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## Solutions to Special Model Questions (Second Paper)

### Solution to Model Question-81

1. (a) an (b) × (c) the (d) the (e) × (f) An (g) the (h) a (i) a (j) an
2. (a) in (b) In (c) around (d) of (e) For (f) of/ among (g) for (h) of (i) in (j) of
3. (a) let alone (b) would rather (c) What's it like (d) What if (e) had better (f) As soon as (g) how...like (h) call it a day (i) How.... doing (j) read between the lines
4. (a) It energizes our mind so that we can cope with the surrounding.  
 (b) Though his mother wants him to be an engineer, he wants to be a teacher.  
 (c) An early riser can get many advantages, on the other hand a late riser cannot enjoy.  
 (d) We can shine in life by means of hard labour.  
 (e) Sinners atone in the long run.  
 (f) All his hopes were nipped in the bud at his father's death.  
 (g) They are usually worried on the eve of their examination.  
 (h) If you want to enjoy good health, you must lead your life in discipline.  
 (i) He did many gracious works for the writer of his own accord.  
 (j) His honesty is beyond question.
5. (a) got (b) made (c) reached (d) was (e) were coming (f) were running (g) were (h) stood (i) stood (j) bought
6. (a) The National Memorial situated at Savar is a symbol of the nation's respect.  
 (b) We stand in front of the graves and bow down our heads.  
 (c) Don't the towers symbolise the loftiness of the spirit of the martyred freedom fighters?  
 (d) We never forget their memories.  
 (e) Don't many people go to visit it every day?
7. The passerby asked the street child why he (s.c.) was crying and wanted to know if he (s.c.) had any problem. The street child said that he (s.c.) was crying because he (s.c.) had none to look after him (s.c.). The passerby asked him (s.c.) if he (s.c.) was hungry. The boy replied that he was.
8. If we want to succeed in life, we must remember the wise saying that time and tide wait for none. Time and tide never stop their onward march, rather, they continue to move on going no particular attention to us. They cannot be stopped by any kind of request or enticement. Therefore, for the sake of our welfare we should never waste even a single moment in vain. The wastage of time will cost us a lot and we will not be able to reach the goal of our life.
9. (a) great/ noble/ famous/ rebel (b) spontaneously/ freely/ ceaselessly (c) the rebel poet/ our national poet (d) his (e) to inspire people (f) very (g) profoundly/ greatly/ deeply (h) Bangla (i) a (j) throughout his life/ in a loud voice
10. (a) So (b) For this reason (c) Firstly (d) Secondly (e) Thirdly (f) Besides (g) Moreover (h) Rather (i) Even (j) Actually/ In fact
11. (a) earth/ globe (b) strength (c) domination (d) deduct (e) national (f) decrease (g) freedom (h) external (i) rivalry (j) majority
12. There goes a proverb, "A barking dog seldom bites." When a dog is powerless to bite, it wants to show its ability by barking. It thinks that if it barks, people will be scared. But people are always more intelligent than dogs. Instead of being afraid, people laugh at the barking of the powerless. In our society, there are also many powerless persons. But they pretend to be powerful. By this pretension, they want to serve their purpose. Such causes are not rare, rather are many in number. We all should be careful of those powerlessly powerful persons.  
*Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

### Solution to Model Question-82

1. (a) × (b) the (c) The (d) the (e) A (f) a (g) a (h) the (i) the (j) the
2. (a) in (b) in (c) through (d) of (e) to (f) around (g) of (h) into (i) through (j) with
3. (a) have to (b) would rather (c) had better (d) let alone (e) as if (f) as soon as (g) What's it like (h) What..... look like (i) There (j) was born
4. (a) It is the rationality in him which makes him a different species.  
 (b) Happiness is a word which is longed for by all.  
 (c) He used to go out in disguise at night so that he could see the condition of his subjects.  
 (d) I wish I possessed a vast property.  
 (e) He who is taken by anger causes a lot of troubles.  
 (f) If we cut down trees at random, our country will soon turn into a desert.  
 (g) Since trees help us in different ways, we should protect them.  
 (h) The Taliban fundamentalists shot her but she did not deviate from her mission.  
 (i) We hurried up lest we should miss the beginning of the programme.  
 (j) No sooner had we reached there than the programme started.
5. (a) waste (b) kill (c) sit (d) cannot support (e) will lead (f) will suffer (g) indicates (h) shall/can lead (i) follow (j) have made

6. (a) The birds coming to our country in winter are called migratory birds.  
 (b) In winter, the weather is so cold that they cannot live in the north.  
 (c) A better shelter is found in Bangladesh by them.  
 (d) We cannot but protect them./ We must not harm them.  
 (e) The dove does not run as fast as migratory birds.
7. I asked him where he came from. He replied with a smile that he came from San Carlos and added that he had been taking care of animals. Not quite understanding, I expressed my indifference to him. With emphasis he said that he had stayed, I saw, taking care of animals. He added that he had been the last one to leave the town of San Carlos.
8. Translation is an art. It takes a great deal of creativity and patience to do the translation well. It also takes stamina for translators are underpaid and underappreciated. Translators are often left off the covers of what they create. In fact, we owe a good deal to a good number of hardworking people and organizations who are responsible for making them available. We thank most notably the people who take the financial risk to publish and promote the translations in an increasingly crowded market.
9. (a) great/ prominent/ famous (b) noble/ rich/ landlord/ wealthy/ sophisticated (c) at the early age (d) first (e) to get admitted to a (f) professional (g) to have/ to get (h) to enjoy/ to listen to (i) praising (j) forever/ soon
10. (a) Moreover/ In fact/ Actually (b) But (c) Rather (d) As a result/ Consequently (e) As/ Since (f) In addition/ Moreover/ Besides (g) So/ Therefore (h) Besides/ Moreover/ In addition (i) Again/ Moreover (j) and
11. (a) need (b) incompetence (c) surprise (d) evaluated (e) unevenly/ unequally (f) depressing (g) certainly (h) disqualify (i) indefinitely (j) mistake
12. Kamal : I've lost my watch. Have you seen it anywhere?  
 Nirob : No, but if I find it, I'll tell you.  
 Kamal : It's a gift from my father. It's been so important for me!  
 Nirob : When did you lose it?  
 Kamal : Most probably, during the off-period.  
 Nirob : Does it have a leather strap?  
 Kamal : Oh, yes. Have you seen it?  
 Nirob : I haven't seen it, but I heard Karim saying something about a watch with leather strap.  
 Kamal : What's his room number?  
 Nirob : Most probably 203. Go to the first floor of the main hostel. It's on the right side of the stairs.

Kamal : Thank you so much, dear.

Nirob : You're welcome.

Kamal : Best of luck.

*Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

### Solution to Model Question-83

1. (a) × (b) The (c) the (d) the (e) a (f) × (g) the (h) the (i) The (j) the
2. (a) at (b) of (c) of (d) against (e) to (f) of (g) in/during (h) after (i) of (j) in
3. (a) had better (b) let alone (c) as though (d) was born (e) What...look like (f) as soon as (g) There (h) had to (i) it (j) would rather
4. (a) There is a wise saying that united we stand, divided we fall.  
 (b) He undergoes hard work so that he may/ can maintain himself.  
 (c) They think that they need no education because education for girls is a mere waste of money.  
 (d) No sooner had we heard the news than we rushed to the hospital.  
 (e) Without a sound physique one cannot have a sound mind.  
 (f) There is hardly any person who does not love flowers.  
 (g) He used to support his family with the crops that grew in his fields.  
 (h) When any one falls in danger, others come to help him.  
 (i) We work hard so that we may succeed in life.  
 (j) A man who lives an idle life, cannot reach his goal.
5. (a) are (b) is born (c) know (d) start (e) thinking (f) nursing (g) bringing (h) remain (i) taking (j) should offend
6. (a) It is Cox's Bazar sea-beach which is the largest in the world.  
 (b) Very few sea-beaches in the world are as beautiful as it.  
 (c) People call it pleasure seekers' paradise.  
 (d) The visitors go there and enjoy natural beauties.  
 (e) The tired may go to relax there.
7. One day Hazrat Omar (R) became shocked to see the sufferings of a woman and asked where she lived. The woman replied that she lived in a poor hut south end to that town. She again said that she was hungry but there was no food in her house. She then asked Hazrat Omar (R) if he would give her something to eat. Hazrat Omar (R) told her to go back home. He added that he was going with food and money for her.
8. Poetry in every language celebrates beauty and truth. Beauty and truth are also celebrated in art. In the textbook, there are two poems. The poems present some enduring ideas about beauty and truth. One of them is written by Lord Byron (1788-1824) and the other is written by Emily Dickinson

(1830-1886). The former is an English poet of Romantic tradition, but the later is an American poet. They have celebrated beauty and truth very well in their poems.

9. (a) clever (b) slowly (c) very (d) to attend (e) new/ wonderful (f) entirely/ completely (g) attentively/curiously (h) to cut off (i) wise (j) no
10. (a) indeed (b) Because (c) But eventually/ But in the long run (d) So/ Therefore/ Hence (e) whereas on the contrary/ on the other hand/ but (f) Besides/ Moreover/ And/ On the other hand/ But (g) Hence/ So/ Therefore (h) So/ This is why/ Hence/ For this reason (i) For all these reasons/ Hence/ So (j) Thus
11. (a) uncommon (b) amusement (c) innumerable (d) unpleasant (e) near/close (f) arrange/ conduct/ supervise (g) broadcast/ telecast/ display (h) various (i) broadcast (j) uninformative
12. Asad : Hello, is this 0173164 Dhaka?  
Father: Yes. Are you Asad?  
Asad : Yes, father. How are you?  
Father: We are OK. Tell me how you are.  
Asad : I'm absolutely fine. I'm doing well in my studies. But I am to work hard for that. I hardly can sleep.  
Father: That's not good. You must take care of your health.  
Asad : Don't worry, father. Everyone does the same here.  
Father: Your mother is beside me. Would you like to talk to her?  
Asad : Yes, of course.  
Father: Ok. Speak with your mother.

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-84

1. (a) a (b) an (c) a (d) × (e) a (f) a (g) a (h) a (i) a (j) an
2. (a) of (b) to/with (c) in (d) of (e) in (f) with (g) from (h) of (i) for (j) with
3. (a) wish (b) Would you mind (c) have to (d) had to (e) There (f) Whether...or (g) as soon as (h) as fast as (i) in case (j) was born
4. (a) Once a clever fox, walking through a forest, fell into a trap.  
(b) The fox tried his level best to get out of the trap.  
(c) At last he somehow managed to get out of the trap at the cost of his tail.  
(d) By loving the wild animals we can save our ecology.  
(e) In the past man could not realize the importance of animals.  
(f) They killed not only animals but also destroyed their habitat.  
(g) We should refrain ourselves from killing birds and animals.  
(h) We should know that birds and animals are the part and parcel of the environment.

- (i) If we cannot stop killing them, one day our existence will be at stake.
- (j) So we should try to protect them for our existence.
5. (a) be forgiven (b) does not give up (c) will suffer (d) will be taken (e) was (f) killing (g) called (h) brought (i) was left (j) dropped
6. (a) What an exciting game cricket is!  
(b) This game is enjoyed by people of all ages.  
(c) At present, no other game is as popular as cricket in our country.  
(d) Bangladesh is weaker than most other test playing countries.  
(e) Aren't they fond of watching "Twenty-twenty" cricket?
7. Once I asked a little girl, "What is your mother's name?" She replied, "I can remember my mother's name but I will not tell you that. I do not tell my mother's name to anyone whom I do not know." I said, "What a clever girl you are!"
8. Nearly half a million people depend on the Sundarbans for their livelihood. Fishermen venture deep into the forest to catch fish or gather honey. Tigers often attack them. Some tigers frequently raid the villagers bordering the forest and kill goats and cows. It causes panic among the villagers. The villagers do not go out of the village after the sunset. They have recently formed tigers response team to protect themselves and tigers whenever a tiger enters villages.
9. (a) an African Moor (b) fierce (c) highly (d) who was very beautiful (e) often (f) enough (g) hearing the stories of his adventure (h) intensely (i) gradually (j) to marry
10. (a) But/ Unfortunately (b) Firstly (c) When (d) and (e) Secondly (f) Besides (g) Again (h) So (i) For this (j) If
11. (a) repellent/ boring (b) curiosity (c) moral (d) patient (e) hold (f) logical (g) regular (h) educative (i) select/ like (j) interesting/ funny/ pleasing/ amusing
12. Karim : Where's your pen?  
Rony : It's gone.  
Karim : Gone!  
Rony : Yes. It was on the desk a few minutes ago.  
Karim : I left it on the desk. Now, there's no sign of it.  
Rony : It's my favourite pen. What can I do?  
Karim : Let's complain to the Principal.  
Rony : For what?  
Karim : For your pen.  
Rony : You're mad. I'll complain to the Principal for a pen!

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-85

1. (a) a (b) a (c) ×/a (d) × (e) a (f) a (g) a (h) the (i) the (j) the
2. (a) of (b) by (c) by (d) down (e) by (f) up (g) by (h) in (i) up (j) on

3. (a) It (b) let alone (c) as soon as (d) as if (e) had better (f) What if (g) There (h) as long as (i) was born (j) have to
4. (a) You cannot buy a car unless you have a lot of money.  
 (b) Call me in case you need my help.  
 (c) He is so short that he cannot reach the roof.  
 (d) Since there are no more questions to discuss, we have to stop discussion.  
 (e) I worked hard although I was suffering from headache.  
 (f) Hardly had we started to eat when a guest entered our house.  
 (g) We were unable to go by train because of unavailability of tickets.  
 (h) I will give him the message as soon as I receive it.  
 (i) When I was a child, I used to live in the village.  
 (j) I wish I could help them.
5. (a) do not take (b) realize (c) are ruining (d) fall (e) becomes (f) remain (g) can build (h) makes (i) improves (j) gives
6. (a) Is it known to you?  
 (b) A/The boy who is industrious will shine in life.  
 (c) A life without an assignment is not an actual life.  
**Or,** Isn't a life with an assignment an actual life?  
 (d) None can receive any reward without working hard.  
 (e) It is evident that very few virtues are as great as industry.
7. The teacher asked the boy if he (b) thought that honesty is the best policy. The boy respectfully replied that he thought so. The teacher then advised him (b) to learn to be honest from his boyhood. The boy respectfully/politely thanked him (t). Finally, the teacher prayed that Allah might grant him (b) a long life.
8. Human life on earth is very short. In this short span of life a man/ one should have a definite aim to attain success in life. In other words life is nothing but a journey. To reach the destination of the journey every person has some plans and programmes. It is his aim. An aim is the corner stone to be successful in human life. A life without an aim is like a ship without a rudder. An aim helps a man to gain his coveted objective. So, in order to be successful in life, one's aim should be fixed earlier.
9. (a) undeniable (b) very (c) great (d) in a body (e) eagerly (f) sweetest (g) divinely (h) her (i) then (j) glowing
10. (a) At that time/At the same time (b) So/ That is why (c) Then/Suddenly (d) At first (e) For this reason/Hence (f) Besides/ Again (g) Then (h) But (i) And/ Then (j) So/ After all
11. (a) neglected (b) hate/ anger/ animosity (c) revenge (d) feature (e) ignore (f) hold back/ prevent (g) indifference (h) inferior (i) friend (j) vengeance
12. Dhaka, the capital of our country, has been remarked as a mega city. Side by side, it has also been remarked as the most polluted city of the world. The population of Dhaka city is on ever increase. No one knows when it will stop, rather instead of decreasing the population of the city is increasing very rapidly day by day. The question arises who are responsible for this. The answer is not very far to seek but cannot be told because the destroyers should have been the protectors.
- Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-86

