## PART -I

(PAPER - I)

Time: 3 Hours

Total Number of Questions: 52

Maximum Marks: 150

## INSTRUCTIONS (നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ)

- 1. Question cum Answer Booklets are processed by electronic means. The following instructions are to be strictly followed to avoid invalidation of answer scripts.

  (ചോദ്യവും ഉത്തരവും അടങ്ങുന്ന ഈ ബുക്ക് ലെറ്റുകൾ ഇലക്ട്രോണിക് സാങ്കേതിക വിദ്യയുടെ സഹായത്തോടുകൂടെ മൂല്യനിർണ്ണയം നടത്തുന്നതിനാൽ ഇവ അസാധുവാകാതിരിക്കുവാൻ താഴെപ്പറയുന്ന നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ പൂർണ്ണമായും പാലിക്കുക.)
- 2. The first page of this question cum Answer Booklet is an OMR data Sheet (Part I). All entries in the OMR sheet are to be made with blue or black ball point pen only. (ഈ പുസ്തകത്തിന്റെ ഒന്നാമത്തെ പേജ് ഒരു ഒ.എം.ആർ. ഡാറ്റാ ഷീറ്റാണ് (പാർട്ട് I). ഇത് നീലയോ, കറുപ്പോ നിറത്തിലെ ബോൾ പോയിന്റ് പേന ഉപയോഗിച്ച് മാത്രമേ പൂരിപ്പിക്കാവൂ.)
- 3. Make sure that register number is bubbled correctly and completely; no correction is permitted.
  (രജിസ്റ്റർ നമ്പർ രേഖപ്പെടുത്തുന്നതിനുള്ള കുമിളകൾ കൃത്യമായും പൂർണ്ണമായും കറുപ്പിച്ചിട്ടു ണ്ടെന്ന് ഉറപ്പു വരുത്തുക. തിരുത്തലുകൾ അനുവദനീയമല്ല.)
- 4. Do not tamper the bar code printed on the OMR sheet and subsequent pages. Tampering of bar code will result in the invalidation of this booklet.

  (ഈ പുസ്തകത്തിൽ എവിടെയും പ്രിന്റ് ചെയ്തിരിക്കുന്ന ബാർ കോഡിൽ ഒരു കാരണവശാലും തിരുത്തലുകളോ, മാർക്കുകളോ പാടില്ല. ഇതിനു വിരുദ്ധമായി ചെയ്യുന്ന പക്ഷം ഈ പുസ്തകം അസാധുവാകുന്നതാണ്.)
- 5. Answers should be written with blue or black ball point pen only.
  (ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ നീലയോ, കറുപ്പോ നിറത്തിലെ ബോൾ പോയിന്റ് പേന ഉപയോഗിച്ച് മാത്രമേ എഴുതാവൂ.)
- 6. Do not write anything outside the margin of space provided for writing the answer and write only one line of answer between two lines.

  (പുസ്തകത്തിൽ ഉത്തരം എഴുതുവാൻ നൽകിയിരിക്കുന്ന സ്ഥലത്തിനു വെളിയിൽ യാതൊന്നും തന്നെ എഴുതുവാൻ പാടില്ല. രണ്ടു വരകൾക്കിടയിൽ ഒരു വരി ഉത്തരം മാത്രമേ എഴുതുവാൻ പാടുള്ളൂ.)
- 7. Rough work should be done only in the specific page provided with. (റഫ് വർക്കുകൾ ഇതിനായി നൽകിയിരിക്കുന്ന പേജിൽ മാത്രമേ ചെയ്യുവാൻ പാടുള്ളൂ.)

What are the main features of the city of *Gaborone*? 1. (2 Marks) 2. Specify the peculiarities of *Tagalog*. (2 Marks) 3. Write a short note on *Renminbi*. (2 Marks) What were the contributions of *Lee Kuan Yew*? 4. (2 Marks) 5. Write a short note on White Neil. (2 Marks) 6. What is the significance of *Nahapana* in Indian History? (2 Marks) Write a note on Malik Shahu. 7. (2 Marks) Reflect on the *Press Law* of Charles Metcalfe. 8. (2 Marks) 9. Write a note on General Reginald Dyer. (2 Marks) 10. Write a short note on the first speaker of the Kerala Legislative Assembly. (2 Marks) 11. Discuss the role of the UN Security Council in maintaining international peace and security. (2 Marks) 12. Discuss the constitutional provisions that promote cooperative federalism in India. How have these provisions influenced Centre-State relations? (2 Marks) 13. Examine the role of the Public Accounts Committee (PAC) in ensuring financial accountability of the executive to the Parliament. (2 Marks)

14. Give a brief note on the role of the Governor in the Legislative process in

15. Discuss the significance of the 103rd Constitutional Amendment Act, 2019

in the context of social justice and affirmative action in India. How does it alter the framework of reservations under the Indian Constitution?

