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## SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

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|           | <b>Answer ALL the Questions</b>                                                                                                                 | <b>(10 x 1 = 10)</b>  |
| <b>1.</b> | <b>Match the following</b>                                                                                                                      |                       |
| a)        | Landfill - Barriers to inspiration                                                                                                              |                       |
| b)        | Creative Block - Dumping ground                                                                                                                 |                       |
| c)        | Figure out - Pull                                                                                                                               |                       |
| d)        | Dungeon - Understand                                                                                                                            |                       |
| e)        | Dragged - An old underground prison                                                                                                             |                       |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Fill in the blanks</b>                                                                                                                       |                       |
| a)        | Hundreds and millions of used bottles land up in ----- (landfills, dustbin, buildings).                                                         |                       |
| b)        | Why do so many people reach success and then fail? One of the big reasons is, we think success is a -----(fate, one-way street, God's Will )    |                       |
| c)        | The king called the royal barber from another kingdom and held the ----- ceremony of the prince in secret. (coronation, birthday, head-shaving) |                       |
| d)        | Barack Obama's speech, 'My Education, My Future', was given at ----- School. (Lakefield, Harvard, Wakefield)                                    |                       |
| e)        | According to Manohar Parrikar, it will take us ----- years to figure out what we were doing wrong while educating our children. (200, 20, 100)  |                       |
|           | <b>SECTION A - K2 (CO1)</b>                                                                                                                     |                       |
|           | <b>Answer ALL the Questions</b>                                                                                                                 | <b>(10 x 1 = 10)</b>  |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>Answer the following</b>                                                                                                                     |                       |
| a)        | Describe any four of your daily routines                                                                                                        |                       |
| b)        | Interpret the following statement: Money cannot buy happiness.                                                                                  |                       |
| c)        | Explain why people fail after reaching success.                                                                                                 |                       |
| d)        | Recall any four weather related expressions                                                                                                     |                       |
| e)        | State the impact of plastics on sea animals.                                                                                                    |                       |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Answer the following</b>                                                                                                                     |                       |
| a)        | Recall the harmful effect of leachate.                                                                                                          |                       |
| b)        | Direct your friend to the food court from the tennis court.                                                                                     |                       |
| c)        | State how you request your librarian to help you locate a book.                                                                                 |                       |
| d)        | Explain any two principles which can help you to attain success.                                                                                |                       |
| e)        | Describe how plastics affect ecosystems in the ocean                                                                                            |                       |
|           | <b>SECTION B - K3 (CO2)</b>                                                                                                                     |                       |
|           | <b>Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each.</b>                                                                                       | <b>( 2 x 10 = 20)</b> |
| <b>5.</b> | Interpret the importance of the eight principles as suggested by Richard.St.John in his talk, 'Success is a Continuous Journey'.                |                       |

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| 6.                                                                      | Explain President Barack Obama's speech, 'My Education, My Future' with focus on the importance of school education.                                               |
| 7.                                                                      | Illustrate the journey of the three bottles and their destination according to Emma Bryce.                                                                         |
| 8.                                                                      | Demonstrate the different themes suggested in "The Story of Watermelon" by Manohar Parrikar.                                                                       |
| <b>SECTION C – K4 (CO3)</b>                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each. (2 x 10 = 20)</b> |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 9.                                                                      | Identify the ways in which microplastics in the food chain impact human health and ecosystems?                                                                     |
| 10.                                                                     | Analyze the role of passion, perseverance, and resilience in achieving continuous success.                                                                         |
| 11.                                                                     | Explore the potential long-term consequences of the king's decision to share his secret: both positive and negative.                                               |
| 12.                                                                     | Consider the importance of responsibilities for a successful career.                                                                                               |
| <b>SECTION D – K5 (CO4)</b>                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)</b>       |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 13.                                                                     | Evaluate the moral of the story "The King's Secret".                                                                                                               |
| 14.                                                                     | Assess the life journey of the three plastic bottles.                                                                                                              |
| <b>SECTION E – K6 (CO5)</b>                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)</b>       |                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 15.                                                                     | Draft 20 sets of conversations with your friend who has just returned from the U.S., focusing on the topics of weather, daily routines, and lifestyle experiences. |
| 16.                                                                     | Explain your guidelines and plans to reuse or recycle any ten plastic materials that you use regularly.                                                            |

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