

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

Section A : Reading Test (Seen passage)

Read the text carefully and answer the questions 1, 2 and 3.

The word 'hygiene' means the practice of keeping ourselves clean. It also means to keep our home and work places clean. It is important for our good health. Hygiene is thought to be next to godliness. It is because we cannot achieve anything physically, mentally or spiritually if we are unclean in our body, mind and soul. Nobody likes an unclean person either. So we must follow the rules of hygiene.

First, we must keep our body clean. We should have a bath everyday and wash our hair regularly. This will keep the body and hair free from dirt and bacteria. Secondly, we should wash our clothes regularly. Dirty clothes give off bad smell and invite germs. We should wear socks and shoes when we go out to protect our feet from dust and germs. It is also important to wash our hands before meals and after using the toilet. We should brush our teeth twice a day, after breakfast and supper. We must also cut our nails regularly. Our drinking water must be safe. We can get safe water by boiling and filtering. Finally, we should keep our surroundings and environment clean.

If we do and follow all the above things properly, we will be able to lead a healthy and happy life.

1. Choose the best answer from the alternatives. 1×5=5

a. The word 'hygiene' is related with—

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| i) truthfulness | ii) happiness |
| iii) cleanliness | iv) religion |

b. **Hygiene is important for—**

- i) doing work
- ii) getting job
- iii) earning money
- iv) good health

c. **Who is not liked by anyone?**

- i) a rich man
- ii) a thief
- iii) an unclean person
- iv) a healthy person

d. **What does the word 'important' means?**

- i) developed
- ii) significant
- iii) good
- iv) authorised

e. **We should brush — a day.**

- i) once
- ii) twice
- iii) 3 times
- iv) 4 times

2. **Give short answers to the following questions. $2 \times 5 = 10$**

- (a) What does hygiene mean?
- (b) How can we get pure water?
- (c) Why should we brush everyday?
- (d) What kind of water should we drink?
- (e) Which things can't be achieved without cleanliness?

3. **Read the text in 'A' again. Now, write the summary of it.**

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Reading Test (Unseen passage)

Read the following text carefully and answer the questions no. 4 and 5.

The greatest dramatist of English literature named Shakespeare was born and died on the same date. It was on the 23rd April, 1564 when he was born at Stratford on Avon in England. This is why he is called the bard of Avon. He wrote 37 plays and 154 sonnets. They spread fame to his unrivalled knowledge of human nature and the sympathy and understanding with which he painted almost every type and class of character.

In the poems, the poet's love of nature has found an eloquent expression as has an undertone, his deep concern for the limitations of human society. In the rough weather, nature has no particular enmity towards man and it treats all equally.

4. Complete the following table with the information given in the passage. 1 × 5 = 5

Who	Events	Where/ how many	Time/ what
Shakespeare	was born	(i) —	on 23rd April
He	is called		(ii) —
He	(iii) —	154	sonnets
He	wrote	(iv) —	plays
He	died		(v) —

5. Read the passage again and write true or false. Give answers for the false statements. 1 × 5 = 5

- Shakespeare is mostly known for his sonnets.
- He was born in England.
- He wrote 37 dramas.
- His name and fame is still unrivalled.
- He painted only tragic type of character in his plays.

6. Fill in the gaps with appropriate words. 1 × 5 = 5

An honest man is true to (a) — words. He does not (b) — from the path of honesty. He knows that (c) — consists in honesty. So he does not (d) — victim to any greed. He has no (e) — for anything.

7. Re-arrange the following sentences in correct order. 10

- (a) As he was a greedy person, he did not hear his wife.
- (b) He told his desire to his wife.
- (c) He was very greedy and selfish person.
- (d) His wife was a wise and clever person.
- (e) Once a farmer had a wonderful goose.
- (f) She forbade her husband to do that.
- (g) It laid a golden egg everyday.
- (h) He wanted to cut the belly and get all the eggs at a time.
- (i) He cut the belly with a sharp knife and got nothing there.
- (j) He was not happy to get an egg daily.

8. Fill in the gaps using clues from the boxes. There are more words than necessary. $0.5 \times 10 = 5$

all	die	the	undertaken	destroy	pure
by	long	relief	affected	many	money

Floods cause huge damages. They (a) — homes and crops. In the (b) — areas people suffer greatly. Death (c) — drowning is also common. When (d) — flood recedes, diarrhoea, typhoid and (e) — diseases breakout. Food and (f) — drinking water run short. People (g) — of starvation. Rehabilitation takes a (h) — time and a lot of (i) —. Massive relief works is to be (j) —.

9. The phrases in column A are the beginnings of some sentences. The phrases in column B are the endings. Match the phrases in column A with the phrases in column B to make complete sentences. $1 \times 5 = 5$

Column A	Column B
(i) Early rising	a. gets enough time to perform his tasks.
(ii) It makes	b. get up early from bed.
(iii) It helps	c. is a good habit.
(iv) An early riser	d. our health free from diseases.
(v) We should	e. the person who are not able to finish his work in time.

Section B : Writing Test

10. Suppose, you are Rana and your friend is Kabir. Now, write a dialogue in 100 words between you and your friend on the "Importance of reading newspaper". 10
11. Write a paragraph on "A tea-stall" by answering the following questions. Your paragraph should not exceed 100 words: 10
 (a) What is a tea-stall? (b) Where is it found? (c) How is it furnished? (d) What things are sold here? (e) What do the customers do in the tea-stall?
12. Read the beginning of following story. Now, complete it in your own way: 10
 Once two rats found a loaf of bread. They could not agree within themselves to divide the bread. Each of them wanted the larger share of it.....
13. Suppose, you are Nahin/Nabila of 10, Mirpur Road, Dhaka. Recently you went on a picnic. Now, write a letter to your friend Sumon/Subila who lives in Gaibandha, David co. para describing the picnic. 10

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1. a. iii) cleanliness; b. iv) good health; c. iii) an unclean person; d. ii) significant; e. ii) twice.
2. (a) Hygiene means the practice of keeping ourselves clean.
(b) We can get pure water by boiling and filtering.
(c) We should brush every day to keep our teeth clean and avoid bad breath.
(d) We should drink boiled and filtered water.
(e) We cannot achieve anything physically, mentally or spiritually without cleanliness.
3. Hygiene means to keep ourselves and our surroundings clean. It is very important for our good health. We must follow some rules of hygiene. Following the rules of hygiene will reduce the chance of attacking many diseases. Moreover, cleanliness will also help us to lead a happy life.
4. i) at Starford on Avon in England; ii) the bard of Avon; iii) wrote; iv) 37; v) on 23rd April.
5. (a) True. (b) True. (c) True. (d) True. (e) False. **Corr. Infor.** He painted almost every type and class of character.
6. (a) his; (b) deviate; (c) happiness; (d) fall; (e) ambition.
7. e + g + c + j + h + b + d + f + a + i.
8. (a) destroy; (b) affected; (c) by; (d) the; (e) many; (f) pure; (g) die; (h) long; (i) money; (j) undertaken.
9. (i + c) Early rising is a good habit.
(ii + d) It makes our health free from diseases.
(iii + e) It helps the person who are not able to finish his work in time.
(iv + a) An early riser gets enough time to perform his tasks.
(v + b) We should get up early from bed.