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Assignment No.	1	Name of the Assignment Setter:		Prof. Deepali Awasare	
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Subject:	COMPULSORY ENGLISH –II				

Q.1 Attempt ANY ONE of the Following (1000 Words) (10)

- a) Comment on the Bhu-daan movement of Vinoba Bhave.
- b) Comment on the similarities between Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King.

Q.2 Attempt ANY TWO of the Following (800 Words) (10)

- a) Give a brief account of Martin Luther King's works.
- b) How does Rabindranath Tagore describe Shrikanta babu?
- c) Why is Mother Teresa is said to be 'one of the best-known woman in India'?
- d) Who were the people who taught and inspired Alexander Fleming?

Q.3 Do as Directed (ANY TWO) (10)

a) **Convert the following passage into active voice**

A suspicious suitcase was found near a bus station by a kid who was waiting for the bus alone. The suspicious suitcase wasn't opened by the kid immediately. He took it to the police station and when it was opened by the police officer, the suspicious suitcase exploded!! The kid was safe, but the other police officers were injured by the bomb.

b) **Convert the following sentences into passive voice -**

- (i) He has missed the train.
- (ii) Do they speak French?

- (iii) Was he reading a book?
- (iv) Compose this letter.
- (v) Where did you buy this pen from?

c) Convert any two of the following from direct to indirect speech -

i) I said to my friend, "Please help me. I am in trouble. Can you help me to find my dog? I hope, you will."

ii) I said to my friend, "Don't talk of the past. Is there nothing else to talk about? Remember, there is so much to learn and so much to forget."

iii) The account holder said to the bank clerk, "Please issue me a fresh cheque book. I have used up the old ones."