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निबंध (ESSAY)

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Time allowed: 3 Hours

अधिकतम अंक: 250
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प्रश्नपत्र संबंधी विशेष अनुदेश

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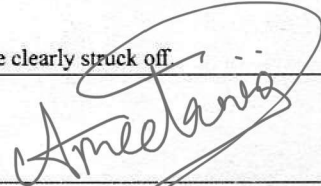
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Dear Aspirant, kindly look into the following feedback

Strength

- good handwriting and Presentation
- good understanding of both the topic
- well maintained flow of the essays

Areas of Improvement

- add more relevant dimensions
- write more relevant examples.

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All the best

Patience and time grow the seed that blossoms into wisdom.

A farmer sows the seed into the field to grow crops. It does not be ready to harvest in one or two days. Rather, it requires patience and time to grow the tree naturally, pass through various life cycles such as sprouting, flowering then formation of grains and finally becomes ready for harvest. The entire process requires patience, time and careful observation and additional input it required.

Similarly, human life evolves through various stages to achieve the wisdom.

Decent way
to correlate
intro topic
with real
life example
Introduction
Part must
hook the
reader's mind

relevant
intro

Try to write Thesis after writing an Introduction - It helps reader about Your essay ^{ie} what to expect from the essay?



What is wisdom?

It is the ability to apply knowledge and experience to make sound decision/judgement and to have sound understanding of complexities of life and values.

Wisdom helps to enhance the trust of people on a person by repeatative good decisions. It also helps to boost the inter-personal relationship. It is helpful in creating healthy relationship and conducive work environment.

Wisdom is the trait which differentiate between the action of human with animal. Both have some common emotions

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हस्तिय में नहीं लिखना
चाहिये।

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write on this margin)

fair
explanation
of wisdom
But
try to
write
suitable
example

thoughtful
and
insightful
meaning

Try to write various dimensions in your essay with suitable example to support your arguments



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चाहिये।
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- you can
take help
of PASTLE
approach
to add dimensions
like - Political
historical,
cultural,
social etc.

such as love, anger, loyalty
etc. But, it is the wisdom which
distinguishes the action of a
man & animal.

Is the wisdom innate (or) acquired?

Some argues that, the
man by birth have some wisdom
but largely it is acquired through
experience and lapse of time.

For a child wisdom is
limited to thinking about love
and care from parents, to have
good food, cloths etc. To acquire
all these, they try to seek the
attention of parents. It is the
first step towards the developem-
ent of wisdom. They learn
that love and care is inseparable

Impactful
meaning
written

part of life.

Parents can not expect expect that a child would have full wisdom. Rather they understand the process of development of wisdom through lapse of time and have to show the patience.

First, they are teaching the child how to speak, behave etc & then admitting to school. There the child interacts with diverse set of people and gradually develops the wisdom.

Further at collage and work place, the person learns more and more and acquires some knowledge and experience. As a result of all of these

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हिसाब में नहीं लिखना
चाहिये।

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relevant
arguments
write
examples
to relate
your
arguments

Valid
argument

fair
points

* You can also write Economic dimension - to develop wisdom - upon Time and Space

eg. It took more

than forty years

to take reforms

in economy

↓

after reform

our economy

took leap

step and

today became

third largest

economy on

PPP basis,

we also

developed

wisdom in

various

economic

sphere

etc.--



person acquires wisdom.

The development of wisdom depends upon the time and space. Each timeframe and space have own set of values and beliefs and morals. These impacts the wisdom of the person.

However, it is worth to note that even these different space have acquired these values over lapse of time & not took concrete shape just in few days.

Is wisdom static or dynamic?

Human life is a result of evolution from ice age to modern age. The wisdom of

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well explained meaning

you can also mention cultural dimension

under this sub-heading.

ie- PTO

of in cultural dimension - Practice of Sati
with efforts of Raja Ram Mohan Roy - abolished sati
↳ we/society also developed wisdom - hence we can
say it may change according to need of society



the people in different era
has changes with the time
and space.

For example, people in ancient
or medieval era has no problem
with autocratic dynastic monarchy
because their wisdom was
limited by theory of divine
right to rule. But, with lapse
of time and use of rational
thinking, the horizon of wisdom
got widened and people at large
supports democracy & human
rights.

It is natural to widen the
scope of time with wisdom
with time within the
generation and inter generation
due to evolution of new

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चाहिये।
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Relevant
argument
+
coherence
in the
paragraph

Clarity
of the
topic
is
good

* In Political dimension - Article 21 - with time we widen scope of this article and SC developed wisdom in the minds of people



ideas, experience and application of mind.

