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**Previous Year Paper
Jr. Assistant cum Typist
2010**



JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY

Junior Assistant-cum-Typist Examination 2010 (Reserved for ST)

Paper-I (General English)

Name _____

Roll No. _____

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 100

Marks obtained: _____

- Q.1: Write an essay in about 300 words on any one of the following topics: (25)
- (a) My last day at college
 - (b) An Indian festival you like the most
 - (c) Republic Day
 - (d) Metro Rail for Delhi

- Q.2: Make a précis of the following passage in about one-third of its length and get it a suitable title. Also make sentences of your own from words in italics; (15)

One of the major problems we have to face is that of unemployment. It is a big problem, which we cannot *ignore*. Yet in looking at it, it has to be *remembered* that merely giving some kind of occupation to a large number of people does not ultimately increase employment or lessen unemployment. Employment comes by newer and more effective means of wealth production. The whole experience and history of the past 200 years shows that it comes through the growth of technological methods. Do not *imagine* that we can effectively deal with the problem of unemployment without technological progress. We cannot. Every country which *boasts* of full employment today is a country which is technologically advanced. Every country which is not technologically advanced has unemployment or under-employment. Therefore, if India is to advance, she must advance in science and technology. The fact is that our poverty is due to our backwardness in science and technology. If we *remedy* that backwardness we can create not only wealth, but also employment.

- Q.3: Write a letter to your friend advising him to celebrate Diwali without crackers. (15)

OR

Your friend has recovered from long illness. Write a letter congratulating him on his recovery.

- Q.4: Use the following words in sentences of your own: (10)

- (a) learned; (b) extend; (c) eager; (d) secured; (e) demise; (f) bear;
- (g) take part; (h) regret; (i) excuse; and (j) Disappoint.

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Q.5: Fill in the blanks with correct forms of the verbs given in brackets (10)

- 1) I _____ (go) to Mumbai next week.
- 2) I _____ (come) even if it rains.
- 3) They _____ (play) a friendly hockey match in the evening.
- 4) If you run fast, you _____ (catch) the train.
- 5) They _____ (win) the match by a big margin.
- 6) The train _____ (leave) before we reached the station.
- 7) I don't think, we _____ (meet) again.
- 8) By the time you come back, children _____ (go) to bed.
- 9) At the end of next year, my father _____ (retire).
- 10) If I go to school late, teacher _____ (punish) me.

Q.6: Read the following extract and fill in the blanks with appropriate articles: (5)

I found _____ bag on _____ road. _____ bag contained _____ knife _____ diary and _____ one rupee note.

Q.7: Change the voice in the following sentences: (10)

- (1) He helps me;
- (2) You see that bird;
- (3) He does not fly kites;
- (4) We help the poor;
- (5) They play cricket;
- (6) I do not teach her;
- (7) He has stolen my purse;
- (8) I took tea yesterday;
- (9) She has not solved the sums; and
- (10) The teacher had called the rolls.

Q.8: Write opposites of the following words: (5)

(a) Sir; (b) Princess; (c) Bull; (d) Author; (e) Host; and (f) God.

Q.9: Change the following words into noun form: (5)

(a) Accept; (b) Absent; (c) Appoint; (d) Guide; and (e) Resident.

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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU UNIVERSITY

Junior Assistant-cum-Typist Examination 2010 (Reserved for ST)

Paper-II (General Knowledge Test-2010)

Name _____

Roll No. _____

Time: One hour

Max. Marks: 50

Marks obtained: _____

Note: Attempt all the questions given below and all questions carry equal marks.

1. _____ was the first President of Independent India.
2. Present Lok Sabha Speaker is _____.
3. Mahatma Gandhi was born on _____ and he died on _____.
4. Charminar is situated at _____.
5. Law prescribes minimum age of _____ years for marriage of a Hindu male.
6. UGC stands for _____.
7. BCCI stands for _____.
8. Recent Asian Games were held in _____.
9. India won _____ gold medals in the Commonwealth Games held in Delhi in October 2010.
10. ICC Champions Trophy is associated with _____.
11. Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium is located in _____.
12. From which State of India have the most Indian Prime Ministers come? _____.
13. Name the first woman IPS Officer in India. _____.
14. Who appoints the Comptroller and Auditor General of India? _____.
15. Chief Minister of Bihar _____.
16. Who is the author of 'Ignited Minds'? _____.
17. Who succeeded Atal Bihari Vajpayee as Prime Minister of India in May 2004? _____.
18. SAARC stands for _____.
19. National Police Academy is located at _____.
20. In all, there are _____ States in Indian Union.
21. Who nominates the Members of Rajya Sabha? _____.
22. Who has been the only Finance Minister of India? _____.

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23. To whom are the State Governors responsible for their actions? _____.
24. Who was independent India's first Education Minister? _____.
25. Pantajali Yog Peeth is located at _____.
26. Pandit Birju Maharaj is associated with _____ dance.
27. Among Indian players, who holds the record of scoring the slowest century? _____.
28. Who is the youngest Indian to play a test match? _____.
29. Capital of Jharkhand State. _____.
30. Gitanjali was written by _____.
31. Chairman of Rajya Sabha _____.
32. Chairman Planning Commission of India _____.
33. www stands for _____.
34. RTI stands for _____.
35. RTE stands for _____.
36. President of the United States of America _____.
37. Name the US currency _____.
38. LIC stands for _____.
39. ISRO stands for _____.
40. Red Fort is located in _____.
41. The normal rate of heart beat in human beings is _____.
42. Lok Sabha is elected for a period of _____ years.
43. U.N. headquarter is located at _____.
44. Penicillin was invented by _____.
45. Article 370 of the Constitution of India deals with special provisions for the State of _____.
46. Who started the Bhoodan Movement? _____.
47. Who was the Chairman of the Drafting Committee of the Constituent Assembly? _____.
48. In India, when does the financial year commence? _____.
49. Who is the first woman President of India? _____.
50. National song of India _____.

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