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# III Semester B.Sc./B.C.A./B.Sc.(FAD)B.V.A. Degree Examination,

March/April - 2022

ENGLISH (GENERAL)

Imprints - 3

(CBCS Scheme Freshers and Repeaters)

Paper: 03

Time: 3 Hours

Instructions to Candidates:

- Answer all the questions. 1)
- Write the correct question number. 2)



### PART - A

(Grammar Section)

- Do as directed: I.
  - Write any ONE speech not exceeding TWO pages for the following occasions.  $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 
    - Write a welcome speech for the Guests and faculty of your college, on the i) occasion of teacher's day.

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- Write vote of thanks on the occasion of the cultural inauguration in your ii) college.
- Write any ONE letter not exceeding one page for the following context.  $(1\times5=5)$ B)
  - Write a requisition letter for the office equipment, to the manager, AB-furniture, i) 203, Bandra, Mumbai.

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Write a complaint letter to the hostel warden regarding the low quality of food ii) supplied to the students at the hostel.

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- C) Draft either an invitation card or a letter for ONE of the following occasions.  $(1 \times 5 = 5)$ 
  - i) Draft an invitation card for the opening of new company on May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2022 at 10 am at Bangalore.

# (OR)

- ii) Draft an invitation card for the farewell party given to your teacher retiring on 28th April 2022 at country club, Bangalore.
- D) Draft any ONE circular for communicating the following message.  $(1\times5=5)$ 
  - i) Draft a circular informing the customers that your stationery shop has been shifted to 13th cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru.

# (OR)

- ii) Draft a circular informing the students of your college regarding the postponement of the final exam.
- E) Read the passage and answer the following questions.  $(5\times1=5)$

When we enter New York harbour, the first thing we see is the Statue of Liberty. What impresses us the most is its size and magnificance. Have you ever wondered how it came to be there? The Statue of Liberty was a gift from the people of France to mark the one-hundred-year anniversary of American Independence. In 1869, sculptor Frederic Auguste Bartholdi began to plan his concept for the monument.

Bartholdi chose the look of classic Greek and Roman figures. He envisioned Liberty as a strong and proud figure, one who personified not only the majestic Greek goddesses of the past, but also the working men and women of the present. Finally, in 1884, the work was finished, and Liberty was packed into 214 crates and sent to New York City. Only one problem stood in the way. While the French had raised a lot of funds to build the statue, New York had not secured the funds to build its foundation. It was not until a New York newspaper implored people for donations that money became available. Finally, on 28th October 1886, Americans celebrated the unveiling of the Statue of Liberty.

- 1) Why was the Statue of Liberty given as a gift to America by France?
- 2) What is the name of the sculptor of the monument 'the Statue of Liberty'?
- 3) What did the sculptor imagine the Statue of Liberty to be?
- 4) How many years did it take to unveil the Statue of Liberty?
- 5) Trace the word from the passage which means the same as "imagined".





# PART-B

- Answer any FIVE of the following questions in not more than TWO sentences each. (5×1=5) II. How did Rowley carry and bring the egg to school in the lesson The Dairy of a Wimpy
  - Mention one little thing Richard wanted to do in the lesson Richard Feynman's Love 2.
  - How did the Highway man respond to Bess's death? 3.
  - What is the condition stipulated by the nightingale to the student for providing a red 4.
  - When was the last letter written from Nehru to his daughter? 5.
  - Who is Monika Lewinsky? Why was the publicly shamed? 6.
  - What should be built to keep the refugee away? 7.
  - III. Answer any TWO of the following questions in not less than ONE page Elaborate the attitude of the boys and girls at the school in the Dairy of a wimpy kid.
    - 1.
    - Describe the relationship of Richard and Arline on the basis of the letter written by 2.
    - Discuss the persistence and dedication of the nightingale in the lesson The 3.
    - Explain what is meant by 'Price of Shame'.
  - IV. Answer any ONE of the following questions in not more than THREE pages. (1×10=10)
    - Comment on difficulties faced by refugee in the poem refugee. 1.
    - Describé Nehru's experience in Jail. 2.
    - Discuss the things one should avoid to become a true human being in the poem 'If'. 3.

