Special Practice-2

Class: Ten; Subject: English 1st Paper

Time 1: 30 Hours Marks: 50

1. Read the passage about the International Mother Language Day. Complete the table below with the information from the passage. $1 \times 5 = 5$

When the Dominion of Pakistan was formed by the partition of India in 1947, it was composed of various ethnic and linguistic groups, with the geographically non-contiguous East Bengal province (that was renamed in 1956 as East Pakistan) having a mainly Bengali population. In 1948, the Government of the Dominion of Pakistan ordained Urdu as the sole national language, sparking extensive protests among the Bengali-speaking majority of East Bengal. Facing rising sectarian tensions and mass discontent with the new law, the government outlawed public meetings and rallies. The students of the University of Dhaka and other political activists defied the law and organized a protest on 21 February 1952. The movement reached its climax when police killed student demonstrators on that day. The deaths provoked widespread civil unrest. After years of conflict, the central government relented and granted official status to the Bengali language in 1956. In 1999, UNESCO declared 21 February as International Mother Language Day in tribute to the Language Movement and the ethno-linguistic rights of people around the world.

Who/What	Event/Activities	Year/Time
Pakistan	(i)	in 1947
East Pakistan	was renamed	(ii)
(iii)	wanted to impose Urdu	in 1948
The movement	reached its climax	(iv)
The UNESCO	(v)	in 1999

2. Write a summary of the passage in no more than 60 to 70 words.

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3. Match the parts of sentences given in column 'A' and column 'B' to write five complete sentences.

There are more parts of sentences in column 'B' than required.

1 × 5 = 5

Column A	Column B
a. Modern technology	i. high way roads and soon.
b. Computer based	ii. in communication are being conducted.
c. CC Camera system may be used to trace	iii. plays a vital role in this regard.
d. Nowadays many things	iv. network is called internet.
e. Online Banking system	v. out the criminals, arrest them and punish them.
	vi. network or internet system.
	vii. has already been started in some banks.

- 4. Write a paragraph on the use of mobile phone in the 21st Century by answering the following questions.
 - (a) How does a mobile phone function?
 - **(b)** What is the use of mobile phone in communication?
 - (c) How mobile phone can be useful for tele-medicine during the Covid 19 pandemic?
 - (d) What is use of mobile phone in education during the lockdown of Covid 19 pandemic?
- 6. Nowadays computer is widely used in different sections. So, it has become very essential to learn about computer. Now write a dialogue between you and your science teacher about setting up a computer club in your school.