

# **BAEL-102**

## **Advanced Reading and Writing Skills**

Bachelor of Arts (BA-12/16/17)

First Year, Examination 2019

**Time : 3 Hours]**

**Max. Marks : 80**

**Note :** This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into two (02) sections A and B. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

### **SECTION-A**

#### **(Long Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Section 'A' contains five (05) long answer type questions of Fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer any three (03) questions only. (3×15=45)

1. Write an essay on any one of the following topics :
  - (a) Books and Reading.
  - (b) Say No to Plastic.
2. (a) You are eligible for the post of an Accountant in a public school in New Delhi. Prepare a resume for the aforesaid post.

OR

(b) Draft a job application for the above post.

3. Read the passage below and answer the question below.

For many years now the Governments have been promising the eradication of child labour in hazardous industries in India but the truth is that despite all the rhetoric no Government so far has succeeded in eradicating this evil, nor has any one been able to ensure compulsory primary education for every Indian Child. Between 60 and 100 million children are still at work instead of going to school, and around 10 million are working in hazardous industries. India has the biggest child population of 380 million in the world, plus the largest number of children who are forced to earn a living.

According to the child labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act 1986, the employment of children below the age of 14 in hazardous occupations has been strictly banned. There are industries, which have a special demand for child labour because of their nimble fingers, high concentration and capacity to work at low wages.

If at all the government was serious about granting children their rights, an intensive effort ought to have been made to implement the Supreme Court directive of 1997 which laid down punitive action against employers of child labour. Only compulsory primary education can eliminate child labour

- (i) What forces the children to work as labours in the market? (03)
- (ii) How far has the Government succeeded in eradicating the evil of child labour ? (03)
- (iv) Give antonyms of the following words : (03)
- (i) Compulsory,
- (ii) Primary.
- (iii) Intensive.
- (v) Give your views on Child Labour. (03)
4. Write a letter to the municipal commissioner complaining him about the menace of street dogs in the city.
5. What is the difference between minutes and memorandum ?

### SECTION-B

#### (Short Answer Type Questions)

**Note :** Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of seven (07) marks each. Learners are required to answer any five (05) questions only.

(5×7=35)

1. Explain “Similie” giving examples.
2. Explain “Symbol” and “imagery”.

3. Write a note on “Basis of Essay writing”
  4. What do you understand by “Metaphor” ?
  5. Explain the term, “Agenda”.
  6. What do you understand by “Paradox” ?
  7. Write a note on “Sound Patterns”.
  8. Write a letter to your school principal suggesting him to conduct an Induction programme for new students.
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