### PART - C

# (Drama)

- Answer any ONE of the following questions in not more than a page.  $(1 \times 5 = 5)$ 
  - What was the warning given by the beggar before leaving the palace?
  - 2. 4. Comment on the attitude of the beggar.
  - Describe the behaviour of the king in the play.
- VI. Answer any ONE of the following questions in more than THREE pages. (1×10=10)
  - Examine the theme of the play "The Beggar and the king". 1.
  - Discuss the play as a commentary on democracy, leadership and people. 2.
  - How does the beggar represents the king's downfall. 3.



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III Semester B.Sc./B.C.A./B.Sc. FAD Other Courses Under the faculty of Science

Degree Examination, March - 2021 ENGLISH (General)

(CBCS Scheme 2019-20 Repeaters)

Paper: III

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer ALL the questions. Write the correct question numbers.

# **SECTION-A**

I. Answer any **Five** of the following in one or two sentences each:

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- 1. Who will possess smile and sorceress skill according to sanpurna chatterji in 'As a Son, My Daughter'?
- 2. Who has unravelled the mystery of statue of Talkative man in 'The Roman Image'?
- 3. Why did the speaker escape from the scene as narrated in 'The Escape'?
- 4. Who had placed all eatables in Paba's bag, in the story, 'Tightrope'?
- 5. What was the name of the first daughter in the story 'My Daughters'?
- 6. Why does John Donne warn death not to swell in pride?
- 7. What did 'Paati' want to put in crying child's mouth in the story, 'Mirror of Innocence'?
- 8. Chubukov is confident of his daughter agreeing to the marriage proposal. True/False.
- II. Answer any Four of the following questions in about 80-100 words each.  $(4\times5=20)$ 
  - 1. "This takes us on to an entirely new set of possibilities!" Elaborate the statement as narrated in 'The Roman Image'.
  - 2. How do Lomov and Chubukov target each other's family members?
  - 3. How does John Donne mock at death, for being a slave to fate?
  - 4. Describe the efforts of the adults to find out the meaning of the term 'ip.....unda' in 'Mirror of Innocence'.

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Why were mornings dreadful to the author of 'Two Daughters'? Why were mornings dreadful to the aumor of the all that she is not in 'As a son, My Why does the speaker want her daughter to be all that she is not in 'As a son, My Why was it difficult for Paba to accept that the diet plan was for one day? 5. wer any One of the following in about 2007.

Narayan Shyam subtly brings out the futility of animosity between two individuals or Except. Explain. III. Answer any One of the following in about 200-250 words: 6. two factions in the poem, The Locape . — The How does the play 'The Proposal' portray the conflict of interests, relationships and Give an account of the Talkative man's description of himself, his master and Malgudi 3. in 'The Roman Image'. SECTION-B (Grammar and Composition) Rearrange the following words and phrases to form meaningful sentences: **(2)** He/journey/not/find/the/will/comfortable Foolish/to/waste/it/time/is (2) Frame meaningful sentences using the following words: V. Occupation 1. Offensive 2. (2) VL Fill in the blanks using the correct forms of the give word: The ...... officer found ...... complicated. (investigate) 1. (5) VII. Write a paragraph on the following: Write a note on how to make a presentation effective. 1. OR Prepare five slides on the importance of social media. VIII. Read the passage below and make notes using a format of your choice: (4)Confidence is the outstanding quality of a good leader. A leader must have self - confidence in decision - making and taking immediate action. A good leader must certainly inspire others. A leader must be a role model for his followers. Further more he/she must motivate them whenever possible. Also, in difficult situations, a leader must not lose hope.

Honesty is another notable quality of a leader. Honesty and integrity are important to earn the love of followers. Probably, every leadership which loses trust is bound to fail.

Good communication is a must for a good leader. Good communication will increase the rate of work and will reduce communication gap.

Decision making capacity shows the clarity of mind in a leader. The decisions he or she takes is based on his/her intentions, goals and objectives. There can be many hurdles that one might face during the journey but nevertheless one should not lose clarity and focus on the goal that one is trying to achieve.

