



DEFENCE SERVICES MEDICAL ACADEMY

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

ENGLISH

ATTEMPT ALL QUESTIONS

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(Write down the answers on the answer book)

Time allowed: (2) hours

I. Read the passage.

Most people say that they find advertisements useful for giving them information about the products which are available on the market. But advertisements do not only give information, they also try to influence our emotions.

The advertisers know that everyone tends to dream of having a better life. We dream of being better educated, more successful, wealthier, better looking, more adventurous, and so on. The advertisers try to make us believe that our dreams will come true if we buy their products. This is why advertisements for home cleaning products often try to convince ladies that they can become perfect wives and mothers only if they use those products. Advertisements aimed at men often include the picture of a pretty girl. Such advertisements are suggesting that a man will be more attractive to women if he owns a certain type of car, or watch, or if he dresses in a certain style.

I.(A) Write the correct word or words to complete each sentence.

1. Because of advertisements, it is possible for people to know what things are -----on the market.
2. Advertisements can -----people's emotions.
3. Some people think that their ----- will come true if they buy the things advertised.
4. Advertisement -----men often use the picture of a pretty girl.
5. A man will be more ----- if he owns a certain type of car or watch and so on.

I.(B) Answer each question in one sentence.

1. Why are advertisements useful for people?
2. What does everyone tend to dream of?
3. What does "having a better life" mean?
4. What do advertisers try to make us believe?
5. Who are home cleaning products meant?

II. Fill in each numbered blank with a word from the list given.

Langkawi	kinds	historic	of	miss
Penang	reefs	famous	of	keep
East	romance	scuba	in	on

Sabah capital where as to

Malaysia is separated into two sections by the South China Sea ; Peninsula Malaysia links with Thailand ----(1)----- the main land of Asia, while ----(2)---- Malaysia comprises the states of -----(3)--- and Sarawak.

Visitors must not ----(4)-----Kuala Lumpur or KL, the ----(5)----- , with its many sights to --(6)-----the tourists occupied, as well ----(7)----- its excellent shopping facilities. Second ---(8)- --- KL in size are the ----(9)----- trading cities of Melaka and ----(10)----- with buildings dating back hundreds -----(11)----- years and wonderful un spoilt districts----(12)-----visitors can breathe in the --(13)----- of the past.

Malaysia is ----(14)----- for its pleasant beach resorts, ----(15)----- , Pangkor, Tioman Island, Damai Beach ----(16)-----Sarawak, and again ,Penang. Each ----(17)-----these offers water -sports of all ----(18)----- as well as snorkelling and ----(19)----- diving around the numerous coral ----(20)----- that line Malaysia's shore.

III. Write the appropriate words or groups of words to complete the sentences and lines of verse.

1. Travellers to the moon require not only oxygen and water but also protection against -----
--- that are unfiltered by an atmosphere.
2. The hourglass was easy to use , but it had to be ----- every hour.
3. A person is touched by great ----- at least once in his life time.
4. Good health is important because it gives us ----- .
5. The saliva of the female mosquito prevents ----- from developing in the food canal of it.
6. Whose trees -----yield him shade,
In winter, fire.
7. It changed into an elephant
Of most ----- .
8. No time -----at beauty's glance,
And watch her feet, how they can dance;
9. For song and mother-croon of bird
In hushed -----twilight heard –
10. A wooden bridge,
A -----
Whether big or small;

IV. Finish each sentence in such a way that it means exactly the same as the sentence that is given.

1. You can't defeat her if you don't practise your tennis regularly.
Without -----
2. Swe Swe wrote her essay and then read it again and again to find mistakes.
After Swe Swe -----
3. Arkar suggested that Mee Mee should go to Kalaw.
It was -----
4. Although the man drank some black coffee, he still felt sleepy.
In spite of -----
5. The flood has destroyed many acres of paddy.
Many acres -----
6. My friend and I did not seek help from other friends.
Neither -----
7. The Nile is the longest river in the world.
There is no -----
8. This sum is too difficult for us to solve .
This sum is not -----
9. No footballer all over the world is as popular as David Beckham.
David Beckham -----
10. When she had finished her homework , it was two o'clock in the morning.
By the time -----
11. Cherry said to Ko Myint , "Did you phone me last night?"
Cherry asked -----
12. A new engine is being replaced in my car by the mechanic.
The mechanic -----
13. Stop borrowing money, or you will be in trouble.
Unless -----
14. She has a lot of money but she is very mean.
Although -----
15. The Inlay lake is one of the most attractive lakes in Asia.
There are very few -----

- V. Write an essay of three paragraphs on the following topic. (Minimum word limit 250)**
"The career I would like to choose"