist spots here. The suspension bridge of Rangamati is (g) — attraction for the tourists. It is also a home of several (h) — ethnic groups. (i) — trip to Rangamati would be (j) — outstanding experience for the nature lovers.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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The Padma multi-purpose bridge has opened a new (a) — in the history of Bangladesh. This (b) — project has been implemented (c) — any foreign aid. The southern 21 districts were cut (d) — from the mainland by the mighty Padma river. So, this vast area could not keep pace with the other parts (e) — economic development. But, direct connection with the capital by this bridge is going to expand (f) — and commerce. Besides, (g) — is also going to speed up. All these are contributing a lot to our economic (h) — and surely reduce the (i) — of those regions. The construction of the bridge which was our long-cherished (j) — at last came true.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

(a) Wildlife	i. is	i. on wildlife.
(b) Balance of ecosystem largely	ii. refers	ii. harmful to wildlife.
(c) Any development	iii. depends	iii. to all animals, plants found in the forests.
(d) Urbanization and industrialization	iv. should take	iv. be extinct.
(e) As a result, many animals	v. have also increased	v. united efforts to protect wildlife.
(f) For our own existence, we	vi. are going to	vi. deforestation to a great extent.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

obey	ensure	be	expect	refer	have	require	respect	hamper	reflect
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Social value (a) — to customs, beliefs, special practices and norms. It (b) — the culture of a nation. It (c) — great educative value in our life. In the past, people were very much conscious of (d) — social value in each and every walk of life. Earlier each and every person (e) — very careful of social value. But at present our social value is in a great threat. Young people don't (f) — duly to their elders that result in social degradation. As a result, peace and order and decent life are greatly (g) —. So with a view to (h) — peace and order in the society, social value is badly (i) —. Without social value we can't (j) — decent, comfortable, happy and peaceful life.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Newspaper is one of the most useful sources of knowledge. (Positive)
- It carries both local and international news. (Negative)
- It reflects the whole world like a mirror. (Interrogative)
- We cannot help reading newspaper daily. (Affirmative)
- It contains daily news. (Passive)
- We are helped in many ways by it. (Active)
- By reading newspaper, we can enrich our knowledge.
- It is called the people's parliament. (Active)
- Nothing is so important as it. (Comparative)
- We should read newspaper to know the outside world more. (Imperative)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- "Health is wealth," —.
  - Everybody should realize this truth to —.
  - If we follow the rules of health, —.
  - One can keep oneself safe by —.
  - Immune system can be developed by —.
7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Bangladesh is mainly a (a) river and (b) agriculture country. (c) major of her people live in villages and most of them are farmers. (d) fortunate the condition of our farmers is (e) satisfactory. They can (f) hard lead a carefree life. Their life is full of miseries and (g) advantages. They can't plough their land (h) proper due to (i) finance and (j) technology support. They need assistance from the (k) govern to come out of their age-old (l) convention method. Scientific system of cultivation is going to be (m) gradual successful and (n) effect.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- War is a curse of human civilization, —?
  - Everybody suffers from it, —?
  - Massive destruction is found everywhere, —?
  - None can escape from the bombings of the enemy, —?
  - Women and children are the worst suffers, —?
  - Nobody supports the war, —?
  - Let's avoid war to live in peace, —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- once my mother said to me who came to you my friend rafiq mom she asked what did he want i said his mother is ill he needs some money i have given him five hundred taka my mother said wonderful

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

- Suppose, some junior officers will be appointed in Dhaka Bank Ltd. You, Samin/Samia are interested to be a junior officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the above post. 15
- Suppose, you are Nadir/Nadira, a student of Nurpur school. There are lack of common room facilities. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster of your school to increase common room facilities as soon as possible. 10
- Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag." 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Computers are used (a) — many ways. For example, (b) — computer's memory may carry the names, addresses and flight numbers of air plane passengers. (c) — ticket agent can find (d) — almost instantly, by typing (e) — flight number, whether there is a seat available (f) — a particular plane. At flight time, the computer can make a list of all the passengers (g) — the plane. Computers can also solve many problems. (h) — many bits of information can be compared (i) — one another. Mathematical calculations can then be performed (j) — them.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

way	fair	acquire	learners	supervise	degrade	suffer	case	assess	examination
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Examination is the process of (a) — the academic knowledge of the (b) —. So, it should be absolutely (c) —. The authority should conduct and (d) — it in the best possible (e) —. Adopting unethical activities in the (f) — is a great offence. It (g) — the standard of education. In (h) — of the students failure to (i) — true education, the nation will (j) — greatly. So all students should make the best use of time in order to be truly educated.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

Joynul Abedin	was honoured	pictures secretly.
He	drew	to Kolkata.
At the age of 15, he	was	not like the hard and fast rules of schools.
So he	went	born at a village in Kishoreganj in 1914.
He	did	with the title 'Shilpacharya' for his artistic and visionary qualities.
At the age of 19, he	got	himself admitted into Kolkata Govt. Art College.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

be	bring	neglect	spend	lose	possesses	claim	pay	neglect	lose
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Most of us (a) — the wrong mentality of measuring success in life. Many poor adults (b) — that the possession of wealth (c) — peace of mind in life. But it (d) — not always true. Many have (e) — their health to gain wealth, but later (f) — much of their wealth to regain health. Isn't that ironical? Again there are also a number of people who had (g) — high prices for possessing their present wealth. They have (h) — friends and family and have (i) — opportunities to spend precious moments with people around them. Besides, many have (j) — peace within themselves for wanting more and more of everything.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- (a) I am sure that man is the maker of his own fortune. (Negative)  
 (b) A man has to make a proper use of his time to shine in life. (Imperative)  
 (c) Who doesn't know it? (Passive voice)  
 (d) The lazy suffer miserably in the long run. (Exclamatory)  
 (e) To kill time is as harmful as to commit suicide. (Comparative)  
 (f) Our life is only a sum total of hours, days and years. (Negative)  
 (g) Youth is the most valuable season of life. (Positive)  
 (h) In youth, our mind can be shaped easily. (Active voice)  
 (i) We should utilize our time properly in youth. (Imperative)  
 (j) It is called the seedtime of life. (Active voice)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- (a) If we invest in girl's education —.  
 (b) — is not a waste.  
 (c) — have higher income potential than those who are uneducated and unskilled.  
 (d) Also, educated mothers are very careful in —.  
 (e) Therefore, we should try our best —.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7

In ancient time, textbook was the most (a) resource thing for a student. (b) teach were only guides and source of (c) inform. The students had to collect all (d) inform news from their teachers. There was hardly any guide book or other (e) refer book in the market. So, teachers gave (f) deliver of a lecture by studying the text books, and so the students had (g) depend on their teachers' (h) proficient. As a result, there existed (i) measure relationship between them. The (j) popular of these great teachers was never on the wane. Students had (k) devote to maintain a healthy relation with their (l) honour teachers. Teachers also maintained an ever bond of (m) friend with their (n) affection students.

8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- The habit of reading is good, ———?
  - But we hardly find it in us, ———?
  - Everybody loves a studious student, ———?
  - We ought to give him books, ———?
  - Books give us knowledge, ———?
  - To read good books is a choice, ———?
  - Let us try heart and soul to form this habit, ———?

9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Why are you putting the foods in your pocket Sir? Why don't you eat? asked the nobleman I'm doing the right thing My dress deserves these rich dishes replied Seikh Saadi. I'm sorry I don't understand what you mean to say said the nobleman.

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Rimon Khan/Rima Chowdhury. You have completed B.Sc Engineering and are looking for a job. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Financial Express" for the post of a Software Engineer of "Golden Company Ltd". Now, make a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
- Suppose, you have bought some books on general knowledge. But the books are damaged and have printing mistakes. Now, write a letter to the publishing company "Diamond Publishing" complaining against it. 10
- English is a global language. So, it is very important for all of us to learn English. Now, write a paragraph on "Importance of Learning English". 15

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English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Washing hands regularly is (a) — important activity. It keeps us safe (b) — corona-virus. How you wash your hand is also very (c) — important. First, you have to wet your hands (d) — clean, running water and apply soap. Then, rub your hands together with (e) — soap to create foam. Lather the backs of your hands, (f) — your fingers and (g) — your nails. Remember, you have to scrub your hands (h) — at least 20 seconds. After that rinse your hands well with clean and running water. Finally, dry your hands using (i) — clean towel or tissue paper. Learn the process (j) — washing hands and also educate your friends about it.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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The development of a nation is not (a) — easy task. It depends on the willingness (b) — sacrificing attitude of the valiant sons and (c) — of the soil. They don't work for (d) — appreciation or reward for themselves. Their vision (e) — to make the world a better place (f) — live in. They are always proud of (g) — selfless ventures. Their mission is to serve (h) — greater interest of humanity. They spend their (i) — for the welfare of people, the society (j) — the country as a whole.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

Reading newspaper	is called	our outlook and enriches our wisdom
Newspaper	broadens	the news and views of home and abroad by reading newspaper.
It	be	us false news which is harmful for a peaceful society.
One	gives	a very good habit.
Sometimes it	can get	the storehouse of knowledge.
		a source of entertainment too.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

can	be	find	have	fix	stumble	endow	evaluate	possess	consult
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A proverb goes that a man without an aim is a ship without a rudder. Likewise, a man without an aim (a) — reach his goal. He (b) — in his way of life. So everyman should (c) — a definite aim. But nothing is more difficult than the choice of profession Students (d) — it very difficult to choose a suitable profession. Choosing profession becomes very difficult because there (e) — many paths and courses open to them. They should (f) — their aim according to the abilities they are (g) — with. All (h) — the same abilities and aptitude. Students may (i) — their teachers who are able to (j) — their abilities.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- We are grateful to the freedom fighters. (Negative)
- Their contribution is greater than any other thing. (Superlative)
- You should never disrespect or forget our martyrs. (Imperative)
- The national memorial has been built with a view to paying tribute to their memories. (Active)
- A freedom fighter is the greatest son of the soil. (Comparative)
- We got our independence for their sacrifice. (Passive)
- They fought very bravely to snatch the red sun of independence. (Exclamatory)
- Their courage was more powerful than their weapons. (Positive)
- Their contribution will never be forgotten. (Active)
- The government has taken some steps to improve their condition. (Passive)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) It is price hike which is considered —.
- (b) People of low income do not know how —.
- (c) The businessmen — are responsible for price hike.
- (d) Of course, there are some other issues — for price hike like Russian-Ukrain war.
- (e) — is really very difficult.
7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Facebook is a social (a) network site. It has gained much (b) popular among the young (c) generate. Sometimes, our young generation waste their (d) value time by (e) browse facebook. So, in this respect parental (f) supervise is a must. Many people (g) fine facebook as an (h) embarrass (i) invade on others' (j) person privacy. However, it plays a (k) signify role in (l) socialize as well as (m) nature understanding and (n) operation.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- (a) At present, everybody likes cricket, —?
- (b) Students hardly miss watching this game, —?
- (c) Nothing is more enjoyable to them than cricket, —?
- (d) How exciting the game is! —?
- (e) Let's play this game, —?
- (f) Sakib Al hasan is my favorite cricketer, —?
- (g) It would be difficult to think of Bangladesh cricket without him, —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Where are you going now Karim Said I am going to hospital My brother is ill Ive to stay with him in the hospital

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

10. Suppose, you are Mugdha. You have seen a vacancy for the post of a Medical Representative in the Square Pharmaceuticals Ltd. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
11. Suppose, you are Karim/Kabita, one of the inhabitants of Dinajpur City Corporation. Recently the roads of your locality have been unusable due to heavy rainfalls and the sewerage drains are being hampered to flow water. People and the school going students cannot go to their offices, shops, schools and other places. Now, write a letter to the Mayor of your City Corporation complaining about the sufferings of the common people. 10
12. Write a paragraph on "A street hawker" within 200 words. 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
George Washington was the first president of America. This great man was obedient (a) — his parents. (b) — the age of 15 he decided to go (c) — studies at (d) — excellent school in Europe, where his brother was studying and had made all (e) — preparations for crossing (f) — Atlantic Ocean. He ordered his people to put his necessary things (g) — the ship. As he was preparing to leave, he went to see his (h) — mother. She was not happy thinking that her son had to struggle (i) — lot to acquire (j) — education only at 15. So, Washington did not go.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

added	brought	later	origin	when	seeds	chocolate	tree	vanilla	produce
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About one thousand years ago, chocolate was so valuable that it was used as money! Chocolate comes from the Cacao (a) — that grows near the equator. (b) — the trees are seen to (c) — pods, the farmers collect the (d) — from them. Then sugar, cinnamon, (e) —, milk and other spices are (f) — to the matured seeds. The (g) — of chocolate is interesting. Columbus (h) — Cacao beans to Spain first. (i) —, people learned how to change (j) — from liquid to solid. And by 1847, they started enjoying chocolate candy bars!

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

Punctuality	is	the habit of doing a thing in its exact time
It	can be brought	the habit of being punctual from one's childhood
Nothing	should form	a good habit
In a wide sense, it		necessary for all human beings
Maintaining punctuality	denotes	the process for proper utilization of time
So, one		to a conclusion without punctuality

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

visit	pay	hear	call	appear	live	visit	hear	live	think
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Abdur Rahman is a student. He (a) — in the SSC Exam this year. He (b) — in Chattogram. He (c) — there since his birth, but he (d) — St. Martins Island yet. He (e) — a lot about the beauty of St. Martin's Island. (f) — those he becomes very eager (g) — a visit there. As he is free now, he thinks that he (h) — the island now. (i) — this he becomes so excited that he (j) — his friends to a meeting.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Copying in the exams is one of the greatest social crimes. (Positive)
- It is a very serious crime. (Exclamatory)
- A student copying in the exam only deceives himself. (Negative)
- Copying in the exam cannot bring any benefit. (Passive)
- What a shameful practice it is! (Assertive)
- By resisting this malady, we can strengthen our education. (Passive)
- We all should come forward to stop it and save our students. (Imperative)
- Our examination system should be moderated. (Active)
- Nothing is as hateful as copying in the exam. (Comparative)
- The government is sincere in removing this crime. (Negative)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- A cobbler was happy to —.
- He had a neighbour —.
- The neighbour wanted to help him by —.
- , the cobbler lost happiness.
- But if he had not taken the money from his neighbour, —.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Vocabulary is very important in learning a language properly. To (a) rich your vocabulary, you have to read books and learn new words by knowing their meanings (b) accurate. You may use a dictionary to know the (c) known words or try to understand the (d) context meaning of them. Repeated reading will help you understand the (e) specify topic (f) clear and use them in (g) vary situations. Language learning is a (h) continue process and your (i) proficient will come today or tomorrow. What is needed most is (j) continue. It also needs your (k) sincere. A common language is required for (l) interact among people from (m) differ countries and contexts. Without a common language it is difficult to perform activities at the (n) nation level. English has assumed the position of that common language.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- Nobody trust a liar, ——?
  - A liar has to lead a miserable life, ——?
  - Speaking the truth is a good exercise, ——?
  - Everybody should have the habit of speaking the truth, ——?
  - Many are often found telling a lie out of fun, ——?
  - But it is not desirable, ——?
  - Let us always speak the truth, ——?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- My dear friends I am here to tell you about an important discovery said the cunning fox I have discovered that our tails are unnecessary How strange Is it unnecessary said the other foxes

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

10. Suppose, you are Malek/Maleka. Recently you have passed MBA from a renowned university. You are in need of a job and have seen a job advertisement in a daily newspaper for the position of a "Junior Officer" in Almas Bank Ltd. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
11. Suppose, you are an inhabitant of Rahimanagar under Chandpur district. Your locality is badly affected by antisocial activities like eve-teasing, hijacking and taking drugs. Now, write a letter to the Superintendent of Police of your district complaining against the fact. 10
12. A rickshaw puller is a very familiar figure in our country. He plays a great role in our communication system. But he leads a very miserable life, for financial problem. Now, write a paragraph on "The Life of a Rickshaw Puller". 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 There are two types (a) — dreams. One is just (b) — dream and completely baseless. Anybody may meet (c) — it while sleeping. Another dream is real. It is very desirable to (d) — conscious and great person. Generally, it is called (e) — future plan. To be a great person this dream is (f) — must. Then go ahead (g) — the working field. Really, if there is no real dream, there is no interest (h) — action. True successfully depends (i) — a real dream. Remember, a life without (j) — aim or dream is like a ship without a rudder.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

compulsory	across	continuous	wide	environment	writing	second	learn	reason	vocabulary
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English language has a world (a) — importance. It is the (b) — language in our country. We study it as a (c) — subject from class I to class XII. Even then, we are not able to (d) — well. There are so many (e) — behind it. Firstly, there is no (f) — development of the syllabus according to the class standard. Secondly, the examinations are taken only based on (g) — skill. Thirdly, lack of (h) — is responsible for it. Another problem is the lack of English speaking (i) —. Finally, there is a shortage of English teachers (j) — the country.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

Tree plantation		very essential for balanced environment.
Trees	provide	opposite to tree plantation.
Deforestation	be	us with wood, fruits and flowers.
Afforestation		dangerous for the environment.
Cutting trees		called the air purifier.
It		the main cause of environmental pollution.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

waste	know	follow	observe	do	make	fall	are	utilize	is
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We should (a) — the life style of the ants and bees. They (b) — good use of their time and store food for the rainy days. They never (c) — a single moment in negligence or indolence. So they never (d) — into extreme crisis. We (e) — the best creatures in creation. We (f) — everything good and bad. We can (g) — better than the others. We should all (h) — every moment properly. Punctuality (i) — the best tonic in this regard. We should (j) — the footsteps of the famous persons.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- The student is known to me. (Active)
- She gave me an interesting book. (Passive)
- Jashore is older than Magura. (Positive)
- Truthfulness is the best quality of a person. (Comparative)
- No other city in Bangladesh is as populous as Dhaka. (Superlative)
- My friend is always punctual. (Negative)
- He is a great fool. (Exclamatory)
- How bright the student is! (Assertive)
- We should obey our teachers. (Imperative)
- Take care of your health. (Passive)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- If you eat a balanced diet, —.
- I would join the party.
- is a good exercise.
- His syllabus is —.
- is a great sin.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Mr. Peter is a good student. He is very (a) study. He is always (b) mind to his studies and also (c) duty to his daily activities. He is very (d) respect to his elders. He is (e) truth also. Weak students find him as a (f) help figure. His (g) think power is admirable. He is really (h) create in any writing. He never forgets the benefit of (i) punctual. (j) sincere is another quality of his daily activities. He is also an early (k) rise. Any problem cannot make him (l) attentive. He always behaves very (m) polite with every person. His (n) honest cannot be expressed in a word.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- Fishes can swim, —?
  - Help the helpless, —?
  - 'She' is a pronoun, —?
  - He put the bag here, —?
  - They seldom come to me, —?
  - The friendship rose in them, —?
  - Let's go to the outing, —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Mainul Islam a qualified farmer in Naogaon. He lives in his village with his two brothers When he was asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could leave this village for a city life But it dinnt attract us