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With patience & time, always grows the seed that blossoms into wisdom?

People argues that patience and time grows the seed that blossoms into the wisdom. while some other argues that it does not always true.

They further argue that everyone have limit to wait upto certain limit. Or in other words even patience also have own limitation. No one can be patient for unlimited or indefinite time period.

You can write example of Chat GPT like AI software

In today's

asking questions and giving answers in next para. Shows your in depth knowledge about the topic

You can mention
communalism here
As today's
men not
able to accept
tolerance
for other
religion / group
because of
lack of
wisdom

Further, the man have
limited capacity to suffer. If
they have to suffer for for
long they will start acting
foolishly & might be violently.

Hence, there is need of
a guide or mentor to console
during the time in between
start of action and actual
desired ~~end~~ result. so, that
the person can be patience &
give proper time to the
process.

Also, when people do not
have knowledge about some
thing, it is not sure that
they will have wisdom at the
end. For example a person

Good
arguments
written

a person donot have knowledge
about code of conduct or code
of ethics, he can not apply
his wisdom while making an
informed & good decision.

Effective use of time and
patience to blossom the wisdom

There is need of a
person with sound mind &
intellect to learn from the
ongoing process and lapse
of time.

Also, there is need of
sound ethical framework,
positive values and belief,
and personal zeal to learn
new thing. Then the wisdom
can be attained.

Well
Substantiated
with
suitable
example

Appreciated

You can
mention
about
Mission
Karmayogi
through which
we can set
sound ethical
framework
among civil
servants

Possible
only when
person with
EQ

However, some time the
wisdom can be achieved
without any external support
& some time, there might be
need of a catalyst to achieve
the wisdom.

Further, the person
needs to have understanding
that he have to learn many
things & it is the continious
process. Then only with lapse
of time a person can embibe
new values and attain wisdom.

fair
arguments

You can
mention
Gandhi ji

Also, a man needs to be
morally and physically wait
for long time to learn new

You can
write
about
Ashok
Khemka

things.

Once, these things/qualities
are available, there is need
of courage. Only courageous
person can use their wisdom
in decision making. Normal
person would look for what
others are doing & will not
take any chance to do some
-thing different.

Satisfactory
understanding
of the
topic

mention

Thomas
Alva Edison

he faced
1000 failure

still had
courage to
do more
experiments

Also, not only courage to
take decision with wisdom
is required, but also these
should be courage to face
the failure due to such
decision, and ability to
learn from these failure.

Wisdom as a key to meaning-ful human life

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चाहिये।
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write on this margin)

Conclusion
must provide
a critical
takeaway
to the
readers in
the end

While summerising the role
of time and patience in
evolution of wisdom, it is
also worth noting the importance
of wisdom in human
life. Wisdom creates a peaceful
and tolerant society. It gives
the way to meaningful life.

well
written
concluding
remark

Like any other natural
process, development of
wisdom depends upon various
factors and person need to
give time and to have
the patience to achieve the
wisdom.

* Prefer to end with suitable
quote

* overall excellent understanding
about the topic

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* only you need to take care
is - write examples to support
your arguments.

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सूचना दी जाती है कि
उम्मीदवार को यह
लिखना है।
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हार्शिये में नहीं लिखना
चाहिये।

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Q The measure of intelligence is
the ability to change

The only thing permanent
in this universe is the
inevitability of change.

insightful
meaning

If the change is inevitable
then, a person person should
work towards bringing the
change. Even the theory of
dialectics proposes that current
ideas are in conflict with
evolving new ideas. Due to
this conflict, a synchronous
idea evolves & again it is in
conflict with new ideas. This
process is ongoing since
the evolution of man on

fair
explanation

You can
start your
essay with
some creative
way - using
anecdote, quote,
real life example
etc...

earth.

Intelligence a most precious
natural gift to human

The human have cognitive
ability much larger than the
other living organism. It
results into evolution of
intelligence.

Intelligence is the ability
to acquire and apply knowledge,
think critically, learn from
experience and adapt to
a new situation.

It is clear that intelligence
is also about the adaptation to
a new situation i.e. change.
Hence, by recognising the

well
explained
meaning of
Intelligence.
try to
substantiate
with suitable
examples

ability to change we can
measure the intelligence.

There are various types
of intelligence. All these are
bringing change into the
existing ideas and set up.

Intellectual intelligence
is about innovation and the
ability to bring new ideas.

It involves critical thing.

Also, the application of some
questions like why, who, how,
when, where etc.