1. (a) × (b) The (c) a (d) the (e) a (f) the (g) the (h) × (i) the (j) a
2. (a) to (b) to (c) by (d) for (e) for (f) to (g) of (h) of (i) by (j) down
3. (a) What's ... like (b) had better (c) would rather (d) There (e) as if (f) as soon as (g) let alone (h) It (i) was born (j) What if
4. (a) That's why, they were loved and respected by all.  
 (b) I took five books that were distributed among them.  
 (c) When he came out, all praised him warmly.  
 (d) Though the pen writes well, I have to abandon it.  
 (e) The poem is too difficult for the students to understand.  
 (f) If I had a camera, I would take snaps of the spot.  
 (g) He came to my room while I was sleeping.  
 (h) Rina waited until she got the money.  
 (i) He went to London so that he could continue his study there.  
 (j) He confessed that he had made the mistake.
5. (a) teaching (b) makes (c) are (d) treats (e) praises (f) commits (g) realize (h) behaves (i) is interested (j) sets
6. (a) A lot of emphasis is put on the unity by the Chinese.  
 (b) The parks are not empty.  
 (c) There are lots of clean parks and these are in the cities.  
 (d) In the evening many families spend their free time watching television.  
 (e) Life becomes dull if it has no recreation.
7. He said that he could chop some wood that day. But I said that I had a boy coming from the orphanage. He said that he was the boy. But being surprised, I asked him if he was the boy and added that he was small. He replied that size didn't matter chopping wood.

8. Character is the most valuable thing in our life. It is called the crown of human being. There are some noble qualities that distinguish a good man from a bad man. A man who cherishes these qualities can be successful in his life. A man of character is respected everywhere. Many people do not know how much valuable character is. A man will be loser if he loses his character. A man without character is like a beast. He has no moral scruple and is capable of doing any evil thing. Nobody likes an unscrupulous person. Everybody likes a man who has good character. A man of character is like a beacon light and one of the moral forces of the world.
9. (a) important/ significant (b) bookish (c) to increase (d) daily (e) to know (f) Reading newspaper (g) many/ different/ various (h) correctly (i) right (j) certainly
10. (a) Wherever (b) which (c) that (d) Besides (e) So (f) As a result (g) Moreover (h) Though (i) however (j) Anyway
11. (a) boon/ blessing (b) reason/ source/ agent (c) wisdom (d) discourages/ blocks (e) advancement (f) prosper/ flourish (g) establish/ create/ fulfilled (h) tiny (i) definitely/ undeniably (j) small/ tiny
12. "Mina, have you done your English lesson today?" asked the teacher. "Yes, sir," she replied. "But I haven't understood one grammatical point." "Come to the office room. I'll help you," said the teacher. "Thank you, sir," she smilingly said.

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-87

1. (a) an (b) the (c) The (d) the (e) the (f) a (g) the (h) The (i) the/a (j) the
2. (a) on (b) from (c) as (d) in (e) of (f) for (g) of (h) on (i) on (j) for
3. (a) let alone (b) have to (c) What does.... look like (d) would rather (e) As soon as (f) was born (g) as if (h) had better (i) There (j) Would you mind
4. (a) Garment industry in Bangladesh is one of the major sources of foreign remittance.  
 (b) When the Prince heard the news, he attacked Taimur with his army.  
 (c) Unless he works hard, he cannot turn the wheels of his fortune.  
 (d) When a man works in a systematic way, he can attain success.  
 (e) It is a good sign that nowadays much importance is being given on female education.  
 (f) It is our sacred duty to save our motherland.  
 (g) Life should not be considered as a bed of roses.
- (h) When you are done with your work, you will go home.  
 (i) He ran away lest he might be arrested.  
 (j) Despite his honest work, he is not well paid.
5. (a) believed (b) was (c) had (d) lose (e) got (f) began (g) went (h) looking (i) found (j) paying
6. (a) Emperor Shah Jahan built the Taj three hundred years ago.  
 (b) He loved his wife very much and so he built it as a tomb of his dear wife.  
 (c) He made the building with fine white marbles.  
 (d) It looks very beautiful as it rests on a platform of red stone.  
 (e) Very few buildings in the world are so beautiful as the Taj Mahal.
7. The teacher asked the student if he (s) had heard the name of Aesop. The student respectfully replied in the negative that he (s) had not and asked the teacher who he (A) had been. Then the teacher advised the student to read the lesson attentively so that he could be able to know about him. The teacher also exclaimed that his fables were very interesting and instructive.
8. Nelson Mandela was the greatest leader of South Africa. In fact, he was one of the greatest leaders of the world. All his life he struggled against apartheid. The apartheid was government policy or racial segregation. The Europeans were separated from the non-Europeans. The blacks were treated cruelly. They were aliens in their own country.
9. (a) a (b) their (c) any (d) his (e) very (f) a (g) One (h) some (i) many (j) to make
10. (a) who (b) However (c) It is true (d) that (e) Firstly (f) Secondly (g) Thirdly (h) Besides (i) such as (j) above all
11. (a) bad (b) orator (c) articulation (d) possible (e) active (f) insincerity (g) gravity/ importance (h) impossible (i) purpose/ goal/ objective (j) prosper
12. Student : May I come in, Sir?  
 Principal : Yes, come in.  
 Student : Good morning, Sir.  
 Principal : Good morning. How can I help you?  
 Student : Sir, we would like to arrange a study tour.  
 Principal : It's a great idea! I'll appreciate it. Submit an application to me so that I can take step in favour of you.  
 Student : Ok, Sir. We will write an application on behalf of the students.  
 Principal : Ok, see you.  
 Student : Thank you very much, Sir.  
 Principal : You are most welcome!