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

- Suppose, you are Selim/Selima of Nowapara, Jashore. A cashier will be appointed in the National Bank, Dhaka. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the same. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
- Suppose, people of your area have to suffer a lot because of irregular delivery of letters. Now, write a complain letter to the postmaster of Jashore head post office, Jashore. 10
- Suppose, you have visited the book fair held in your town this year and you have a great experience. Now, write a paragraph on "Your Visit To A Book Fair" in your own words. 15

# Model Test 16 BARISHAL BOARD-2023

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Covid-19 is (a) — infectious diseases which has taken away many lives (b) — the world. It has created economic crisis (c) — many countries of the world. Many people have lost their jobs. Many small traders compelled to leave their trades. No doubt, it is a great disaster (d) — the people of the world. Though the corona virus is very (e) — deadly, it has created awareness (f) — mass people. Besides we have learnt many things (g) — it so far. Earlier, we were indifferent (h) — some rules of health and hygiene. Due to Covid-19, people of the world have become more conscious regarding the rules of health. Now a days, we try to maintain social distancing. We avoid (i) — massive gatherings of people. We also have made a good habit (j) — washing hands several times a day.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

acquire	smooth	on	respective	process	human	place	to	able	without
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Language is a way of human communication. And the (a) — to use any language is called the language skill. All (b) — beings acquire this skill from their (c) — environment. That is, human babies begin (d) — acquire this language skill from just after their birth. If this process continues (e) — any obstruction, a baby can communicate with the people of the same language (f) — within 3 to 4 years. During this period, the baby does not need to read or write for (g) — the language skill. The baby only goes (h) — listening, speaking, picking up words. This process is called acquisition of language and this acquisition mostly takes (i) — while learning one's first language. We acquire the language skill of Bangla in this (j) —. This is why, Bangla is called our first language.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

(a) Football	i. was mainly played	i. worldwide by the female players also.
(b) Previously it	ii. is played	ii. in any match in SAFF Women's Championship-2022.
(c) But now a days it	iii. defeated	iii. a popular game.
(d) A few months ago our women's football team	iv. touched	iv. by the male players.
(e) They	v. is	v. down at the airport, thousands of excited fans cheered and waved the national flag to welcome them.
(f) As soon as the champions	vi. were not defeated	vi. the Nepalese team by 3-1 goals in the final match and became champion.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

make	kill	throw	see	ensure	originate	work	live	be	have
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Rivers generally (a) — from a mountain or a lake. They (b) — very much important for our existence and economy. But unfortunately, we are (c) — our rivers, choking it with toxic wastes from dyeing and textile factories. Most of the industries (d) — waste treatment plants. This kind of industries are (e) — releasing untreated liquid waste directly and (f) — the water polluted. Our unconscious people also (g) — different kinds of waste materials into the rivers directly. So, to keep existence of fishes and other species (h) — in the water is impossible. It is high time the government and the conscious people (i) — together to save the rivers. Otherwise a happy, prosperous and pollution free environment for the next generation can't be (j) —.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10
- Jackfruit is one of the largest fruits of Bangladesh. (Use Positive degree)
  - The fruits is very juicy. (Make an Exclamatory sentence)
  - It tastes very sweet. (Use Passive voice)
  - It contains high calories. (Make Negative sentence)
  - Everyone knows it as our national fruit. (Interrogative)
  - In summer, this fruit is very available. (Negative)
  - It is mainly found in the month of Jaishtha. (Use Active voice)
  - It is not as costly as the mango. (Use Comparative degree)
  - We should eat the fruit to ensure nutrition. (Make an Imperative sentence)
  - How beautiful jackfruits look in the trees! (Make Assertive).
6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- "Industry is the key to success", —.
  - If you want to shine in life, —.
  - By working hard, one —.
  - A hardworking student is sure —.
  - It is high time for us to —.
7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- Bangladesh is blessed with many seasons. Winter is one of them. It is the (a) cold of all seasons. It is usually (b) rain. Though ours is a small country, the (c) cold of winter is not (d) equal felt in all regions. In some regions, (e) special in the (f) north districts, people experience (g) bite cold in winter. Nature looks dull and (h) gloom. During night and morning, the whole of nature remains (i) cover with fog and mist. Then the poor suffer (j) great for want of warm clothes. Again in some (k) hill areas there is (l) severe of cold. (m) where in the vast (n) South areas people experience less cold.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- SSC Examination is the first public examination in our country, —?
  - Every student takes the examination seriously, —?
  - Its result allows one to enter the next level, —?
  - So, it is not less important than one's life, —?
  - A student needs to take a good preparation for it, —?
  - But one need not worry about the examhall situation, —?
  - Face the exam boldly, —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- why are not you going to school said mother to her son he said i am waiting for my friend to come and go to school together

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

10. Suppose, you are Nasim Hasan/Nasima Hasna. You have completed your MBA degree and recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in 'The Daily Star' for the post of an Accounts Officer in Jamuna Oil Company Limited. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the General Manager of the company for the post. 15
11. Suppose, you are Rafi/Rafia, a class 10 students of River View High School, Rajshahi. Your common room facilities are not sufficient to meet up your demand. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster on behalf of the students requesting him to increase common room facilities as soon as possible. 10
12. Write a paragraph about 'A Winter Morning'. 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 There is no doubt that youth is (a) — best time of (b) — life. This is the time when it is (c) — most important (d) — one to remember (e) — maxim, "As you sow, so shall you reap." One must sow (f) — seeds (g) — industry, truthfulness and other virtues (h) — this season (i) — reap the harvest of prosperity and happiness. Whatever takes root in a man (j) — this time lasts throughout the rest of his life and moulds his future.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

revolutionary	bless	wonder	social	needless	world	essential	present	closer	demerit
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All we know that mobile phone is the most (a) — invention of modern science. Now a days, it is very (b) — for us. At (c) —, it is very small and light. (d) — changes have been brought about in (e) — communication by mobile phone. The whole (f) — has now become smaller and (g) — unbelievably in respect of communicating information. But it is (h) — to say that mobile phone has some (i) — too. Over all, it is a great (j) — for mankind.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

'Pahela Boishakh'	inspires	in the programme to inspire the participants.
People from all walks of life	begins	early in the morning to enjoy the day wearing traditional clothes.
The day	is	the day with traditional festivities.
People	take part	just as sunrise.
The cultural programme	wake up	the first day of Bangla New Year.
The renowned artists of the country	celebrate	people to start life with renewed hopes and aspirations.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

die	need	destroy	go	make	keep	cause	get	name	cause
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There are various types of fever. Dengue is one of them. It (a) — by biting of mosquito (b) — 'Aedes'. It (c) — serious health hazard. Vomiting, high temperature, blood platelets etc. make the patient tormented. Many patients (d) — if blood platelets (e) — below 50. Much care and proper treatment (f) — to save dengue affected patient. In order to (g) — ourselves free from dengue, we (h) — our environment clean. Living place of Aedes larva should (i) — with a view to (j) — ourselves aloof from mosquito bite. The use of curtain is also essential.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Honesty can open a door of peace before a person. (Make it negative)
- He accepted the invitation. (Make it passive)
- Reading books is nobler than any other habit. (Make it superlative)
- Loving country is a very essential virtue. (Make it exclamatory)
- We don't measure our life by months or years. (Make it active)
- Industry is the most important thing for success. (Make it comparative)
- How attentive she was to her study! (Make it assertive)
- Terrorism is one of the most corrosive problems of the modern world. (Make it positive)
- We should do good deeds as our responsibility. (Make it imperative)
- Everybody is fond of glittering things. (Make it negative)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- If the sky is cloudy, —.
- which should be given up.
- Man is curious —.
- If I had seen him, —.
- I saw a bird —.

7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7

The purpose of (a) educate is to make a man fully (b) equip to be (c) use to himself and to society. A (d) true educated person should be self-reliant with regard to his (e) person needs. He should be well-mannered (f) thought, sympathetic and (g) operative. He should be (h) truth, honest, punctual and (i) duty. (j) punctual is a virtue that makes a nation (k) prosper. An educated persons tries to (l) move the (m) suffer of his countrymen. He also helps others in attaining (n) self-reliant.

8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- What he said was true, ———?
  - Don't forget me, ———?
  - How exciting the game is, ———?
  - Let's try to make him understand the importance of literacy, ———?
  - You, he and I did the work, ———?
  - Deforestation is not good for us, ———?
  - Books never leave us alone in danger, ———?

9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Mainul Islam is a qualified farmer in Naogaon He lives in his village with his two brothers When he was asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could leave this village for a city life But it didn't attract us

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

- Mind that you are Ratul/Ratna. You have passed HSC and taken 6 months computer course on data base programme. Recently, you have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of 'A Receptionist' in R.K Medical Centre Hospital, Kushtia. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
- Imagine, you are Kamrul/Kanta, a student of class X reading in Rajnagor High School, Dhaka. There is a canteen in your school but the facilities of the canteen are not enough. Now, write a complaint letter to your Headmaster, on behalf of the students, about the insufficient facilities of the canteen. 10
- Write paragraph on 'A Winter Morning'. 15

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks. ]

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with prepositions and articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 There is no doubt that youth is (a) — best time of (b) — life. This is the time when it is (c) — most important (d) — one to remember (e) — maxim, "As you sow, so shall you reap". One must sow (f) — seeds (g) — industry, truthfulness and other virtues (h) — this season (i) — reap the harvest of prosperity and happiness. Whatever takes root in a man (j) — this time lasts throughout the rest of his life and moulds his future.
2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

well	bookish	burning	competitive	newspaper	cannot	enrich	water	knowledge	current
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A student must have the habit of reading newspaper everyday. Mere (a) — knowledge is not enough in this (b) — world. Newspapers help him (c) — his general knowledge and make him aware of the (d) — issues both inside and outside the country. A man who doesn't read (e) — is like a frog in a narrow (f) —. Being ignorant of the (g) — affairs, he (h) — take part in the talks and discussions in an enlightened society and feels like a fish out of (i) —. By reading newspapers one can widen one's range of (j) — in the field of science, history, geography, literature etc.

3. Make six sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 6 = 6

The Taj	built	it most on a moonlit night.
It	is	it as a tomb for his wife.
Emperor Shajahan	wants	at Agra in India.
People	like	one of the most beautiful buildings in the world.
Everybody	stands	to see the Taj Mahal.
I also	want	to visit the Taj Mahal.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 1 × 10 = 10

build	idle	follow	work	remember	be	lag	reach	lead	depend
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Bangladesh is full of natural resources. The prosperity of the country (a) — on the proper utilization of the resources. We should not (b) — a lazy life. We all should become industrious. We all should (c) — up our country. For this reason, we have to (d) — hard. No nation can prosper without industry. It should be (e) — that industry is the key to success. If we (f) — the days away, we (g) — behind. The nation that (h) — industrious (i) — the pinnacle of development. So, we should (j) — them.

5. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10
- Simplicity is a great virtue. (Exclamatory)
  - Everybody appreciates this quality. (Negative)
  - It is one of the best qualities. (Positive)
  - One should practise this virtue. (Passive)
  - Very few men are as happy as a simple man. (Comparative)
  - By practising simplicity one can earn people's favour. (Negative)
  - A simple man leads a very carefree life. (Exclamatory)
  - No other person among us is as happy as a simple man. (Superlative)
  - Everybody should like simplicity. (Imperative)
  - So, a simple life should be led by all. (Active)

6. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) I feel like —.
- (b) Babies do not know —.
- (c) I saw a beggar —.
- (d) Were I a rich man, —.
- (e) If you do not work hard, —.
7. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 14 = 7
- The freedom fighters are the (a) hero sons of our land. They fought to save our (b) gold Bangla in 1971. We have got the (c) independent of our loving motherland by their (d) super sacrifice. Some of the (e) free fighters are still (f) lives. Most of the freedom (g) fight are now (h) actual above 70 years old. (i) deed we are very (j) luck to see them (k) direct. As they are our heroic sons, we should respect them (l) profound. We must remember them (m) ever. Because they laid down their lives (n) keep all behind.
8. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 7 = 7
- (a) The unfed should be fed, —?
- (b) He let me do the work, —?
- (c) The Titanic sank on its first voyage, —?
- (d) There is no school in our village, —?
- (e) The father rose in him, —?
- (f) Good morning, sir, —?
- (g) I have little water, —?
9. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5
- Mainul Islam is a qualified farmer in Naogaon He lives in his village with his two brothers When he was asked What makes you decide to stay here in this village He replied Look its true that we could leave this village for a city life But it didnt attract us

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

10. Suppose, some Account Officers will be appointed in Meghna Bank. You, Monir/Monira, are interested to be an Account Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 15
11. Suppose, you are the Headmaster of Bangabandhu Secondary School, Safderpur, Kot-chanderpur, Jhenaidah. Your school will remain closed due to summer vacation from 3 June to 19 June. Now, write a notice about it. 10
12. Write a paragraph on "Tree Plantation" in your own words. 15

## Model Test 19 DHAKA BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

### Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
It was 4 in the afternoon. Hamid was studying (a) — the library when his cell phone rang. It was his younger sister, Runa. She said that she was standing (b) — front of (c) — shopping mall opposite Hamid's office and asked him to meet her there as soon as possible. Hamid hurried out of (d) — library. As he went (e) — the street, he noticed that Runa was not alone. She was holding (f) — three to four years old girl (g) — hand. (h) — child was crying and Runa was trying frantically (i) — to pacify her. Some passers-by were looking (j) — them suspiciously. When he reached her, she started to explain.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

build	idle	remember	be	work	lag	reach	depend	lead	follow
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Bangladesh is full of natural resources. The prosperity of the country (a) — on the proper utilization of the resources. We should not (b) — a lazy life. We should all (c) — up our country. For this reason, we have to (d) — hard. No nation can prosper without industry. It should be (e) — that industry is the key to success. If we (f) — the days away, we (g) — behind. The nations that (h) — industrious (i) — the pinnacle of development. So, we (j) — them.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Bangladesh is a low-lying country. (Change it into Interrogative)  
 (b) Every year natural disasters visit us. (Change it into passive voice)  
 (c) Who does not know the consequence of Tsunami? (Change it into Assertive sentence)  
 (d) The recent flood was very devastating. (Change it into Exclamatory sentence)  
 (e) Dhaka is the most risky city in the earthquake zone. (Change it into Positive degree)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

The aim of (a) educate is to make a man fully equipped to be (b) use to himself and to society. A (c) true educated person should be self-reliant with regard to his (d) person needs. He should be well-mannered, (e) thought, sympathetic and co-operative. He should be (f) truth, honest, punctual and (g) duty. Punctuality is a virtue that makes a nation (h) prosper. An educated person tries to (i) move the suffering of his countrymen. He also helps others in attaining (j) self-reliant.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Everybody wants to lead a better life, —?  
 (b) A better life seldom comes without hard work, —?  
 (c) We have to work hard for this, —?  
 (d) But most of us can hardly do the job, —?  
 (e) Actually, life is not a bed of roses, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

have you killed the rats said the mayor yes i have replied the piper give me the promised money how funny you are said the mayor take only fifty

### Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Samira/Shamim and you have passed B.Sc Hon's in Chemistry. You have seen a circular for the post of Medical Representative in a renowned company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 10
- Suppose, you are Sami/Sara living in Sylhet. You went to Dhaka by train yesterday. You lost your goods while going to Dhaka. Now, write a letter to the Chief Operating Officer of Bangladesh Railway complaining about your missing goods. 10

# Model Test 20 RAJSHAHI BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)– Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

## Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
It is needless to say that washing hands is very important for us. It is certainly (a) — important issue. Washing hands regularly can save us from a kind of infectious disease (b) — COVID-19. Washing hands with soap is (c) — must. We have to wash hands (d) — taking meal and (e) — using the toilet. Again, we should wash hands after touching sick members (f) — our family and pet animals. Washing hands is also strictly recommended after coming back (g) — outside. Washing hands in (h) — proper way may help us stay away from corona virus, (i) — reason is that corona virus spreads through touch. So, it is (j) — important to keep our hands clean.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

understand	be	prevail	respect	stop	prosper	feel	preach	reign	defeat
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Truth always (a) — in the world. Falsehood may (b) — for the time being. Those, who (c) — engaged in (d) — the truth are (e) — by the people. Those who (f) — interest in telling lies cannot (g) — in life. They may prosper seemingly. But, after all, they become really (h) —. Socrates throughout his life would preach the truth. He tried to make people (i) — what was good for them. He was troubled by the powerful people. Yet, he never (j) — teaching good things.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Only you can do the work. (Negative)  
 (b) No other friend is as great as books. (Superlative)  
 (c) The rose is a very nice flower. (Exclamatory)  
 (d) We should be patriots. (Imperative)  
 (e) He called it laurel. (Passive)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Everybody knows that (a) smoke is a (b) danger bad habit. It is (c) harm to health. It is also (d) cost. A (e) smoke should not smoke (f) public. Smoking creates (g) pollute. A single puff of cigarette contains (h) numerable harmful particles that cause many (i) respirator diseases which are incurable. But there are many people who are (j) aware of the bad effects of smoking.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) He let me do it, —?  
 (b) Let's be sincere in our life, —?  
 (c) Everybody respects the freedom fighters, —?  
 (d) Success cannot be achieved without efforts, —?  
 (e) He has to lead a miserable life, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Shoel asked Alam Friend have you ever visited the National Memorial at Savar in Dhaka Wow how Splendid it is Yes I havent yet gone there said Alam.

## Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Mind that, you are Tamim/Tamima. Your home district is Khulna. You have recently completed MBA from Dhaka University. You have found a job advertisement in 'The Daily Prothom Alo' that there is a vacancy post for the position of Junior Marketing Officer in BD Textile Limited. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- Suppose, you are Munir/Mita, a student of Joypara High School, Manikganj. Your School has some computers for the students. But it is very sorry to say that most of the computers are out of order. So, the students cannot get proper facilities for practice. Now, write a complained letter to the Headmaster to take proper steps about this immediately. 10

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours

Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

### Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Road accidents have recently become (a) — regular phenomenon in our country. As a result of the accidents, many persons fall a victim (b) — untimely death. It is reported that most of the accidents occur (c) — the violation of traffic rules, by (d) — unskilled drivers and unconscious passers-by. Many unlicensed and faulty vehicles also endanger (e) — passengers and (f) — passers-by. So, in order to save us (g) — the accidents (h) — government is trying to create awareness (i) — the people and has passed strict laws (j) — the accused.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

form	consider	owe	take	respect	understand	succeed	acquire	admit	forget
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In an educational institution teacher-students relationship is (a) — to be the most important matter. It is such a relationship that is (b) — on the basis of mutual (c) — . A student always (d) — teachers because he cannot but (e) — help from them in case of (f) — knowledge. The sensible students never (g) — their teachers. Moreover, they (h) — their memorable teachers' role which helps them (i) — in life. So, they always (j) — their teachers.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) The freedom fighters are considered to be the real heroes of our country. (Active)  
 (b) Their contribution will never be forgotten. (Affirmative)  
 (c) Their sacrifice is greater than any other thing. (Positive)  
 (d) By taking proper steps, we can improve their condition. (Negative)  
 (e) We must show proper respect to them. (Passive)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Life without leisure and (a) relax is dull. Life becomes (b) charm if one does not have any time to enjoy the (c) beauty objects of nature. (d) monotony work hinders the (e) smooth of work. Leisure (f) rich our spirit to work. Everybody knows that (g) work is (h) harm. Leisure does not mean (i) idle. It gives freshness to (j) create our energy.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Everyone is nostalgic in life, —?  
 (b) We hardly forget the golden past, —?  
 (c) The memories of childhood are always haunting us, —?  
 (d) The sweetest memories of childhood are colourful, —?  
 (e) Who forgets these memories, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 go to bed now mother said you can complete your assignment in the morning no mom ill finish it now.

### Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, a computer programmer will be appointed in the National ICT Research Centre, Dhaka. You are very interested for the post. Now, write a C.V with a cover letter for the same. 10
- People of all sections have to suffer a lot because of load shedding. The economic frame of the country is going to be weak for it. Now, write a complain letter to the editor of a newspaper about the problem of frequent load-shedding over the country. 10

## Model Test 22 CUMILLA BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

### Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Travelling has (a) — great influence (b) — our minds. The human mind always craves (c) — change. There is none who does not feel a thrill of joy (d) — the new sight of experience. The traveller comes in contact (e) — various types of people. If he moves (f) — with the observant eyes, he can acquire (g) — lot of practical knowledge about men and things of (h) — world which books alone cannot provide. Travelling gives us (i) — opportunity to enjoy the more enchanting sights of nature. It helps one enrich his knowledge and makes him completely (j) — perfect man.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

know	hinder	hear	begin	call	remember	inspire	be	bear	join
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You must have (a) — the name of Kazi Nazrul Islam. He (b) — our national poet. He (c) — as a rebel poet as well. He (d) — in a poor family. But dire needs could not (e) — his potentiality. When the First World War broke out, he (f) — the army. After the war, he (g) — to compose poems. At that time his poems and songs (h) — people against oppression. He (i) — the Shelley of Bangla literature. We should (j) — him for his great deeds.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Very few conquerors of the world were so great as Taimur. (Superlative)  
 (b) The province of a powerful prince was once attacked by young Taimur. (Active)  
 (c) He captured a large village. (Passive)  
 (d) The army killed Taimur's all soldiers. (Negative)  
 (e) He did not disguise himself as a rich traveller to survive. ( Affirmative)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 (a) Forestation means cutting down of trees (b) discriminately. Bangladesh is a (c) dense populated country. This huge population needs more shelter, (d) agriculture land, fuel and furniture etc. For all these reasons, people cut trees. Moreover, there are (e) honest people who cut trees for making money (f) legally. The (g) remove of trees causes serious damage to the soil as trees give (h) protect to soil as well. The temperature will rise and it will cause green house effect. One day the country will be (i) suitable for living. So, tree (j) plant programme should be extended throughout the country.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Good health means the health free from all kinds of diseases, —?  
 (b) One can keep good health by following certain rules, —?  
 (c) He is to eat a balanced diet, —?  
 (d) He has to take regular physical exercise, —?  
 (e) He must enjoy sound sleep, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 mr. hasan is a renowned english teacher he has been teaching in our school for the past five years he is honest and sincere he is our favourite teacher we love him much

### Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you want to be a teacher and you have seen an advertisement in a newspaper. An Assistant Teacher will be appointed in Nurpur High School, Netrokona. Now, write a C.V with a cover letter for the post of an Assistant Teacher. Your C.V should not exceed one page. 10
- Suppose, you are an inhabitant of Mymensingh City, Mymensingh. The people of your locality suffer greatly due to insufficient water supply. Now, write a letter to the Mayor complaining about insufficient water. 10

# Model Test 23 CHATTOGRAM BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

## Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Nowadays, parents are very conscious (a) — the harmful effect of punishment (b) — children. Child psychologists think that both (c) — physical and mental punishments can be disastrous for (d) — child's growth and development. It may lead (e) — fear and hatred of the person who punishes (f) — child. Again, if (g) — child is punished, it may lack initiative. It may also feel hostile (h) — others. So, rude (i) — behaviour gradually develops (j) — him.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

take	eat	deserve	be	thrive	cause	run	know	fall	do
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 Everybody (a) — that food adulteration (b) — a crime. Adulterated food is poisonous and (c) — diseases. People (d) — this kind of food (e) — victim to liver disease, cancer, kidney failure and so on. Some businessmen who are avaricious and — after money only (g) — this heinous work. They (h) — on the miseries of others. They (i) — punishment. Some strict measures should be (j) — to stop this abominable task of this greedy businessmen.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Computer is one of the greatest inventions of modern science. (Positive)  
 (b) Computer is a blessing on earth. (Negative)  
 (c) We must learn how to use computer. (Imperative)  
 (d) Computer helps us a lot. (Passive)  
 (e) Because of its usefulness, it has become very popular. (Exclamatory)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Life without leisure and (a) relax is dull. Nobody can work without rest. Life becomes (b) charm if man does not have any time to enjoy (c) beauty objects of nature. (d) monotony work hinders the (e) smooth of work. Leisure (f) new our spirit of work. Everybody knows that (g) work is (h) harm. Leisure does not mean (i) idle. It gives (j) fresh to our mind.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Time and tide wait for none, —?  
 (b) Unfortunately, many of us waste our time, —?  
 (c) None can prosper in life without utilizing time properly, —?  
 (d) So, everybody should realize this truth, —?  
 (e) Let's make the best use of time, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Once a rich banker said to a poor cobbler How much do you earn a year The cobbler replied laughing I never count in this way I earn barely enough to pass a day And I'm happy Are you really happy said the banker.

## Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, some computer operators will be appointed in Prime Bank. You, Labib/Tanha, are interested to be a computer operator. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 10
- Suppose, your village is badly affected by the recent flood. The people have been suffering severely due to lack of food and shelter. Now, write an application to the UNO for the relief goods for the affected people. 10

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours

Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

## Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Friendship is (a) — great human virtue. It is (b) — love and affection between two persons. It binds more than one person (c) — good relationship and inspires each other to share (d) — joys and sorrows (e) — life. Man is (f) — social being. He cannot live alone. So, he wants (g) — company. He yearns (h) — giving and receiving love and affection. Friendship grows between the persons (i) — similar taste, feelings and thoughts. It grows out of mutual understanding and give and take. It generally grows (j) — two persons of the same age.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

develop	have	need	go	emphasize	motivate	keep	enrich	learn	modify
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Communicative competence in English is urgently (a) — in our country. The present world (b) — fast and (c) — on with the advancement of technology. With a view to (d) — pace with the present world, we cannot help (e) — English. The present curriculum has (f) — learning English by (g) — the books (h) — with modern information. But readers should be (i) — to read more supplementary books. (j) — an ICT based skill can be very productive to keep pace with this advanced world.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
  - Honesty is the best way of leading life. (Positive)
  - This noble virtue is always appreciated. (Active)
  - Honesty can open a door of peace before a person. (Negative)
  - Honesty is a very important virtue. (Exclamatory)
  - So, we should never be dishonest. (Imperative)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

Money occupies a unique position in our modern (a) capital economy. In its (b) absent, the whole (c) prosper economic life would collapse like a packet of cards. Money is used as a medium of (d) change. It promotes (e) specialise which increases (f) product and efficiency. But money cannot buy (g) happy. Money is a must for our life. But it is not necessary to bring happiness. Happiness is (h) absolute a psychological thing. It is the name of a feeling. It means the (i) content of the mind. He who has (j) satisfy with what he has is really a happy one.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
  - Nobody was present yesterday, —?
  - I am an SSC examinee, —?
  - Don't tell a lie, —?
  - The widower shut the door, —?
  - The idle can do little for society, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

I said to the old man, what are you doing I am watching the boy, swimming in the pond he said How happy they are May Allah bless them let me sit by you and enjoy the scene I said.

## Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Adib/Adiba. You got your MBA exam result last month. Recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Daily Star" for the post of a 'Senior Officer' in a private bank. Now, write a CV with cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- Suppose, you are Arafat/Arefa, a student of class X reading in Rajshahi High School, Rajshahi. There is a lack of quality books in your school library. Now, write an application to the Headmaster on behalf of the students of your school to increase the number of quality books in the library. 10

# Model Test 25 BARISHAL BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

## Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Metro rail is (a) — mega project in the development history (b) — Bangladesh. To make traffic (c) — movement easy and smooth in the city of Dhaka, metro rail is sure to play (d) — great role. The mega city of almost two crore people is struggling badly with its narrow and (e) — over crowded roads. But metro rail is sure to come as a sigh of relief. With its (f) — uninterrupted movement, it will carry sixty thousand passengers per hour (g) — both ends. 16th December, 2022 is going to be (h) — unforgettable day for (i) — dwellers of Dhaka city. (j) — this day. the red and green coloured coaches of metro rail will take the passengers to their destinations with ease and comfort.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

get	continue	upgrade	see	read	retrain	take	observe	be	start
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 1st January (a) — now as the book festival in Bangladesh. On this day, students (b) — in school and madrasahs get new text books free of cost. Books (c) — the most important teaching aids for the students. If students (d) — books in time, their academic progress will be greatly hampered. So, the present government (e) — this epoch-making programme. This programme will undoubtedly play a vital role in (f) — the standard of education. By getting books on this day, students can start (g) — their preparation from the very beginning of the academic year. Guardians of the students also become happy to (h) — new books in the hands of their children. So, this programme should be (i) — for building an educated nation. The people of Bangladesh (j) — ever grateful to the present government for taking this noble initiative.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Flower cultivation is very profitable now. (Exclamatory)  
 (b) Many people cultivate flowers for earning money. (Passive)  
 (c) At present, there is a great demand of flowers. (Interrogative)  
 (d) Everybody becomes glad to get flowers. (Negative)  
 (e) In some cases, flowers are more welcoming than any other gift. (Positive)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Mango is a very popular fruit in Bangladesh. This (a) season fruit is very tasty and juicy. There are (b) vary types of mangoes. Among these, Himshagor and Amropali are (c) know. Mango is (d) favour to most of the people. Actually, there is (e) hard any person who does not like mango. Most of the (f) ripe mangoes are sour. But, they become sweet and tasty when they are ripe. Mango cultivation is very (g) profit in Bangladesh. But all areas are not (h) suit for mango cultivation. It is widely cultivated in Rajshahi, Chapai Nawabgonj and Satkhira districts. Mango farmers (i) come very glad when the production is huge. They dream of improving their (j) economy condition by selling their mangoes at a good price.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Truthfulness is a great virtue, —?  
 (b) Nothing is better than this quality, —?  
 (c) Everybody loves a truthful man, —?  
 (d) Follow the footprints of truthful persons, —?  
 (e) Let us try to be truthful, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 my mother said to me where are you going i am going to school said i did you go to school yesterday

## Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Habib/Habiba. You have passed HSC and got a diploma on computer operating. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in “The Daily Star” that the National ICT Research Center is going to appoint a Computer Operator. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- Suppose, you are Arif/Arifa. You read in Kazirbag School, Noakhali. There is a big library in your school. But the collection of books and sitting arrangements are not satisfactory. Now, write a complaint letter to your Head Master about this matter. 10

# Model Test 26 DINAJPUR BOARD-2022

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

## Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Bangladesh is a free land but she is beset (a) — many problems. The use of poly bags is very dreadful. Recently it has become (b) — great threat (c) — our environment. (d) — used poly bags block the drainage system. As a result, the low-lying areas (e) — the towns and the cities go under (f) — dirty water when it rains heavily. The used poly bags also destroy (g) — fertility of our soil. Our government has already banned the production (h) — poly bags. Yet some greedy and (i) — dishonest businessmen are producing the bags (j) — their own interest.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5  

have	maintain	dislike	be	create	regard	show	indulge	refer	hamper
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Social value denotes customs, beliefs, social practices and norms. Besides, social value (a) — to the mode of manners and the way of behaviour. Social value is (b) — as the picture of the culture of a nation. It (c) — a great educative value in our life. In the past people were very much conscious of (d) — social values. Dishonesty, cruelty, misconduct, untruthfulness, rude behaviour etc. were strongly hated and (e) — in the society. At present our social value (f) — in a great threat. Young people (g) — due respect to their elders. They are seen (h) — in different types of anti-social activities. As a result, peace and order and decent life are greatly (i) — . It is high time we (j) — social awareness about social values.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) The government has almost completed the construction of the Padma Bridge. (Passive)  
 (b) This is the largest bridge of Bangladesh. (Comparative degree)  
 (c) The countrymen will be very happy when it will be opened for use. (Exclamatory)  
 (d) It is a mega project. (Negative)  
 (e) We should go to visit it. (Imperative)
- Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 The nature of a mother's love is the same in all countries. It is (a) universe. For our (b) exist on earth, we (c) great owe to our father and mother, (d) special to our mother. A mother's love is (e) paralle and unique. A child's (f) relate with its mother is (g) heaven and (h) spirit. We can (i) hard see a mother (j) different to her child's wellbeing.
- Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 (a) Industry is the key to success, —?  
 (b) The industrious are prosperous, —?  
 (c) They hardly suffer from poverty, —?  
 (d) On the other hand, there is no alternative to industry, —?  
 (e) Let us try to be industrious, —?
- Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 the old woman said can you give me some food i have been starving for three days the young man said why do you beg cant you work

## Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Jamil/Jamila and you have completed your honours and masters degrees in English and you are looking for a job. Recently you have seen an advertisement for the post of an Assistant Teacher in English at Balaka Model High School, Dhaka. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- Imagine, you are Helal/Helena, a student of class 9 of Rupali Public School, Tangail. Your school has a big library, but the collection of books and sitting arrangement are not satisfactory. Now, write a complaint letter to your Head Master to solve the problem. 10

English (Compulsory)- Second Paper

Time : 2 hours Full marks : 50

[N.B- The figures in the right margin indicates full marks.]

### Part-A : Grammar [30 Marks]

- Fill in the blanks with prepositions & articles (a, an, the & zero article). 0.5 × 10 = 5  
A national flag is (a) — matter of pride for a nation. Every independent nation in (b) — world has a national flag (c) — its own. As (d) — independent nation, we have a national flag. Our national flag is (e) — symbol of independence, (f) — sovereignty and prosperity. Red and green colours are used in it. The red colour used in (g) — flag indicates (h) — martyrs who laid down their valuable lives (i) — the independence of our country. We must uphold its (j) — honour.
- Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

make	become	conduct	enhance	send	help	do	use	be	increase
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- Mobile phone is an important medium of modern communication which (a) — intercommunication. It (b) — our life very easy and comfortable. The world (c) — smaller due to the rapid use of it. Mobile phone connected with the Internet (d) — its users watch TV, and, use social media like Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn etc. We (e) — almost everything by using various mobile apps. We can check mails and (f) — the reply through it. The use of mobile phone (g) — noticeably during COVID-19. Nowadays, teachers and students (h) — dependent on it greatly. It has played a vital role in (i) — online education. But excessive use of it causes unpredictable health hazards. So, we (j) — it excessively.
- Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 5 = 5
    - Computer is one of the greatest inventions of modern science. (Make it positive)
    - In fact, it is a blessing of science. (Make it negative without changing the original meaning)
    - It has facilitated the world very greatly. (Make it exclamatory)
    - Moreover, it has lessened our workloads. (Make it passive)
    - So, we should use it in our everyday life. (Make it imperative)
  - Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Health is wealth. To keep in good health, we have to follow many things. Physical exercise is one of them. It increases our appetite and improves (a) digest power. If anybody suffers from (b) digest, he should take physical exercise. Proper (c) digest of food removes his loss of appetite. Physical exercise removes (d) constipate and helps proper blood (e) circulate. Our anti-bodies will be (f) act if our blood circulation is (g) normal. (h) proper blood circulation in our bodies may cause many (i) predictable physical problems. So, we must take physical exercise for the (j) improve of blood circulation.
  - Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
    - Reading books is a good habit, —?
    - One should read books to acquire knowledge, —?
    - Reading books never goes in vain, —?
    - There is a saying, “The more you read, the more you learn”, —?
    - So, a student should form the habit of reading books, —?
  - Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
Monira said to Protiva How does the question seem to you Have you got everything common. No one item is uncommon to me. What about you said Protiva. Im in the same position like you replied Monira.

