

B.Com. Semester - 5 (CBCS) Examination
December -2020 (OLD COURSE)
ENGLISH LANGUAGE - 5(FOUNDATION)

Time: 1:30 Hours

Marks: 42

Instructions:

1. Figures to the right indicate marks.
2. There are five questions in the question paper.
3. Answer any three of the following questions.

- Q.1 Write short notes on the following. (any two) (14)
- (1) How can you source the startup money for your business?
 - (2) Describe how Jakhra lived the life of brahmachari?
 - (3) What makes Mangal Yaan a considerable achievement?
 - (4) Communication to individual focused cultures.
- Q.2 Answer the following questions briefly. (any seven) (14)
- (1) What was the 'other poison' which killed Jakhra?
 - (2) What is meant by the horizontal and vertical distinction among societies?
 - (3) What is the use of an emergency fund and how large should it be?
 - (4) How did India manage to limit mangalyaan's cost?
 - (5) What is meant by 'Jugaad' innovations?
 - (6) Who was Teja Ba?
 - (7) Why do some people criticize India's space programme?
 - (8) Why does the author say that 'If you are in business, then you are in a global business'?
 - (9) How large is India's rural economy?
- Q.3(A) As the secretary of Vimal Industries Ltd. Ahmedabad, write an individual report to the managing director about the causes of frequent strikes by the workers. (07)
- (B) Prepare a questionnaire leading to a survey of consumer's preferences to a new mobile handset. (07)
- Q.4 Read the following share market report and answer the questions given below it. (14)
- Global Clues Boosted Sensex Up 136 Points.
- Agencies.
- Mumbai, 03 October.
- The Bombay Stock Exchange's benchmark Sensex and the broadbased S & P CNX Nifty today scaled new heights as the stock market extended gains for the second straight day on the back of strong global clues, setting aside worries over rising inflation.
- Driven higher by sector specific activity, the bellwether sensex touched a new intra-day high of 14462.77. It later ended the day at an all time high of 14403.77, up 136.59 points or 0.96 percent over yesterday's close of 14267.18.
- Similarly, the National Stock Exchange's (NSE) Nifty Scaled a new trading peak of 4198.70 and closed at a record high of 4183.50, recording a rise of 46.30 points or 1.12 percent over the last close of 4137.20.
- The market sentiment was enlivened by good buying support from operators and fresh buying by FIIs in Reliance Communications, HDFC, Wipro, Satyam Computer, ACC, GACL and Grasim, brokers said.
- Despite concerns overstretched valuations and high inflation pressure, investors seemed to be encouraged by record net profits earned by a majority of corporate in the third quarter of this fiscal. Major companies have mostly reported robust growth in December quarter earnings. And the central bank raised its 2006/07 economic growth forecast this week to 8.5-9.0 percent from 8 percent.
- "The market is clearly being driven by fundamental development and easy global liquidity-profit growth has been fantastic", said Jigar Shah, director at KR Choksey Shares and Securities. "It looks like the momentum will continue".

Questions:

- (1) Explain the title of the given report in Simple English.
- (2) At what points did Nifty close?
- (3) In which scripts was fresh buying done by the Foreign Institutional Investors?
- (4) What is the trend of the market? Why?
- (5) What did Central Bank do with its 2006/07 economic growth?
- (6) What is meant by bellwether?
- (7) Give full form of FIIs.

Q.5 Write short notes on the following. (Any two)

(14)

- (1) Online learning v/s face to face learning.
- (2) Covid-19.
- (3) Online business.
- (4) Can women justify job and family both?