A statesman or a true leader is someone who does everything in their capacity to achieve what they are supposed to achieve. They won't and should not lose focus on their journey.

IX. You have been asked to form and head a committee to organize an inter college cultural fest as a student council member. Write an activity report after the completion of the fest, to the principal of your college.

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### **OR**

A few computers in your computer lab are not working properly. They need to be repaired. Write a report to your principal, explaining the status of computers in the lab.

X. Develop a narrative using the picture given below with suitable cohesive devices: (5)





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Imprints - 3

(CBCS Scheme Freshers)

Paper: 3

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

# Instructions to Candidates:

- 1. Answer All the questions.
- 2. Write the correct question number.

# PART-A

# L Do as directed:

a. Write any ONE speech not exceeding two pages for the following occasions.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

- i. Your college has organized farewall party for the final year students. Prepare a welcome speech.
- ii. Vote of thanks for a student seminar organized in your college.
- b. Write any ONE letter not exceeding ONE page for the following context. (1×5=5)
  - i. A requisition letter to your principal seeking permission for a seven days study tour to North India.
  - ii. A complaint letter to the Municipality about the misuse of the play ground opposite to your house.
- c. Draft either an invitation card or a letter for one of the following occasion. (1×5=5)
  - i. As a secretary of Science Forum of your college, draft an invitation card for the inauguration of the forum on 15 March, 2021 at 3 pm in your college auditorium.
  - ii. You are hosting a dinner party to celebrate the Wedding Anniversary of your parents at near by party hall on 10 May, 2021 at 7 pm in Rajneela palace Hotel. Draft an invitation letter to your grandparents.

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d. Draft any ONE circular for communicating the following message.  $(1\times05=05)$ 

- i. Introduction of dress code to the employees of your office from 01 March, 2021.
- ii. To Communicate to the faculty of your college the information about the forth coming seminar on Environment.
- e. Read the passage and answer the following questions.

There are different methods we can follow to save clean drinking water to deal with the water scarcity. Rain water harvesting is one of the most effective and suitable methods among 'save water' techniques. Afforestation is also the method as it reduces the surface runoff and recharges the ground water. If promotes underground water conservation. By practicing such methods we can conserve more water naturally and ensure the availability of it for future generations we should take a pledge and make a lifelong motto of 'Save water', Save life, Save earth.

We should teach simple methods of water saving to our children, women and other members of the family like turning off all the taps tightly after each use, using sprinklers to water the lawn, giving bath to pets in the lawn, repair of all the leaking pipes, harvesting rain water of purposes like watering plant, washing clothes, etc.

We should also practice keeping the river water clean and safe for future use and safety of water animals.

i.	Whom should we teach the simple methods of saving water?	$(1 \times 1 = 1)$
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ii. How does Afforestation help in conservation?  $(1\times1=1)$ 

iii. What pledge should we all take?  $(1 \times 1 = 1)$ 

iv. Mention few simple methods to save water.  $(1\times2=2)$ 

# PART-B

# (Literary Section)

- II. Answer any five of the following questions in not more than two sentences each :  $(5 \times 1 = 5)$ 
  - 1. Why did the Snellas relocate in the lesson extract from Diary of a Wimpy kid?
  - 2. Who was the instigator of all the wild adventures in Richard Feynman's Love letter to His wife?
  - 3. When did the king's men come up to the 'Old in door' in the poem 'The Highwayman'?
  - 4. What is the rose tree's suggestion to create a rose and make it red?
  - 5. Mention any Two words which describe the 'Refugees'?
  - 6. How shoold one deal with friends and foes as depicted in the poem 'If'?
  - 7. How has the social media been responsible in aggravating the degree of shaming in Monica Lewinsky's case?

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Answer any two of the following questions in not less than ONE page:

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- 1. What role does Jim, the ostler play in the love story of Bess and the Highwayman?
- 2. Comment on the selfless of the nightingale.
- 3. According to Nehru, how should one understand a person who has lived long ago in the past?
- 4. Describe Monica Lewinsky's Trauma and her battle against loss of image.
- V. Answer any One of the following questions in not more than THREE pages.  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - 1. Describe 'The Highwayman' as a tragic love story.
  - 2. Analyse the story, 'The Nightingale and the Rose' as a fairy tale.
  - 3. Immigration happens every single day and out attitude towards people leaving their homes for a better life needs to be discussed explain with reference to 'Regugees'.