New modern ideas such as
human rights, fraternity,
liberty, equality, universalism,
sense of duty, love, compassion

You can
write
any example
of scientific
innovation

You can
mention
constitution

as evolving
document

changes
as per modern
ideas. etc...

You should
also relate
all these
types of
intelligence
with the
concept -
How it
will bring
change in
your ideas

etc evolves due to intellectual
intelligence. It brought drastic
changes in the society,
interpersonal relationship
and political set up.

Similarly, spiritual intellig
ence helped in evolution of
understanding about the god,
life, purpose of life, relation
-ship between atman (soul)
and Brahma (creator). All these
changes the way of life.

As a result of these
spiritual intelligence, various
ideologies and religion such
as Buddhism, Jainism, Advaita
(non-dualism) philosophy
evolved.

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हाशिये में नहीं लिखना
चाहिये।

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You can
mention
any religious
scripture
eg. GREEKA,
how it creates
link to understand
eternity.

valid
point
mentioned

Further, linguistic intelligence evolves with need of inter-
personal interaction. People
felt need of a medium of
exchange of ideas, emotions
and feelings with each other.
It resulted into evolution of
language and it transformed
the human behaviour.

In this interpersonal
aspect one more intelligence
plays important role - emotional
intelligence. It helps a person
to build good relationship
through effective communication,
conflict management and
dealing with criticism. These

Thoughtful
and
Insightful
+
Coherence in
the paragraphs
is well
maintained

qualities changed the human
interaction to make it more
meaningful, healthy workplace
and inner peace of mind.

Now a days, entire world
is talking about artificial
intelligence. It is the ability of
machines to behave like
human. It can take decision
by own. It is being developed
by training on large existing
data set.

It have potential to bring
change at large scale in
various fields such as medicine,
manufacturing, analysing
big data set, supply chain
management, enhances and
personalised customer

Your thoughts,
ideas and
understanding
is very
clear, you
need to
add suitable
example.

experience etc.

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Role of intelligence in bringing change

Intelligence helps to create
rational environment. It promotes
critical thinking and application
of past experience.

All these leads to change
in existing order. Intellectual
intelligence have changed the
social order & interpersonal
relationship.

The artificial intelligence
have changed the business
approach, mode of production
& even the approach for
governance.

However, not only

fair
arguments

You can
mention
how
intelligence
of human
invented
time (wheel)
brought
change in
human history.

intelligence but various other factors are responsible for bringing the change.

Intelligence can help to build the capacity to change but to bring change other qualities such as creativity, determination and ability to engage with others is also required. When all these factors are in synchronisation to each other, change can be brought.

measure of intelligence

Intelligence can be measured by various tools. There are formal and informal tools

Your arguments and its explanation relevant with the topic but mention relevant example

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Decent
point

to measure the intelligence.

Formal tools includes the mental ability test such as CSAT by UPSC - Union Public Service Commission & many other formal examinations.

Informal tools includes the putting a person into ethical dilemma and observing how they are behaving, discussion with peer group, putting in a situation where there is paucity of time. In these cases the true intelligence of person is visible.

However, apart from these two methods, intelligence also can be measured by

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valid
example
written

relevant
point

Satisfactory
understanding
of the topic

it's ability to change.

If a person is using own intelligence, change would be visible. However, the amount of change may vary.

For example, the change may be minute and impact may be visible at small scale by saving the time to complete that task.

Also, the intelligence can lead to change in value system at individual level.

An intelligent person may easily distinguish the difference between ethical and unethical behaviour. Accordingly, the

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चाहिये।

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Valid
Point

Overall
clarity of
the topic and its
arguments
are relevant

Before moving towards conclusion you can also mention counter arguments — this makes your essay holistic



person can change own behaviour.

Further, use of intelligence can bring a large scale changes in the society. It depends upon the ability of the person to effectively communicate with others and persuade them for change.

We can quote the example of great thinkers like Montesque who used his intelligence to find out the best possible relationship among Judiciary, executive and Legislature. He gave the idea of separation of power. He not only gave the idea but also he was able to convey it to

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Good use
of reference
to illustrate
your argument

the world. Now, it is the nearly universal accepted political theory.

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चाहिये।

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Overall
clarity
about topic
is good
only - thing
lacking is
examples.

While summing up, it
may be noted that intelligence
is associated with change &
change is brought out by
various factors. Yet the intelli-
gence can be measured by
ability to bring change. However,
this ability to measure the
ability to bring change
requires another intelligent
person.

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- Prefer to end with
suitable quote