General Instructions:

1) All questions are compulsory.
2) Answers to questions carrying 1 mark may be from one word to one sentence.
3) Answers to questions carrying 3 marks may be from 50 to 75 words.
4) Answers to questions carrying 4-5 marks may be about 150 words.
5) Answers to questions carrying 6 marks may be about 250 words.
6) Attempt all the parts of the question in one place.
1. Name the economic activity in which specialized knowledge is required. ..... 1
2. What type of industry is Fishing? ..... 1
3. What is perpetual succession? ..... 1
4. Is registration of partnership firm compulsory? ..... 1
5. Explain any three limitations of the sole proprietorship as a form of business organization. ..... 3
6. Describe briefly the following:
i. Active partner ii. Sleeping partner iii. Nominal partner ..... 3
7. Explain any three auxiliaries of trade. ..... 3
8. Explain primary, secondary and tertiary industry with examples. ..... 3
9. Distinguish between business and employment on any four basis. ..... 4
10. Is earning profits the only objectives of business. Discuss. ..... 4
11. Define Partnership. Explain its any three features. ..... 4
12. Define business. Explain the characteristics of business (any four). ..... 5
13. Explain the procedure of registration of a partnership firm. What are the consequences of non registration? ..... 5
14. Define a Joint stock company. Describe any five features of a joint stock company. ..... 6
15. Ramesh a retired co-operative officer settled in his own village which has a population of approx 6000 people. He has a vast experience of co-operative operations. He motivated the villagers to set up a retail co-operative society to help the villagers who mainly depend on agriculture for their livelihood.

Villagers agreed to his idea and they set up the retail co-operative society. The store was successful as it followed the principles of co-operative. Later on, farmers of the village requested Ramesh to help them to establish a co-operative farming society which he did happily.
i. Give the meaning of co-operative society.
ii. Explain any four features of co-operative societies.
iii. Explain any four advantages of co-operative societies which attracted the villagers. 2
iv. What is the minimum number of members required to form a co-operative society?

