

**Assignment Test Paper Session 2022-23**

**Sub. - GENERAL ENGLISH - BBA 5<sup>th</sup> Sem**

**Q.1 Change the following sentences in to passive voice.**

- (a) She did not learn the lesson Yesterday.
- (b) Who has stolen my book?

**Q.2 Cahnge the following sentences in to indirect speech.**

- (a) The king said to his army, "Go and win the battle. "
- (b) The mother said to me, "you are not doing the work properly,"

**Q. 3. Complete the sentence using proper verbs form.**

- (a) My aunt ..... In England for five Years when I go there. (live)
- (b) Yesterday, she .....for her lost dog. (search)

**Q. 4 write the meaning of the following Idioms.**

- (a) At hand    (b) By all means                      (c) Die in the mud    (d) Narrow escape

**Q. 5 write one word of the following sentences.**

- (a) Awond on the skin by scraping. ....
- (b) Fit to eat or consume. ....

**Q. 6Complete paragraphs with the most appropriate sentences so that the paragraph is not broken.**

**(I)**

I was only 4 years old when my dad was working with elephants, lions and tigers. ----. When I was 14, I was already taking care of and raising baboons and lion cubs, leopard cats and other animals. At 17, I began working professionally with elephants. I did that for about 8 years and then gave it up. I have been working in the construction business since then.

- A) Elephants and many other animals are just like people
- B) Therefore, I always had animals around me

- C) You have to love them unconditionally
- D) But nothing would happen to elephants
- E) They are the type of animal that demands food all the time

**(II)**

You need a total of about 60 minutes of physical activity a day. Here is the good news. ----. Five or ten minute sessions of physical activities throughout the day are just as good for you. These may include walking, jogging, running, and riding a bike.

- A) It will give you lots of ideas for staying fit and healthy
- B) He regularly takes physical education classes at school
- C) You should turn off that television and get moving instead
- D) A program called "The Fitness Fighters" was started
- E) This does not have to be done all at one time

**(III)**

----. And they are certainly right. Sunscreen protects your skin from ultraviolet light rays. Too much ultraviolet is bad for your skin. If you spend a long time outside without any sunscreen on, you might get sunburn because of the ultraviolet rays.

- A) Ultraviolet light can get rid of bacteria in eggs and apple and make them safer to eat
- B) Your parents tell you to wear sunscreen when you're outside in the summer
- C) When we are outdoors, we are exposed to pollens and dust, and other irritants
- D) However, they can also trigger asthma attacks, which are more serious
- E) It seems to be the safest way to make food safer before we buy it

**Q. 7 for the question 1 - Choose an option, which can be substituted for a given word/sentence/phrase out of given options.**

Question No. : 1

A person who thinks only of himself

Egoist

eccentric

proud

boaster

Question No. : 2

Ram speaks less in the forum. Ram is  
unintelligible  
reticent  
garrulous  
banal

Question No. : 3

Savitri travels by foot. She is a  
traveller  
stickler  
disciplinarian  
pedestrian

Question No. : 4

In Magadh there was the government by a king or queen  
democratic  
monarchy  
plutocracy  
autocracy

Question No. : 5

This is a practice of having several wives.  
polygamy  
dotage  
monogamy  
bigamy

**Q. 8. Read the passage attentively and give the answer of the following question:**

Elections were in the air of the world's youngest democracy when I arrived in Thimphu. This was for a by-election in the capital city, that dominated the conversation at dinners, even in Thimphu's most fun night-spot Mojo Park (the best music in town). Bhutan has taken to democracy with ease ever since 2008 when the first proper elections were held, a process India has helped out with, sending officials from the Election Commission travelling to check arrangements, explain electronic voting machine (EVM) technology and procedures. However, there are many things uniquely Bhutanese:

Monks and nuns in this deeply religious Buddhist majority are not allowed to vote, so as to avoid mixing religion and politics. All voters must wear their national dress on polling day, but no one—candidate, campaigner or voter—is allowed to wear the kabney silk and gyentag (scarf of honour, for men and women respectively, bestowed only by the King), patang (ceremonial sword), or any other sign of rank or royal patronage to avoid a misuse of influence. And, in deference to the environment, no posters can be put up on any public property, including trees, and are mostly restricted to a community billboard for all. Maybe a thing or two the world's largest democracy could learn from the youngest?

Royal textiles

If you're in Thimphu, put the Textile Museum on your must-do list. The museum, run by the Royal Textile Academy is the project of Ashi Sangay Choden Wangchuck, one of the Queen Mothers of Bhutan (the former King had four Queens, all sisters). The museum is dedicated to preserving the oldest and rarest woven fabrics worn in Bhutan and used in their religious **scrolls** and Thangkhas. As you walk in, it is the 'Thongdrel' or massive silk work of the Zhabdrung Phuensum Tshogpa (in honour of a sacred meal served to Bhutan's political and spiritual founder in 1637) that greets you. The thongdrel stands 34 feet tall, running 23 feet across and is set against a glass window that runs three stories high.

Another on your must-see list is the relatively new Tara Lakhang and Pangrizampa monastery on the **outskirts** of Thimphu. This is Bhutan's only monastery dedicated to 21 Taras, the female Bodhisattva and it is a powerful display of ancient feminism. Compared to the rest of the subcontinent, women have a status more equal to men in Bhutan. There isn't the obvious preference for the male child, girls and boys go to school in equal numbers.

