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**SECTION A :(READING)**

**Read the passage and answer the following:**

People tend to amass possessions,sometimes without being aware of doing so. They can have a delightful surprise when they find something useful which they didn't know they owned.Those who never have to change house become indiscriminate collectors of what can only be described as clutter.They leave unwanted objects in drawers,cupboards and attics for years in the belief that they one day need them .Old people also accumulate belongings for two others reasons,lack of physical and mental energy sentiment.Things owned for a long time are full of associations with the past,perhaps with the relatives who are dead and so they gradually acquire a sentimental value.

Some things are deliberately in an attempt to avoid wastage .Among these are string and brown paper,kept by thrifty people when a parcel has been opened .Collecting small items can be a mania.A lady cuts out from newspaper sketches of model clothes that she would like to buy if she had money.As she is not rich,the chances are that she will never be able to afford such purchases.it is a harmless habit but it litters up her desk.

Collecting as a serious hobby is quite different and has many advantages.it provides relaxation for leisure hours as just looking at ones treasure is always a joy.one doesn't have to go out for amusement as the collection is housed at home. Whatever it consist of –stamps records first edition of books ,china-there is always something to do in connection with it,from finding the right place for the latest edition to verifying facts in reference books.This hobby educates one not only in the chosen subject,but also in general matters which has some bearing on it.

There are others benefits also .one gets to meet likeminded collectors to get advice,to compare notes, exchange articles. So one's circle of friends grows.Soon the hobby leads to travelling,perhaps a meeting in another town,possibly a trip abroad in search of a rare specimen,for collectors are not confined to one country. Over the years one may well become an authority on ones hobby and will probably be asked to give informal talks to little gatherings and then if successful,to large audience.

- a) Why do old people accumulate belongings?
- b) How collecting money can be a mania?
- c) What advantages collecting money as a hobby provides?
- d) Give synonym of : a) Accumulate (b) Mania

Q2. Read the passage and answer the following:

Music therapy is used these days in hospitals, cancer centres, schools and drug recovery centres and mental asylums. Mental and physical health professionals may consider referring clients and patients to a music therapist for a number of reasons. It seems particularly a good choice for the social worker. Music therapists help their client improve their health in several areas such as brain functions, motor skills, emotional development, social skill and quality of life. Music therapists use music to establish a relationship with the patient and to improve the patient's health, using musical interactions.

Patients and therapists may sing, play instruments, dance, compose, or simply listen to music. The course of training is comprehensive. In addition to formal music therapists are taught to discern what kinds of intervention will be most beneficial for each individual patient.

Because each patient is different and has different goals, the music therapists must be able to understand the patient's situation and choose the music and activities that will do the most toward helping the patient achieving his goals. The referring social worker can help this process by clearly communicating each client's history. Although patients may develop their musical therapy.

- a) Where is the music therapy used these days?
- b) What kind of training do music therapists go through?
- c) Why is client's history important?
- d) What is not the main goal of music therapy?
- e) Define music therapy in your own words?
- f) Give a suitable title to the passage?

SECTION B (WRITING AND GRAMMAR)

Q3. People eat unhealthy food from junk food counters, "Fat food is fast to cook, fast to eat, and fast to kill". Write an article to publish in a newspaper to aware youngsters how fast food effect our health badly.

OR

You are ANITA/ANUJ recently visited an old age home. Write a diary to express your feelings what you saw in that orphanage (100-120 words).

Q4. Write a short story in 200-250 words beginning as follows:

"If only I had told the truth....."

OR

"It was my birthday and I received mysterious birthday gift....."

Q5. Fill in the blanks with most suitable word:

An old lion which (a) \_\_\_\_\_ too weak to hunt for (b) \_\_\_\_\_ meal (c) \_\_\_\_\_ to go outside the forest to find his prey. He (d) \_\_\_\_\_ a baby walking (e) \_\_\_\_\_ an open field and decided to kill it. The baby's innocent eyes pleaded (f) \_\_\_\_\_ his life. This softened the old lion and he left the baby.

Q6. Edit the following passage and find error and write correct answer:

Traders on roads by streets (a) \_\_\_\_\_

across Delhi got the respite from \_\_\_\_\_  
sealing by demolition by the municipal \_\_\_\_\_  
corporation following a supreme \_\_\_\_\_  
court's order allow continuation. \_\_\_\_\_

Q7. Rearrange the following words and phrases to form meaningful sentences:

- a) Built in/ was first/London/the underground/railway.
- b) And/along/the street/was/planned/the route/was/cut/a great trench
- c) Again/and/was covered/were laid/the trench/the railway tracks/over

SECTION : C (LITERATURE)

Q8. Read the extract and answer the following:

*"A voice so thrilling never was heard*

*In spring-time from the cuckoo bird.*

*Breaking the silence of the seas*

*Among the farthest Herbides."*

- a) How does the solitary reaper's song score over the song of the cuckoo?
- b) Why does the poet compare the reaper's song to a cuckoo's song?
- c) What are the farthest herbides?
- d) What does the poet want to say in the poem?

Q9. Answer any four questions in 30-40 words:

- a) Why does Lord Ulin's wrath changed into wailing?
- b) Why does Gaston agree to buy the villa?
- c) Who was the passenger in chair no.2?What did he suddenly do?
- d) How can we relate the journey of human life to that of brook?
- e) Describe the grandmother as a student?

Q10. Answer any of the following in 100-120 words:

How does the Bishop prove that his human body is the temple of the Living God? Does he succeed?

OR

"Life is a stage, and we all are actors..." Explain with reference to the poem, "SEVEN AGES".

Q11. Jerome suffered from everything". Analyse the trait of Jerome's character in his decision to see the Doctor?

OR

Describe the friend's experience about "The pride of Thames?"