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UPSC Mains 2023 Essay

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Answer key at the end of this PDF

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Q1 · 125 marks

Thinking is like a game, it does not begin unless there is an opposite team.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

Solution — <https://wrapexams.com/upsc/mains-answers/essay/2023/thinking-is-like-a-game-it-does-not-begin-unless-there-is-an-opposite-team/>

Q2 · 125 marks

Visionary decision-making happens at the intersection of intuition and logic.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

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Q3 · 125 marks

Not all who wander are lost.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

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Q4 · 125 marks

Inspiration for creativity springs from the effort to look for the magical in the mundane.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

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Q5 · 125 marks

Girls are weighed down by restrictions, boys with demands - two equally harmful disciplines.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

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Q6 · 125 marks

Mathematics is the music of reason.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

Solution — <https://wrapexams.com/upsc/mains-answers/essay/2023/mathematics-is-the-music-of-reason/>

Q7 · 125 marks

A society that has more justice is a society that needs less charity.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

Solution — <https://wrapexams.com/upsc/mains-answers/essay/2023/a-society-that-has-more-justice-is-a-society-that-needs-less-charity/>

Q8 · 125 marks

Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school.

Topic · Philosophical and ethical quotes

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Compiled answer key

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Q5 125 marks	Q6 125 marks	Q7 125 marks	Q8 125 marks

Question-wise key

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Q5 · 125 marks Solution

Q6 · 125 marks Solution

Q7 · 125 marks Solution

Q8 · 125 marks Solution

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