Not so equal

While polygamy is practiced in some parts, so is polyandry, and divorce settlements are equal and even-handed. Even so, Bhutanese women lag behind in one place that it counts: parliament. In the last National Assembly elections, 3/4ths of the 47 seats had only male candidates (nine had females), and four women were elected as MPs. "**Misogyny** plays only one part of it," explains the only leader of a party (DCT) Lily Wangchuk, who runs a hotel in downtown Thimphu. "Women just don't vote for women, and the lack of women role models in modern Bhutan becomes a vicious cycle."

While Bhutan's government and people tell you they are devoted to preserving the country and its beauty, it is plain to see Bhutan is changing everyday in little ways. Less youngsters adhere to the traditional and once mandatory national dress (Goh and Kira), more and more buildings now get permission to rise above the originally regulated two stories, and glass and granite is seen more in Thimphu where once only wood and paint were allowed. Some modernities are welcome, and the abundance of hydropower electricity means many Bhutanese (including the very dashing U.S.-educated Prime Minister Tshering Tobgay) drive hybrid cars. The countryside is still pristine, and not covered with the plastic waste ubiquitous in India, even as Bhutan explores more 'non-wood' uses for its 70% forest cover that is also mandated in the constitution.

There is, however, one place that doesn't change, and it is always my first stop when I land in Paro: the Kyichu Lhakhang. This is one of Bhutan's oldest and simplest monasteries, believed to be constructed in 659 CE, by Tibetan king Songtsen Gampo and has a link to the Jokhang temple in Lhasa.

All year round, one is welcomed into Kyichu with a spectacular and miraculous orange tree **laden** with fruit. It is here that you know the truth of Bhutan Tourism's catchy slogan, 'Happiness is a place.'

**(1). Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding the 2008 Elections of Bhutan?**

- I. India helped Bhutan in elections by sending officials from Election Commission of India.
  - II. Monks and nuns were not allowed to vote.
  - III. Wearing National Dress on Election day was compulsory.
- (a) All are Correct
  - (b) II and III only
  - (c) I and III only
  - (d) I and II only

**(2). Who is 'Ashi Sangay Choden Wangchuck' as mentioned in the passage?**

- (a) The elected Prime Minister of Bhutan
- (b) The elected President of Bhutan
- (c) Queen Mother of Bhutan
- (d) None is Correct

**(3). Consider the following statements regarding the 'Mojo Park' as mentioned in the passage.**

- I. It is situated in the Northeast India.
  - II. It is famous for its Music Shows.
  - III. It is situated in the City of Thimphu.
- (a) All are Correct
  - (b) II and III only
  - (c) I and III only
  - (d) I and II only

**(4). Which of the following statements is correct as given in the Passage?**

- (a) Polyandry is not practiced in Bhutan.
- (b) Polygamy is practiced in Bhutan.
- (c) There is not a single Female Member in Bhutan's Parliament.
- (d) None is Correct

**(5). Why was candidate, campaigner or voter not allowed to wear any sign of rank or royal patronage in the 2008 Elections of the country?**

- (a) Due to some kind of superstition.
- (b) To neglect the misuse of influence of wealthy and famous people.
- (c) Both are Correct
- (d) None is Correct

**(6). Consider the following statements regarding the 'Kyichu Lhakhang' as given in the passage:**

- I. He was the first Prime Minister of Bhutan.
- II. It is one of Bhutan's oldest monasteries.
- III. It was built in 7th Century.

- (a) I and II only
- (b) All are Correct
- (c) I and III only
- (d) II and III only

**(7). Choose the word which is Most Similar to the word printed in bold in the passage.**

**Scrolls**

- (a) Document
- (b) Aimless
- (c) Rolling
- (d) None is Correct

**(8). Choose the word which is Most Similar to the word printed in bold in the passage.**

**Outskirts**

- (a) Downtown
- (b) Away
- (c) Center
- (d) Periphery

**(9) Choose the word which is Most Opposite to the word printed in bold in the passage.**

**Laden**

- (a) Empty
- (b) Full
- (c) Charged
- (d) Encumbered

**(10).Choose the word which is Most Opposite to the word printed in bold in the passage.**

**Misogyny**

- (a) Woman-hater
- (b) Sexist
- (c) Feminist
- (d) None is Correct

**Q. 9. Correctly spelt word-**

**(I) Choose the correctly spelt word?**

- (A) Ommission
- (B) Ommision
- (C) Omission
- (D) Omision

**(II) Choose the correctly spelt word?**

- (A) Defendent
- (B) Defendant
- (C) Defandant
- (D) Defandent

**(III)Choose the correctly spelt word?**

- (A) Comandar
- (B) Commandor
- (C) Comander

(D) Commander

**(IV) Choose the correctly spelt word?**

(A) Alliteration

(B) Alitration

(C) Aliteration

(D) Allitration

**(V) Choose the correctly spelt word?**

(A) Parallelogram

(B) Parallellogram

(C) Paralellogram

(D) Paralelogram

**Q. 10 Give Verbal ability tests. (Part - 1)**

(I) Vishesh is \_\_\_\_\_ oncologist.

- a) a
- b) an
- c) the

(II). Which of the following is not an article?

- a) a
- b) it
- c) the
- d) an

(III). Which of the following is passive voice?

- a) Is a doctor going to examine you?
- b) Are you going to be examined by a doctor?

(IV). Complete the sentences with the correct form of the present tense.

Anaya usually \_\_\_\_\_ to school by school bus, but today her father \_\_\_\_\_ her. (go, drive)

**(Spelling Test) (Part-2)**

1. The baby's soft skin was \_\_\_\_\_ to the harsh winter wind.

- a) sinsitive
- b) sensitive
- c) sensative
- d) sinsative

2. It is my \_\_\_\_\_ that bank employees handle customers with great professionalism.

- a) beleif
- b) bilief
- c) belief
- d) beleaf