### Part-B : Composition [20 Marks]

- Suppose, you are Kabir/Kabita. You have passed the HSC this year. You have found a vacancy advertisement published in “The Daily Ittefaq” for the post of a salesman in a manufacturing company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the Manager for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 10
- Suppose, you are Abid/Abida of class X of Raipura Adarsha High School, Raipura, Narsingdi. You have a canteen in your school. But the quality of foods is not good and healthy. Now, write a complaint letter to the Headmaster about it. 10

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## Model Test 28 RAJUK UTTARA MODEL SCHOOL & COLLEGE, DHAKA

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

trade	tour	era	without	consider	the	off	grow	mega	dream
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The Padma multi-purpose bridge has opened a new (a) — in the history of Bangladesh. This (b) — project has been implemented (c) — any foreign aid. The southern 21 districts were cut (d) — from the mainland by the mighty Padma River. So, this vast area could not keep pace with the other parts (e) — economic development. But, direct connection with the capital by this bridge is going to expand (f) — and commerce. Besides, (g) — is also going to speed up. All these are contributing a lot to our economic (h) — and surely reduce (i) — poverty of those regions. The construction of the bridge which was our long-cherished (j) — at last came true.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Metro rail is a mega project in the (a) — history of Bangladesh. To make traffic (b) — easy and smooth in the city of Dhaka, metro rail is sure to play a (c) — role. The mega city of almost two crore people is struggling badly with its narrow and (d) — crowded roads. But metro rail is sure to come as a sigh of relief. With its uninterrupted (e) —, it will carry sixty thousand passengers per hour (f) — both ends. 16th December, 2022 will be (g) — unforgettable day for (h) — dwellers of Dhaka city. On this day, the red and green (i) — coaches of metro rail will take the passengers to their (j) — with ease and comfort.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

E-commerce	may	be defined as a business process through electric transmission
Buyers and sellers	are	get required product by staying at home.
We	is	not required to talk face to face.
It		a tiny part of e-commerce.
Online shopping, nowadays,		rapidly being spread in our country,

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

die	destroy	make	cause	name	need	go	keep	get	cause
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There are various types of fever. Dengue is one of them. It (a) — by biting of mosquito (b) — Aedes. It (c) — serious health hazard. Vomiting, high temperature, blood platelets, etc. make the patient tormented. Many patients (d) — if blood platelets (e) — below 50. Much care and proper treatment (f) — to save dengue affected patients. In order to (g) — ourselves free from dengue, we (h) — our environment clean. Living place of Aedes larva should (i) — with a view to (j) — ourselves aloof from mosquito bite the use of curtain is essential.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 "Good morning, Rupa," said Sohel. "How much preparation have you taken for the Test Exam?" "A great preparation," replied she. "I must get GPA-5. 'Wow! what a lucky girl!'" said Sohel. "But my preparation is not so good."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Unemployment is one of the most serious problems in the world. (Make positive degree)
- It is a social evil which hampers the progress of social life. (Make compound sentence)
- The prosperity of a society depends upon the reasonable income of its able-bodied persons. (Make complex sentence)
- This increases the per capita income. (Use passive voice)
- Unemployment is a social evil which must be cured at any cost. (Make negative sentence)
- Some measures have been taken in this regard. (Use active voice)
- The government alone cannot solve this problem. (Make interrogative sentence)
- The young people should find some ways so that they can be employed. (Make simple sentence)
- Only perseverance of the young people can solve this problem. (Make negative sentence)
- Self-help is the best way to solve this problem. (Make comparative degree)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Had I seen you before, —.
- He took up a part-time job so that —.
- Corrupt persons are not only dishonest —.
- Come forward to help them lest —.
- I came here with a view to —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Education is essential for any kind of (a) develop. The poor socio-economic condition of our country can be (b) large attributed to many people's (c) accessibility to education. Many (d) literate people do not have any knowledge of

health, sanitation and (e) populate control. It (f) able us to perform our duties (g) proper. Education helps us to adopt a (h) ration attitude. It provides us with an (i) lightened awareness about things and this awareness is (j) requisite for social development.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Motivation seldom goes in vain, ——?
- (b) We ought to remain grateful to our freedom fighters, ——?
- (c) Rahim, as well as his friends, was present, ——?
- (d) Those who daren't take risk can't prosper, ——?
- (e) It hardly rained at all last summer, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Man is the architect of his own fortune. (a) —— he makes proper division of his time (b) —— does his duties accordingly, he is sure to prosper in life. (c) —— he does otherwise, he is sure to repent (d) —— it is too late. To kill time is (c) —— culpable as to commit suicide.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- What is the time by your watch he said its half past nine I replied 1 want to go to school he said would you accompany me please no i am sorry.

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Nadia Sultana/Parvez Imtiaz and you have passed MSS in Mass Education. Recently you have seen a vacancy advertisement in The Prothom Alo for the post of an English Newscaster in a renowned Satellite TV Channel. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Write an application to the Chairman of your Municipality for taking steps against mosquito menace. 10
14. Write a Paragraph on 'The Life of a Rickshaw Puller' in about 250 words. 10
15. Write a composition on 'Your Future Plan of Life'. 12

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Almost (a) — school has its magazine. It serves to focus (b) — on the corporate life of the school. It also (c) — students with a medium (d) — self-expression. It is a (e) — aid to the fostering of (f) — extra-academic (g) — in the school. There is yet (h) — reason. In these days it is being (i) — more and more that the student of today is the citizen of (j) —.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

in	plenty	press	requisite	inherit
rapid	like	finish	backward	developed

No nation can make (a) — progress without industrialisation. Ours is an (b) — country backward (c) — industry. One reason of our industrial (d) — lies in the fact that Bangladesh (e) — little in the field of industries. We have (f) — of raw-materials (g) — jute and hide but we have not the (h) — number of mills and factories to turn them into (i) — products ready for export. Hence there is the (j) — need of rapid industrialisation of Bangladesh.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Work	is	tiresome.
Still holidays	are said to be	essential in our busy life.
To work without pause	are	worship.
Holidays	increase	our health and slacken our dutifulness.
Strenuous activities without regular break	is likely to tell upon	the efficiency of work and make work more delightful.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

die	cause	keep	go	destroy	keep	need	cause	name	get
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There are various kinds of fever. Dengue is one of them. It (a) — by biting of mosquito (b) — 'Aedes'. It (c) — serious health hazard. Vomiting, high temperature, blood platelets etc. make the patient tormented. Many patients (d) — if blood platelets (e) — below 50. Much care and proper treatment (f) — to save dengue affected patients. In order to (g) — ourselves free from dengue we (h) — our environment clean. Living place of Aedes larva should (i) —. With an eye to (j) — ourselves aloof from mosquito bite. The use of curtain is essential.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 "What do you know about Rohingya?" said the teacher. "We know little about them. Please tell us something," said the students. "Let's discuss about this tribe today," said he. "O.K, sir. That will be very fine," said the students. "May God save them from this danger," said the teacher.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Women are as important as men in the society. (Comparative)
- They have noble mission to fulfill as men. (Interrogative)
- If they get opportunity, their genius will bloom fully. (Simple)
- Without the uplift of women, the progress of the nation is not possible. (Complex)
- By education women can be elevated. (Negative)
- So, the authority should impart education to the women folk. (Passive voice)
- Mothers play a role which is very important in teaching their children. (Simple)
- There is no woman who is not a potential mother. (Affirmative)
- If all our women were educated! (Assertive)
- An educated mother plays a great role in the society. (Exclamatory)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Unless Amin read attentively, —.
- of others is a great sin.
- The problem was too hard for —.
- The Headmaster does not like the students —.
- But for your help, —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

The (a) (fluctuate) of the market price is very (b) (puzzle) to the consumers. This situation occurs because of the (c) (irresponsible) and the (d) (neglect) of the proper (e) (author). We should take note that the (f) (suffer) of this condition are (g) (main) the poor class people. The (h) (sense) quarter must come forward and make possible (i) (commend) to come out of this (j) (stable) situation.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Amin as well as his cousins cut a good figure in the examination, ——?  
 (b) None is to none under the sun, ——?  
 (c) The visitor that he guided was not a man, ——?  
 (d) The sooner, the better, ——?  
 (e) Let's go to school, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) —— a student learns his lessons properly, an examination is tough for him. (b) —— if he takes a proper preparation, the examination is easy to him. The night before an examination is (c) —— not joyous. (d) ——, it is something like a bad dream. (e) —— a student reads properly, sometimes the fear of examinations haunts him.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- shakespeare an english playwright poet and actor is widely regarded as the worlds greatest dramatist he is often called englands national poet and the bard of avon or simply the bard he was born on 23 april 1564 in stratford on avon

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Amin/Amina of 20 Station Road, Cumilla and you have passed MBA from Dhaka University. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post of a Senior Officer to the Managing Director of Sonali Bank. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Labib/Labiba. You read in Cumilla Govt. School, Cumilla. You are suffering from accommodation problem. You would like to stay in the school hostel. Now write an application to the Headmaster of your school for a seat in the school hostel. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag." 10
15. Write a Composition on "The uses and abuses of television." 12

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

history	at	boost	economic	south	contribute	vista	the	aid	turbulent
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- (a) — Padma multi-purpose bridge has opened a new era in the (b) — of Bangladesh. This mega project has been implemented without any foreign (c) —. 21 (d) — districts were cut off from the capital by the (e) — Padma river. Now, the bridge has opened the new (f) — of trade and commerce. Besides, tourism is going to (g) — up. All these will (h) — a lot to our (i) — growth and surely reduce the poverty of those areas. The construction of the bridge, which was our long cherished dream (j) — last came true.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

King Solomon had a great (a) — for his wisdom. Once the Queen (b) — Sheba wanted to test how wise he was. She brought two kinds of flowers. One was the floral wreath of (c) — flower and the other was of (d) — flower. Sheba asked the king to differentiate (e) — the flower wreaths. Solomon did not answer instantly. He thought for a (f) —. There were bees outside. He told someone (g) — open the window. The bees came in and sat on the real flowers. The wreaths could be (h) — by Solomon. (i) — the identification of real flowers by the king made Queen (j) — impressed.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

The UNESCO	was tabled	in the form of a resolution unanimously.
The proclamation	was given	a great tribute and glowing homage to the language martyrs.
It	is	in Bangladesh.
The recognition	has proclaimed	to spread mother tongue widely.
The resolution	came	the February 21 as the International Mother Language Day in 1999.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

shine	be	stop	honour	reign	feel	understand	triumph	preach	prevail
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Truth always (a) — in the world. Falsehood may (b) — for the time being. Those who (c) — engaged in (d) — the truth (e) — by all people. Those who (f) — interested in telling lies, cannot (g) — in life. They may prosper seemingly. But they cannot (h) — all the time. Socrates throughout his life tried to preach the truth. He tried to make people (i) — what was good for them. He was troubled by the powerful people. Yet he never (j) — teaching good things.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

'May I come in, Sir?' said the guardian. 'Yes, come in, please,' said the Headmaster. The guardian said, 'We, all the guardians along with you must do something for the betterment of our children. The Headmaster said, 'Let's plan something for their betterment.'

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Child labour is one of the biggest curses of the 21st century. (Comparative)
- Unfortunately, it has been accepted in our society. (Active)
- To support such an act is really a shame. (Exclamatory).
- Poverty is one of the reasons for this. (Negative)
- The poor parents send their children to work to fill their empty stomach. (Compound)
- Not only poverty but also illiteracy is responsible for child labour. (Simple)
- Child labour is more than a curse for a country. (Positive)
- Everybody knows this. (Interrogative)
- Awareness regarding its consequences should be raised to stop it. (Complex)
- Government must take stern steps so that this problem can be stopped. (Simple)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Though an honest man is insolvent, —.
- Fortune smiles upon those —.
- as if nothing happened.
- Had I recognized him, —.
- Scarcely had we reached home —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Answering the question in the examination should be to the point. You should not enlarge your answers (a) necessary. When you write main ideas, you can (b) short your sentences. Unnecessary (c) elaborate of the answers

is simply a (d) waste of time. This type of answers (e) please the (f) examine and they do not want to give the (g) examine good marks. So, students are advised to be (h) caution about this (i) effect and they should not write any (j) relevant point in their answer.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) The world has experienced several destructive wars, ——?  
 (b) Let's overcome this crisis, ——?  
 (c) Anything may happen in this time, ——?  
 (d) What a miserable situation! ——?  
 (e) We seldom want war, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Man is a social being. He wants a person with whom he can mix and converse freely, exchanging thoughts and ideas. (a) ——, a man naturally seeks the society of those who are like himself in their taste and inclination. (b) —— we mix with the good (c) —— the noble, it will ennoble us too. Our character can, (d) ——, be judged from that of our companions. (e) —— we take evil ways, a true companion will try his best to reform us.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- suddenly a voice called out good morning gentlemen where are you going and what are you doing here oh nowhere and nothing but you look so pensive why yes you are right we are looking for something replied the six blind men

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Abir/Ahona and you have passed MBA from a private university. You have noticed a vacancy advertisement in 'The Daily Sun' for the post of an Accounts Officer in Eastern Refinery Limited. Now, write a CV with a cover letter to the GM of the company for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Imagine, you are a resident of ward-26 of DSCC, Dhaka. Mosquito population has increased a lot in your area. Now write an application to the Mayor for taking steps against mosquito menace. 10
14. Write a paragraph on 'Traffic Jam'. 10
15. Write a composition on 'Wonders of Modern Science.' 12

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

thereby	as	be	warmer	gradual	prediction
change	that	destroy	pollution	there	increasing

The world is getting (a) — because of pollution. Every year millions of people all over the world die as a result of (b) — . In the recent years (c) — have been alarming reports that the world's climate (d) — undergoing a significant (e) — . All these reports provide strong evidence (f) — world temperatures are (g) — day by day. Climatologists (h) — that midway through the next century temperatures may have risen as much (i) — 4°C. This could raise sea levels and (j) — flood costal areas and farmlands.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Punctuality is of (a) — value to a student. (b) — unpunctual boy who is (c) — in the class will miss a part of his lesson and fall (d) — other students. But (e) — punctual student will learn his lesson (f) — time and do well in the examination. Punctuality is (g) — key (h) — success in life. We (i) — should be (j) — in our activities.
3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Sincerity	are is works	properly.
A sincere man		also sincere in their works.
The great people		not aware of its importance.
The people of our country		indifferent to their works.
They		a great virtue.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

understand	base	praise	depend	judge	have	pass	discover	see	read
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The greatness of book (a) — mainly on the acceptability among the readers. If we read a book only once, we (b) — many things in it. But (c) — on one reading, we (d) — the standard of a book. When a book (e) — highly, we (f) — no doubt about the greatness of the book. Only through the first reading we may (g) — a book but if it is (h) — more than once, we (i) — why it was read and praised by all. So, the great books are those that have (j) — the test of time.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 "What kind of stories did Aesop tell?" asked Jaman. "Fables." replied Mrs Rahman. "Do you know what fables are?" "No," replied Jaman. "Well," continued Mrs Rahman. "Fables are stories with a message or a moral."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Never tell a lie. (Affirmative)
- Telling lies is the greatest of all sins. (Positive)
- A person who tells lies can never get any permanent success. (Simple)
- We know that a lie breeds hundred lies. (Passive)
- In spite of knowing the bad results of lies, some people keep on telling lies. (Compound)
- They tell lies with a view to gaining some material gains. (Complex)
- Fie! they are very unfortunate. (Assertive)
- They should be made to realise the fact. (Active)
- Even God always dislikes a liar. (Negative)
- We want that everybody will speak the truth. (Simple)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- There is a proverb that —.
- Unless you have good health —.
- A healthy poor man is happier than —.
- You may have a lot of wealth but —.
- In order to have good health —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

(a) Urban is a great problem in our small country. Because of it, (b) cultivate land is (c) crease day by day. As a

result, an acute (d) (short) is seen in agricultural (e) (produce). If we want to get rid of it, a (f) (plan) system should be applied. (g) (wise) our (h) (agro) economy and urban (i) (civil) will face a great problem. So, (j) (initiate) should be taken.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) A rolling stone gathers no moss, ———?
- (b) None is to none under the sun, ———?
- (c) The coward in her surprised us, ———?
- (d) Everybody is liable to error, ———?
- (e) The jury gave different opinions, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- A miser got some money (a) ——— he was not pleased with it. He was in constant fear (b) ——— thieves would steal it. (c) ——— he thought it was necessary to devise some steps (d) ——— no one might get scent of it and steal it. (e) ——— much thought he bought a lump of gold with all his money and buried it at a secret place.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- honesty is a noble virtue it is the secret of success in every sphere of life the value of honesty is very great it brings love respect and fearlessness an honest man passes his days in mental peace in respect of happiness honesty is the best policy

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, some accounts officer will be recruited in the Premier Bank. You are interested to be an accounts officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are an inhabitant of Barishal Town. The people of the town is passing their days in an insecure condition due to rise of anti-social activities. Now, write a complaint letter to the Deputy Commissioner complaining about the anti-social activities in your town. 10
14. Write a paragraph about "Your Visit to a Place of Historical Interest". 10
15. Write a composition on "The Season You Like Most". 12

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Patriotism is (a) — noble virtue. It is (b) — inherent instinct in human nature. It inspires a man to shed (c) — last drop of blood to (d) — the liberty and dignity of the country. But patriotism should not be merely a (e) — slogan in the public meeting (f) — fraud the people. It should be remembered in (g) — core of heart and must be (h) — our deeds. We should keep ourselves above (i) — the fake patriotism. Everybody should bear (j) — mind that a pretender must be defeated. Nobody will remember or honour a mock patriot.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Student life is a life of preparation (a) — future struggle. To make him prepared for the struggle, education is (b) — must. So, the first and foremost duty of (c) — student is to persecute his studies well. He who (d) — his lessons regularly (e) — well in the examination. On the contrary, (f) — student who wastes his time cuts a (g) — figure. It should be kept (h) — mind that none can get back the (i) — time. If the students neglect their studies, they will suffer (j) — the long run.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

	give	very useful to man.
Trees	should not destroy	us oxygen.
They	are	trees.
We	need	oxygen to live.
	provide	shelter to birds and animals.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

take	go	begin	become	drizzle	be	ask	get	finish	have
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It (a) — a day of Ashar. It (b) — since morning that day. I (c) — my meal when the sky (d) — dark with dense clouds. I hastily (e) — my meal and (f) — ready to go to school. Big drops of rain (g) — to fall by then. Mother (h) — me to wait but that was not possible for me. I (i) — my umbrella and set out. I (j) — only a few steps when it began to pour.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

“Where is my son ?” said the grocer. “A crow carried your son away”, said the fruit-seller. “You liar, how can a crow carry such a big boy ? ” “Just the same way as mice can eat away the balance and weights.”