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

**Solution to Model Question-88**

1. (a) the (b) The (c) The (d) × (e) a (f) the (g) a (h) the (i) × (j) the
2. (a) in (b) in (c) with (d) in (e) in (f) with (g) with (h) to (i) to (j) of
3. (a) have to (b) had better (c) as if (d) There (e) would rather (f) let alone (g) It (h) As soon as (i) was born (j) what does.... look like
4. (a) It is really a red letter day in our national history, because on this day our country became independent.  
 (b) A proverb goes that honesty is the best policy.  
 (c) Courtesy means showing politeness in one's attitude and behaviour towards others.  
 (d) As her economy depends on agriculture, we should give importance to its development.  
 (e) You cannot prosper in life unless you make the best use of time.  
 (f) Though it is a small country, it is rich in many natural resources.  
 (g) Since I am an early riser, I get enough time to complete my daily tasks.  
 (h) If you are confident, you will be successful.  
 (i) I studied hard lest I should fail in the examination.  
 (j) So the son takes up a part time job so that he can continue his study.
5. (a) used (b) have to (c) are required (d) drawn (e) implemented (f) will come (g) hope (h) educated (i) is being changed (j) are
6. (a) Who doesn't want friends?/ There is nobody but wants friends.  
 (b) As the heart is formed for love, it cannot be happy without the opportunity of giving and receiving love.  
 (c) But without loving them you cannot find others to love you.  
 (d) Can you be happy without it?  
 (e) Love is divine and so everybody wants to love.
7. The traveller asked the peasant if he (p) could tell him (t) the way to the nearest inn. The peasant replied that he (p) could and asked the traveller if he (t) wanted one in which he (t) could spend the night. The traveller replied that he (t) did not wish to stay there but he (t) only wanted a meal.
8. One must possess honesty and perseverance if one wants to be successful. Without honesty, he cannot expect trust and respect from others. Without perseverance he cannot maintain his success for a long time, because success needs continuous effort. Honesty and perseverance go hand in hand and they complement each other. Their combination always brings the best result.
9. (a) winter (b) all around (c) late (d) warm (e) to bask (f) biting (g) hardly (h) to keep (i) falling on the grass (j) to warm themselves
10. (a) as (b) However (c) that (d) whereas (e) In fact (f) If (g) and (h) who (i) as well as (j) That's why
11. (a) cheap (b) shine/spark (c) charm/fascinate (d) inward (e) admit/ accept/appreciate  
 (f) charm/attract (g) charmlessness (h) fade (i) inward/ inherent (j) immorality
12. "Good morning, where are you going?" said the merchant. "I was just coming to see you," said the youth. "What do you want?" "Please, help me to earn my bread by the labour of my hands." "Do you really want work?" said the merchant. "Yes, if you have any." "Then follow me and carry the box from the shop to my house." "By Allah, I'm really grateful to you," said the youth.  
*Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

**Solution to Model Question-89**

1. (a) An (b) an (c) the (d) an/the (e) a/the (f) The (g) × (h) the (i) the (j) the
2. (a) in (b) of (c) in (d) to (e) by (f) in (g) by (h) in (i) to (j) for
3. (a) was born (b) No sooner had (c) had better (d) used to (e) What's the matter (f) But for (g) What do you mean (h) as if (i) It (j) has to
4. (a) He practices geometry a lot so that he can get a good grade in Mathematics.  
 (b) It was five years since we had last met.  
 (c) Sanjida was writing quite well in the exam when suddenly she fell sick.  
 (d) I shall accompany you after I have finished my study.  
 (e) He came to you with a view to getting help from you.  
 (f) The box was too heavy for him to carry.  
 (g) If the bank gives them loan on easy term, they can change their lot.  
 (h) It is high time we produced more electricity.  
 (i) He joined me without any hesitation.  
 (j) Had he got the job, he would have relieved his family of poverty.
5. (a) are playing (b) confined (c) are working (d) receiving (e) becoming (f) has been (g) proved (h) contributing (i) will be (j) keeping
6. (a) Helal did not accept/ take/ receive the money.  
 (b) How charming the scenery of Cox's Bazar is!  
 (c) My present house for living is comfortable.  
 (d) Everybody admired his speech.  
 (e) Though it disturbed him, he did not know the reason.
7. Jerry said that the authoress looked a little bit like his mother especially in the dark by the fire. But the authoress said that he had been only four when he had gone there. Jerry said that his mother lived in Mannville.

8. The Taj Mahal is surrounded by a beautiful garden and there is a long pool that stretches out in front of the building. One/ People can see the beauty of the Taj Mahal in its reflection in the pool water. Visitors come to see this wonderful building at different times of the day since it assumes a different look at different times. Most people like it best on moonlit nights.
9. (a) deep (b) to see (c) stealing (d) silently (e) red-handed (f) generous (g) to know (h) for two days (i) Hearing this (j) free
10. (a) both (b) or/and (c) Besides/ Hence/ Moreover (d) in order to (e) along with (f) Then (g) If (h) only (i) and (j) surely/obviously
11. (a) always (b) stronger (c) encourage (d) despairing (e) attention (f) capability (g) desire/aspiration (h) worst (i) failure (j) attain
12. Arif : Hello! How are you, Zakia?  
Zakia : Fine. What about you?  
Arif : Well, I was a bit sick.  
Zakia : Really? What happened?  
Arif : Stomach upset. I had outside food.  
It troubled my stomach.  
Zakia : That's why, I always try to avoid outside food. They are unhygienic.  
Arif : I'm not going to have it anymore.  
Zakia : Anyway, you take care, bye.  
Arif : Bye.
- Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

### Solution to Model Question-90

1. (a) × (b) The (c) the (d) the (e) the (f) The (g) the (h) a (i) a (j) a
2. (a) from (b) of (c) from (d) in (e) from (f) for (g) from (h) of (i) of (j) for
3. (a) let alone (b) What's it like (c) It (d) would rather (e) had better (f) as if (g) has to (h) was born (i) There (j) As soon as
4. (a) Be punctual lest you should suffer in the long run.  
(b) Do you know when the next train will arrive here?  
(c) As soon as I saw him, he ran away.  
(d) Though he was late, teacher allowed him to go/ come in.  
(e) He must work if he wants to get rid of poverty.  
(f) I usually avoid driving in Dhaka city.  
(g) As it is a difficult task, the manager assigned Abdullah to complete it.  
(h) Whenever I go to visit the factory, I find him absent.  
(i) If you enjoyed the film, you would feel delighted.  
(j) We must work hard so that we can overcome the obstacles.
5. (a) enables (b) losing (c) does not persuade (d) accept (e) keeping (f) relishing (g) set (h) shaped (i) revere (j) cheered
6. (a) Is anger anything but a vice?  
(b) It begets nothing but the worst.

- (c) So it should be controlled for our sake by us.  
(d) Taken by anger he causes a lot of troubles.  
(e) We should realise it and try to be emotionally balanced.
7. The stranger asked the boy if he (b) would tell him the way to the nearest hotel. The boy replied in the affirmative that he (b) would and asked the stranger if he (s) wanted a residential one in which he (s) could spend the night. The stranger replied that he (s) did not want to stay there, but he (s) wanted a meal only. The boy told the stranger to follow him (b).
8. King Lear, a father of three daughters- Goneril, Regan and Cordelia, ruled his kingdom for many years and arrived almost at the end of his days. He was very much tired of ruling and decided to divide the kingdom among the three daughters. The decision would be materialized only after his daughters had expressed their love for him in words. Their expression made him both happy and angry- the sweet but false words of Goneril and Regan made him happy whereas the practical but genuine words from Cordelia made him angry. Therefore, the king divided his kingdom between the first two daughters giving Cordelia nothing which he thought a good decision, but by the later activities of the first two daughters proved that the decision was wrong.
9. (a) mostly/mainly (b) various (c) to reach (d) remarkably (e) to meet (f) easily (g) to shift/ to carry (h) greatly (i) increase (j) Travelling to foreign countries
10. (a) that (b) not only (c) but also (d) so that (e) as well as (f) which (g) If (h) such (i) as (j) And/ Undoubtedly
11. (a) permit/approve (b) independence (c) view/ notion (d) unfair (e) unequal (f) unification (g) choose/select (h) method/ process (i) cure/ care (j) advantage
12. Nazmul : Excuse me, where is the nearest hospital?  
Arafat : It's about 2 kilometers from here. You will have to hire a taxi. You can also go by bus.  
Nazmul : I see! Is there a bus station near here?  
Arafat : Yes, there is a bus stop at the corner.  
Nazmul : Thank you.  
Arafat : Don't mention it.
- Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*
- ### Solution to Model Question-91
1. (a) an (b) an (c) an (d) the (e) the (f) × (g) an (h) a (i) an (j) a
2. (a) in (b) with (c) on (d) of (e) in (f) with (g) of (h) of (i) in (j) for
3. (a) as soon as (b) in order to (c) Whenever (d) let alone (e) There (f) had better (g) would rather (h) was born (i) as if (j) has to