# PART-C

# (Drama)

V. Answer any One of the following questions in not more than a page.

 $(1 \times 5 = 5)$ 

- 1. Why does the king continuously refuse to feed the beggar with a crust of bread?
- 2. What will be the consequence for the king if he disobeys the beggar?
- 3. What warning does the beggar give before he leaves the palace?
- VI. Answer any One of the following questions in more than Three pages. (1×10=10)
  - 1. Discuss the play as a commentary on democracy, leadership and people.
  - 2. Who is more indebted to whom the king to the people or the people to the king? Discuss.
  - 3. Analyse how irony is used in the play.

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# III Semester B.Sc./B.C.A./B.Sc.(FAD)/B.V.A. and (Other Courses)

# Degree Examination, March/April - 2023

# GENERAL ENGLISH

Language English - III

(CBCS Scheme Repeaters 2019-20)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer all the questions. Mention question numbers correctly.

### PART-A

# (Grammar Section)

# L Do as directed.

- A. Write One speech not exceeding Two pages for the following occasions. (1×10=10)
  - 1. Farewell speech on your Graduation Day at your college.
  - 2. Welcome speech for freshers who have jointed your college.
- B. Write One letter not exceeding One page for the following context.  $(1\times5=5)$ 
  - 1. A letter thanking your friend for helping your parents during covid 19.

(OR)

- 2. Write a requisition letter to police inspector regarding frequent thefts in your locality.
- C. Draft either an invitation card or a letter for the following occasion:  $(1\times5=5)$ 
  - 1. Compose an invitation letter to CEO of Bajaj company Ltd. New Delhi for opening new showroom in your city and its inauguration.

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2 Write an invitation letter to your friend to attend the wedding of your sister.

(OR)

venue and timings and future details in the circular for all the employees. "Paint the walls" campaign in Rajajinagar on February 6th 2023. Provide the exact Draft a circular informing all the employees of Eco watch club to conduct a

# D. Draft a circular for communicating the following messages.

the contact details. temporarily shifted from 1st cross Anandnagar to 5th cross Anandnagar. Provide Draft a circular informing your customers that your boutique shop has been

(OR)

2 January 1st 2023. parlour from  $6^{th}$  block to  $1^{st}$  block HRBR Layout and it will be operational from You need to communicate to your customer that you are shifting your beauty

# H Read the passage and answer the following question

reading is usually the third skill that helps to master the language. will help to develop the deeper sense of the dive discourse. After listening and speaking with listening and speaking, writing and reading is one of the four language skill that comprehending the meaning of written symbols and letters by looking at them. Along messages, letter and other written messages. Further reading is the process of written discourse such as masterpieces in any subjects, any kind of writing, text written language and text. Extensive reading can help to understand and respond to Reading skills refer to an individual's ability to read interpret and analyse and decipher

language and acquiring wisdom too Hence the knowledge of different type of comprehension is inevitable in learning the

 $(1\times1=1)$ 

Reading skill is referred to

What are four language skills?  $(1 \times 1 = 1)$  $(1\times1=1)$ 

Which is the third skill that helps to master the language?

 $(1 \times 2 = 2)$ 

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4. What can extensive reading help you?

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# PART-B

# (Literary Section)

Answer any Five of the following questions in not more than two sentences each.

 $(5 \times 1 = 5)$ 

- What is Cyber Bullying?
- 2. What did the Highway man promise Bess?
- ယ are unwanted and unwelcomed (Refugees or Inhabitants)
- 4. How can dreams become our master?
- 5. How should one deal with friend and foe?
- 6. When does the Rose turn crimson red?
- Answer any Two of the following in not less than One page

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- What are the Do's and Don'ts of maintaining healthy social relation?
- 2. What is our obligation to the future according to Nehru?
- What are the two views on sharing that are expressed through the poem refugee?
- 4. Sketch the sacrifice of the Nightingale.
- N Answer any One of the following questions in not more than Three pages. (1×10=10)
- Why is the poem called as reversal poem?
- Analyse the Nature of Love as expressed in the story The Nightingale and the Rose
- 3. Explain the instructions given by the speaker in the poem  $J_i$ :

# PART-C

# (Drama Section)

- ! Answer any One of the following questions not more then a page:
- $(1 \times 5 = 5)$

- 1. What annoys the king?
- What does the king threaten to do if the beggar disobeys him?
- How do you explain the kings behvaiour after the exit of the beggar?