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Dhaka is an old city. (Complex)
- Dhaka stands on the famous river Buriganga. (Compound)
- It bears a rich heritage. (Exclamatory)
- Mughal Emperor Jahangir set up this city. (Passive)
- It is called the city of mosque. (Active)
- It is the most modern city of Bangladesh. (Positive)
- Everybody wants to live in Dhaka. (Interrogative)
- But those who dwell in this city are the victims of pollution now. (Simple)
- Would that this pollution could be reduced. (Assertive)
- We must keep the city neat and clean. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Our country is full of resources which —.
- It is regretted that —.
- , we cannot lift them from the mines.
- We are trying our best —.
- It is unfortunate that —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

There are (a) vary forms of physical exercises. But every form is not (b) suit for all. Walking is good for all. In the morning, fresh air is (c) avail. So, it is (d) benefit to health. It is also very (e) please and (f) enjoy. It also (g) freshes

our mind. The (h) nature beauty (i) witch us. We become (j) health.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) The beauty of a moonlit night cannot be described in words, ——?
- (b) It is very charming, ——?
- (c) It dazzles our eyes, ——?
- (d) Everybody enjoys a moonlit night, ——?
- (e) None can deny its pleasure, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- There are six seasons in a year. Winter season is a remarkable season of the year. A winter morning is cool (a) —— I get up from bed early in the morning. (b) —— I get up early in the winter morning, I have to face some problems. Nature looks pale (c) —— the sun rises. (d) —— the sun rises, the fog disappears gradually. (e) —— there are some difficulties, I like it very much.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- language plays a very important role in our daily life we use language to express our ideas thoughts feelings and emotions language is ever present in our activities we cannot go a single day without it

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, Pacific Bank Limited invites applications for the post of junior officer. You are Kabir and you are interested to build up a career as a banker. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are the students of class X of Naogaon Zilla School. You are willing to play a friendly football match with the students of class X of your neighbouring school, Naogaon High School. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school for permission to play a friendly football match. 10
14. All the beings depend on trees for their existence. So, we should plant more trees. Now, write a paragraph in 250 words on "Importance of Tree Plantation". 10
15. Modern age is an age science and technology. Different scientific devices are being invented day by day to make your life comfortable. Write a composition on 'Wonders of Modern Science'. 12

# Model Test 33

## MOTIJHEEL GOVERNMENT BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL, DHAKA

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Festivals have always been an integral part of our tradition and culture. We have a (a) — of festivals which we celebrate (b) — the year. Some of our (c) — festivals are related to our (d) — of dependence and language movement. (e) — are related to our religions and the (f) — are related to our art and (g) —. Whatever may be (h) — occasion, people from all (i) — of the society take part in these festivals spontaneously. We should continue the (j) — of our festivals.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Feeding the ever (a) — population is a big challenge for Bangladesh in the coming decades. The (b) — challenge for the country is to (c) — the current level of agriculture production. The task is daunting (d) — when the country (e) — about 50 thousand hectares of cultivable land (f) — due to (g) — pressure (h) — land for human settlement as well as the building of (i) — such as bridges. Moreover, river erosion and other non-agricultural uses (j) — to the diminishing of an agricultural land.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Modern civilization	have made	a constant companion of our daily life.
Science	is	that science has to be explored for the garden welfare of mankind
We	should remember	a gift of science.
	can see	the influence of science in all spheres of our daily life.
		the impossible things possible by means of science.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

require	be	provide	spread	promote	define	anticipate	direct	remain	stay
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E-commerce is rapidly being (a) — in our country. It may be (b) — as a business process through electronic transition. Buyer and sellers are not (c) — to talk face to face. We may get our required product (d) — at home. One of the best opportunities (e) — that businessmen from home and abroad can (f) — their business using this system (g) — in their respective countries. It (h) — us with global information, resources and services. It is (i) — that it will (j) — our domestic business very soon.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"You look a little bit like my mother " he said "especially in the dark by the fire." "But you were only four Jerry, when you came here. Have you remembered how she looked all these years?" said the authoress, "My mother lives in Manville. '

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Where we may cast our eyes, we notice the achievements of science. (Simple)
- Let me go. (Passive)
- As soon as he saw me, he ran away. (Interrogative)
- Anik is not the best boy in the class. (Positive)
- Every man must die. (Negative)
- Fog filled the mountain passes too treacherously for me to dare drive at night. (Complex)
- We eat so that we may live. (Compound)
- Foreign travel is not only pleasant but also instructive. (Simple)
- She waits until her friend returns. (Simple)
- How odd! (Assertive)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- As a flower is a symbol of love, beauty and purity, it is —.
- There is hardly any person —.
- We can turn enemies into friends if we —.
- It is said that those who do not love flowers —.
- Many people cultivate flowers because —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

A (a) west survey was conducted on this (b) quest. "Are social (c) work making us social?" The participants are

mainly the (d) net users of the West. 81% opined (e) affirm. One commented that (f) smart detach you from your family and (g) company in exchange of an addition to fun. Another comment was that many (h) virtue relations are maintained at a time and so they (i) hard become deep and reliable. Another remarkable comment was that direct (j) action has no alternative for a safe relation.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) I am still your friend I hardly think of deceiving you, ——?
  - (b) Never believe what others say, ——?
  - (c) I'll even risk my life if you fall in any danger, ——?
  - (d) Who cares of you, ——?
  - (e) Nothing comes out of nothing, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Summer noon is very painful and disgusting. (a) —— the sun shines hotly over head, life becomes miserable. The sufferings of the people know no bounds (b) —— the electricity goes off. (c) —— the people use hand fans to fan themselves. Children can neither sleep (d) —— read. They feel out of sorts. (e) —— the poor suffer most. They work outside in the burning sun.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- once my mother said to me who came to you my friend rafiq she asked what did he want i said his mother is ill he needs some money i have given him five hundred taka my mother said nice.

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Fahim/Farhana and you have passed H.S.C and got a diploma on computer. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post of a computer operator in a company. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Priom/Pritha, a student of class ten of Jamalpur Zilla School, Jamalpur. You and your classmates want to go on a study tour. Now. write an application to the Headmaster of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Uses and Abuses of Mobile Phone." 10
15. Write a short composition on 'Your future plan' in not more than 200 words. 12

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

discard	virulent	digest	ruin	augment
ingest	effect	preserve	prone	intoxication

Formalin is a very (a) — chemical which is widely used as the (b) — of food stuffs like fish, milk, fruit, vegetables, etc. Once formalin is (c) — to any food stuffs, it cannot be easily (d) —. Even washing with hot water is not (e) — enough to make food safe. So, our people are (f) — to the high risk of formalin (g) —. But (h) — of a little amount of formalin can immediately cause injury to our (i) — system. Long term use of this poison certainly leads one to death. So, strict action must be taken against those who are (j) — our nation by poisoning our food stuffs.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Most of our young learners are often (a) — in surfing internet and keep themselves (b) — in Facebooking and Twittering. In this way, they while away their time. Though this (c) — somehow (d) — to develop their (e) — of using internet, it (f) — their valuable time which is supposed to be spent for their studies, for games and sports, for other (g) — related to the (h) — of their social skills. So, there should have some (i) — access to internet browsing and some sort of (j) — in using internet for the students.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Child abuse or child maltreatment	is	to be maltreating adults
Child abuse can	occur in	include subsequent ill-health, including higher rates of chronic conditions, high-risk health behaviours and shortened lifespan.
It	can	physical or psychological maltreatment or neglect of a child.
The result of child abuse	may	a child's home or in the organizations, schools or communities the child interacts with.
Maltreated children may	grow up	result in immediate adverse chronic physical and psychological effects.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

permit	disarray	interrupt	upset	afford	put	endanger	detect	carry	conserve
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Man's superiority to animals (a) — in his ability to make tools. This superiority (b) — with his basic moral responsibility to (c) — rather than destroy. Man (d) — his life in danger of over exploring the world's resources to such an extent that the natural habit of countless wild creatures has been (e) — and species of wildlife (f) —. This destruction of natural environment of wildlife (g) — the natural food chain. This change in the balance of nature often (h) — the natural control of pests and disease. Man cannot (i) — to risk his life and happiness. It is foolishness of us to (j) — such threat to continue.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 Zaman said to me, "Have you finished reading the book I gave you yesterday?" "Yes, I have finished reading the book," I replied. "What an interesting book it is! I wish I would borrow the book earlier!" I said. "Will you return the book today?" he asked.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- An aim is a goal to which one aspires. (Compound)
- It inspires one to long for a certain position. (Complex)
- Everyone should have an aim in life. (Interrogative)
- An aim is not an optional choice for us. (Affirmative)
- Having a fixed aim, everyone can reach the goal. (Negative)
- An aim is one of the most calculating targets in our life. (Comparative)
- There are innumerable aims for men and women. (Negative)
- An over ambitious man tries to fulfill his aim by hook or by crook. (Passive)
- Aim must be thoughtfully selected. (Active)
- People who work hard can meet their aim. (Simple)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Education is the only way which —.
- It paves the way —.
- we can make them skilled workers.
- We can make them skilled workers —.
- The conscious people should play a vital role to —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

The motive behind all (a) (invent) is to make human life (b) (comfort). But if they are not used (c) (proper), they become the source of (d) (comfort) behaviour. Similarly, a loudspeaker was invented to reach the voice of the (e) (speak) to all the audience in a function. But nowadays this (f) (use) instrument has turned into an object of annoyance. The students are the worst (g) (suffer) as they fail to concentrate their attention on studying. The owner (h) (entire) forget that the (i) (education) institutions, offices, hospitals and other (j) (organizes) are situated on the streets.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Most of the students who fail in English don't have strong foundation over grammar, ——?
- (b) They read only to pass the examination, ——?
- (c) Teachers should motivate them to learn the basic thing, ——?
- (d) They can't help learning grammar, ——?
- (e) Moreover, practice is essential too, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- In our society we find a group of people who are fond of sky-high talking. They often say that they can do (a) —— better (b) —— that. In fact they are good for nothing. They want to hide their inability by their sky-high talking. (c) —— such kinds of people are asked to show their performance, they quarrel with their tools. (d) —— a man of action talks less and advises others to talk less and work more. A man of action need not talk about his ability (e) —— he is not an empty vessel.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- will you buy my hair aksed della i buy hair said madam take your hat off and lets have a sight at the looks of it twenty dollars said madam lifting the mass with a practiced hand give it to me quick said della.

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Fahima Ahmed and you have passed MSc in Computer Science. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of a Computer Programmer in the National ICT Research Center. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV shouldn't exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Saheba Rahman living in Chattogram. You went to Dhaka by train yesterday. You lost your goods while going to Dhaka. Now, write a letter to the Chief Operating Officer of Bangladesh Railway complaining about your missing goods. 10
14. Write a paragraph within 250 words on "The Padma Multipurpose Bridge." 10
15. Write a composition on "The Uses of Computer in Everyday Life". 12

## Model Test 35 BOGURA GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

around	stagnant	detect	effect	disease	clean	symptoms	the	Aedes	joint
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Dengue fever is a mosquito-borne tropical disease. It is caused by the bite of a female mosquito called (a) \_\_\_\_\_. It was first (b) \_\_\_\_\_ in Bangladesh in 1964. Its (c) \_\_\_\_\_ include a high fever, headache, vomiting, muscle and (d) \_\_\_\_\_ pains. There is no (e) \_\_\_\_\_ drug for dengue. To prevent this (f) \_\_\_\_\_, we should destroy Aedes mosquito. We can prevent the birth of this mosquito by removing the (g) \_\_\_\_\_ water in pots, vases and containers (h) \_\_\_\_\_ us. We must keep our environment (i) \_\_\_\_\_. Besides, we must consult with a doctor if (j) \_\_\_\_\_ symptoms persist for some days.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Student life is a life of (a) \_\_\_\_\_ for future struggle. To make him fit (b) \_\_\_\_\_ the struggle, education is necessary. So, (c) \_\_\_\_\_ first and foremost duty of (d) \_\_\_\_\_ student (e) \_\_\_\_\_ to prosecute his studies well. He who learns his lessons (f) \_\_\_\_\_ does well in the examination. On the (g) \_\_\_\_\_, the student who wastes his time cuts a sorry figure. It should be (h) \_\_\_\_\_ in mind that none can get back the lost time. (i) \_\_\_\_\_ the students neglect their studies, they will suffer in the (j) \_\_\_\_\_ run.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Nature	are	soft and fertile.
Our land	has	proved more generous to us in giving her resources than to many other countries of the world.
Our farmers	cultivate	not few.
On the other hand, the lands of most other countries	is	hard and rocky and are difficult to cultivate.
Moreover, our natural advantages for the purpose of agriculture		the land easily with hand-made tools.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

kill	have	be	involve	contribute	come	achieve	take	flee	show
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Today we (a) \_\_\_\_\_ a free nation. We (b) \_\_\_\_\_ to take great pains to gain freedom. Our War of Liberation (c) \_\_\_\_\_ place in 1971. People of all walks of life (d) \_\_\_\_\_ forward and got (e) \_\_\_\_\_ in the war directly or indirectly. Many a man (f) \_\_\_\_\_ in the battle fields. They (g) \_\_\_\_\_ from the battle fields (h) \_\_\_\_\_ their backs. Rather all of them (i) \_\_\_\_\_ much to (j) \_\_\_\_\_ independence. We are proud of our freedom fighters and their contribution.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Follow my example," she said as she shook hands, "and never eat more than one thing for luncheon." "I'll do better than that," I retorted. "I'll eat nothing for dinner to night." "Humorist," she cried gaily, jumping into a cab. "You're quite a humorist."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Books are our greatest friends. (Positive)
- We should read books to acquire knowledge. (Complex)
- Books introduce us to the realm of knowledge. (Passive)
- A good book is as living as its writer. (Comparative)
- When we read good books, we discover new worlds. (Simple)
- More and more books should be read. (Active)
- Reading books is a very good habit. (Negative)
- This habit is rarely disliked. (Affirmative)
- The books of great writers contain noble thoughts and great ideas. (Interrogative)
- By reading good books, we can enrich our mind. (Compound)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Greed begets sin, \_\_\_\_\_.
- Unless you are regular to your prayer, \_\_\_\_\_.
- We know that \_\_\_\_\_.
- The man whom you saw yesterday, \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_, I would have helped the poor.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Rabindranath Tagore, one of the greatest literary figures of the world, won Nobel prize for Gitanjali in 1913. That brought him tremendous (a) repute and (b) recognize which he cherished in his life. Towards the end of his career he paid (c) attend to painting. His pictures too according to the critics belong to a very high rank. Indeed Tagore (d) hard did anything (e) standard in his life. His Galpaguchchha is an (f) ordinary literary (g) create of short stories. They are about social and (h) psychology elements of the people of our society. For example, in Haimanti Rabindranath has (i) nice portrayed a (j) society problem named dowry.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Let us have a discussion, ——?
- (b) Time and tide wait for none, ——?
- (c) Many of us waste our time, ——?
- (d) None could prosper in life without utilizing time, ——?
- (e) Everybody should realize this truth, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- English is the most widely used international language. (a) —— communicating with the foreigners, we cannot but use this language. There are certain jobs in the country (b) —— the jobs of a pilot, postman, a telephone operator etc. where English is very essential. (c) ——, a student wishing to go abroad must learn English. (d) —— the importance of learning English in our country cannot be ignored. (e) —— we should put high importance on learning English.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- porter you may go said the mistress of the house laughing you have gained your freedom by allah he replied i wont leave the house

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Nurain Rahman. You have seen an advertisement in "The Daily Star" that some design engineers are going to be appointed in Asian Textile Limited. You want to apply for the post. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. 8
13. Suppose, you are a student of Govt. Girl's School, Kishoregonj. Yours is a renowned school in the district. But you do not have any language club in your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster requesting him to set up a language club. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Tree Plantation". 10
15. Write a composition on "The Game You Like Most". 12

**Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]**

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

the	vain	figure	of	without	and	energy	polite	also	qualities
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A student is he whose main duty is to study attentively. A student must have some (a) \_\_\_\_\_. He must be truthful, united, disciplined, (b) \_\_\_\_\_, neat and clean and tolerant. The first and foremost duty (c) \_\_\_\_\_ a student is to study attentively. From (d) \_\_\_\_\_ beginning of the year he must give emphasis on the text books. He must follow the rules (e) \_\_\_\_\_ regulations of his school strictly. (f) \_\_\_\_\_ reading more it is quite impossible to cut a good (g) \_\_\_\_\_ in the examination. He (h) \_\_\_\_\_ reads other books for enhancing his general knowledge. He behaves (i) \_\_\_\_\_ with others. He tries his best to help the weak students in his class. He never wastes his time in (j) \_\_\_\_\_. All classes of people love him for his sincere activities.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Flower is the best gift of nature. It is (a) \_\_\_\_\_ symbol of love and purity. It adds beauty (b) \_\_\_\_\_ nature and our surroundings. In the world there is none (c) \_\_\_\_\_ doesn't love flowers. Different kinds of flowers are found (d) \_\_\_\_\_ nature. All the flowers are (e) \_\_\_\_\_ from one another by their fragrances, sizes and colours. Butterflies, birds and bees take (f) \_\_\_\_\_ as their food. The flowers are used (g) \_\_\_\_\_ producing perfumes and medicines. They are used (h) \_\_\_\_\_ different occasions (i) \_\_\_\_\_ wedding, birthday, job promotion, funeral ceremony and so on. Recently flower cultivation has become highly (j) \_\_\_\_\_ in our country.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Child labour	are	engaging the children to work before their maturity.
It	can be solved	by taking strict actions to a great extent.
It	is seen	the main reasons for child labour.
Poverty and illiteracy	means	mostly in the over populated countries.
This problem	is	a great curse for any country of the world.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

distinguish	think	take	know	broaden	enlighten	remove	honour	educate	make
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Education is one of the basic human rights. It is also (a) \_\_\_\_\_ as the backbone of a nation. It (b) \_\_\_\_\_ the human minds. It also (c) \_\_\_\_\_ the outlook of a person. An educated person can easily (d) \_\_\_\_\_ between right and wrong. He can (e) \_\_\_\_\_ the right decision even in a critical situation. He also plays a vital role in (f) \_\_\_\_\_ prejudices from the society. An educated man is (g) \_\_\_\_\_ and appreciated everywhere. On the contrary, an uneducated man (h) \_\_\_\_\_ to be a burden in the society. For (i) \_\_\_\_\_ a country developed, the contribution of the educated is great. It is high time we (j) \_\_\_\_\_ the uneducated.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 The teacher said to the girl, "Why were you absent in the class yesterday?" "Sir, my father was very ill. I took him to the hospital," said she. "How is your father now?" "His condition is improving," said the girl.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Mobile Phone is one of the most wonderful devices in the present world. (Make positive degree)
- It is a very essential device for all classes of people. (Make negative sentence)
- Though it is a blessing, it has some serious harmful aspects. (Make compound sentence)
- It has changed our life style greatly. (Make passive voice)
- It is a very unique thing indeed. (Make exclamatory sentence)
- The importance of mobile phone cannot be described in words. (Make active voice)
- Nothing is as useful as it. (Make comparative degree)
- The modern world largely depends on it. (Make interrogative sentence)
- Without using mobile phone we cannot communicate rapidly with others. (Make complex sentence)
- We should use it consciously so that we can protect our eyesight. (Make simple sentence)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- He is too lazy to \_\_\_\_\_.
- If she had been invited, \_\_\_\_\_.
- He went out for a walk having \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ so that he could receive higher education.
- \_\_\_\_\_ gathers no moss.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 English is an international language. It is spoken (a) globe. It is (b) actual a common language in the world. The importance of English is (c) deniable. It has added a new dimension to the (d) nation communication. To express our thoughts and ideas with the (e) foreign, English plays an (f) effect role. It is also important for (g) high

education. Many international (h) organize hold their meetings in English. It creates international (i) brother among the people of the world. (j) Global is the ultimate result of it.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Tree plantation is essential to protect the environment, ——?  
 (b) If we cut trees at random, our wild animals will extinct, ——?  
 (c) Trees supply us with oxygen, ——?  
 (d) Let's plant trees more and more, ——?  
 (e) The dishonest woodcutters hardly pay any heed to it, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5  
 Everybody loves a truthful person. A man (a) —— speaks the truth is a truthful man. He believes (b) —— truthfulness is the key to success. He enjoys (c) —— mental (d) —— spiritual satisfaction. (e) —— he lives in the midst of want, he never deviates from the path of truthfulness.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5  
 the boy said to the teacher how can i improve in english sir you must read your text books and english newspapers daily you also should listen to bbc and cnn regularly said he thanks a lot sir said the boy

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, an IT Officer will be recruited in Dhaka IT Ltd. You are Sharif Ahmed/Sharifa Chowdhury of 26 years old and are interested to be an IT Officer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not be exceeded more than one page. 8
13. Imagine, you are Sumon/Sumona, a student of Toma Tungi High School, Bandarban. Your father is a government employee who has recently been transferred to Dhaka. Now, write an application to your Headmaster to allot a seat in the school hostel. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Our National Flag." 10
15. Write a composition on "The Journey You Have Recently Made." 12

### Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions, article and zero articles. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 Many people long (a) — wealth. They think wealth brings (b) — happiness. But often wealth brings (c) — great deal of worry instead (d) — happiness. Most of the people forget that great wealth is also (e) — great responsibility. Moreover, a very rich man (f) — spite of his great wealth, may not have (g) — easy life. We should bear (h) — mind that we live in society. So we must learn how to live (i) — peace and amity (j) — others. We should not feel proud for wealth.

2. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

social	rule	obedience	powerful	success
only	like	abide	rational	like

Discipline is the most valuable and (a) — element for (b) — in life. It implies (c) — to a set of (d) — for an orderly (e) — life. It is life leading (f) — based on rules. Man is not only social but also (g) — being. He cannot do whatever he (h) —. He must (i) — by some rules. Because discipline is not (j) — an inborn virtue.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Earthquake	ravage	get any warning before it.
It	is	losses of lives and properties.
We	do not	a natural catastrophe.
Earthquakes	can minimize	more destructive than flood.
Precautionary measures		many towns and cities with the people.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

receive	enrich	become	keep	know	give	mix	learn	open	apply
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It is a wise saying that theory without practice is meaningless. So only bookish knowledge (a) — useless when one (b) — it in the real life. In our practical life, we (c) — with different types of people and we get (d) — by learning from their way of living, manners and other things. The world is big. If we (e) — our eyes and ears (f) —, we can learn good things of life. The outside world (g) — us a wide scope of (h) — different people and their cultures. The things (i) — at schools and colleges are important but what we (j) — from our practical life is precious.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

Karim said to Pavel, "Good morning. Why did you miss the most important class on the rules of passage narration yesterday?" "Alas! What a fool I am! Please help me on the topic. I will never miss any important class." "Don't do this. Let us discuss the topic." Karim said.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Patriotism is nobler than most other virtues. (Positive)
- It is the greatest of all virtues in a man's life. (Comparative)
- It persuades a man to do everything just. (Negative)
- This quality highly motivates a man. (Passive voice)
- What an outstanding quality it is! (Assertive)
- A man having patriotic zeal is called a patriot. (Active voice)
- A patriot fears only the Creator. (Negative)
- By paying taxes, he obeys the law. (Passive voice)
- He is respected by all. (Complex)
- So, we should be patriots. (Imperative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- He pretends as if —.
- It is high time for us —.
- Walk slowly lest —.
- If your answer is correct —.
- Had he been a little careful —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$   
 We should bear in mind that habit is the second nature of human being. If anyone becomes (a) custom to good manners he can't (b) behave with anyone. So moral (c) educate is important. From the early part of life (d) child must be taught the (e) differ between right and wrong and trained to follow what is right and avoid what is wrong. Here (f) train means the (g) form of habit on right lines. It is every parent's (h) responsible to teach their children moral lessons at home. They also have to (i) sure that their children do not mix with any bad company. The moral (j) teach at an early age will help them become good citizens in future.
9. Make tag questions of these statements.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 (a) Everyone is nostalgic in life, ——?  
 (b) We hardly forget the golden past, ——?  
 (c) The memories of childhood are always haunting us, ——?  
 (d) The sweetest memory of childhood is colorful, ——?  
 (e) Who forgets these memories, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 Rural life and urban life have many common sides. (a) —— differences between them are greater. Country people do not have enough educational and medical facilities. (b) —— they face problems with their communication network. (c) ——, the city people enjoy all sorts of modern facilities. (d) —— they enjoy a nice communication system. (e) —— there is a rush of people to come to cities from village every year.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5  
 follow my example she said as we shook hands and never eat more than one thing for luncheon ill do better than that i retorted ill eat nothing for dinner to night humorist she cried gaily jumping into a cab

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Suman. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in The Daily News for the post of a Medical Representative in a renowned pharmaceutical company. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose you are Habib and a student of class X of Dhaka Govt. High School. The common room facilities is insufficient in your school. Now write a formal letter to your Headmaster to increase common room facilities. 10
14. Write a paragraph on 'Our National Flag'. 10
15. Write a composition about 'The Importance of Physical Exercise'. 12

# Model Test 38

DR. KHASTAGIR GOVERNMENT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, CHATTOGRAM

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

perfect	rest	with	suddenly	experience	the	uncertain	before	reality	review
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Examination gives some fright to all students. It is, after all, an (a) — venture in the dark. Every student is (b) — faced with striking (c) — of the examination on the night (d) — the day of commencement. As he seeks to (e) — his progress, he finds the preparation (f) —. That makes him all (g) — more nervous. He tries to enjoy a (h) — sleep at the night but failed. This becomes the night of anxieties and peculiar (i) —. To overcome the trouble of this night, the examinees should prepare their lessons much earlier and try to pass this night (j) — a normal state of mind.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

The present age is an age of (a) —. To keep (b) — with that (c) —, we need to learn English. For many reasons, English has achieved the (d) — of global language. As a result, it has (e) — the national borders of English (f) — countries and reached people who speak (g) — languages. English is no longer a (h) — possession of the British or American people (i) — a language that belongs (j) — the world's people.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Morality	prevents	lost in a world of confusion and chaos.
Your sense of morality	have been created	you from cheating on your school exams, on your taxes, or on your spouse.
Men	is	the measuring rod of mannerism and behaviorism of human beings.
Without morality, we	helps	to pursue morality all through their life.
it	would be	build a positive character with traits such as compassion, respect, kindness, and humility.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

win	look	forget	know	hold	award	represent	achieve	be	enter
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The origin of the Olympic Games is not exactly (a) —. The first modern Olympic Games (b) — in 1896 under the patronage of the king of Greece. The Olympic Games are considered the world's foremost sports competition with more than 200 teams, (c) — sovereign states and territories, participating. The motto of the Olympics (d) — friendship. The competitors (e) — into the contests (f) — but to participate. Participation (g) — upon as more important than victory. All ideas of national rivalries and jealousies are (h) —. Olympic Committee (i) — various medals, cups and diplomas. The winners (j) — great honour and glory.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Excuse me, can I have a look at your paper for a moment?" said the man next to me. "I just want to see the cricket results." "Sure, but I haven't quite finished with it," I said. "Please, wait a moment." He said, "Actually I am getting off at the next stoppage."

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- The western culture persuades our young generation to the path of destruction. (Complex)
- How attractively the culture is shown! (Statement)
- The internet is available to provide the culture. (Compound)
- It is the mightiest of all media to provide western culture. (Positive)
- Different satellite channels also telecast attractive programmes of various cultures. (Passive)
- The young generation is tremendously hooked by these programmes. (Active)
- For being innocent, the young people are easily attacked. (Complex)
- It is painful. (Exclamatory)
- Watch TV or you can't learn our outside world. (Simple)
- So, we should be conscious about using this. (Imperative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- Ethics and education are the two sides of the same coin, which —.

- (b) Without receiving education and ethics ——.
- (c) It is essential to ——.
- (d) —— to differentiate right from wrong.
- (e) We need education for ——.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$   
 Patriotism is (a) doubt useful for a nation and country. The nation is strongly built upon the (b) immolate of the patriots. They have (c) invest of money, time and even life for the (d) better of the country. He wants his country to be (e) prosper. On the contrary, the (f) coward form of patriotism is (g) desire as a blind patriot is not (h) care of his country. He does not care for the (i) human. They (j) conscious forget that they are the members of a human society.
9. Make tag questions of these statements.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 (a) Today we find that good manners are in danger of imminent extinction, ——?  
 (b) People often put themselves on the mobile phone, ——?  
 (c) Courtesies to the other persons is rarely found, ——?  
 (d) Some people cannot bear to be parted from their mobile, ——?  
 (e) What an odd, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 Many schools have a uniform. (a) —— students sometimes do not like the idea of wearing uniforms. However, there are arguments for and against. One argument for school uniform is that you don't have to waste time in the morning thinking what to put on. (b) ——, if pupils were allowed to wear cloths, they would tend to wear expensive cloths, (c) —— some clothes may not be suitable for schools. (d) ——, a person's choice of clothes reflects his/her personality and taste, (e) —— wearing a school dress does not allow a person to express his/her individuality in this way.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.  $5$   
 follow my example she said as we shook hands and never eat more than one thing for luncheon ill do better than that i retorted ill eat nothing for dinner tonight humorist she cried gaily jumping into a cab

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are A. Rahman. You have completed graduation on Library Science. You have seen a vacancy advertisement on 'The Daily Star' for the post of a librarian in M.K.S School, Tangail. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post of a librarian. Your CV should not exceed one page.  $8$
13. Suppose, you are Suman, a resident of Ward 120, Dhaka North. The people of your area leading an unhappy life due to mosquito menace. Now, write a letter to the Mayor concerned for taking steps against the fact.  $10$
14. Write a paragraph on "A Street Accident You Witnessed."  $10$
15. Write a composition on "Empowerment of Women in Bangladesh."  $12$

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

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The benefits of reading newspapers can (a) — be exaggerated. The newspaper is (b) — storehouse of knowledge. The chief business (c) — a newspaper is to (d) — us news which we need (e) — know. It tells us what happens at home and abroad. The (f) — civilized people cannot (g) — without newspaper. A newspaper plays an important role in the lives (h) — a nation. It makes the world smaller and provides a (i) — benefit (j) — us.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

Most of our young learners are often indulged (a) — surfing Internet and keep themselves (b) — in facebooking and twittering. In this way, they just (c) — away their time. Though this involvement somehow (d) — to develop their skill of using Internet, it kills their valuable time which is supposed to (e) — spent for their studies, for games and sports, for other activities related (f) — the development of (g) — social skills. So there should have (h) — limited access (i) — Internet browsing and some sort (j) — prohibition in using Internet for the young generation.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below.  $1 \times 5 = 5$

Independence	went	the war.
No nation	took place	to the battle field to save the country.
Our war of liberation	be	it without struggle.
People from all walks of life	can achieve	in 1971.
They	joined	the birth right of a nation.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

prepare	maintain	form	succeed	get	influence	should	use	be	call
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Student life (a) — the golden season of life. This (b) — the time when we should (c) — our selves for future. The very habits (d) — in the student life (e) — the later phases of life. Right from the student life, they (f) — be careful in (g) — discipline. They should (h) — their time properly. If they do not properly use their time, they will not (i) — in life. They should (j) — punctual from the very beginning of student life.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Whats your programme after the examination?" asked Salam. Kalam said, "I have not yet decided. can you suggest any?" "Let us go on a picnic", said Salam. "What an excellent idea! I shall certainly join you", said Kamal.

6. Change the sentences according to directions.  $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Man is the maker of his own fortune. (Interrogative)
- If he makes a proper use of his time, he will prosper. (Simple)
- The person doing otherwise is sure to repent later. (Complex)
- The lazy suffer miserably in the long run. (Exclamatory)
- To kill time is to commit suicide. (Interrogative)
- Our life is nothing but a some total of hours, days and years. (Assertive)
- Youth is the most valuable season of life. (Positive)
- In youth, mind is soft and it can be shaped easily. (Simple)
- Unless using student life properly, you will pay for it. (compound)
- So, it is called the seed time of life. (Active)

7. Complete the sentences.  $1 \times 5 = 5$

- No sooner had we reached school, —.
- Scarcely had the prty begun —.
- If I had known his mobile number, —.
- He pretended as if, —.
- A child — is afraid of fire.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$   
Everybody knows that (a) smoke is a (b) danger bad habit. It is (c) harm to health, It is also (d) cost. A (e) smoke

shouldn't smoke (f) public. Smoking creates (g) pollute. A single puff of cigarette contains (h) numerable harmful particles that causes (i) danger diseases which are incurable. But still we are (j) aware of the bad effects of smoking.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Everybody wants to have a better life, ——?
- (b) A better life seldom comes without hard work, ——?
- (c) We have to work for this, ——?
- (d) But most of us can hardly do the job, ——?
- (e) Actually, life is not a bed of roses, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- None can deny the importance of tree plantation (a) —— our lives depend on it. (b) —— it is unfortunate that we are cutting trees recklessly. (c) —— trees are planted, soon our land will be deserted (d) —— there will be an adverse situation. (e) —— we should be aware of tree plantation.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- Have you killed the rats said the mayor yes i have replied the piper give me the promised money how funny you are said the mayor take only fifty and get lost.

