

B.A.(HS) Semester - 5 (CBCS) Examination
Oct/Nov - 2023 (NEW COURSE)
English (Foundation)

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

Instructions:

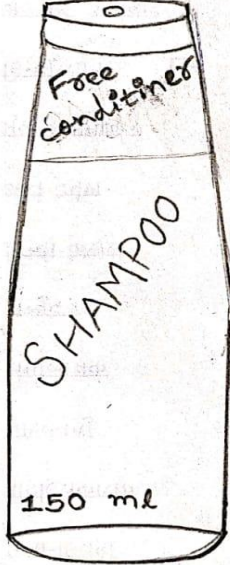
1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

- Que-1(A) Answer the following questions in one sentence: any SIX (06)
1. Name of the first satellite launched by India's satellite launch vehicle SLV3?
 2. What is Abdul Kalam's first vision for India?
 3. In the story 'The Best Investment I Ever Made', what did the Doctor save the young man from?
 4. What was Mr. John's actual profession?
 5. Who is the author of 'The Eyes are not here'?
 6. Which creature bit the mother in "Night of the Scorpion"?
 7. Who is the poet of the poem 'Still I Rise'?
- Que-1(B) Answer briefly: any TWO (08)
1. Why does the author say that it was the best investment he had ever made?
 2. What did the narrator like about the girl in "The Eyes are not here"?
 3. What advice did the girl's parents give her about the journey?
 4. What does the poet complain about in "Sonnet 29"?
- Que-2 write short notes: any TWO (14)
1. Use of irony in 'The Eyes are not here'
 2. Theme of the poem "Still I Rise"
 3. Efforts of the villagers in helping the mother
 4. Symbolism in the poem "Still I Rise"
- Que-3(A) Do as directed: (Any Seven) (07)
- change the following into comparative degree:
1. Leopard is not so noble as lion.
 2. Gujarati movies are as interesting as Hindi movies.
 3. Computer is not so useful as mobile.
- change the following into positive degree:
1. Photography is better than reading.
 2. Amla is more nutritional than apple.
 3. Girls are smarter than boys.
- Change the following into superlative degree:
1. Very few countries in the world are so good as India.
 2. IKS is more useful than any other subject.
- Que-3(B) Change into Indirect speech: (any seven) (07)
1. John said, "I have drawn a nice picture today."
 2. The teacher said to Pratap, "what are you doing?"
 3. "Where is the manager?" said Sweta to the peon.
 4. The tourist said, "What a beautiful hotel it is!"
 5. He said to me, "I am driving a car."
 6. "Do you take alcohol?" said she to me.
 7. He said, "The Sun sets in the West?"
 8. The customer said, "Make a gift packing, please".
- Que-4(A) Give meaning of the following idioms and phrasal: (08)
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| 1. To give up | 2. In full swing |
| 3. Ups and downs | 4. To carry on |
| 5. To pass away | 6. To make a mark |
| 7. To drop in | 8. To turn a deaf ear to |

Que-4(B) Read the following advertisement copy and answer the questions given below it:

(06)

NAVARATRI OFFER...



Features :

- anti-dandruff
- stops hair fall
- Long & silky hair
- stops hair breakage
- soft, lustrous and moisturised hair

* Free scheme upto Dussehra only

Dealer : Kuber Novelty, Subhash Road, Vezaval
www.kubernovelty.com

Questions:

1. Who is the advertiser of this ad?
2. Which are the features of the shampoo?
3. What is the special scheme for the product?

Que-5

Write an essay on the following: any ONE

(14)

1. Online shopping advantages and disadvantages
2. Library and its uses
3. Nationalism
4. Importance of Education
5. City life V/s Village life