4. (a) If you work hard, you will succeed in every sphere of your life.  
 (b) It is high time we checked corruption in our national life.  
 (c) He is studying hard lest he should miss GPA-5.  
 (d) There are a good number of reasons why students fail in English in this country.  
 (e) I wish I could fly like birds.  
 (f) No sooner had we reached there than the programme started.  
 (g) It is not good to keep bad company.  
 (h) He behaves as if he were a qualified doctor.  
 (i) You had better put on warm clothes.  
 (j) Would that I could go back to my childhood days.
5. (a) are (b) were (c) took (d) came (e) involved (f) was killed (g) did not flee (h) showing (i) contributed (j) achieve
6. (a) What an exciting game cricket is!  
 (b) This game is enjoyed by people of all ages.  
 (c) At present cricket is more popular than any other game in our country.  
 (d) In spite of being a costly game, people of all classes enjoy playing cricket.  
 (e) Though Bangladesh is a test playing country, its standard is not high.
7. The teacher asked the student why he (s) did not attend classes regularly and said that he (s) could not expect good results unless he (s) attended classes as he (t) told him. The student respectfully said that he (s) was sorry, because he (s) had offended him (t). He (s) added that he (s) would try his best to become regular from then.
8. In a small village a little boy lived with his father and mother. The boy was the only son for his parents/them. The parents of the little boy were very depressed due to his bad temper. The boy used to get angry very soon and taunt others with his bad words. He scolded kids, neighbours and even his friends due to his anger. He invited all worries for his parents through it. As a result his friends and neighbours avoided him.
9. (a) poisonous (b) very (c) This (d) many (e) rural/village (f) suffering from arsenicosis (g) Attacked with arsenicosis (h) mainly (i) to identify the materials (j) colouring
10. (a) But (b) Firstly (c) So/ As such (d) Moreover (e) Besides (f) Secondly (g) Thirdly (h) Hence (i) However (j) Otherwise
11. (a) comprise (b) broad/wide (c) exclude (d) amphibious (e) flourishing (f) narrow (g) territory/abode (h) invisible (i) uncertain/indefinite (j) engaged
12. Husband : Can't you cook food properly?  
 Wife : I cook food properly. The problem is with you.  
 Husband : Really! These foods are crap. They taste pathetic.

Wife : I spend time in the kitchen from morning till afternoon, I work hard, I take care of two children at home. What do you do?

Husband : I work hard and earn money that you spend lavishly.

Wife : How dare you say that?

Husband : Well, that is the truth!

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-92

1. (a) a (b) a (c) A (d) the (e) the (f) the/ a (g) the (h) × (i) the (j) ×
2. (a) in (b) from (c) of (d) for (e) after (f) by (g) with (h) into (i) for (j) on
3. (a) The older ..... the more (b) There (c) Neither will (d) as fast as (e) let alone (f) Would you mind (g) It (h) had better (i) unless (j) as if
4. (a) If you take regular physical exercise, you will lead a healthy and happy life.  
 (b) They came to you with a view to helping you, but you scolded them without any reason.  
 (c) Please wait here until I return.  
 (d) If I had been hungry, I would have bought some food.  
 (e) So, we should plant more trees.  
 (f) There goes a proverb that time and tide waits for none.  
 (g) Since the water of this bottle is not pure, we should not drink it.  
 (h) Yesterday when we went to their house, we found them quarrelling.  
 (i) It is high time the government took proper steps to control it.  
 (j) They did it so that they could free their motherland.
5. (a) is (b) came (c) did not come (d) became (e) was (f) beginning (g) tried (h) established (i) were (j) take
6. (a) Pohela Baishakh is a festival which is undoubtedly the most celebrated one in Bangladesh.  
 (b) The city roads get so jam packed on the first day of the Bengali year.  
 (c) The day is enjoyed by almost everyone in his own way.  
 (d) I do not like gathering but I enjoy the activities of this day.  
 (e) Very few days of the year are so interesting as it.
7. Sindrella asked me if I had finished reading the book she had given me the previous day. I replied in the affirmative that I had. I exclaimed that it was a very interesting book. Again I wished that I could borrow the book earlier. She asked me if I would return the book to her that day.
8. Sense of humour is a very good quality of a successful teacher. It works as wonder in teaching. Any boring class can be turned

into an interesting one by creating humour. Mr. Ahmed can make his students laugh in the class in different ways. It increases respect of students towards him. His presentation skill is different from others. His body language is his main aid and he keeps it positive at all time. Sense of humour is certainly a very fascinating quality. I am sure it will greatly help Mr. Ahmed become a successful teacher.

9. (a) the king of Scotland (b) his (c) to regain his kingdom (d) climbing to the ceiling (e) the (f) several (g) hard (h) to see (i) well (j) this
10. (a) much/largely (b) If (c) only (d) By (e) When (f) properly (g) Along with (h) that (i) and (j) that/which
11. (a) foe/ enemy/ rival (b) discard (c) compassion/ pity (d) justify/ vindicate (e) true (f) benefit (g) cry (h) glee/ delight (i) fetch/ take (j) concept/ opinion
12. A : What's solar energy?  
B : It's one of the renewable energy sources.  
A : Why is it called green energy?  
B : Well, it's green energy because it helps us keep the earth green. I mean it doesn't emit any pollutant in the atmosphere when we produce and use it.  
A : I see, then it must be a clean source of energy.  
B : Exactly! And that's why, it's also called clean energy.

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-93

1. (a) The (b) a (c) × (d) a (e) × (f) the (g) an (h) an (i) the (j) a
2. (a) in (b) to (c) for (d) of (e) to (f) in (g) away (h) to (i) from (j) of/about
3. (a) let alone (b) It (c) as if (d) would rather (e) as soon as (f) There (g) If (h) had better (i) What's..... like (j) have to
4. (a) If you don't work hard in your student life, you will find it difficult to get a good job.  
(b) They supply oxygen without which we cannot survive a single minute.  
(c) I have to study attentively so that I can do well in the examination.  
(d) Would you mind giving me your phone so that I can talk to my mother?  
(e) No sooner had I heard the news than I rushed to the hospital to see him.  
(f) There is hardly anyone who hates flower.  
(g) Walk fast lest you should miss the bus.  
(h) She wants to be a physician.  
(i) They should know that time once gone never comes back.  
(j) He came to my room while I was sleeping.
5. (a) prepares (b) sits (c) maintains (d) avoids (e) takes (f) remains (g) takes (h) does not keep (i) gets (j) says

