

Code No. **05 X (A)**

**COMMERCE EXAMINATIONS
ENGLISH TYPEWRITING
JUNIOR GRADE – I PAPER (Speed)**

January, 2018

{ Time : 15 minutes
Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to the Candidates :

1. Type the following passage in DOUBLE LINE spacing.
2. Set the margins at 10 and 75 degrees.
3. Typewrite only on ONE SIDE of the paper.
4. Special attention should be paid to accuracy and neatness of execution.

The greatest heights in life are attained by those who have the courageous to get these. Success is not a free gift that falls into anyone's lap if he just wishes for it. He must work hard, and be courageous enough to face and overcome danger in their life, if necessary in order to succeed. What we call fortune or good luck is nothing but a matter of hunt and hard work. The great discoverers of old would never have succeeded if they did not venture forth into the

unknown, regardless of any perils that might confront them. Christopher Columbus and many others made all their geographical discoveries because they were courageous and brave enough to face danger and uncertainty to discover the unknown and extend the edge of human knowledge during their life time.

In our own age, who has not heard of the bravery of the astronauts who have risked their lives to travel to

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a distant destination like the moon. They have won universal honour because of their great courage. There have been many scientists who have devoted all their time and energy to the rout of disease. They have even risked their own lives to become human guinea pigs on which they tried their own remedies. Humanity remembers them with affection and gratitude for their selfless, brave attitude. If they succeeded in their harsh efforts to beat disease, it was because of their heroic courage and grit. Some of the bravest people in the world are those who are physically handicap. There are several of them who, having lost the use of their limbs or eyes or hearing, have never given way to gloom. They have

bravely overcome all the snags in their path to make a success of their lives.

For instance, late Helen Keller who died recently was deaf, dumb and blind. Yet she urged to educate herself and became a world famous personality. Of course, she had to work hard for it, but it was well worth the efforts. Peter Spencer, a pilot who fought in the British Air Force in World War lost the use of both his arms before he was twenty one. He taught himself to do things with his mouth and legs instead of his hands. Today he is a well known Mouth and Foot Artist. If good fortune favoured him it was because he was brave enough to beat every difficulty that meets him.