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are a graduate and looking for a job. You have seen an advertisement of a school for the recruitment of the post of an Assistant teacher. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the job. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Rana, a student of Monir Ahmed Academy, Sylhet. After text examination you along with your classmates want to go to a study tour. Now write an application to your Headmaster seeking permission for the tour. 10
14. Write a paragraph in 200 words on 'A Winter Morning'. 10
15. Write a composition about 'Duties of a student'. 12

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Present world is very (a) \_\_\_\_\_. So you need to be (b) \_\_\_\_\_ for facing the challenge of (c) \_\_\_\_\_. As a student you have to fully concentrate (d) \_\_\_\_\_ your study. You must (e) \_\_\_\_\_ yourselves with education, (f) \_\_\_\_\_ and latest (g) \_\_\_\_\_. You'll never waste your time. Nothing can (h) \_\_\_\_\_ for the loss of your (i) \_\_\_\_\_ time. You must not be (j) \_\_\_\_\_ to your duty.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

Metro trains are used for short (a) \_\_\_\_\_ travelling. Normal trains are for (b) \_\_\_\_\_ distance traveling. Metro rail is known (c) \_\_\_\_\_ heavy rail. It is (d) \_\_\_\_\_ high capacity public (e) \_\_\_\_\_ which is found in the metropolitan cities. It is a (f) \_\_\_\_\_ transit system that runs below the (g) \_\_\_\_\_ and it is called a (h) \_\_\_\_\_. In the city of Dhaka it is (i) \_\_\_\_\_ by the name of Dhaka Metro Rail. We hope that it will make (j) \_\_\_\_\_ a traffic jam free city.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Price hike	are	suffer a lot.
Because of it	some people	not an easy task.
Some greedy people	is	responsible for price hike.
The government	tries to	a common problem in our country.
But it		control price hike.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

think	wonder	act	suffer	get	repent	do	learn	avoid
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we often (a) \_\_\_\_\_ into troubles by speaking or acting without (b) \_\_\_\_\_. We (c) \_\_\_\_\_ afterwards and (d) \_\_\_\_\_ at our foolishness but we (e) \_\_\_\_\_ the same thing again. All these (f) \_\_\_\_\_ if we (g) \_\_\_\_\_ to think before we (h) \_\_\_\_\_. This is difficult no doubt, but we can (i) \_\_\_\_\_ it. Otherwise, we shall (j) \_\_\_\_\_ the inevitable consequences all our lifetime.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Who are you and whom do you want? "I am looking for Mr Nabil." "No Nabil here", said the officer to the stranger.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- The whale is the largest of all creatures in the world. (positive)
- An elephant is not so heavy as the tongue of whale. (Comparative)
- Some of its arteries are big enough for a child to swim through. (Complex)
- They have huge size but can move fast. (Simple)
- Mother whales fondle their babies. (passive)
- It takes of their babies to raise them properly. (Complex)
- It leaves its babies when they grow up. (Compound)
- The whale is as social as human beings (Comparative)
- They can sing songs also. (Passive)
- Actually it behaves like human beings. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- He got the job after \_\_\_\_\_.
- Had I been there, \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ and spoil the child.
- It was ten years since \_\_\_\_\_.
- This is the very man who \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5

You need (a) determine and efforts with a view to (b) material your dream. Nothing is (c) achieve in this world (d)

out hard toil. Nothing is (e) achieve for those who are blessed with (f) common abilities. They are very fortunate. But those who are (g) inclined to do hard work are really (h) fortunate. By spending time (i) idle, they only (j) fool themselves.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) He let me leave the place, ——?  
 (b) Everybody dislikes a liar, ——?  
 (c) The clergy will be invited, ——?  
 (d) Look, someone is coming, ——?  
 (e) It is you who were present there, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- It is often said that our large population is our main problem. (a) —— it is also true (b) —— a large population can be turned into a unique manpower in a country. (c) ——, China can be cited. (d) —— her population is more than 1500 millions, she is progressing day by day. But (e) —— we are lagging behind in many respects.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- you look a little bit like my mother he said especially in the dark by the fire but you were only four jerry when you came here have you remembered how she looked all these years said the authoress.

Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Tanveer. You have seen an advertisement in. The Daily star that some design engineers are going to be appointed in Artisan Textile limited. You want to apply for the post. Now write a CV with cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Jahin. You read in Rangpur Zilla School, Rangpur. The student of your school want to arrange a tree plantation programme in the School campus. Now write an application to the Headmaster of your school seeking permission to arrange a tree plantation programme. 10
14. Write a paragraph in 250 words on 'A Moonlit Night'. 10
15. Write a composition on 'Your Favourite Game'. 12

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

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Man is the (a) — of his own fortune. If he makes (b) — proper (c) — of his time and does his duties accordingly he is sure (d) — prosper (e) — life. But if he does otherwise, he has (f) — suffer when it is too late. To waste time is as bad as to commit suicide (g) — our life is nothing but the sum total (h) — hours, days and years. If we waste (i) — morning hours of life, we shall have to repent (j) — the long run.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5

There are two (a) — of dreams. One is just (b) — dream and completely baseless. Anybody may meet it (c) — sleeping. Another dream is real. It is very desirable to a conscious and great person. Generally, it is called a future (d) —. To be a great person, this dream is a (e) —. Then go ahead to the working field. Really, if there is (f) — real dream, there is no interest (g) — action. True success depends (h) — a real dream. Remember, a life without (i) — aim or dream is (j) — a ship without a rudder.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Newspaper	gives	us news of home and abroad.
It	has	useful to all sections of people.
They	are	great educative value too.
	present	really part and parcel of our life.
		us the outside world like a mirror.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

drive	solve	create	suffer	occur	reach	cause	carry	violate	give
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Traffic jam is common affair in big cities of our country. Increasing number of vehicles (a) — traffic jam. Mainly, it (b) — in the congested areas. Overtaking tendency also (c) — traffic jam. Some drivers (d) — the traffic rules and (e) — carelessly. It (f) — a lot of pains to the people. Ambulances (g) — patients cannot (h) — hospital timely. Students and office going people also (i) — due to traffic jam. This problem should be (j) — immediately.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

“Have you heard the name of Aesop?” asked the teacher. The student said, “No, sir, who was he?” Read the lesson attentively and then you will be able to know about him. How interesting and instinctive his tables are! said the teacher. “Thank you, sir,” said the student.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- We should read books to acquire knowledge. (Complex)
- Books introduce us to the realm of knowledge (Passive)
- The books of great writers contain noble thoughts and great ideas. (Interrogative)
- By reading good books, we can enrich our mind. (Compound)
- Reading books is a very good habit. (Exclamatory)
- This habit is rarely disliked. (Affirmative)
- More and more books should be read. (Active)
- No other thing is as interesting as reading books (Comparative)
- When we read good books, we discover new world. (Simple)
- Very few friends are as great as a good book. (Superlative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- (a) It matters little to me whether —.

- (b) He pretended as if —.
- (c) If I had the wings of a bird, —.
- (d) Take your umbrella lest —.
- (e) Hardly had he started for school —.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis.  $0.5 \times 10 = 5$   
 Those who lead a (a) luxury life are always (b) different to the miseries of the poor. They enjoy life in (c) amuse and (d) merry. They are (e) centered people. They have little (f) realize of the (g) bounded sufferings of the poor. They remain indifferent to their (h) suffer. They feel (i) comfort to work for their (j) better.
9. Make tag questions of these statements.  $1 \times 5 = 5$
- (a) Nobody believes a cheat, —? —?
- (b) Everybody hates him, —? —?
- (c) He has to drag a miserable life, —? —?
- (d) He can hardly succeed in life, —? —?
- (e) Let us always speak the truth, —? —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 Happiness is something (a) — we cannot describe in words. It can only be felt from someone's positive expression. (b) — contentment is the key to happiness. Contentment varies from person to person. (c) —, a beggar may be contented with ten taka. (d) — a wealthy person may be unsatisfied even after getting one million taka. (e) —. it is said that contentment brings happiness.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5  
 do you know me yes i know you from my childhood whats your name my name is sumer

Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Mahi You have seen a vacancy advertisement in "The Daily Star" for the post of "Senior Officer" in a private bank. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose you are the class ten students of ABC School, Rajshahi You want to go on a study tour. So, you need permission of the Headmaster. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10
14. Write a paragraph on "Your School Library" within 200 words. 10
15. Write a composition about 'A journey you have recently enjoyed'. 12

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. 0.5 × 10 = 5

exist	has	derive	categorize	orbit
be	ranged	think	know	observed

A galaxy (a) — a gravitationally bound system of stars, stellar remnants, interstellar gas, dust and dark matter. The word galaxy (b) — from the Greek galaxias, literally. "Milky", a reference to the Milky Way. Galaxies (c) — in size from dwarfs with just a few hundred million stars to giants with one hundred trillion stars, each (d) — its galaxy's center of mass Galaxies (e) — according to their visual morphology as elliptical, spiral, or irregular. Many galaxies (f) — to have super massive black holes at their centers. The Milky Way's central black hole, (g) — as Sagittarius (h) — a mass four million times greater than the Sun. As of March 2016, GN-z11 is the oldest and most distant (i) — galaxy with a comoving distance of 32 billion light years from Earth, and observed as it (j) — just 400 million years after the Big Bang.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
The first computers were used primarily for (a) — calculations. However, as any information can be numerically encoded, people soon realized that computers are (b) — of serving general purpose and information processing. Their capacity to handle (c) — amounts of data has (d) — the range and accuracy of weather forecasting. Their speed has (e) — them to make decisions about routing telephone connections through a network and to (f) — mechanical system such as automobiles, nuclear reactors and robotic surgical tools. They are also (g) — enough to be embedded in everyday appliances and to make cloth dryers and rice cookers 'smart'. Computers have allowed us to pose and (h) — questions that could not be pursued before. This questions might be about DNA (i) — in genes, pattern of activity in a consumer market, or all the uses of a word in texts that have been stored in a data base. Increasingly, computers can also learn and adapt as they (j) — .
3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Column A	Column B	Column C
Unsafe levels of pesticides	was thereby detected	traces antibiotics.
Adulteration	the issue should be addressed	in several samples of pasteurized milk.
Samples of chicken and fish	were found	in around half of the vegetables and more than a quarter of fruits.
High microbial populations	contained	in samples of coriander, mango and fish shrimps.
Instead of focusing only on the end products,	are present	at the root level.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. 0.5 × 10 = 5

enjoy	lash	begin	continue	leap	be	forget	talk	pay	shout
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The battle between the mongoose and cobra (a) — . The mongoose, (b) — violently, seized the cobra's lower jaw and clung to it while cobra (c) — its tail strongly, but it grew weaker. In a few moments the cobra (d) — killed. The crowd stood spellbound as long as the fight (e) — . But as soon as they saw the cobra dead, they burst into an applause. They began (f) — excitedly about the magic power of the mongooses. But they (g) — the snake charmers who had lost a cobra. Moreover, they (h) — the fight. So, they (i) — the snake charmers generously and left the place (j) — 'hooray'.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
"Great king of the genies," called the monster. "It will never again disobey you." Hearing those words, the fisherman became brave and said, "Tell me why you were locked up in the vase." The gaint angrily looked at him and said, "Speak to me more politely or I shall kill you."
6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10
- Traffic jam is one of the most irritating problems in Bangladesh. (Make it positive)
  - This problem has taken a very serious shape in Mymensingh city. (Make it negative without changing meaning)
  - This problem is the result of rapid growth of population and the increasing number of vehicle. (Make it compound)
  - Population is growing very fast but roads have not increased (Make it complex).
  - Mymensingh city has a huge number of rickshaws but they do not follow the traffic rules. (Make it simple)
  - They never maintain a queue while waiting to proceed. (Make it passive)

- (g) Most often traffic jam occurs at office time and also at the time when the offices break. (Make it comparative)
- (h) Sometimes, traffic jam is very painful. (Make it exclamatory)
- (i) However, this problem can be solved by adopting some measures. (Make it active)
- (j) If we do not construct well planned spacious roads, this problem cannot be solved. (Make it imperative)
7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) I could not cope but my friend is accustomed to —.
- (b) Had I been helped even for once, —.
- (c) — before he fled away.
- (d) The UN should take proper steps to save Rohingyas —.
- (e) But for his timely arrival —.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. 0.5 × 10 = 5  
 It is a bad habit to put off the lessons for tomorrow. Good students never do this. It is (a) (neglect) of one's duty. If you are not (b) (dutiful), you will never do it. If you are undutiful, you will do it. (c) (undutiful) is a very bad practice that brings about (d) (adverse) in life. To become (e) (success) in life, you must be dutiful. It is also a kind of (f) (deceive) that one does not prepare the lessons (g) (day). It is also a part of (h) (lazy) because the lazy students are found (i) (regular) in preparing their lessons and other topics in (j) (accord) with their routine.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Great nature, —?
- (b) But everybody wants to destroy it, —?
- (c) Hardly anyone tries to protect natural world, —?
- (d) Nature must receive care from all of us, —?
- (e) Everything in nature has a priceless life to carry on, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5  
 Dengue fever is a serious disease (a) — is caused by a sort of virus called 'Dengue Virus'. (b) —, this virus was identified in Africa. (c) — now it has spread all over the world. (d) — in most cases dengue fever has its remedy, it is better to prevent it. (e) — we keep our dwelling places clean and people are aware of it, we can easily prevent this disease.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5  
 truthfulness refers to the state of being true and honest truth is what you told to others which had really happened it is really so difficult to tell the truth every time a truthful person doesnt only tell the truth but he also carries truthfulness in his actions words nature etc.

**Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]**

12. Suppose, you are Taskia/Toukir and you have passed H.S.C and got a diploma in computer. Now, write a CV with a cover letter for the post of a Computer Operator in a company. Your CV should not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Mehran, a student of class Ten of Mymensingh Zilla School, Mymensingh. You and your classmates want to go on a study tour. Now, write an application to the Headmaster/Headmistress of your school seeking permission to go on a study tour. 10
14. Suppose, recently you have had a cup of tea with some of your friends in a tea stall. Now, write a paragraph on 'A Tea Stall'. 10
15. Write a composition o 'Satellite TV Channels and Our Young Generation". 12

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# Model Test 43 English Second Paper

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. .5 × 10 = 5

power	by	mount	the	throttle	to	hanker	lead	source	in
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It is (a) — instinct of everyone to (b) — up the top position and power. There is no other passion (c) — the world which is so (d) — as the love of power. Man always (e) — after power. Power is the (f) — of all strength. But excessive desire for power (g) — one to disaster. Notwithstanding, people always rush (h) — the power. Sometimes a powerful nation or society is dominated (id) — the passion. It wants to (j) — the smaller and the weaker neighbours.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. .5 × 10 = 5

Man is the supreme creation of Allah. He is different from other animals, because he (a) — more IQ than them. He can (b) — between right and wrong because of his (c) —. He can (d) — himself from (e) — any harmful deed. He can (f) — himself for his (g) —. But sometimes, he acts out of (h) — and it brings (i) — to him. So, he should apply his (j) — consciously.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Independence	went	the war.
No nation	took place	to the battlefield to save the country.
Our war of liberation	is	it without struggle.
People from all walks of life	can achieve	in 1971.
They	joined	the birthright of a man.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. .5 × 10 = 5

use	implement	require	come	have	constitute	undermine	honour	create	ensure
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It is high time we (a) — our brain about the curse of dowry. The issues of dowry (b) — to be considered in view of the country's socio-economic, cultural and political circumstances. United efforts (c) — to put an end to violence against women. A specific framework must be drawn up to be (d) —. Anyway, we can hope that dowry system (e) — to an end in the time to come. It (f) — social imbalance and (g) — women. But the fact is that women (h) — half of our total population. So, we must (i) — them and at the same time we must (j) — their proper education.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

Himi said to Rimi, "Why don't you get up early from sleep?" Rimi said, "It is tough to me to leave bed early." "Alas! It's a bad habit," said Himi. "If you leave bed early, you can enjoy sound health. Follow my advice," "I will try my best to do this," said Rimi.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Corruption is a great curse to our nation. (Complex)
- No other problem is so great as corruption. (Comparative)
- It prevails in every walk of our life. (Complex)
- It destroys everything. (Negative)
- It can be compared to cancer. (Active)
- It paralyses the whole nation. (Passive)
- We must realize the fact and come forward against corruption. (Simple)
- We have to create awareness among the people to get rid of this problem. (Complex)
- Both the government and the people should work together. (Compound)
- Educated people cannot avoid the responsibility of solving this problem. (Interrogative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Historical places help us ———.
- (b) Man is curious ———.
- (c) ———, he can know many things.
- (d) We should pay a visit to a historical place ———.
- (e) It is high time ———.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. .5 × 10 = 5
- The dead (a) war was brought before the widow. She stood beside the dead body. She was (b) speech because she was (c) whelmed with grief. All standing around the dead body (d) called the good qualities of her husband. But she was still standing (e) moved. She burst into tears when her child was given onto her lap. She wept (f) bitter thinking of the (g) fortune of her child as it had become (h) father. She also felt proud of her husband's (i) hero. Her husband embraced (j) martyr.
9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) One should keep one's promise, ———?
- (b) Rafiq along with his classmates went to a seminar, ———?
- (c) Runa and not her sisters got the second prize, ———?
- (d) Death is preferable to dishonour, ———?
- (e) It scarcely rains in winter, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Morning walk is a good habit for all classes of people. (a) ——— it is a simple exercise, it is good for health (b) ——— mind. (c) ———, morning air is fresh and free from any kind of noise and pollution. Morning walk is such an exercise which costs nothing (d) ——— gives more. (e) ——— we should make a habit of morning walk.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- what kind of stories did aesop tell asked anwar fables replied mrs amin do you know what fables are no replied anwar well continued mrs amin fables are stories with a message or a moral

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Tanvir/ Tasnuva. You have completed your education and are looking for a job. You have seen a vacancy advertisement in the 'Daily Star' for the post of a medical representative in Beximco Pharmaceuticals Ltd, Dhaka. Now make a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV must not exceed one page. 8
13. Suppose, you are Arnob/ Anushka. You are a student of Model High School, Daulatpur, Kushtia. There is no debating club in your school. Now, write an application to the Headmaster of your school for opening a Debating Club in your school. 10
14. A rickshaw puller is a very familiar figure in our country. He plays a great role in our communication system. But he leads a very miserable life for financial problem. Now, write a paragraph in 150 words on 'The life of a rickshaw puller'. 10
15. A student has many duties and responsibilities. He/she can play an important role to build up the nation. Now, write a composition on 'Duties of a Student'. 12

### Part–A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. .5 × 10 = 5

up	in	the	mean	down	out	express	to
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When you are reading something (a) — English, don't look (b) — every new word and (c) — or you will soon become fed (d) —. Only look up something that is really important for understanding (e) — text. When you have finished reading, look back again what you have read and then you will perhaps look (f) — some extra words and write (g) — the new expressions which interest you. Similarly, when you listen (h) — English teachers, don't panic, may be you hear some words or expression that you don't know. You have to try to make (i) — what the teacher is talking, keep quite and the overall (j) — will often become clear.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. .5 × 10 = 5  
 Language plays a very important role from (a) — moment we wake up in the morning. We use language (b) — different purposes. We use it (c) — express our feelings and emotions. We use it (d) — obtain information (e) — express our ideas and thought, (f) — convey our message or to pass (g) — information (h) — others. Languages ever present in our activities and expressions. It is (i) — inseparable part (j) — what we are and what we do, perceive and believe.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Ambition	needs	a particular ambition.
Almost all of us	means	to be competitive too.
One's ambition	may be materialized	and sometimes hindered.
One	will never be	successful in life if one sits idly.
	cherish	desire to achieve something.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. .5 × 10 = 5

need	learn	talk	teach	design	improve	go	modify	speak	understand
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Communicative competence in English is urgently (a) — in our country. The present world (b) — fast and developing by leaps and bounds. In order to keep pace with the present world, we cannot help (c) — English, but the present system of teaching and learning English is not up to the mark. The text books (d) — for the classes IX-X have to (e) — and made updated. The learners of our school and colleges (f) — and write English fluently. They can not even (g) — their listening skill. As a result they fail to (h) — when the native speaker (i) — to them in English. The teachers also don't (j) — methodically.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5  
 "Do you know why you are sent to school?" "For playing with friends, father." "No, you are sent to learn to read and write". "But I won't read and write," replied Jack sulkily. "Yes, you will".