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# Answer any One of the following questions not more than Three pages. $(1\times10=10)$

- attitude towards his people. Discuss whether the beggar's refusal to obey the king is rebelling against kings uncaring
- Explain the theme of the drama "The Beggar and The king".
- Analyse how irony is used in the play.

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III Semester B.Sc/B.C.A./B.Sc.(FAD)/B.V.A. and other courses coming under the Faculty of Science Degree Examination, March/April - 2022 GENERAL ENGLISH

Language English: Conflations -

(CBCS Scheme Freshers 2019)

Paper : III

Time: 3 Hours

Instructions to candidates:

- Answer all questions.
- Mention question numbers correctly.



# SECTION-A

(Prose and Poetry - 40 marks)

Answer any Five of the following in 1 or 2 sentences each: The daughter will be a composer of in the poem "As a Son, My Daughter"  $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

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- 2) What was the duo's first discovery, according to R.K Narayan?
- $\omega$ The foe was meek and timid in the poem "The Escape" - (True/False)
- 4 What, according to Kanu Acharya is Vahavati Goddess of in "Tightrope"? (bajanias/baniyas)
- 5) Where did the kite fall in the essay, "My Daughters" written by Chinua Achebe?
- 9 What is death compared to in the poem "Death, Be not Proud"?
- 7 of Innocence"? Why did the adults grow anxious about the child in Perumal Murugan story "Mirror
- $\infty$ How did Natalya react after she found out that Lomov has come to propose her?
- I. Answer any Four of the following in about 80-100 words each:
- (4×5=20)
- reference to the poem "As a Son, My Daughter". Why does the Speaker want her daughter "to be all that she is not"? Explain with
- 2 Narrate the father's frustration as depicted in the story "Mirror of Innocence"
- and Guesser in the play "The proposal" Explain the argument of Lomov and Natalya over the superiority of their dogs Messer

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"Tightrope"? Why was Paba perplexed by the diet plan explained by the teacher in the story

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- 5) How did wonder haven become Nwando-haven in "My Daughter"?
- 6 Contrast the characters of the Doctor, the Talkative man and the rustic.
- 7 How according to John Donne, can even poppy cause better sleep than death?
- III. Answer any one of the following in about 200-250 words:
- じ Does "The Escape" endorse this statement? Substantiate. "The biggest enemy of man is his mind and his perception of people around him".
- 2) Explain with reference to Chinua Achebe's essay "My Daughters" How do the simple colonial stories and narratives affect the innocent Native minds?
- $\Im$ "The Proposal" ownership. Comment on the paradox of the Russian society as manifested in the play Lomov is tensed to talk about the marriage but confronts Stepanova on property

# SECTION-B

# (Grammar and Composition - 30 marks)

- Ŋ Rearrange the following words and phrases to from meaningful sentences:  $\mathfrak{G}$
- stress/helps/meditation/release
- 7 good/handwriting/a/is/paper/smile/on/a
- ≺ Frame meaningful sentences using the following words:
- Resemble
- 2) Enthusiastic
- $\mathbf{Y}$ Fill in the blanks using correct form of word:

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- Sonnets the epoch of English poetry in a way (glory)
- VII. Write a paragraph on the following:

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Write a note on the steps of writing a report.

2) Prepare five slides on Environment Pollution.

