

B.A. Semester - 5 (CBCS) Examination
Oct/Nov - 2022 (NEW COURSE)
ENG Foundation English -5(Foundation)

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

Instructions:

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

Q.1. (A) Answer the following questions in one sentence: any SIX (06)

1. What did the narrator like about the girl in "The Eyes are not Here"?
2. Where did Abdul Kalam delivered this speech?
3. In the story 'The Best Investment I Ever Made', why did the young man attempt suicide?
4. In the story 'The Eyes are not here', why were the girl's parents anxious?
5. Who is the author of 'The Eyes are not here'?
6. Whom did the scorpion bite?
7. What is theme of the poem 'Still I Rise'?

(B) Answer briefly: any TWO (08)

1. What advice did the parents of the girl give to her?
2. How did the doctor help the young man?
3. In 'The Eyes are not here', what did the narrator find out about the girl?
4. Why did the peasants want to kill the scorpion?

Q.2. Write short notes: any TWO (14)

1. "Night of the Scorpion" as a commentary on Indian culture.
2. The narrator's attempt to impress the girl in 'The Eyes are not here'.
3. Decision of the young man to end his life in 'The Best Investment I Ever Made'.
4. Theme of the poem "Still I Rise"

Q.3. Do as directed: any SEVEN (07)

(A) Degrees of Comparison:

Change the following into comparative degree:

1. You are not so bold as Pradip.
2. Mobile is as useful as tablet.
3. Corona is not so dangerous as tobacco.

Change the following into positive degree:

1. Two is better than one.
2. Rahul is not stronger than Kapil.
3. English is more useful than Gujarati.

Change the following into superlative degree:

1. Very few places in Gujarat are as good as the Gir.
2. Some cities are as hot as Ahmedabad.

(B) Change into Indirect speech: (any seven) (07)

1. Sonu said to Mayuri, "I have given you a mobile."
2. The teacher said, "I am going to discuss Sociology".
3. "Where is the purse?" said Sachin to Shila.
4. The traveller said, "What a beautiful resort it is!"
5. He said to me, "I am reading a novel."
6. "Do you like South Indian movies?" said she to me.
7. He said, "Why are you happy, Tinu?"
8. The master said, "Type the letters".

Q.4. (A) Give meaning of the following idioms and phrasal verbs and use them in your sentences each: (07)

(ANY SEVEN)

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| 1. To bring to light | 5. To stand by |
| 2. To look into | 6. To pass away |
| 3. In full swing | 7. To carry on |
| 4. To give up | 8. To turn a deaf ear to |

(B) Study the following advertisement copy and answer the questions given below it:

(07)

A New Herbal Toothpaste
In Town



With Extracts of :

Lime, Mint & Mango Seed Kernel
Makes Teeth Strong, Shiny & Reduces Sensitivity

Hurry !

Inaugural Offer :
Buy 1 Get 1 Free

Manufactured & Marketed by :
Valsara Bioproducts Ltd., Mumbai

Available at all Leading Grocery & Toiletries Stores in 100, 200 gm Pack.

Questions:

1. What are the main benefits of this toothpaste?
2. What is the scheme in the toothpaste?
3. Which herbs are used in toothpaste?
4. In which standard packings is toothpaste available?
5. By whom is the toothpaste manufactured?
6. Where is toothpaste available?
7. In which city is the toothpaste made?

OR

(B) Prepare an advertisement copy for a shampoo.

Q.5. Write an essay on the following: any ONE

(14)

1. Nationalism
2. Save nature
3. City life V/s village life
4. Online shopping advantages and disadvantages
