

**ESSAY**

*Full Marks : 250*

*Time : 3 hours*

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**QUESTION PAPER SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS**

*Please read each of the following instructions carefully  
before attempting questions*

The ESSAY must be written in the medium or language of the candidate's choice. ESSAY should be written in the space as per the topic provided.

Word limit, as specified, should be adhered to.

Any page or portion of the page left blank in the Question-cum-Answer Booklet must be clearly struck off.

Write **two** essays, choosing **one** topic from each of the Sections A and B, in about 1000-1200 words each.

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125×2=250

### **Section—A**

1. A good life is one inspired by love and guided by knowledge
2. Being a leader is great, but being a good follower is greater still
3. No man is an island
4. Knowledge is its own reward

### **Section—B**

5. The National Education Policy, 2020 : Its merits and demerits
6. Problems of industrial development in Assam
7. Role of women in the socio-economic development of India's North-East
8. Skill development and employment

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