

unreasoning, male attitude is a sound one, because courage is not merely a virtue. It's the virtue, without it there are no other virtues. Faith, hope, charity all the rest don't become virtues until it takes courage to exercise them. Courage isn't only the basis of all virtue; it's like its expression. True, you may be bad and brave, but you can't be good without being brave. Courage is mental state- an affair of spirit- and so it gets its strength from spiritual and intellectual sources. The way in which these spiritual and intellectual elements are blended, I think produces roughly the two types of courage. The second, a more reasoning attitude which enables him coolly to state carrier, happiness, his whole future, on his judgement of what he thinks either moral, are very distinct. I have known many men who had marked physical courage but lacked moral courage. Some of them were in high places but they failed to be great in themselves because they lacked it. But I've never met a man with moral courage who wouldn't, when it was really necessary, face bodily danger. Moral courage is a higher and rarer virtue than physical courage.

- A. What is the difference between physical courage and moral courage.?
- B. What courage according to author?
- C. Tick the appropriate option:
- (a) The word virtue means:
    - a. A moral depravity
    - b. A commendable quality
    - c. An imperfection
  - (b) Which word in the passage represents generosity:

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Communicative English

*Time : Three Hours*

*[Max. Marks : 80*

**Note:** The Question paper will be divided into three sections A, B, and C.

### Section 'A'

**Note:** This section will contain Very Short Answer Type Questions (one word, one sentence, and definitional type item) having weightage of 16 (Sixteen) marks. Examinees will have to attempt all questions.

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- i. Supply correct tense forms of the verbs within brackets:
- (a) The rays (living) in this house for ten years now.
  - (b) Who (discover) America?
- ii. Change the voice:
- (a) Shut the door
  - (b) The mother gage the child a toy.
- iii. Supply the blanks in the sentences given below with a suitable clause.
- (a) Having settled the quarrel \_\_\_\_\_

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- (b) I would like him \_\_\_\_\_
- iv. Frame sentences of the following patterns:
- (a) Subject+transitive verb+direct object+indirect object.
- (b) Subject+transitive verb+indirect object+direct object.
- v. Fill in the blanks with one of the two words given in brackets.
- (a) The owner of this house \_\_\_\_\_ very rich. (are/is)
- (b) Either he or she \_\_\_\_\_ Committed a mistake. (has/have)
- (c) The clothes of this girl \_\_\_\_\_ vry trendy. (is/are)
- (d) It's anilwind that \_\_\_\_\_ nobody good. (blow/blows)
- vi. Write the past and participle form of the given simple form words.
- (a) Hide
- (b) Ring
- (c) Fall
- (d) Choose

### Section-B

**Note:** This section will contain Eight Short Answer Type Questions. Examines will have to answer any four (04) questions. Each question will be of eight (08) marks.

2. The weightage of this section will be of thirty two (32) marks.
- Make the precis of the following passage and give a suitable title to the paragraph:-

The conditions under which democracy can flourish are difficult to define; but one thing is clear that democracy is always a slow growth, whereas dictators may rise to power and inaugurate a new regime with dramatic suddenness and success, under suitable conditions. One great new force has appeared in the world since the Great War, the art of modern propaganda. It is invaluable to the dictators who can inculcate his creed day by day through the press the cinema, the radio, the whole body of the people and can suppress wall counter propaganda. It is a terrible danger to democracy, since it tends to destroy the sound and common sense judgement of the people which depends on constant access to facts and on honest public discussion based on those facts.

Then again the kindly and co-operative outlook which alone can make democracy a success depends on material conditions, on the economic security and welfare of the whole of the people; a starving man or a man in constant fear of unemployment cannot be expected to be a good citizen of democracy. And lastly, war is utterly hostile to democracy. The horrors and passion of war inevitably produce a war mentality under which the method of democracy become impossible.

3. Read the following passage and answer the given question.

I don't believe there's any man who in his heart of hearts wouldn't rather be called brave than have any oother virtue attributed to him. And this elemental, if you like,

- a. Faith
- b. Hope
- c. Charity

(c) According to the author which type of courage is a rare virtue:

- a. Physical
- b. Bodily
- c. Moral

D. Write the synonyms of the following words from the passage.

- a. Fundamental
- b. Notable
- c. Wise

- 4. What is corporate communication?
- 5. What are the disadvantages of electronic messages?
- 6. What are informal letters?
- 7. Write the format used for Writing Memos.
- 8. Write the importance of reports.
- 9. Write a paragraph of 10 lines on "My Ideal Cricketer"

Section 'C'

Note: This section will contain four Long Answer Type questions. Each question will be sixteen (16) marks. Examinees will have to answer any two questions. The weightage of this section will be of thirty two (32) marks.

10. Write an essay on any one of the following topics:
- (a) Youth and democracy
  - (b) Students are future citizens of the nation
  - (c) Technology can replace books and teachers
11. Write a letter to your principal requesting him to arrange an educational trip to historical places. Suggest some places and lessons students shall learn from such visits.
12. Write a report on "Book exhibiton" held in your city.
13. Write a letter to editor of "Times" expressing your views on demolition drive targeting illegal construction in your city.