

B.Com. Semester - 1 (CBCS) Examination
Oct/Nov-2023 (Syllabus Year - 2016)
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 Answer the following questions in one line. (any five) (10)
1. Who wrote a newspaper article 'When Ideas Make Money'?
 2. Who runs Home Care, a home-cooked delivery service for pet dogs?
 3. What is Telco now?
 4. Where is Sudha Murthy from?
 5. Who is the chairman of Wipro company?
 6. Teenager at Work is written by _____.
 7. When was Facebook founded?
- Que.2 Answer the questions. (any five) (20)
1. What business did Suhag Khemlani venture into? How did she go about setting it up?
 2. Elaborate on Wipro's brand promise of 'Applying Thought'.
 3. How does Facebook lead to a decline in close relationships?
 4. How do banks increase their customers' savings?
 5. What sort of an employer was Tata? What lessons in leadership can you learn from him?
 6. Why does Daniel Gulati assert that Facebook has a dark side?
 7. Recount how Murthy's interview at Telco progressed.
- Que.3(A) Identify underlined parts of speech. (05)
1. Mukesh has been with us since 2015.
 2. Nita was cooking late night.
 3. They will change their old furniture.
 4. There are many difficult topics in grammar.
 5. Darshana loves riding bicycles.
- Que.3(B) Fill in the blanks from modal auxiliaries given in the bracket. (10)
1. I _____ swim in the well. (may, can, should)
 2. _____ We go for picnic, papa? (must, might, may)
 3. Everyone _____ have at least one ID proof. (can, shall, should)
 4. Raj hasn't studied well. He _____ fail in test. (must, could, might)
 5. My grandfather _____ get up early in the morning. (would, could, should)
 6. It _____ rain in the evening today. (must, may, can)
 7. My brother _____ not crack NET exam at first attempt. (could, should, would)
 8. Jimmy _____ come at my home tomorrow? (shall, will, may)
 9. She asked if she _____ have some snacks. (may, can, might)
 10. _____ you solve this sum? (may, can, might)

Que.3(C) Read the following sentences. Use the word given in the bracket to form a new word which fits in the blank. (05)

1. I saw _____ life in the village. (nature)
2. Please share your _____ to find your place easily. (locate)
3. Rajasthan is _____ state of India. (history)
4. There was a book _____ in our town last month. (exhibit)
5. Your _____ will improve our performance next time. (suggest)

Que.4(A) Fill in the blanks and complete the dialog. (05)

Rima: Hi

Sima: Hi, _____?

Rima: I am fine _____?

Sime: I am fine, too.

Rima: What are you doing?

Sima: I am going for shopping. _____?

Rima: Yes, let's go on my new e-bike.

Sima: Wow! It's great. _____?

Rima: It cost me 75000 rs.

Sima: It is ecofriendly bike. _____?

Rima: Yes, you are right. Let's go now.

Que.4(B) Customer visits mobile shop for purchasing a new mobile phone. Draft a dialog between customer and merchant discussing latest phones launched recently. (05)

Que.4(C) Ram introduces his friend to Shyam. Ram talks about. Draft ten sentences on Ram's friend using different adjectives on his height, size, color, personality, emotion, and characteristic. (10)
