

Test - 3

Section - A

- ① we are what we are because we have been what we have been
- ② Night through dreams tell the myth forgotten by the day
- ③ The fool is precursor to the saviour
- ④ Our virtues and our failings are inseparable, like force and matter. Start writing from the below line.

④) Our virtues and our failings are inseparable, like force and matter

On the last day of gurukul education, Guru asked his shishya "Do you think that what you have learned in last few years makes you perfect person without any flaw and you will succeed all through your life?"

Shishya instantly replied "yes,"

Unique
hook

gurudev, I have complete trust
in your teachings and my ability
to perfectly implement them".

well
written

Guru replied with a smile "Wrong,
your ~~last~~ leasson before you
leave is →

Human is combination both
good and bad elements. You
can not be perfect in all
situations and no knowledge is
perfect. Only perfection is ones
strive to inculcate virtues and
reduce the flaws." and same has been

good
core

analysed in the following essay

Like every matter in
nature is subject to any of
fundamental forces all the time,
all human are not perfect rather
combination of perfections and
imperfections.

apt
context
and
transition

The imperfections do not
make one completely bad
~~person~~ or perfection do not make

one completely good person. It is also important to accept the combination as whole system, with inseparable parts.

Even lord Rama is considered combination of two. He is called dharmatara because of his virtuous character of obedience to father, compassion to others, bravery, holding promises to name a few.

However, He is criticised to leave Sita in forest after some questioned her character. He prioritised his Raj dharma over personal duty. When Ram is preyed, he is prey for his good deeds also accepting the few flaws he might have.

Choose a better substantiation

Make use of space effectively

This analogy also needs understanding of how much portion of individual account

to virtues and flaws. If a person has more virtue than flaw, he is considered virtuous. ~~and with more flaw less virtuous.~~

^{to} The goal of human life is ^{apt} realise ones flaws and act upon it by acquiring new knowledge and understanding. This allow one to reduce the failings but not make the perfect individual.

Aristotle while talking about virtues and values also relied on striving to knowledge to lead a better life which might not be perfect but with ~~lesser~~ flaws.

Here, ~~Accepting~~ failings also help to realise one's aspirations and goals. Hellen Keller, ~~a~~ deaf and blind author

in early years of her education,
was frustrated due to her
disability. However, once she
overcame her fear of disability
as hindrance, she became world
~~renowned~~ author and disabled-
rights activist.

well
written!
But
cliches
example

In continuation of this
idea of virtues and failings,
both are function of time
and space. The definition and
~~distinction~~ between two vary
in time-space continuum.

For instance, during ancient
and medieval era across the
world capital punishment was
considered complete justice. But
now it has different connotation
~~varying~~ between nations and
even groups within.

Very
nice
analogy

However, certain values
are necessary to be same across

societies and people to provide basic human rights to all. One can not justify poor condition of women in Taliban^{rule} as mere ~~flow~~ of whole system and accept it is an universal truth.

apx

The next challenge comes is to if a flaw can be corrected at individual or societal level or even at global level. Can justice system be based on such corrective lines.

dimension
over
elaborated!

In contemporary society, in most democratic states, we focus on reforming individuals be it is through voluntary moral persuasion by education or awareness or through reformist ~~criminal~~ justice delivery system.

Link to
the
topic!

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For instance, in India the focus of judges while providing judgement is to reform

the person and not punish. It provide option of parole and ~~jurlough~~ taking into account the virtues of even murder convicts.

The acknowledgement of virtues of criminal highlight the inseparable components of human including bad and good traits.

The debate follow us to next question, whether we can remove all our flaws and become perfectionist in the end? Can we separate the virtues and failures?

Lord buddha is after called to be in this segment where he is considered to have removed his flaws, controlling his desires and the subsequent dukka.

But, as Buddha himself did not answer few questions

veiled related to belief in soul
Critique and god with clarity, we
can find the flaw in him too.
This makes realise, the
inseparability between two even
for greatest like Buddha.

Does above inference
mean we should not work
towards perfection or live in
either of extremes?

Buddha himself gave
answer to this question, via
madhyam marga, is to
opt balance between two poles.
The journey from flaw to
virtue is what will lead
to ultimate goal of human
life.

