

B.A. Semester - 2 (CBCS) Examination
March/April – 2024 (As Per Syllabus Year-2018)
COMPULSORY ENGLISH (FND)

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

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

Que.1(A) Answer any Eight questions in one line each. (08)

1. What was the name of Nachiketa's father?
2. Who was Ali's Daughter?
3. Where did the two girls meet?
4. The literary form of 'The world is too much with us' is _____.
5. The mountain considers the squirrel to be _____.
6. Who warned Malasha before steeping into the muddy puddle?
7. Which are Leo Tolstoy's best known novels?
8. Who is the author of the poem 'If'?
9. Why is the post office referred to as Ali's 'Place of Pilgrimage'?
10. The story 'Nachiketa' is taken from _____.

Que.1(B) Answer any Three questions shortly. (06)

1. Why did Nachiketa feel troubled?
2. Justify the title of the story 'The Letter'.
3. Why did the mother of the two girls start fighting?
4. What is the central idea of the poem 'If'?

Que.2 Attempt any Two of the following short notes. (14)

1. Nachiketa
2. Coachman Ali
3. The moral of 'The Mountain and the Squirrel'
4. The theme of the story 'Little Girls Wiser than Men'

Que.3(A) Fill in the blanks with suitable primary auxiliaries given in the brackets. (07)

1. Dhruv and Dravya _____ brothers. (is, are, were)
2. She _____ a new car. (have/ has)
3. Vir, along with his friend, _____ not go to the college. (does/do)
4. Here _____ the mangos. (are/is)
5. Twenty miles _____ too far to walk. (is/ are)
6. All of the cake _____ gone. (is/are)
7. Mathematics _____ very difficult subject. (is/are)

Que.3(B) Fill in the blanks with appropriate form of verb given in the brackets. (07)

1. My grand mother _____ to temple everyday. (to go)
2. Khushi will be _____ the captain. (to make)
3. English _____ all over the world. (to speak)
4. The bus _____ before we _____ the station. (leave + come)
5. Dr. Raj _____ poems for two hours. (to recite)
6. We _____ Sasan Gir yesterday. (to visit)
7. _____ is the best exercise. (to swim)

Que.4(A) Study the following dialogue and fill the blanks appropriately. (07)

Doctor: What's _____?
Dravya: I feel unwell.
Doctor: _____?
Dravya: Yes, I have some temperature.
Doctor: _____?
Dravya: Yes, I feel severe headache.
Doctor: I prescribe some medicine for you.
Dravya: _____.
Doctor: Thrice in a day after taking meal.
Dravya: _____?
Doctor: You will get well in a three days.
Dravya: _____?
Doctor: Only Rs. 100.
Dravya: _____.
Doctor: You are welcome.

Que.4(B) Meera invites her friend Rekha in her marriage. Prepare a dialogue. (07)

Que.5(A) Write a letter to your father asking permission to join a college tour. (07)

OR

Write a letter to your brother thanking for the birthday gift.

Que.5(B) Prepare a Report on celebration of the Annual Day of your college. (07)

OR

Prepare a Report on Vice Chancellor's visit to your college.
