

**B.A. Semester - 1 (CBCS) Examination**  
**Oct/Nov-2023 (Syllabus Year - 2016)**  
**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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- Que-1 (A) Answer any Five questions in one sentence each. (05)
- 1) When was 'The Last Leaf' published?
  - 2) Who is Ruskin Bond?
  - 3) Who has written 'The Snake in the Grass'?
  - 4) Why was Mr. Woodfield visiting 'the boss'?
  - 5) Who happened to meet the happy prince's statue?
  - 6) How far was Deoli from Delhi?
  - 7) Is 'The Happy Prince' to be considered as a pessimistic story?
- Que-1 (B) Write any Two short notes. (15)
- 1) The message in 'The Last Leaf'.
  - 2) The end of the story 'The Happy Prince'.
  - 3) The irony in the story The Snake in the Grass.
- Que-2 Answer any Five questions. (20)
- 1) What were the features of Greenwich Village that attracted the artists?
  - 2) What was the ending in 'The Night Train at Deoli'?
  - 3) Summarise the role of Dasa
  - 4) What did Boss show to Mr Woodfield?
  - 5) What does the swallow see when it flies over the city?
  - 6) Discuss the appearance of the statue of the happy prince.
  - 7) Did Dasa actually catch the snake? How do you know?
- Que-3 (A) Identify italics Parts of Speech from the bracket. (10)
- 1) *Subhash Chandra Bose* was a true national hero.(Noun, Pronoun, Adjective)
  - 2) Dhoni is a *game changer* player.(Adjective, Adverb, Interjection)
  - 3) Would you *to throw* a party? (Verb, Adverb, Adjective)
  - 4) Radha *and* Kinjal are room-mates.(Verb, Conjunction, Noun)
  - 5) *VOW!* He has won the match.(Conjunction, Interjection, Preposition)
  - 6) Crying is *her* habit.(Noun, Pronoun, Adjective)
  - 7) Our teachers teaches *nicely*.(Adjective, Adverb, Noun)
  - 8) The monkey is jumping *on* the roof.(Preposition, Adverb, Noun)
  - 9) The corona is a *fatal* disease.(Noun, Adjective, Adverb)
  - 10) You should *respect* elders.(Verb, Adverb, Adjective)

Que-3 (B) Fill in the blanks from the proper answer given in the bracket.

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- 1) Viral ....in a beautiful way.(writes, writing, written)
- 2) The Indians .....in the share market now a days.(invest, are investing, have been investing)
- 3) We .....just....our lunch(are finishing, have finished, finished)
- 4) .....you....?(Are complete, Have completed, Has completed)
- 5) Yesterday, my uncle...me a pen.(gifts, gifted, has gifted)
- 6) Piya and Devu ....the movie tomorrow.(watch, will watch, will be watching)
- 7) Look, the bulls .....here.(have approached, are approaching, approached)
- 8) The students....their homework daily.(prepare, are preparing, have prepared)
- 9) I .....my job since 1997.(have started, has been starting, am starting)
- 10) The cyclone.....a lot before the rescue team arrived..(had devastated, was devastating, devastated)

Que-3 (C) Fill in the gaps with the proper form of words given in the brackets,

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- 1) Aatma Nirbhar Bharat concept will ....change the mind set of the youth.(certainly, certain, certainty)
- 2) I...to join UPSC coaching class.(desirous, desire, desiring)
- 3) One must ... ones guilt.(admitting, admit, admission)
- 4) Dr Abdul Kalam was an .....missile man.(unbiased, unbiassing, unbiased)
- 5) Sudama is a....friend of Krishna.(devoted, devotional, devotistic)
- 6) Sardar Patel has been considered.....man of India.(an iron, an ironic, an ironical)
- 7) Salman Rushdie is a very....writer.(controversialist, controversial, controversialist)
- 8) Amitabh Bachchan is .....figure in the bollywood.(legend, legendry, legended)
- 9) We appreciate...of other people.(privacy, private, privateness)
- 10) He looks...in the class.(abnormal, abnormality, abnormalistic)

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