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- 16. What is gender budgeting? How effective has gender budgeting been in addressing gender disparities? (2 Marks)
- 17. What are the key features of the India United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement (FTA) signed in 2025? Discuss its significance for bilateral trade and strategic relations between the two countries? (2 Marks)
- 18. Discuss the significance of the Ramon Magsaysay Award in recognizing contributions to public service and social change in India. (2 Marks)
- 19. Discuss the significance of India's re-election to the United Nations Peace building Commission for the 2025-2026 term. How does this reflect India's role in global peace and multilateral diplomacy? (2 Marks)
- 20. Discuss the objectives and impact of the Ayushman Bharat scheme in advancing universal health coverage in India. (2 Marks)
- 21. Explain how the title "Red Earth" is connected to the central idea of MT Vasudevan Nair's story.

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- 22. How is Najeeb portrayed in Benyamin's Aadujeevitham? (2 Marks)
- 23. What is the Ezhuthachan Puraskaram? Who received it in 2024? (2 Marks)
- 24. What is the Nehru Trophy Boat Race and where is it held? (2 Marks)
- 25. What is Thrissur Pooram? Why is it important? (2 Marks)
- 26. Show the research contributions by the 2023 Nobel prize winners in Medicine and its social relevance. (2 Marks)
- 27. Outline the difference between Internet and World Wide Web. (2 Marks)

28.	Analyse the notion of antibiotic abuse and its impact in he	ealth care. (2 Marks)
29.	Outline the important characteristics of a geostationary	satellite. (2 Marks)
30.	Examine the concept of ego trapping in social media.	(2 Marks)
31.	Use the idiom in sentence : Once in a blue moon	(2 Marks)
32.	Use suitable prepositions :  The election will be held Friday, 10 am	(2 Marks) 1pm.
33.	Use possessive pronoun:  I don't think this book is	(2 Marks)
34.	Use suitable adverb: He came	(2 Marks)
35.	Use the phrasal verb in sentence : Get along	(2 Marks)
36.	Use simple present tense :  We (go) to church every Sunday.	(2 Marks)
37.	Use Present perfect tense :  I (finish) my project.	(2 Marks)
38.	Use suitable adjective : They live in a house.	(2 Marks)
39.	Use simple past tense : Raju and Ramu (go) to the cinema yesterday.	(2 Marks)

40.	Use countable / uncountable nouns :	(2 Marks)
	How Onions and how cheese are needed to pizza?	make the
41.	Use abstract nouns:	(2 Marks)
	Her actions are the products of her (stupid) and (jealous).	
42.	Use suitable pronoun :	(2 Marks)
	I was playing, when started to rain.	
43.	Use past perfect tense:	(4 Marks)
	I (meet) him before he left for Delhi; he (assume will be back on Christmas.	re) that he
44.	Use irregular verbs:	(4 Marks)
	He (begin) to work in the fields early in the morning an (become) very tired by noon.	d
45.	Use suitable auxiliaries / modals :	(4 Marks)
	Look, it stopped raining; we go to the city now.	
46.	Use singular / Plural nouns :	(4 Marks)
	I have a (cat); he has two (dog). Dogs like (child).	e to chase
47.	Change into Reported Speech:	(5 Marks)
	Uma : "I Bought a new car."	
	Rema : "Have you sold your old car?"	
	Ume: "No, I have'nt."	
48.	Change into Passive Voice :	(5 Marks)
	Manu will buy a new laptop today. He will sell his old computer His friend Raju will buy it.	tomorrow.

- 49. Arrange the jumbled sentences in order: (5 Marks) is / Mysore / city / beautiful / a one of / it is / cities in India / the famous
- 50. Rewrite using the correct spelling : (5 Marks)

  It was an excellant party; full of lafter, musik and happyness.

## 51. Precis Writing:

(20 Marks)

SECTION A: Give a communicative summary of the report given in 100 words:

In terms of sales and distribution of the products, the company has an aggressive strategy which aims at increasing the availability and visibility of its products throughout the country. This was achieved during the year by undertaking various initiatives to expand the company's distribution foot print. One of the major highlights was increase in number of outlets, which went up to 6.7 million from 6.3 million in the previous year. Today, the company has significantly strengthened its rural footprint by reaching close to 44,000 villages across the country. In addition, the company has also increased its direct reach from 1.02 million to 1.1 million, an increase of around 8%. Overall, the rural segment continued to grow faster on account of increased rural distribution, sales promotion and portfolio expansion. The focus to grow the direct reach in rural through super stockist and sub-stockist network and split of front end field force into HPC and HC verticals led to good growth for the key brands and increase in the number of lines and brand sold. The company has been focusing on growing its distribution network not only in traditional trade but also in emerging channels like modern trade and e-commerce. E-commerce channel, which has been scaling up well for the company, contributed 1.4% to sales as compared to 0.8% a year ago. This channel experienced the fastest expansion with growth of 95.8%. Brands such health supplements, real juices, their oils, oral care and home care products saw good traction on e-commerce platforms. For this purpose, the company has put in place a specialised team equipped with the relevant skills. The team is engaging with each of the e-commerce platforms to enhance visibility and build customer engagement. The company focused on IT enablement as a major driver of enhancing productivity and field force efficiency.

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- 52. SECTION B : Say whether the following statements are True or False : (10 Marks)
  - (a) The increase in number of outlets went up from 6.7 million to 6.8 million.
  - (b) The growth regarding direct reach has been around 8%.
  - (c) The company prefers to remain in the traditional trade channels.
  - (d) E-Commerce channel has contributed to the growth of the company.
  - (e) Enhancing visibility and building customer engagement are the two priority areas for the company.