

B.Com. Semester - 3 (CBCS) Examination
Oct/Nov. -2019 [NEW COURSE]
English Language - 3(Foundation)

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

Instructions:

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

Que-1 (A) Change the degree. (Any five) (05)

1. Namdev played better than Shyam.
2. The Ganga is the longest river in India.
3. No other teacher is so sincere as Mr. Raj.
4. Very few girls are as wise as Shyamli.
5. Gold is costlier than most other metals.
6. Junagadh is the oldest cities in India.
7. Raju runs as fast as Kaju.

Que-1 (B) Do as directed. (Any Five) (05)

1. The synonym of word 'famous' is _____.
 (a) Welknown (b) grand (c) notorious (d) fame
2. The synonym of the word 'consequence' is _____.
 (a) Lonely (b) result (c) preparation (d) golden
3. The synonym of the word 'solace' is _____.
 (a) Comfort (b) condemn (c) criticise (d) appreciate
4. The antonym of the word 'lazy' is _____.
 (a) Conduct (b) hard-working (c) sleepy (d) helpless
5. The antonym of the word 'cheap' is _____.
 (a) Costly (b) fastly (c) quickly (d) calmly
6. The antonym of the word 'protest' is _____.
 (a) Carry (b) favour (c) fetch (d) crumb
7. The synonym of the word 'triumph' is _____.
 (a) Victory (b) defeat (c) defect (d) fault

Que-1 (C) Do as directed. (Any Five) (05)

1. Provide prefixes to the following words.
 (i) Capable (ii) honest (iii) close (iv) curricular
2. Provide suffixes to the following words.
 (i) Comfort (ii) wood (iii) great

Que-1 (D) Give the meaning of following phrasal verbs and use in a sentences. (Any Five) (05)

1. Put up with
2. Look into
3. Knock down
4. Go out
5. Fall in
6. Come across
7. Blow up

Que-2 (A) Write a letter the Municipal Commissioner complaining about irregularity of the sweepers in your society. (10)

OR

Write a letter to Police Inspector about the operating a gambling den near your residence.

Que-2 (B) Study the following paragraph and answer the questions given below. (10)

Dronacharya was the guru of the Pandvas and the Kauravas. He taught the archery. Eklavya was a tribal boy. He was eager to learn archery from Dronacharya. But Dronacharya refused to accept him as his disciple because he was not a prince. This made Eklavya unhappy but he did not lose courage. He returned to the forest, made a statue of Guru Drona and practiced archery before him. Once, while he was practicing dog's loud barking disturbed him. So he filled the dog's mouth with arrows, without hurting it. Dronacharya, who was passing by saw this and was surprised.

Questions:-

1. Who was the Guru of the Pandavas and the Kauravas?
2. Who was Eklavya?
3. Did Dronacharya accept Eklavya as his disciple? Why?
4. How did Eklavya practice archery?
5. What did Eklavya do to stop the dog barking?

Que-3 (A) Answer any six questions in one line each. (06)

- (1) Where did the Swallow want to go for the winter?
- (2) Who is the author of the story 'The Happy Prince'?
- (3) What is the name of Richard Wright's autobiography?
- (4) What did the step-brother want from Lincoln?
- (5) Who was Abraham Lincoln?
- (6) Which are Khushwant Singh's well-known novels?
- (7) Who was the competitor for Jesse Owens at broad jump?
- (8) Where did The Olympic Games of 1936 held?

Que-3 (B) Write any three short answers. (09)

- (1) What made Jesse Owens an angry athlete?
- (2) What did Khushwant Singh's grandmother do before she passed away?
- (3) Why did Abraham Lincoln write this letter?
- (4) How did the Richard Wright's describe the boat?
- (5) Why was the statue of the Happy Prince weeping?

Que-4 Write any two short notes. (15)

- (1) The Happy Prince.
- (2) Richard Wright's mother.
- (3) Abraham Lincoln's advise to his brother.
- (4) Jesse Owens as an athlete.
