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I Semester B.Sc./B.C.A. (F.A.D) Degree Examination, March/April - 2022

ENGLISH

Language English - 1

(CBCS Scheme Repeaters 2018-19 and onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Instructions to Candidates:

1. Answer all the questions.
2. Write the question numbers correctly.



PART - A

(Literary component - 40 Marks)

I. Answer any **five** questions in **two** or **three** sentences : (5×2=10)

1. What old things does the poet prefer in the poem, 'I shall go back in the new year'?
2. When did the father find moments of tranquility in the sonnet?
3. How does the author's companion kill the wolf?
4. What advice did Mr. Velgi give to the mother?
5. Give the other name of Garri?
6. Who was Ahamed Jalaluddin?
7. Women are inferior to men in _____ and _____.
8. After Steve job was fired, he was _____.
 - a. disheartened
 - b. pessimistic
 - c. determined to birth
 - d. none

II. Answer any **four** questions in about **80-100** words (4×5=20)

1. What are the decisive resolutions taken by the poet in this new year?
2. Comment on the difference between the wars fought by father and the son in the sonnet 'My Father'.

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3. How does the author react on gaining the freedom in 'The Wolf'?
4. Why is Aloo not keen to pursue his studies at the local university like his peers?
5. Write a note on, "women cannot be considered inferior to men".
6. Explain Steve Jobs concept of death?
7. Note the similarities between the food and culture of the narrator's family and yours?

III. Answer any **one** question in about a page : (1×10=10)

1. "Leaving", is a story about family relations and Kinship" Elaborate.
2. Discuss in detail how the food habits signify one's sense of belonging and identity.
3. Comment on the title "Stay hungry, Stay foolish".

PART - B

(Language component - 30 marks)

IV. Fill in the blanks with words as directed in the brackets. (5×1=5)

1. They watched the football match _____. (curious/curiously).
2. My uncles live in a _____ house. (luxury/luxurious).
3. I _____ a lot of money on books yesterday (spent/send).
4. The new term starts _____ March. (from/with).
5. It is _____ to rain. (begin/beginning).

V. 1. Combine the sentences by using any of the following. (1)

(Who, when, that or which)

- a. It is clear. you are guilty. (1)
2. Fill in the blanks using the right form of verb (1)
 - b. 'Financial expert' _____ (is/are) a great novel by R.K. Narayan.
3. Fill in the blanks using the right tense. (1)
 - c. Some of the leaves have already _____ (fall/fallen) off the trees.
4. Correct the **errors** in the sentence. (1)
 - d. A Apple a day keeps the doctor away.
5. Fill in the blanks using the right word. (1)
 - e. We are not _____ to read in the library. (allowed/allow).



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VI. Read the following passage and answer the questions : (5×1=5)

Art is important all around the world. It can be amusing; entertaining, informative and inspiring. Or it can be threatening, disturbing and challenging. It can strengthen traditional values, spread new ideas or preserve a treasured heritage from past times.

The ancient Greeks were the greatest sculptors of the ancient world. They used sculptures to decorate their temples. The Greeks were experts at turning stone into life - like limitations of real people.

Traditionally, Native Americans carved tall tree - trunks into towering totem poles, and placed them outside the homes of powerful families. They were signs of high rank, and records of family history, they were sometime also thought to have protective powers.

In Tibet, painted canvas cloths called tankas hang in Buddhist temples. They show gods, spirits and sacred symbols, and help Buddhist worshippers pray. The artists who create tankas follow strict rules and use traditional patterns and colours when composing their designs.

1. Why is art important all around the world?
2. What does art strengthen?
3. What did the ancient Greek sculptures use sculpture for?
4. What did the Native Americans carve?
5. What were the totem poles signs of?

VII. Write a paragraph using topic sentence and the hints given. (5)

Topic sentences : Increasing Road accidents

Hints : Human carelessness, increasing number of vehicles, congestion, drunken driving, no respect for traffic rules, poorly maintained vehicles.

VIII. You are a resident of Jayanagar and in recent days the stray dog menace has caused severe problems to the residents of the area. Write a letter to the local municipal authorities seeking a quick remedy. (10)