6. (a) Jim and Della sacrificed their dearest possessions and wanted to buy Christmas presents for each other.  
(b) Della had an ardent desire that she should give her husband a worthy gift.  
(c) Jim also thought of giving his wife a nice gift.  
(d) A scanty amount of money was saved by Della for this.  
(e) Very few husbands were as sincere as Jim that we have ever known.
7. Zayed asked Robi what his (R) dream was and if he (R) had any dream. Robi replied that he (R) had a dream and added that his dream was a full plate of rice. Holding his (R) hand, Zayed told him (R) to go with him and added that he (Z) was going to materialize his (R) dream.
8. Life is full of struggles. These struggles are quite normal in anyone's life as life is not a bed of roses. Certainly, life has ups and downs. A man has to face innumerable barriers in his life. Sometimes he can overcome those but sometimes he fails to combat them. He may be born with silver spoon without any trouble. But even then he has to overcome a lot of problems/troubles to be successful in life. In other words, life is full of challenges. If a man cannot fight against them successfully, his life becomes full of sorrows. Though the scholars differ in giving the definition of life, they are unanimous that obstacles are the ways of life. In fact, a man has to undergo many problems in his life.
9. (a) very (b) to entertain to feed/ serve (c) integral (d) great (e) gradually/ rapidly (f) very/ much (g) to talk (h) to ask (i) no (j) genuine
10. (a) and/as well as (b) However (c) Actually (d) who (e) even/always (f) Besides (g) that (h) Of course/But (i) However (j) or
11. (a) avoided/ignored/rejected (b) insincerity (c) accountability (d) simplicity (e) love/affection (f) virtue (g) effect/influence/impression (h) result/consequence/effect (i) significance (j) consciousness
12. Myself : Good morning, Rana. How are you?  
Rana : I am so so, and you?  
Myself : I am well. But why aren't you completely well?  
Rana : In every examination, I'm cutting a sorry figure.  
Myself : What's the reason? Don't you utilize your time properly?  
Rana : I spend most of the time in watching TV.  
Myself : Recreation is necessary. But spending too much time on this has no good side.  
Rana : I don't feel bored in watching TV.

Myself : But as a student, you should study more and more.

Rana : Thank you for your good advice.

Myself : Welcome.

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-94

- (a) a (b) a (c) an (d) the (e) the (f) the (g) a (h) the (i) × (j) ×
- (a) for (b) with (c) to (d) of (e) for (f) from (g) on (h) by (i) to (j) away
- (a) Would you mind (b) had better (c) let alone (d) There (e) It (f) was born (g) What does... look like (h) as if (i) as soon as (j) would rather
- (a) If you maintain honesty, you will be successful.  
(b) It is high time we practised patriotism.  
(c) I wish I could learn English well.  
(d) If I had much money, I would set up a school for the old.  
(e) There goes a proverb that a friend in need is a friend indeed.  
(f) Hardly had he seen his friend when he rushed to greet him.  
(g) It is a long time since we met each other.  
(h) All of us have to work hard with a view to developing our motherland.  
(i) I was too young to say 'no' to a woman.  
(j) He has to study regularly lest he should fail in the exam.
- (a) compared (b) considered (c) make (d) rise (e) has become/ becomes (f) provides (g) required (h) will be (i) achieve (j) will remain
- (a) Aren't most of the people of our country living in the rural areas?  
(b) It is they who are peace loving.  
(c) Nobody is as patriotic and industrious as they.  
(d) Their motherland is loved profoundly by them.  
(e) In spite of their insolvency they do not adopt any unfair means to become rich overnight.
- The teacher said to the student, "Where are you from?" The student replied, "I am from Japan." The teacher again said, "How did you find Cambridge when you arrived first?" He replied, "I like it here. The city is beautiful." Then the teacher said, "You are welcome here."
- On a summer day, becoming very thirsty, a lion and a bear came at the same moment to a small well to drink. They fiercely quarrelled which of them should drink first, and were soon engaged in a mortal fighting. On their stopping on a sudden to take breath for renewal of the fighting, they saw some vultures waiting in the distance to feast on the one which would fall first. They at once stopped the quarrel, saying : "It is better for us to make friendship than to become the food of crows or vultures, as will certainly happen if we are disabled."

- (a) American (b) the largest ship (c) quite (d) maiden/first (e) huge (f) to sink (g) hearing (h) enough (i) horrible (j) to say good bye to their husbands
- (a) as (b) However/ But (c) Because (d) Besides (e) For example (f) For example (g) In fact/ Actually (h) (i) Eventually/ As a result (j) So/ Therefore
- (a) alluvial/ productive/ arable (b) idle/lazy (c) relentlessly (d) idle/indolent (e) hate (f) stout (g) still (h) regard/ revere/ honour (i) ungrateful (j) dedication
- Entering the study room, my elder brother looked around and burst out in disgust, "How dirty you have made the room! Why do you use it if you can't keep it tidy?" I said, "I am extremely sorry. I have been a nuisance. In future you'll never see the room in such a bad condition, I promise."  
**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-95

- (a) the (b) A (c) the (d) a (e) the (f) a (g) the (h) × (i) the (j) ×
- (a) in (b) On (c) about (d) for (e) of (f) in (g) of (h) as (i) till (j) like
- (a) was born (b) there (c) What's it like (d) would rather (e) has to/ had to (f) let alone (g) as soon as (h) as if (i) What if (j) what does ..... look like
- (a) We should keep the environment free from pollution so that we may lead a healthy life.  
(b) Without following the rules of hygiene, we cannot get a sound health.  
(c) He had practised a lot before he took part in the competition.  
(d) To tell the truth misfortune never comes alone.  
(e) If she had studied more seriously, she would have got GPA 5 in the exam.  
(f) The boy was playing when his father returned home.  
(g) If I felt better, I would continue my classes.  
(h) We cannot prosper in life unless we make the proper use of time.  
(i) Last year he ran so fast that other competitors were left behind.  
(j) If we take a balanced diet, it will keep us fit.
- (a) is (b) makes (c) does (d) can prosper (e) drags/ must drag (f) be moulded (g) lose (h) will repent (i) is called (j) will not get
- (a) Long long ago there was a very wise king.  
(b) He was called wise Solomon (by people).  
(c) Actually at that time he was wiser than all/ all people/ all kings/ all men.  
(d) There was another ruler who was named Queen of Sheba  
(e) One day she thought that Solomon's wisdom should be tested.

7. The Caliph asked the woman why she had not fed the children yet and added that it was almost midnight. The woman replied that they had been waiting there for relief for three days but could not meet the Caliph. The Caliph in the guise of a traveler expressed his sorrow and asked what he would answer in the hereafter.
8. A cook once roasted a duck for his master. The roast looked so delicious that the cook could not resist the temptation and ate up one of the drumsticks. When the master sat down to eat the meal, he quickly noticed the missing leg. He asked the cook what had happened to the other leg. The cook told him that the duck had one leg only. The master said that there was no such thing as a one-legged duck but the cook insisted that every duck had only one leg.
9. (a) early (b) bare footed (c) black (d) singing (e) their (f) religious (g) departed (h) cultural (i) different/various (j) this
10. (a) But (b) if (c) So (d) As a result (e) In fact (f) which (g) than (h) However (i) When (j) In order to
11. (a) independence/freedom (b) humane (c) butchery/killing (d) inhuman (e) unsettled (f) named (g) encircled (h) finished (i) murdered (j) smallest
12. Son : Did you keep a diary during the Liberation War?  
 Father : Yes, I did.  
 Son : Can I have a look at it?  
 Father : I'm afraid. I've lost it.  
 Son : Can you remember anything about it?  
 Father : Yes, I remember one event. There were lots of sounds and bangs outside one night. You wanted to look out but we didn't let you.  
 Son : Why?  
 Father : Because it was very dangerous. You were only four years old then.  
 Son : I can't remember anything.  
 Father : It's natural. No one can remember all from early childhood.
- Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

### Solution to Model Question-96

1. (a) an (b) an (c) the (d) the (e) a (f) the (g) a (h) the (i) A (j) ×
2. (a) for (b) of (c) to (d) of (e) of (f) about (g) to (h) of (i) in (j) about
3. (a) Would you mind (b) in case (c) have to (d) as though (e) as long as (f) It is high time (g) lest (h) used to (i) unless (j) No sooner had
4. (a) He studies medicine so that he may be a doctor.  
 (b) It was five years since we had met last.  
 (c) He came to me with a view to drinking a glass of water.  
 (d) The box was too heavy for me to lift.

