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Section A

Section 'A' contains 08 short answer type questions of 05 marks each. Learners are required to answer only 04 questions. Answers of short answer-type questions must be restricted to 250 words approximately.

1. Give two reasons that Bacon gives for placing adversity over prosperity.
2. Write a note on the prose style of Pandit Nehru.
3. In Tagore's "The Runaway", what are the reasons for Charu's jealousy?
4. Write a note on the role played by Kedar in Promchand's "Divided Hearths".
5. Write a note on the theme of "The Prussian Officer."
6. Why was Pakhom unhappy with his life?
7. Give a brief account of Mahatma Gandhi's life in your own words.
8. Write a note on the contribution made in the field of Indian English novel by Indian women novelists.

Section-B

Section 'B' contains 04 long answer-type questions of 10 marks each. Learners are required to answer only 02 questions.

1. Draw an estimate of Lamb as an essayist in your own words.
2. Critically analyse the significance of the title "Time Stops at Shamli".
3. Analyse the character of Raman in RK Narayan's *The Painter of Signs*.
4. Summarise O'Henry's "The Cop and the Anthem" in your own words.

