

**Paper: 1 ESSAY**

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks: 250**

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

**SECTION - A**

- 1) Wisdom finds truth
- 2) Values are not what humanity is, but what humanity ought to be
- 3) Best for an Individual is not necessarily best for the society
- 4) Courage to accept and dedication to improve are two keys to success

**SECTION - B**

- 1) South Asian societies are woven not around the state, but around their plural cultures and identities.
- 2) Neglect of primary health care and education in India are reasons for its backwardness
- 3) Biased media is a real threat to Indian democracy
- 4) Rise of Artificial Intelligence: the threat of jobless future or better job opportunities through reskilling and upskilling