- (e) Had you requested me, I would have bought a shirt for you.  
 (f) I will go to bed after I have finished my study.  
 (g) If the bank gives them loan on easy terms, they will surely utilize it properly.  
 (h) United we stand, divided we fall.  
 (i) We saw a snake while we were walking.  
 (j) A graveyard is a place where dead bodies are buried.
5. (a) played (b) rated (c) consists (d) have (e) is played (f) belong (g) are (h) called (i) has (j) scores
6. (a) We are to ensure some essential agricultural inputs to increase our food production.  
 (b) The poor farmers do not get loans on easy terms.  
 (c) It is a great pity.  
 (d) The farmers do not get the facilities that/ which are necessary for food production.  
 (e) They do not get the due price of their products and it is unfortunate.
7. Napoleon asked the English boy why he (b) was making such a small boat. The boy replied that he (b) had not seen his (b) mother for a long time and added that he (b) would go to his (b) country by that boat to see her. Napoleon asked the boy where she lived. The boy replied that she lived in the country on the other side of the sea. Then he (b) requested him (N) that he (b) might be allowed to go there.
8. Books are the medium through which human beings talk with enlightened minds, the great men of the world. Books are our best friends. They introduce us to the life and the world. Books are the mirrors of past, present and even future. The books are having an active voice. We know about the thoughts and deeds of our ancestors through them/ the books. Books make the noble men alive in the world forever.
9. (a) tropical (b) As a result (c) fearlessly (d) very often (e) almost (f) dangerous/common (g) heavily (h) great (i) have to (j) heavy
10. (a) First of all/Firstly (b) Secondly (c) Besides (d) Moreover (e) On the contrary (f) Again (g) In fact (h) But (i) As a result (j) So/Finally
11. (a) human beings/public (b) liberal (c) lately (d) trust (e) planet/globe (f) none/nothing (g) richness (h) agony/hardship (i) conquer/overpower (j) different
12. "How is your father, Rana?" said Mr Karim. "He is very well, thank you," replied Rana. "I am glad to hear that he is in good health," said Mr Karim.
- Note : For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.*

### Solution to Model Question-97

1. (a) × (b) a (c) × (d) the (e) × (f) the (g) A (h) the (i) × (j) the
2. (a) in (b) in (c) to (d) to (e) for (f) for (g) with (h) to (i) above (j) of

3. (a) there (b) let alone (c) as if (d) What's it like (e) What does ... look like (f) had better (g) as soon as (h) would rather (i) was born (j) have to
4. (a) I feel sleepy while watching TV.  
 (b) You cannot handle such a problem if you don't have prior experience in teaching.  
 (c) If the driver had been more careful, he could have escaped the fatal accident.  
 (d) But it was so hot that we had to postpone the journey.  
 (e) It is a public place where people meet one another.  
 (f) Are you strong enough to carry it?  
 (g) We must not encourage begging.  
 (h) Whenever he speaks in English, he tries to make less mistakes.  
 (i) It will take you five minutes to reach there.  
 (j) One should bear in mind that forming bad habit is easy to do but giving it up is very difficult.
5. (a) are (b) offers (c) happening (d) is known (e) is reflected (f) reflect (g) are made (h) being published (i) informs (j) helps
6. (a) They had a patriotic zeal and fought for the country.  
 Or, They were patriots and (so they) fought for the country.  
 (b) No other sons of our nation are as courageous as they.  
 (c) They are admired and respected greatly by everybody.  
 Or, They are greatly admired and respected by everybody.  
 (d) Does anybody deny their contribution to their motherland?  
 Or, Who denies their contribution to their motherland?  
 (e) They will always/ ever be remembered by their countrymen to the end.
7. The two rats shouted at the monkey and told him (m) to stop. They said that he (m) was eating all their bread. The monkey said in reply that he (m) was doing his best but he had told them (rats) that it was difficult. The rats told him (m) to give that little piece. The monkey said that it was his piece. He (m) asked them if he had not laboured a lot for them. The rats exclaimed with grief that they were extremely foolish to believe him (m).
8. A richman went to a farmer with one thousand taka in a bag. The rich man said to the farmer, "Look, my friend, I have brought one thousand taka for you. Keep this money and remove your distress." The farmer was surprised. He took the bag from the rich man and thanked him. The farmer said to himself, "One thousand taka is a lot of money." He could not think where to keep the money. He did not find any safe place. He dug a hole in his hut and kept the money there.

9. (a) the great (b) known as the 'twelve labours of Hercules' (c) ferocious (d) to kill the lion (e) his/ its (f) these (g) new (h) Coming out (i) dead (j) The
10. (a) and/as well as (b) where (c) however (d) but (e) or (f) Generally (g) Sometimes (h) Besides (i) however (j) as well as/ and
11. (a) failure (b) task/ work/ profession (c) ordinary/ common (d) as (e) realise/ perceive/ learn (f) precede/ avoid/ neglect/ desert (g) principle/ guideline (h) ever/ always (i) triumph (j) undesirable
12. Tourist : How old is the edifice, guide?  
 Guide : Madame, it's a 15th century edifice.  
 Tourist : What a wonderful edifice it is!  
 Guide : It was built by Akbar, the then emperor of India.  
 Tourist : Oh, I see!  
 Guide : Madame, we should move now. The sun is about to set. It would be dark soon.  
 Tourist : Isn't the place safe?  
 Guide : It is. But the security does not allow anybody after sunset.

**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-98

1. (a) the (b) an (c) A (d) the (e) the (f) an/ the (g) a (h) × (i) a (j) ×
2. (a) to (b) of (c) of (d) about (e) in (f) in (g) on (h) for (i) to (j) from
3. (a) had better (b) It (c) have to (d) there (e) What ..... look like (f) As soon as (g) would rather (h) was born (i) let alone (j) as if
4. (a) Rifat does not like rich food.  
 (b) He hopes to obtain A+ in the coming examination.  
 (c) Smoking is not good.  
 (d) Working overtime gives no pleasure.  
 (e) There is nobody who is always happy.  
 (f) Birds coming from the other countries in winter are called migratory birds.  
 (g) People are careful of using their resources in Dhaka city.  
 (h) No man can do a single day without the help of others.  
 (i) His father wanted him to be a doctor.  
 (j) A large number of youths in Bangladesh are unemployed.
5. (a) moving (b) does not take (c) gone (d) recovered (e) is (f) utilize (g) does not do (h) make (i) rise (j) overcoming
6. (a) Water which is an important vital element of environment is polluted in various ways.  
 (b) Pure water is necessary for us.  
 (c) Men throw waste in water and pollute it.  
 (d) Water is largely used by the farmers in time of cultivation.  
 (e) Very few elements of all living beings are so important as it.