The inseparability of
good and bad also teach
us self-contentment in
life. and the want of extreme

Lack
clarity!

is utopian.

Failures teaches you to be humble and grow. An interesting fact about Roger ~~Federer~~, the great tennis player who won more than 80% of his matches, won only 50% of game points in his career.

link
to
virtues
+
failings

He himself call this as fact to his journey that he had no perfect game, he can't separate win and loss, what matters more is to learn from flaw and grow.

No human is perfect and is always surrounded by the combination of good or bad binary opposites. They are part of human brain so much that many scholars like Levi Strauss go on to call it the universal human mental structure.

Expression
is
not
clear

In contemporary society of competition and urge to always win, we often fail to realise the significance of loss. A person without any is dead who have not learnt any knowledge or experience.

The life is about ~~win~~ victory and failure, virtues and flaws both separable from human experience. The need is to accept both, learn from both and keep on moving towards the virtuous one.

Poor Conclusion!

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- ⑤ The individual is ephemeral, races and nations comes and pass away, but man remains

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Section - B

- ⑥ Every living being is an engine geared to the wheelwork of universe
- ⑦ when an inner situation is not made conscious it appears outside as fate
- ⑧ science is but a perversion of itself unless it has as its ultimate goal the betterment of humanity.

Start writing from the below line:

Q. 6 Every living being is an engine geared to the wheelwork of universe

Every episode of 'Mahabharata' serial presented by Ramanda Sagar started with wheel of universe

talking about events unfolded during the mahabharata puranic era where different actors Arjun, son of India, Bheem, son of Kuruksha, worked together to establish order in universe.

unique hook The actors representing different animate and inanimate objects indicate the role of different actors that are living beings in entire system as diff smooth functioning of system.

well written These ^{living} components together act as interconnected and interdependent continuum containing the cycle of universe. Any gear attached to its wheel, if do not function properly may harm entire system. But

good core argument However, it is equally important to understand the significance of non-living elements also contributing as frame to cycle of universe.

apt context Different living beings includes smallest of microbes to largest of living being including extinct dinosaurs, all have

~~had~~ a function in the universe is today.

The smallest living beings like parasites, bacteria, microbium, virus, protozoa contribute to larger universe to the extent we often fail to understand and realise.

avoid repetition

The bacteria in human or animal guts facilitate the better metabolism which will contribute to greater and better functioning of system. It showcase how microbes gear supports the other gears of universe.

good dimension

Similarly, large plants though immobile in nature, fosters the mobility of large others elements. It provide food, shelter, safety, wooden resources etc and act as inherent

good

part of universe cycle.

However, it does not limit that all elements have to have a function with respect to others in all instances, it can act for its own growth. apt

Absent transition | use connectives

The charvaka school of philosophy advocates for such ideas as it considers enjoyment as ultimate reality, such approach allow to fulfill desires and needs of own. apt

Contrarily, even in self fulfillment, one contribute to other elements. The idea of capitalism is based on premise that producing more and more market goods will keep system running without any failure. good

Other element, we also need to consider in our understanding of universe as system is role of non-living components like sun, air, water, soil etc.

apt

The sun is elementary requirement for any living-being to exist even before building any inter-relationship between them. +

Avoid
writing
too
short

Similarly, air, water, soil, together creates an suitable environmental unit to foster growth of interconnected living organism cycle.

The most elementary example is food web where after consumption of food, it return back to soil which provides food again with the living beings like plants etc. The

cycle can not be seen
as mere combination and
actions of living beings.

Living beings also
creates institutions and
social organisation to faster
their output. They act
as oil and grease of
the universal cycle.

The role of state
in channeling the resources
to optimise the functioning
and utilisation as it determine
the share of contribution
and distribution in output.

Continuing with ~~our~~ ^{well}
cycle of cycle of universe, ~~put~~
we also need to determine
the direction it is heading
to-wards.

In this direction, the look at universal value system which include values like cooperation, interdependence, gratitude about each other's role is significant towards providing right direction to universe's cycle.

good dimension

Different ideologies, religions and philosophies have also played role in it. For instance, Niskam karma asks a living being to act without any expectation of result and the universe will yield the correct and suitable put.

use a better philosophy that highlights it

If one engage in positive and constructive activity, the gears of universal cycle will press forward while negative actions which try to hamper the functioning of

of others will slowdown or
~~apt~~ completely break the cycle wheels
momentum.