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VIII. Read the passage and make notes using format of your choice:

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of India from 2002 to 2007. Renowned for his pivotal role in the nation's civilian space programme and military missile development. He was known as the Missile Man of India He made significant contributions to India's Pokhrn-II nuclear tests in 1998 which established him as a national hero. An alumnus of the prestigious Madras Institute of Technology, Kalam began his career as a scientist at the Aeronautical Development Establishment of the Defense Research and Development Organisation (DRDO). He was later transferred to the Indian Space Research organisation (ISRO) where he served as the project director of India's First Satellite Launch (SLV-III). He eventually rejoined DRDO and became closely involved in India's space programme. He served as the Chief Scientist 2002. Immensely popular during his term, he earned the moniker of People's President. He Advisor to the Prime Minister in the 1990s before becoming the President of India in was honoured with several awards including Bharath Ratna, India's highest civilian honour, for his contribution to the nation's space and nuclear power programme. A.P.J Abdul Kalam was a prominent Indian Scientist who served as the 11th president

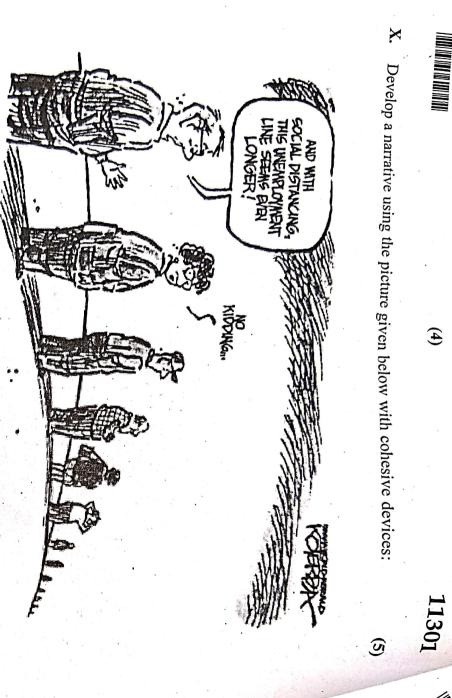
Z M.H.R.D has directed all the states to conduct two-days "Career Conclave" for graduating class in all government colleges. Prepare a report on the possible outcome of the program.

(OR)

colleges. As a reporter of "The Deccan Times" prepare a report impressed to see that nearly 55 companies from various sector such as Information You visited a Job Fair organized by Ability Foundation in Chennai recently. You were Technology, Telecommunication, Electronics etc offered jobs to the final year students of

You may use following hints:

- Description of Jon Fair.
- Name of the different companies





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Semester B.A./B.S.W./B.A.(MUSIC) Degree Examination,

March/April - 2023

# ENGLISH

English Language - III

(CBCS Scheme Repeaters 2019-20)

Paper: III

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

# Instructions to Candidates:

- . Answer all the questions.
- 2. Write the question numbers correctly.

PART - I(Grammar Section) (30Marks)

P Write a reflective paragraph on the following topic in about 80-100 words:

The most remarkable role of a person in your life.

(OR)

Ħ Write a narrative paragraph on the following topic in about 80-100 words:

Your visit to historical place on college trip.

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title and moral. Write a story in about 150-200 words using the hints given below. Give a suitable <u>U</u>

and his wife -- she liked fruits ---- asked for monkey's heart --- invited for dinner is on the tree ---- saved his life There lived a monkey ---- jamoon (berry) tree --- bank of a river --- there lived a crocodile - hear

III. A. Write a monologue on the following topic.

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A teenager complains to a friend about lack of time for sports.

(OR)

B. Write a dialogue on the following topic:

A father advising his son about education and success in life. (Inner and outer dialogues).



(5)Summarize the passage given below and give a suitable title:

A painter of eminence had once resolved to finish a piece of art which should please the whole world. When, therefore, he had drawn a picture in which his utmost skill was exhausted, it was exposed in the public market-place, with directions at the bottom for every spectator to mark with a brush that lay by every limb, and feature which seemed erroneous. The spectators came and in the general public applauded; but each, willing to show his talent at criticism, marked whatever he thought improper. At evening, when the painter came, he was mortified to find the whole picture one universal blot-not a single stroke that had not the marks of disapprobation. Not satisfied with this trial, the next day he resolved to try it in a different manner and exposing his picture as before, desired that every spectator would mark those beauties he approved or admired.

The people complied: and the artist, returning, found his picture covered with the remarks of beauty; every stroke that had been yesterday condemned, now received the character of approbation. "Well", cried the painter, "I now find that the best way to succeed is to aim at satisfying the few".

Paraphrase the poem given below by choosing the right phrases given in the brackets: V.

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Little drops of water.		
Little grains of sand,		
Make the mighty ocean		
And the pleasant land.		
Thus the little minutes,		
Humble though they be,		
Make the mighty ages		
of eternity.		
So our little errors		
Lead the soul away		
From the path of virtue		
Far in sin to stray.		•
Little deeds of kindness,		
Little words of love,		
Help to make earth happy		
Like the heaven above.		
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earth happy)	tle things, take us into sin, make the mighty ages, make the	
The poet does not want us to minutes, though humble kindness and love	because little drops of water The little Similarly, our little errors Little acts of	



# Answer the following questions in one or two sentences each: VI.

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- What is verbal Communication? 1.
- What is non-verbal communication? Give two examples. 2.
- Write any two benefits of using body language in communication. 3.

# PART - II(Literary Section)

(40 Marks)

VII. Answer any five of the following questions in a sentence or two each:

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- What does the Walrus represent? 1.
- Which subject does the professor teach in the poem 'The Professor'? 2.
- Where did Saina Nehwal train to be a world champion? Where is it situated? 3.
- Name the two major awards Sania has in her wall of fame. 4.
- Mention the two 'fanatically at odds' people referred to in the poem 'Partition'. 5.
- Who was assigned with the job of partitioning India? 6.
- Name the four great university towns during the reign of Ashoka? 7.
- How does Nehru conclude his letter?

# VIII. Answer any two of the following questions in about a page each:

# (Choosing one from literary section and one from Drama is compulsory). (2×5=10)

- Bring out the contrast between the young oyster and the old oyster. 1.
- How did Sania enter into the field of sports? 2.
- Describe the role played by Ashoka in the spread of Buddhism in India. 3.
- 4. Discuss the subplot of Awali and Jawali.
- Why did the queen want to get the prince Shivanaga married? Briefly explain. 5.

# IX. Answer any two of the following questions in about two pages each:

# (Choosing one from Literary Section and one from Drama is Compulsory).(2×10=20)

- Ashoka redefined monarchy-Discuss.
- Saina Nehwal has been an epitome of women empowerment. Discuss. 2.
- How do Awali and Jawali introduce the theme of the play? 3.
- The lamp-bearing maiden navigates the life of the prince. Discuss. 4.
- Kamala and Sirisampige represent two contrasting worlds. Explain. 5.

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# III Semester M.A Degree Examination, June/July - 2023

# **ENGLISH LITERATURE**

Academic English (Open Elective)

(CBCS - Semester Scheme)

**Paper** : 3.5

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Instructions to Candidates:

Attempt ALL Parts.

# PART -A

- $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ Answer the following questions of 2 marks each in 2 or 3 sentences I.
  - Why should one review structure and content? a.
  - How to choose a topic for a paragraph. b.
  - What is a paragraph? And give its structure. c.
  - What is an Essay? d.
  - What is thesis statement? e.
  - What is an introduction? f.
  - What is the importance of a conclusion? g.
  - What is a cohesive device. h.
  - What is unity in an essay?
  - What is personal statement in a letter? į.

### PART-B

Answer any FOUR from the Six questions given below. II.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

- Explain the six steps involved in the writing process. 1.
- What is brainstorming? Give the three different types of brainstorming. 2.
- Complete the following: 3.

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tries to make the patients whole body well again.(b)\_\_\_\_\_, doctors of Chinese medicine believe that inside people, there are two types of energy. The first type of energy called 'yin' is quite and passive. The other type of energy called 'yang' is active.

When there is imbalance - too much in ,(c) \_\_\_\_\_ a person become unhealthy. A doctor of Chinese medicine does not try to stop a person's cough by giving cough medicine.(d) \_\_\_\_\_, the doctor gives a mixture of herbs that will restore balance in the patient's body. (e) \_\_\_\_\_, when the body is in balance the cough will stop naturally.

(As a result, therefore, for example, instead, specifically rather)

- 4. Write the outline of an essay on any **ONE** of the following topics:
  - a) Need for physical education courses.
  - b) Role of Youth in Nation Building.
  - c) The production and sale of cigarettes should be made illegal.
- 5. How to write a strong thesis statement? Give examples.
- 6. Write a short essay based on the list given below:

Why Yoga is the perfect workout

Introduction

Yoga is the best form of exercise.

2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph - Yoga is ideal for those with lower fitness levels

Yoga can help build muscles in a slow way

It can be done at varying levels

3rd paragraph - Yoga is good for the mind

Taking part in yoga can help you relax

Yoga focuses on breathing techniques which are proven to reduce stress.

Evidence to back up the previous fact

Conclusion

Yoga is an excellent way of working out and can have benefits such as ....

### PART-C

# III. Answer any Three of the following:

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

- 1. Write a short note on research process with the steps involved in it.
- 2. Write a letter to the University Admission Office, seeking information on the different foreign languages available to the students as a part of open elective.



- Write a CV with personal statement attached, for the post of Assistant Manager at 3. Wipro, a multinational company .
- Write an essay on any one: 4.
  - Dr. B R Ambedkar Jayanthi i.
  - University Life. ii.
- Write a letter to the bank on closing your savings bank account. 5.

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III Semester B.A./B.S.W/B.A. (Music) Degree Examination, March/April - 2023 GENERIC ENGLISH

Paper: Language English (NEP Model Scheme Freshers)

Time: 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

# Instructions to Candidates:

- 1) Answer all the questions.
- 2) Mention the question numbers correctly.

# PART-I

# (LITERARY SECTION)

(40)

L Answer any TWO of the following questions in about a page each.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- 1. Why is Bhishma agitated at the beginning of the play?
- 2. What advice does Bhishma give Arjuna regarding learning archery?
- 3. Explain Drona's teachings of karma.
- II. Answer any TWO of the following questions in about two pages each.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$ 

- 1. Write a note on the family background of Ekalavya and his motive in learning archery.
- 2. Is Dronacharya an ideal teacher? Discuss with examples
- 3. Describe the situation where in Ekalavya cuts his thumb.
- III. Answer any TWO of the following in about a page.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- 1. Explain briefly Kiran Bedi's philosophy of life.
- 2. What according to Martin Luther King Jr, are the ways to achieve freedom and equality for the Blacks?
- 3. Elucidate briefly the three visions of Dr. APJ Kalam.

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# PART-II

# (GRAMMAR SECTION)

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IV. Prepare five slides for a Power point presentation on 'Meditation has a lot of health benefits. Help your friends to decide on making it a daily habit with the help of a presentation.'

(OR)

Prepare five slides for a power point presentation on 'Plastic use'. Each slide should have a title followed by a sub-heading (5)

V. Write a paragraph in about 150 words, on your favorite TV show.

Hints; Entertaining, good story content, moral, good acting.

(5)

(OR)

One of your friends, Raman, is very gentle and polite to you. You regard him as your best friend. Describe him in 100-150 words.

(OR)

You recently witnessed the World Cup India-South Africa Cricket match that was played in the city of Nagpur. Start to finish it was a nail-biting match. Describe it in 100-15 0 words.

VI. Write a letter, on behalf of Royal Oak Agencies to TIP TOP Furnishers, Patna, asking for quotation of prices for their steel furniture for offices and homes. Enquire also about concession and commission given and about the mode of payment and credit facilities (5)

(OR)

You have purchased a mobile from Amazon shopping App. You are dissatisfied with the performance of the product. The dealer has refused to look into the matter. Write a complaint letter to the Manufacturing unit, Pune Electronic Corporation, Mumbai-I, requesting them to re-direct the dealer to look into the matter along with reply letter.

VII. An IIT graduate friend of yours wants to launch an IIT-JEE Competition Tutorial Centre.

Draft a classified advertisement for him.

(5)

(OR)

Prepare a brochure to promote the Andaman and Nicobar Islands as a holiday destination Use the given information -Introduction- Local Attractions- Sightseeing-Cuisine Accommodation-Shopping.