7. Hasan asked Shahadat if he (S) had ever been to Cox's Bazar. Shahadat replied in the negative that he (H) had never gone there. Then he added that he longed for visiting the place. Hasan said that he had had an opportunity to visit the sea beach the previous year. He exclaimed that the scenery was very charming.
8. Sunlight is the source of all energy of the earth. All the living beings are dependent upon sunlight. Green plants are the producer of the ecosystem. All plants and animals of the environment/ecosystem are interconnected serially. Consequently, there develops a food chain among these plants and animals. The transfer of food energy takes place from producers through a series of food levels. The process is called food chain of food in the ecosystem. There are numerous food chains in an ecosystem. Food chain does not work in isolation. The food chains are linked together to form a food web.
9. (a) bravely/with courage (b) talking (c) to know (d) very (e) to be/to become (f) cunning/greedy/mischievous (g) to persuade/ entice/tempt (h) the king (i) to kill (j) Intoxicating the guard
10. (a) In fact (b) which/ that (c) Besides (d) and (e) For example (f) But/At the same time (g) Firstly (h) that (i) Secondly (j) In spite of that/ Despite that
11. (a) clean/easy/simple (b) amazing (c) colonialism (d) good (e) later (f) left (g) worse (h) practically (i) privately/quietly (j) autocrat
12. Aryan : Do you read newspaper regularly, Farhan?  
Farhan : Yes, I do. What's about you?  
Aryan : To tell you frankly, I do not read newspaper regularly.  
Farhan : Why? You get enough time during the break in the college.  
Aryan : Yes, I do get but I do not like. Moreover, I think it is a wastage of time.  
Farhan : Remember, newspaper is called the 'storehouse of knowledge'. The more you will read newspaper, the more you will learn.  
Aryan : Then, from today, I will start reading newspaper.  
Farhan : Yes, that's like a good friend.  
**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.
4. (a) 21<sup>st</sup> February is a red letter day in our life because our brave sons laid down their lives on this day for our mother tongue.  
(b) They were so lazy that they did not do any work.  
(c) Do you know where he lives?  
(d) It is high time you gave up smoking.  
(e) If you want to go abroad for higher studies, you will have to learn English.  
(f) It flies from flower to flower to collect honey.  
(g) It is many years since I met him last.  
(h) The sooner we get up, the better we shall have opportunity to start our works.  
(i) Unless we are united, we will fall.  
(j) We all should come forward with a view to solving these problems.
5. (a) eating (b) should not eat/do not eat (c) eat (d) can preserve (e) to take (f) happens (g) living (h) do not eat/cannot eat (i) do not know (j) are
6. (a) Bangladesh achieved independence in 1971.  
(b) It is more significant than any other event in the history of Bangladesh.  
(c) Our freedom fighters sacrificed their lives so that they could bring independence of Bangladesh.  
Or, It is the independence of Bangladesh for which our freedom fighters sacrificed their lives.  
(d) What a struggle it was for them!  
(e) We are proud of them and will always remember them.
7. Addressing the king politely she requested him not to kill her. She said that she had not known that he had been the king. Then she expressed her sorrow. The king told her not to be sad. He again said that she was a good woman and that he would not kill her.
8. Education is the birthright of every man. But even then many people in our country are deprived of education for many reasons. They are unconscious and unskilled for want of education. For want of education, they are unable not only to develop their own fate or their family but also unable to play any role for the development of society or the state. If the people are not properly educated, any development is not possible. So, the more we can educate our people, the more the country will be developed. With a view to developing human resource, the government has given many incentives in the field of expanding the primary and the secondary education. We must ensure these incentives for every child of the country.
9. (a) future (b) fully/mainly/completely (c) career (d) for the challenges (e) valuable (f) very often (g) to their studies (h) to succeed (i) good (j) to succeed

### Solution to Model Question-99

1. (a) the (b) the (c) a (d) the (e) the (f) A (g) a (h) A (i) the (j) the
2. (a) with (b) in (c) for (d) to (e) of (f) of (g) on (h) at (i) into (j) from
3. (a) No sooner had (b) was born (c) as if (d) What if (e) would rather (f) lest (g) let alone (h) what does...look like (i) there (j) have to

10. (a) that (b) because (c) as (d) who (e) when/ while (f) and (g) that (h) ultimately/ eventually (i) even/ and/ eventually (j) Unless
11. (a) surely/certainly (b) honour/dignity/ status (c) domestic (d) public/multiple/ ordinary/common/normal (e) foreign (f) diversity (g) disappear (h) powerlessness (i) significant (j) unintelligibility
12. "I'm not in the least hungry", my guest sighed, "but if you insist I don't mind having some asparagus."  
I ordered them.  
"Aren't you going to have any?"  
"No, I never eat asparagus."  
"I know there are people who don't like them. The fact is, you ruin your palate by all the meat you eat."  
"Coffee?" I said.  
"Yes, just an ice cream and coffee," she answered.  
**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.

### Solution to Model Question-100

1. (a) a (b) a (c) × (d) A (e) a (f) × (g) the (h) the (i) an (j) the
2. (a) to (b) in (c) without (d) for (e) to (f) after (g) of (h) On (i) behind (j) out
3. (a) have to (b) would rather (c) What if (d) What's it like (e) As soon as (f) It (g) let alone (h) was born (i) had better (j) What does ..... look like
4. (a) So we should plant more trees.  
(b) Without knowing English, you cannot get a good job.  
(c) It is high time to raise our voice against corruption.  
(d) I wish I were a child again.  
(e) But it has many disadvantages.  
(f) So, he should find out another source of income.  
(g) He confessed that he had committed the fault.  
(h) It was too difficult to memorise.  
(i) Since there was no more question to discuss, the Chairman ended the meeting.  
(j) It is a good sign that nowadays girls are getting educated.
5. (a) saying (b) gives (c) should be (d) will have to have (e) will disrespect (f) can win (g) being (h) should ensure (i) embracing (j) removes
6. (a) A frugal man doesn't like to spend money without reasons.  
(b) The target of a man who is frugal is to save money for future.  
Or, A frugal man has a target so that he can/may save money for future.  
Or, A man who is frugal has a target to save money for future.  
Or, A frugal man has a target that he should/will save money for future.

- (c) Frugality should be practiced to make a well-planned family by everyone.  
(d) A frugal man does not live an insolvent/ poor/ needy life.  
(e) A prodigal man is not as/so happy as a frugal man.
7. "Follow my example", she said to me as we shook hands, "and never eat more than one thing for luncheon." I said, "I will do better thing than this. I shall eat nothing for dinner tonight." "Humorist!" she cried out jumping into the cab.
8. Travelling is a part of education. It means going from place to place. One can enhance knowledge by going from place to place. It/ Travelling gives one the opportunity to see the unseen and to know the unknown. Some people are averse to travelling. This aversion limits their vision. However, by travelling different parts of the world, one's knowledge may be enriched.
9. (a) bravely (b) most crying (c) peacefully (d) hostile (e) rudely (f) Finding (g) to extend their hands to (h) allied (i) independently (j) highly
10. (a) Usually (b) But (c) Often (d) Then (e) At that time (f) In fact (g) So (h) On the other hand/ On the contrary (i) Even/ Sometimes/ In fact (j) Moreover/ Besides
11. (a) unpopular/ strange/ disliked/ unknown/ unfamiliar/ neglected (b) pattern/ kind/ type (c) recreation/ enjoyment/ pastime/ amusement (d) arrange/ constitute/ form/ manage (e) donate/ help/ assist/ patronize/ boost up/ (f) national/ native/ indigenous/ local/ domestic (g) receive/ accept/ loan/ borrow/ take (h) observe/ notice/ view/ enjoy/ see/ behold (i) minimum/ little/ lowest/ least (j) negligence/ denial/refusal
12. Abid : We are about to finish our HSC examination. Are you thinking about your future?  
Hasib : Yes, what about you?  
Abid : I want to pursue higher education. What are your plans?  
Hasib : I rather follow some vocation course to make my career.  
Abid : Really? Have you thought of any particular vocation?  
Hasib : Yes, I would like to join the Fashion Design course. This career has a prospect these days.  
Abid : Is it suitable for boys?  
Hasib : Why not? Boys are as good as girls in many professions now-a-days. What's your future plan?  
Abid : I would like to go for teaching.  
Hasib : It's a good profession for a studious boy like you.  
**Note :** For solution to question no. 13-16 see composition part.