In this context, we
can analyse role of science
and technology especially with
onset of industrial revolution.

It has eased and enhanced
functioning with innovations like
telephone, internet, medicine,
~~steam engine~~ etc., all fastening
the gear speed. apt

At the same time,
the development of weapons
of mass destruction like nuclear
or chemical weapons not
only threaten to splinter of
gears but ultimately rapture
the wheel of universe itself. apt

Isolation

In conclusion, we
can understand how different

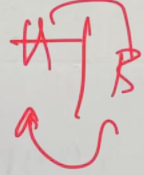
apt

components act as gears in cycle of universe, supported by frame of non-living organism and institutions. we also looked at how providing right direction is essential to its continued functioning.

Human have evolved and so does the entire range of animals, plants, and other creatures over past thousands of years. It has been possible only with the continued inter connected efforts and actions as a whole.

we often ignore this essential link when we talk about growth and the development. we even go on to destroy and harm other living beings which will ultimately harm us only only as we are

~~gears of same system.~~



"we are what we have been"

We have valued our environment and surrounding creatures since ancient times.

We need inclusive approach in cooperating all creatures and their needs if we want to survive and grow further.

Good Conclusion

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our virtues and our failing are inseparable
 like matter and force.
 ② Human $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{god} \\ \text{bod} \end{array} \right\}$ - nothing is perfect.

part 4 fundamental forces
 space for rough work

science (class)

① Guru - shishya dialogue - ~~force of perfection~~
 ↳ goal of life is to learn & understand
 only perfection is desire to

④ right knowledge → virtue ethics (socratic)

⑤ wisdom → Buddha.
 ↳ madhyam mara

⑩ (balance perfection & reduce failing)

⑦ When you realise nothing is lacking, whole world belong.

⑨ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{learn from failure} \\ \text{(messi)} \end{array} \right\}$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{greatest} \\ \text{transient} \end{array} \right\}$ time passes.

⑥ value system
 ↳ reformist justice

⑪ (if all are same, a perfect state utopian)

⑧ failing - allow diversity
 ↳ not universal

extremes

self contentment

every living being is an engine geared to wheelwork of universe

✓ Biodiversity

✓ animals

④ fuel

✓ plants

✓ mangrove

society

teacher

past

present

future

multi functioning

asteroid - collide form new

sun → shine

w/o day & night no life

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Smallest

pollenisation

ant

soil

loose

can't over run engine

optimisation

largest

$\frac{1}{1} \frac{1}{1} \Rightarrow 1$

$\frac{1}{1} \otimes \Rightarrow$

$\frac{0}{0} \rightarrow 1$

1 intro

Mahabharata

Foodweb

wheelwork

symbolic

truth v/s false

+ve/-ve

Contributory
transmute
mislead
learning

-ve

science

weapon of mass destruction

slowdown

9

knowledge

critical examination

2

evolution

3

different elements

show each support

30

plants

34

human

animal

34

minerals

5

role of non-living

soil, water, atmosphere

climate

c.c.

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Test-3 observations:

Parameter	<u>Section A</u>	<u>Section B</u>
Content and relevance	→ Average	Good.
Thesis statement and core argument	Good!	— 4 —
Structure and organisation	— 11 —	— 11 —
Concise writing and coherence	— 11 —	— 11 —
Use of evidences and examples	Below par. Can be much better	Above Average.
Originality and creativity	Body & Conclusion not apt	Try for unique dimensions.
Persuasion and arguments	—	—
Observations on introduction	Strong!	→ Same
Observations on body	use more dimension	More!
Observations on conclusion	Not impactful.	Good
Score	51-53	57-59

Overall observations and improvements suggested:

1. 5-6 readmade conclusion

↳ Diverse

↳ Link it to the topic using key words.

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Brainstorming

15 Mins

→ Intro
→ dimensions of body
→ Conclusion

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EXAMPLES

ESSAY EDGE - S.W.O.T ANALYSIS TEMPLATE:

STRENGTHS	WEAKNESSES
OPPORTUNITIES:	THREATS: