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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. **This question paper consists of 3 parts:**
 - PART A (30 marks) : READING COMPREHENSION & SUMMARY.** This part contains only **ONE (1)** section. Answer all questions in the question paper.
 - PART B (30 marks) : GRAMMAR.** This part contains **TWO (2)** sections. Answer all questions in the space provided.
 - PART C (40 marks) : WRITING.** This part contains **TWO (2)** sections. Answer all questions in the space provided.
2. **Candidates are not allowed to bring any unauthorised materials except writing equipment into the Examination Hall. Electronic dictionaries are strictly prohibited.**
3. **This question paper must be submitted along with all used and/or unused rough papers and/or graph paper (if any). Candidates are NOT allowed to take any examination materials out of the examination hall.**
4. **Only ballpoint pens are allowed to be used in answering the questions, with the exception of multiple choice questions, where 2B pencils are to be used.**

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PART A : READING COMPREHENSION & SUMMARY (30 marks)

INSTRUCTION(S) : This part contains only **ONE (1)** section. Answer all questions in the question paper.

Section 1 : 30 marks

Instructions : Read the passage below and answer all questions in the space provided.

5 Apps That Will Help You Manage Your Money Better

With all the financial assets available around us, personal finance is a tricky game. With the help a good financial advisor, you would be in a good position to manage your large investments.

But when it comes to smaller goals – like the solo trip you want to take or the favourite phone you want to buy – how do you save for it while tracking your day to day expenses and at the same time remember all your mobile banking and online shopping passwords?

Here are 5 apps that will help handle your money 10 times better:

Wizey

Wizey claims to be the world’s first saving app. The app has partnered up with more than 200 brands for users to spend their savings on. The app has about three saving plans option - simple saving plan, flexible saving plan and pre-book saving plans which are linked to users’ goals. With the simple saving plan, you can start saving with a purpose, while with flex saving plans you can set money aside without any a particular goal in mind. Additionally, with pre-book saving plan, users can unlock Wizey Benefits which offers up to 15 per cent extra value for its users through exclusive discounts and promotions.

15 Thriv

This app claims to be a piggy bank in your hand. Additionally, it also helps you plan and budget your savings. All you have to do is build a goal on the app, allocate a budget and start saving for it. The app will then give you daily reminders and weekly check-ups to keep you on track. The app also allows users to add a link or a picture to the goal which helps them stay motivated in achieving the desired goals.

Walnut

Using data analytics, Walnut scans through your phone’s inbox to track your monthly spending while helping you stay within budget. In other words, it helps you understand where, when and how you spend. Additionally, the app supports about 40 local and international banks which allow users to check balances and understand their credit dues. If you are a loyal user of the app, it also upgrades you to Walnut Prime – which gives you access to credit lines for emergency and larger expenses.

Splitwise

Every time you go out on a trip with your college friends or for a grand lunch with your work pals, apart from choosing the place, the second biggest task is splitting the expense. The

expense should be divided equally and you need to follow up rigorously to recover your money – which honestly is a pain. This is when Splitwise comes in handy. The app helps you understand how much you owe others and how much others might owe you, allowing you to plan better and recover your dues faster.

35 LastPass Password Manager

If you are wondering, what a password manager is doing on this list, think again. All of us have access to at least two-three banking accounts apps and several digital wallets. This is just the finance apps you need on your mobile phone. How about numerous e-commerce and food delivery accounts we hold wherein all of us blindly save our banking details? All of these

40 accounts are ‘generally’ believed to be secured with unique passwords. But how many passwords can you remember? Don’t tell us that you are planning to write them all down somewhere! LastPass not just helps you save user IDs along with passwords, but also helps you create a unique set of it. All you have to do is remember your LastPass master password.

Adapted from: <https://www.entrepreneur.com/article/327131>

1. How do the simple saving plan and the flexi saving plan differ on the Wizey app? (2 marks)

2. Explain which app can come in handy during an emergency. (3 marks)

3. What are **TWO (2)** difficult things that you need to consider when having food with friends? (4 marks)

4. What can happen if you forget your *LastPass* master password? (2 marks)

PART B : GRAMMAR (30 marks)

INSTRUCTION(S) : This part contains **TWO (2)** sections. Answer all questions in the space provided.

Section 1 : 20 marks

Instructions : Rewrite the sentences below in the Passive Voice.

1. Melia received many gifts for her graduation. (2 marks)

2. The kitten is eating sardines from the can. (2 marks)

3. Her mother had picked her up after school. (2 marks)

4. The headmaster will ask the students to line up in a straight line. (2 marks)

5. Did people use raw honey to treat wounds in the past? (2 marks)

6. Emery's father waters the plants in front of the house every afternoon. (2 marks)

7. The school teachers were buying a new bulletin board at the hardware store. (2 marks)

8. Jenna has prepared some seeds to put into the bird feeder. (2 marks)

9. Are they taking their sister to the party? (2 marks)

10. Kevin did not meet his friends at the club like he promised. (2 marks)

Section 2 : 10 marks

Instructions : Find **ONE (1)** mistake in each sentence below and correct the mistake by using an appropriate parallel structure.

1. My best friend took me dancing and to a show. (2 marks)

2. Emma is in charge of writing reports, filing claims and to update policies. (2 marks)

3. I would rather pay for my education rather than receiving financial aid. (2 marks)

4. Matthew spent his time reading books, cycling along the river banks, and played Frisbee in the park every evening while he was in Germany. (2 marks)

5. Ross likes to play football and buying comic books. (2 marks)

END OF PART B

PART C : **WRITING (40 marks)**

INSTRUCTION(S) : There are **TWO (2)** sections in this part. Answer all questions in the space provided.

Section 1 : **10 marks**

Instructions : Prepare a brief outline for a compare and contrast essay for the topic **“The similarities and differences between online shopping and in-store shopping”**.

Thesis Statement: _____

(2 marks)

Topic Sentence 1: _____

(2 marks)

Topic Sentence 2: _____

(2 marks)

Topic Sentence 3: _____

(2 marks)

Concluding Statement: _____

(2 marks)

