APPENDIX I

Writing Test

Questionnaire -1

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions.

It must be borne in mind that a carrier is an integrated life long plan of earning a living. Unlike a job, which may be a stage of this long-term plan, held only for a particular duration. Therefore carrier plans necessitate meticulous thought and planning, keeping in mind one’s goals and a clear idea of expectations from that carrier. To do this students along with their parents or teachers need to invest more strategically and systematically than ever before in carrier building plans. This can be done by evaluating current thrust of carrier trends to avoid the fully subscribed and potential areas as well as the glamorous appeal of jobs which do not make for a steady carrier, by specializing in requisite subject combination in school while ensuring maneuverability for adopting to changing demands in the carrier path; and acquiring extra skills and new learning techniques.

1. Choose the correct synonym of the following word:

   **Integrated**

   Options: a) Separated   b) Mingled   c) United   d) Inter related

2. Change the following sentence in to past perfect tense.

   Carrier plan necessitate meticulous thought and planning.
3. Read the following sentence and change its voice into passive.
Students can select career plan with their parents and teachers

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5. Write sentences by employing the following words.
   1. Carrier plan
   2. Graduate student
   3. Bright future

6. Write a brief note on the given passage about career plan within 50 words.

7. Read the following conversation and summarize it within 75 words.
(The telephone rings for Levkumar’s brother Mahesh while he is out Levkumar answers to the telephone call. Here is the conversation.)

**Levkumar**: Hello!

**Sanjay**: Hello! Could I speak to Mahesh?

**Levkumar**: I am afraid, he is out, and can I take a message?

**Sanjay**: Oh! Well. This is Sanjay here. I was wondering if he will be free this afternoon. I am going to a new film at the woodlands theater. I would like him to come with, if he is free. When will he be back?
Levkumar: He won't be long. He has just gone out to post a letter. I don't think he is doing anything this afternoon.

Sanjay: Good, well, can you tell him I shall wait for him at the left hand side of the steps at 1.45, if he is not there by 2.00 I will go in.

Levkumar: Yes, I will tell him, good-bye.

Sanjay: Good bye, thank you.

Questionnaire II

Write essays on any four of the following topics about 500 words

1. India under British rule
(Include the subheadings 1. Freedom struggle, 2. Economic condition, 3. Educational developments, 4. Social changes and 5. Political set up, etc.)

2. Child labor and cheating business

3. Communal violence and international terrorism

4. The impact of cinema and politics in society,

5. Fashion today

6. Computer education in India

7. Economic and industrial developments of India