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2015

ENGLISH

(Science)

(Functional English-I)

Full Marks - 40

Time - Two hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Use a suitable prefix or a suffix to form the OPPOSITE of each of the adjectives below (any seven) : 7
- (a) competent
 - (b) enthusiastic
 - (c) friendly
 - (d) logical
 - (e) mature
 - (f) obedient
 - (g) patient
 - (h) thoughtful.

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2. Find words in Annexure-I that mean the same as the words in the list below.

- (a) incentive
- (b) using up
- (c) addition
- (d) feel
- (e) detect

ANNEXURE - I



<p>The Checklist From research labs around the world, here are the simple additions and subtractions that result in a healthier life.</p> <p>MORE</p> <p>+ Walking and biking. As few as five minutes of outdoor exercise substantially raises your mood and self-esteem, a review of ten studies shows. (Need more motivation? Other recent research indicates that walking 30 minutes a day lowers a man's risk of problems in bed.)</p>	<p>+ Eggs. You'll eat less at lunch after an egg-heavy breakfast than after a carb-packed morning meal, a recent trial suggests. In fact, your calorie consumption during the day could drop 18 percent.</p> <p>+ Nuts. About 70 grams a day can significantly lower your cholesterol—especially if your "bad" cholesterol is high— and make you less likely to develop diabetes. (Stick to dry-roasted or raw nuts.)</p> <p>LESS</p> <p>- Pill popping. Scientists once thought selenium supplements might cut the</p>	<p>risk of lung and prostate cancers. But last year, a major study dashed such hopes for prostate cancer—and now decades-long research shows no lung cancer protection.</p> <p>- Hesitation. If you suspect a person is having a stroke, don't wait—call an ambulance or rush him to hospital. The faster you get him there the better.</p> <p>- Hamburgers. Kids who eat three or more burgers per week are about 40 percent more likely to be diagnosed with asthma than kids who never or rarely eat burgers, according to a recent study of more than 50,000 children in 20 countries.</p>
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3. Make notes on the same passage in Annexure-I.

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4. Rewrite each of these informal sentences in a more formal style, using suitable conjunctions.

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(a) Well, what happened to them was that their ship went down in a hurricane and they were nearly drowned.

(b) What they did next was to find some driftwood and build a bonfire on the beach. They caught some fish and grilled them over the fire.

(c) Then they gathered palm leaves and built themselves a rough shelter.

(d) They suffered a sleepless night because of all the insects and began to lose heart.

(e) Anyway, the next thing they did was to make mosquito nets to protect themselves the following night.

Or

Imagine you are writing for a film magazine. Write a review of a film, explaining why you recommend / don't recommend it to your readers. (word limit 400). 10

5. Rewrite the sentences, replacing the phrases in italics with the expressions below. One extra expression is given. 4

(a) They have a lovely room, it *has a view of* the sea.

(b) Even the best of friends don't always *agree* on everything.

(c) When she called him stupid he *became very angry*.

(d) You and your sister *do have a similar appearance*, don't you?

overlooks, look alike, look here, see red, see eye to eye.

6. Correct the errors in these sentences. (any four) :

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(a) There wouldn't be so much poverty when less money is spent on arms.

(b) If you shouldn't arrive in time they won't let you into the concert.

(c) I didn't know that you came to stay with me next weekend.

(d) He arrived late because he had forgot what time the train will be leaving.

(e) I just write a letter to her when she was phoning me.

7. Look at the following conversations. Decide what the people should have said instead. (any two).

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(a) Boss : Do you see what I mean ?

New employee : Yes, and I don't agree with you.

(b) Waiter : Are you ready to order now?

Customer : No, go away.

(c) Patient : Good morning, doctor.

Doctor : Oh dear, you look ghastly, what's the matter ?