

## ● CCE MODEL ●

### SYLLABUS

1. Personality Development
  - A) Attitude is Altitude
  - B) Every Success Story is Also a Story of Great Failures
  - C) I will Do It
2. Wit and Humour
  - A) The Dew Droplet (Part - I)
  - B) The Dew Droplet (Part - II)
  - C) The Brave Buller

### ENGLISH Class - 10

Time : 45 Min.

Marks : 20

	Project Work	Book Review	Note Book Writing	Slip Test	Total
Allotted Marks	10	10	10	20	50
Scored Marks					

### I. Reading Comprehension :

(5 M)

#### 1. Read the following passage from "Attitude is Altitude."

The day came. His classmates were leaving for Madras (now Chennai). They were taking a train from Mysore to Madras. They have shared good years in school and college together. He went to the station to say goodbye and good luck to them for their future life.

At the station, his friends were already there. They were excited and talking loudly. The noise was like the chirping of birds. They were all excited and discussing their new hostels, new courses etc. He was not part of it. So, he stood there silently. One of them noticed and said, 'You should have made it.'

He did not reply. He only wished all of them. They waved at him as the train slowly left the platform. He stood there even after he could no longer see the train or the waving hands. It was the June of 1962 in Mysore city. Monsoon had set in and it was getting dark. It had started to drizzle. Yet he stood there motionless. He said to himself, without anger or jealousy, 'All students from the IITs study well and do big things in life. But it is not the institution; ultimately it is you and you alone who can change your life by hard work.' He is none other than Nagavara Ramarao Narayana Murthy, the founder of Infosys, a leading IT company in the world.

Now, answer the following questions. Each question has four choices. Choose the correct answer and write (A), (B), (C) or (D) in your answer booklet.  $3 \times 1 = 3 \text{ M}$

1. In the above passage, the line, 'You should have made it', implies that the speaker was very much ( )
  - A) jealous
  - B) angry
  - C) concerned
  - D) arrogant
2. The waving hands ..... ( )
  - A) shocked Narayana Murthy.
  - B) built self-confidence in Narayana Murthy.
  - C) disappointed Narayana Murthy.
  - D) discouraged Narayana Murthy.