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Copying in the examination is a social crime. (Interrogative)
- It is a very serious crime. (Exclamatory)
- The student who copies in the exam deceives himself. (Simple)
- Copying in the exam cannot bring any benefit. (Passive)
- What a shameful practice it is! (Assertive)
- By resisting this malady we can strengthen our education system. (Complex)
- If we fail to stop it, our education will be questioned. (Simple)
- Our exam system should be moderated. (Active)
- Nothing is as hateful as copying in the exam. (Comparative)
- The government is sincere in removing this crime. (Negative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- United we stand, —.
- know this wise saying?
- Unless you are united, you —.
- The story of the old man and his sons teaches us —.
- It is high time we —.

8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis. .5 × 10 = 5

In the past (a) dictate was a routine work. That is the pupils would write at their teachers' dictation. Then the (b) dictate piece of topic would be checked and (c) checked. Thus they could learn spelling and word meanings. Students could follow the (d) pronunciate of their teachers and make correction in case of (e) spelling. This practice should have (f) continue as this was very (g) benefit for the pupils. Today, the dictation (h) write is not practised and for this reason our students can not write (i) speed and they also commit many mistakes in their (j) write presentation.

9. Make tag questions of these statements. 1 × 5 = 5  
 Zayed works with the slum dwellers. He often thinks of their way of life. Today he is speaking to himself about them.  
 : Slum dwellers are rootless people, ——?  
 : They live there in an inhuman condition, ——?  
 : They don't abide by any law and order in their society, ——?  
 : Everybody should come forward to rehabilitate them, ——?  
 : Only then they will be able to get rid of this dark life, ——?
10. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5  
 In our society we find a group of people who are fond of sky high talking. They often say that they can do so (a) —— better (b) —— that. In fact they are good for nothing. They want to hide their inability by their sky high talking. (c) —— such kind of people are asked to show their performance, they quarrel with their tools. (d) —— a man of action talks less and advises others to talk less and work more. A man of action need not talk about his ability (e) —— he is not an empty vessel.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 1 × 5 = 5  
 do not speak ill of others to speak ill of others is a great sin rather rectify yourself through self-criticism if you rectify yourself in this way others will follow you if you speak ill of others only problems increase this does not do any good to society.

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Rahat Aziz/Fouzia Islam of House No. 03, Block: B, Main Road, Uposhahor, Sylhet. Recently you have passed B.Sc. Honours in Chemistry. You have seen a vacancy for the post of a Medical Representative in Square Pharmaceuticals Limited, Dhaka. Now write a CV with a cover letter to the Director of Human Resource Department of Square Pharmaceuticals Limited for the post in response of an advertisement published in 'The Daily Star' on 17<sup>th</sup> September 2017. 8
13. Write an application to the Chairman of your Upazilla for relief for the flood affected people. 10
14. Write a paragraph on 'International Mother Language Day'. 10
15. Write a composition on 'Female Education'. 12

# Model Test 45 English Second Paper

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

[ Answer all the questions. Figures in the margin indicate full marks ]

## Part–A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words.  $.5 \times 10 = 5$

the	removed	intoxication	effective	preserve	to	ruin	immediately	toxic	ingest
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Formalin is a very (a) ——— chemical which is widely used as the (b) ——— of foodstuffs like fish, milk, fruit, vegetables etc. Once formalin is added (c) ——— any foodstuff, it cannot be easily (d) ———. Even washing with hot water is not (e) ——— enough to make food safe. So, our people are exposed to (f) ——— high risk of formalin (g) ———. But (h) ——— of a little amount of formalin can (i) ——— cause serious injury to our digestive system. Long term use of this poison certainly leads one to death. So, strict action must be taken against those who are (j) ——— our nation by poisoning our foodstuffs.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.  $.5 \times 10 = 5$

Afforestation means planting or preserving trees. It is (a) ——— opposite to deforestation. Trees and plants are part and parcel (b) ——— the environment. Ecology (c) ——— depends on them. The country will (d) ——— into a desert unless there are trees. The trees help to protect the soil (e) ——— erosion. Flood cannot affect those areas (f) ——— with trees. Storm cannot (g) ——— its force (h) ——— the places where there are trees. So we should (i) ——— our fallow land for (j) ——— benefit of our life.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below.  $1 \times 5 = 5$

Independence	went	the war.
No nation	took place	to the battle field to save the country.
Our War of Liberation	is	it without struggle.
People from all walks of life	can achieve	in 1971.
They	joined	the birthright of a man.

4. Complete the following passage with suitable verbs from the list. Put them in the correct tense. Use the negatives where necessary.  $.5 \times 10 = 5$

offer	welcome	make	stay	arrange	wait	be	chain	come	conquer
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Time is compared to a gypsy who (a) ——— anywhere for long. The poet (b) ——— time to be his guest for a day. He (c) ——— time many valuable gifts and honour. He offers bells (d) ——— of the best silver for his horse and a golden ring for himself. He will (e) ——— a peacock dance in honour of time. But time is a thing that never stays. The greatest tragedy is that it never (f) ——— back. It never (g) ———. Man has been able to (h) ——— the world but he is (i) ——— by the time. He (j) ——— nothing but the puppet to the power of time.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text.  $5$

The teacher said to Amir, "Why are you talking in the class? You should behave yourself," Amir replied, "Sir, I am sorry. I am asking Raihan to lend me his pen. My pen has run out." The teacher said, "Be attentive and listen to my lecture."

6. Read the following passage and transform the underlined sentences as directed.  $1 \times 10 = 10$

- Very few cities in the world are as busy as Singapore. (Use comparative degree)
- There are a good number of luxurious hotels in Singapore. (Make interrogative sentence)
- Millions of people visit Singapore every year. (Use passive voice)
- People who love food can taste local as well as foreign food. (Make simple sentence)
- The people of Singapore are very well behaved. (Make exclamatory sentence)
- Welcoming the tourists warmly, they show hospitality to them. (Make compound sentence)
- They are industrious. (Make negative sentence)
- They are too polite to misbehave towards others. (Make complex sentence)
- The tourists are also pleased with them. (Use active voice)
- People from all over the world go there to enjoy the beauty of the city. (Make complex sentence)

7. Complete the sentences.  $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) If I had been invited to join the party, ———.

- (b) The boy acted as though —.
- (c) No sooner had the teacher entered the classroom —.
- (d) It was many years since —.
- (e) Fools rush in where —.
8. Fill in the gaps in the following text by adding suffix, prefix or both with the root words underlined in the box..5 × 10 = 5
- We are living in a (a) democrat country. We have many (b) achieve thugh we live in (c) poor. The country is gradually advancing towards (d) prosper. But political (e) stable is a barrier to the path of development. The (f) confrontation political environment of Bangladesh hits the economy hard. Direct (g) product losses are estimated at around 1 percent of GDP due to disruptions in economic activities caused by political (h) disturb. For Bangladesh to comfortably reach middle income status, the country needs (i) last political stability, investments to regain momentum, and increasing female labour (j) participate.
9. Fill in the blanks with tag questions. 1 × 5 = 5
- (a) Nobody was present yesterday, —?
- (b) The widower shut the door, —?
- (c) Writing many letters makes him happy, —?
- (d) Let him enjoy the farewell dinner, —?
- (e) I'd help you if you came here, —?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors. 1 × 5 = 5
- Where there is a will, there is a way. This proverb is necessarily true. People hate their fate (a) — they don't get the result as their wishes. But (b) — a man works deliberately for building his future, success will touch him definitely. There is no magic power; (c) — it is the magic of hard work. (d) — one works hard to attain success, fortune will never follow him. The unlucky people rebuke the fate. (e) — there is no alternative to hard work.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text. 5
- the traveller said can you tell me the way to the nearest inn yes said the peasant do you want one in which you can spend the night no replied the traveller I only want a meal

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose you are looking for a job after completing your MBA. You have seen an advertisement for the post of a Marketing Executive in a reputed multinational company RFL, Motijheel CA, Dhaka. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post. Your CV and cover should not exceed one page each. 8
13. Write an application to the Headmaster of your School requesting him for arranging an English Daily in the common room. 10
14. Write a paragraph in 250 words on "Dowry System in Bangladesh." 10
15. Write a composition on "The Satellite TV Channel & its impact." 12

### Part–A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You can use one word more than once. .5 × 10 = 5

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A teacher is (a) — compared with (b) — architect. He is called (c) — architect of a nation. He is the light of (d) — and makes the illiterate people (e) — citizens of our country. But it is a matter of regret (f) — the teachers are not held (g) — due respect in (h) — society. They lead a humble life in the midst of want. Still they keep the light of education burning in order to remove the (i) — of illiteracy and superstitions (j) — the society.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. Use only one word in each blank. .5 × 10 = 5

A true friend is (a) — asset. He stands (b) — his friends in time (c) — danger. He is not (d) — greedy person. He (e) — wishes for the welfare of (f) — friend. But it is a matter (g) — regret that a true friend is very (h) — today. A selfish man can not be a (i) — friend. He always think of his (j) — interest.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

		not cut trees at random.
Trees	are	a great source of food and vitamins.
We	play	an important role in our life.
They	should	our best friends.
		plant trees more and more for a better future.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. .5 × 10 = 5

pollute	suffer	save	do	look	fall	become	be	use	throw
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The other name of water is life. We can not (a) — a single moment without it. Water is (b) — not only for drinking purposes but also for household works and industrial works. Water becomes (c) — in many ways. The mills and factories pollute water by (d) — waste into it. Water (e) — polluted by chemicals and different elements. Sometimes people (f) — from many diseases. We should (g) — very careful about it. We must (h) — for safe source of drinking water. Otherwise, we must (i) — in danger. Let us (j) — water from pollution.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"May I come in, Sir?" said the guardian. "Yes, come in, please", said the Headmaster. The guardian said, "well, all the guardians along with you must do something for the betterment of our children. They are losing their morality". The Headmaster said, "Let's plan something for their betterment."

6. Change the sentences according to directions given in the brackets. 1 × 10 = 10

- Birds are one of the greatest gifts of nature. (Positive)
- Who does not love birds? (Assertive)
- We must be kind to them. (Negative)
- They help to keep ecological balance. (Interrogative)
- In winter some birds come to our country from Siberia. (Complex)
- The birds eat up the insects which are harmful for our crops. (Simple)
- Birds beautify nature to a great extent. (Passive)
- Very few living things are as useful as birds for our ecosystem. (Superlative)
- Birds are very essential. (Exclamatory)
- Crow is the ugliest of all birds. (Comparative)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- We work hard so that —.
- If we are not industrious, —.

- (c) A man who leads an idle life ——.
- (d) An idle man can never help people and so ——.
- (e) We know the proverb that ——.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the underlines.  $.5 \times 10 = 5$   
 A (a) free fighter is a (b) war who took part in our War of Liberation in 1971. The (c) dependence of our motherland was (d) dear to a freedom fighter than his life. He joined the war (e) willing. He had no (f) might weapons with him. But he had strong moral courage. He was (g) main a guerrilla (h) fight. He attacked the enemy from an (i) known place and then (j) appeared.
9. Add tag questions to the statements below.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 (a) Hello, Liza. Father's birthday is on Monday next, ——?  
 (b) Yes, Lili, only two days are left, ——?  
 (c) We need to buy some beautiful gifts this year, ——?  
 (d) Of course. Let's go to a watch shop, ——?  
 (e) What a nice idea, Liza, ——?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 Women are, nowadays, as important as men in the society. They constitute nearly half of our total population. (a) —— there can be no denying the fact (b) —— they too possess equal rights and duties (c) —— men do. They have noble mission to fulfill as men. (d) —— they get opportunity, their genius, powers (e) —— capacities will bloom fully.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the text below :  $5$   
 my dear mother you letter is just to hand it seems to me that you are anxious for me why you need not think about me

### Part-B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Sanglap and you have passed H.SC and got a diploma on computer. Now, write a CV with cover letter for the post of a computer operator in a company. Your CV should not exceed one page.  $8$
13. Suppose you are the students of Cumilla Zila School. Cumilla. The students of your class want to go on a study tour. So you need permission of the headmaster. Now, write an application to the headmaster of your school seeking his permission to go on a study tour.  $10$
14. Imagine, you paid a visit to a book fair. Write a paragraph in about 150 words answering the following question.  $10$   
 (a) What was the occasion? (b) Where was the fair held? (c) Why did you go there? (d) What did you see there? (e) What was your feeling?
15. Write a composition on "Newspaper".  $12$

# Model Test 47 English Second Paper

## Part-A : Grammar [60 Marks]

1. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box. You may need to change the forms of some of the words. You may need to use one word more than once. .5 × 10 = 5

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The issue of food (a) — has drawn the attention (b) — general people. We (c) — find any food in our country (d) — is not adulterated in one way (e) — other. (f) — present, sub-standard foods are sold on most of (g) — hotels. Very recently government has directed a mobile court to look (h) — the matter of food (i) —. They are catching dishonest hoteliers red handed (j) — using unhygienic food ingredients.

2. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. .5 × 10 = 5

English is regarded as (a) — international language. It is spoken all (b) — the world. So the importance (c) — this language can hardly be exaggerated. Almost all the books (d) — higher education are written (e) — English. today every organization needs employees who can speak and write (f) standard form of English. English is spoken (g) — with the mother tongue almost everywhere. Ours is (h) — age of globalization. We need to (i) — English to join (j) — advanced world.

3. Make five sentences using parts of sentences from each column of the table below. 1 × 5 = 5

Earthquake	destroy	have enough preparation to save us from it.
It	is	a natural disaster.
We	do not	get any warning before it.
Earthquakes	should	many towns with the people.
		more destructive than flood.

4. Complete the following text with right forms of the verbs given in the box. .5 × 10 = 5

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Today women (a) — an important role in all spheres of life. They are no longer (b) — to the four walls of their husband's house. They have come out of the kitchens and (c) — hand in hand with men in all the development words of the government. By (d) — higher education, they (e) — pilots, doctors, engineers, teachers, administrators etc. They have (f) — able to prove their worth. They (g) — much to the economy of the country. Now, it has (h) — to the realization of the men that true development of the country. Now it has (h) — to the realization of the men that true development of the country is never possible (i) — half of the population idle at home. So it (j) — no telling that women are playing a great role in the socio-economic condition of our country.

5. Change the narrative style of the following text. 5

"Good morning, students," said the teacher. "How are you?" "We are fine. sir, What about you?" "I am too. Please sit down. Have you prepared your lesson?" the teacher asked. "Sorry, sir, we have not prepared our lesson," they replied.

6. Change the sentences according to directions. 1 × 10 = 10

- Health is wealth. (Complex)
- A healthy poor man is happier than a sick moneyed man. (Positive)
- Though a healthy man is an asset to his family, an unhealthy man is liability. (Compound)
- He can succeed in life. (Interrogative)
- So, everybody cannot but be conscious of his health. (Affirmative)
- Everybody must take care of his health all the time. (Negative)
- Health can be improved by regular physical exercise and a balanced diet. (Active)
- The people who are poor cannot afford to take a balanced diet. (Simple)
- They are very concerned with the quantity of food. (Exclamatory)
- Everybody should know it that malnutrition causes weakness. (Passive)

7. Complete the sentences. 1 × 5 = 5

- As flower is a symbol of love, beauty and purity, it is —.

- (b) There is hardly any person ———.
- (c) We can turn our enemies into friends if we ———.
- (d) It is said that those who do not love flowers ———.
- (e) May people cultivate flowers because ———.
8. Complete the text adding suffixes, prefixes or the both with the root words given in the parenthesis.  $.5 \times 10 = 5$   
 (a) persevere is a great virtue to be (b) success in life. Those who do not persevere in life, become (c) success in their mission and only blame their lot for their lot for their (d) fortune. Remember that the successful people are always hardworking and (e) persevere. So try to the persevering. (f) sincere is another important virtue that (g) able a person to accomplish a job (h) appropriate. Student life is the (i) form period of a man's life. One should not (j) use this period of life.
9. Make tag questions of these statements.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 (a) Begging is the result of our poor socio-economic system, ———?  
 (b) Beggars do not have any social dignity, ———?  
 (c) Everybody feels pity for them, ———?  
 (d) Micro-credit organizations can come forward to solve the problem, ———?  
 (e) The government should have social security belt, ———?
10. Complete the passage using suitable connectors.  $1 \times 5 = 5$   
 Honesty is a divine virtue. The man (a) ——— possesses this quality is the happiest person in the world. To be honest, man should have trust, worthiness (b) ——— nobody trusts a liar. (c) ———, Allah also helps the honest people. (d) ———, children should be taught honesty from the very beginning of life. (e) ———, children should be developed among the honest people.
11. Use capitals and punctuation marks where necessary in the following text.  $5$   
 i have got gpa 5 in the ssc examination said rafiq congratulation said i what do you intend to do now i want to study in a reputed college ill try to get admission in notre dame college rafiq replied

### Part–B : Composition [40 Marks]

12. Suppose, you are Sabbir Ahmod/ Sabina Yasinin. You have completed post graduation in Computer Science. You have seen a vacancy advertisement for the post of an IT Programmer in Opsonin Pharmaceutical Company Ltd. Now write a CV with a cover letter for the post.  $8$
13. Suppose, you are Tania Ahmed. You have a friend named Jerin Anjum living in Nepal. Now, write an e-mail inviting her to visit your country.  $10$
14. Write a paragraph on 'A Tea Stall'.  $10$
15. Write a composition on 'Your Aim in Life' in about 250 words.  $12$