

B.A. Semester - 2 (CBCS) Examination
March/April - 2023 (OLD COURSE)
FOUNDATION COURSE IN ENGLISH (FOUNDATION)

Time: 2:30 Hours**Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
 2. Figures to the right indicate marks.
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Q-1(A) Answer any Five question in one line each. (05)

1. What did Kadambini do to prove she was alive and not a ghost?
2. Who is the author of the story 'Little Girls Wiser Than Men'?
3. How did Akulya's frock get stained?
4. What was the real name of 'Saki'?
5. What was the postmaster was waiting for towards the end of the story?
6. Who was Ali? Where did he go daily?
7. To start the day, what did the salesman require to do?

Q-1(B) Attempt any Two short notes. (15)

1. Mr. Ratnam
2. Coachman Ali
3. Moral of the story 'Little Girls Wiser Than Men'

Q-2 Answer any Five questions in detail. (20)

1. Explain the title of the story 'Lemon-Yellow and Fig'.
2. Why did Ali give up hunting?
3. How did Akulya's grandmother try to calm the crowd?
4. Why did Baroness Gruebel not believe the legend of the castle?
5. How did Mr. Agarwal loose his service?
6. What was the legend of the castle of Cernogratz?
7. Who is Conrad and how is he different from the others?

Q-3(A) Fill in the blanks with suitable modal auxiliaries given in the brackets. (10)

1. The elders_____ be respected. (may, must, should)
2. You _____ smoke here. (can, may, should)
3. Namdev _____run fast when he was young. (might, can, could)
4. _____ you lend me your bike? please? (Can, May, Would)
5. She_____ have informed me earlier. (could, might, would)
6. Taxes _____ be paid. (should, must, can)
7. You _____ not come again. (dare, need, should)
8. _____you live long, my son! (Can, Shall, May)
9. She _____ be eighteen next month. (will, shall, can)
10. How_____ you? (ought to, need, dare)

(i) Give Synonyms of the following.

1. Fictitious
2. Remorse
3. Peasants
4. Kinship

(ii) Give Antonyms of the following.

1. Live
2. Useless
3. Weakness
4. Slavery

(iii) Give one-word of the following.

1. Without beginning or an end
2. A top-floor or attic room, especially a small dismal one

Q-4 Read the following table and answer the given questions:

Players	Centuries	Runs	Man of the Match
Sachin Tendulkar	50	11000	15
Ajay Jadeja	55	8553	10
Saurav Ganguly	40	7500	8
Suresh Raina	30	6200	10
Rahul Dravid	28	9200	07

Questions:

1. How many centuries does Saurav Ganguly hit?
2. How many runs does Suresh Raina hit in his cricket career?
3. How many Awards of Man of the Match does Ajay Jadeja win?
4. Who hits the maximum centuries in the given table?
5. Who hits the maximum runs in the given table?
