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Name :

Second Semester B.A./B.Sc. Degree Examination, August 2018
First Degree Programme under CBCSS
Language Course – III
EN 1211.1 – ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES
(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer **all** questions, **each** in a word or sentence.

- 1) Expand EIA.
- 2) What causes acid rain ?
- 3) Name two conventional energy sources.
- 4) What are endemic species ?
- 5) Name two bio-pesticides.
- 6) What is endosulfan ?
- 7) What are human rights ?
- 8) What is green manuring ?
- 9) What is ozone ?
- 10) What is population explosion ?

(1×10 =10 Marks)

II. Answer **any eight**, each in a short paragraph **not** exceeding **50** words.

- 11) What is biosphere ?
- 12) Write a note on solar energy.
- 13) Explain eco-system.
- 14) What is a biodiversity 'hotspot' ?
- 15) Write a note on the Ganga Action Plan.
- 16) Write a note on radioactive pollution.
- 17) What is watershed management ?
- 18) What is wasteland reclamation ?

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- 19) What is Environment Impact Assessment ?
- 20) What is the Chief Seattle's concept of God ?
- 21) What is in situ conservation ?
- 22) What are landfills ?

(2×8=16 Marks)

III. Answer **any six**, each in a paragraph **not exceeding 100 words**.

- 23) Write a note on Kerala's conflict with Tamil Nadu over Mullaperiyar dam ?
- 24) Write a note on nitrogen cycle.
- 25) Write a note on the climate and soil in India.
- 26) Explain 'Vermi-composting'.
- 27) What are the critical environment issues that affect Kerala ?
- 28) Write a note on soil pollution.
- 29) Write a note on the Narmada Bachao Andolan.
- 30) Write a note on Shashi Tharoor's reflections on the 'restricted bond of Indians'.
- 31) Write a note on population growth and its impact.

(4×6=24 Marks)

IV. Answer **any two** in about **300 words**.

- 32) Write an essay on the resources of the Earth.
- 33) Write an essay on 'Nutrient cycling' in an ecosystem.
- 34) Write an essay on conservation of biodiversity.
- 35) Summarize Isaac Asimov's views on the sustainability of the Good Earth.

(15×2=30 Marks)

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Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, August 2018
First Degree Programme under CBCS System
English Language and Literature
Core Course – II
EN 1241 : READING DRAMA
(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer all questions, each in a word or sentence.

- 1) Give the literal meaning of "comedy".
- 2) Tragedy and comedy originated in _____
- 3) Define Kitchen – Sink drama.
- 4) What is a Quibble ?
- 5) Who stabbed Julius Caesar at first ?
- 6) In which year might Julius Caesar have been composed ?
- 7) Define the nationality of Sergins.
- 8) How did Bartley die ?
- 9) Who exclaims, "What a man ! Is he a man !" ?
- 10) Name the aging actor presented by Chekhov. **(10×1=10 Marks)**

II. Write short description of not exceeding 50 words on any eight of the following :

- 11) Morality Plays.
- 12) Tragedy.
- 13) Sentimental comedy.
- 14) Opening scene of Julius Caesar.
- 15) Feast of Lupereal.
- 16) The setting of "Riders to the Sea".



- 17) Soldiering, an art of attacking or withdrawing.
- 18) Anachronism.
- 19) Contribution by Sajitha Madathil.
- 20) "Angry eye of God" as seen in "Thirst".
- 21) The gift of Sviethovidoff.
- 22) Monologue.

(8x2=16 Marks)

III. Write paragraphs of **not exceeding 100 words on any six** of the following :

- 23) Calpurnia.
- 24) The "noblest Roman".
- 25) Character of Maurya.
- 26) Sergins Saranoff.
- 27) Lorika and Raina.
- 28) "Thirst", a play of literary naturalism.
- 29) The significance of "Swan Song".
- 30) "Thirst", the title.
- 31) Presentation of Araya Community in "Matsyagandhi".

(6x4=24 Marks)

IV. Write essays of **two or three pages on any two** of the following :

- 32) Revenge Tragedy and Domestic Tragedy.
- 33) Mark Antony, as presented in Julius Caesar.
- 34) Arms and the Man – an appreciation.
- 35) Plight of a mother as presented in "Riders to the Sea".

(2x15=30 Marks)

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Second Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Degree Examination, August 2018
First Degree Programme under CBCSS
Language Course IV (English II)
Common for B.A./B.Sc. (EN 1212.1), B.Com. (EN 1211.2) &
Career Related 2(a) (EN 1211.3)
MODERN ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE
(2013 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- I. Answer **all** questions, **each** in a word or a sentence, following the directions given in brackets.
- 1) The principal promised him a prize. (Identify the predicate)
 - 2) He does not come here every day. (Change in to affirmative)
 - 3) He came early. (Add question tag)
 - 4) There is nothing _____ to be said. (further/farther)
 - 5) The picture was hanged on the wall. (Correct the mistake)
 - 6) The train left before I reached the station. (Rewrite correctly)
 - 7) Reading novels is a pleasure. (Begin the sentence with 'it')
 - 8) He agreed to give me help. (Rewrite using 'help' as verb)
 - 9) I met him on last Friday. (Rewrite correctly)
 - 10) A pair of shoes are expensive now a days. (Use the correct form of the verb)
(10×1=10 Marks)
- II. Answer any **eight**, each in a short paragraph **not** exceeding **50** words.
- 11) Rewrite as directed.
 - a) She is very tired.
She cannot walk. (Change into simple sentence)
 - b) He is poor.
But he is honest. (Change into complex sentence)
 - 12) Rewrite as directed.
 - a) Finish your work, I shall wait. (Change into complex sentence)
 - b) He was lazy. He failed. (Change into compound the sentence)
 - 13) Give the basic pattern of the following sentence.
 - a) She comes late.
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14) Correct the following sentences.

- a) You ever saw a live panther ?
- b) We just finished our home work

15) Change the voice.

- a) Did the noise frighten you ?
- b) My boss turned my suggestion down.

16) Rewrite using the proper verb from the brackets.

- a) Fifty kilograms _____ not a small weight. (is/are)
- b) One of my friends _____ a motor cycle. (has/have)

17) Frame a question so as to get the underlined word as answer.

- a) The train is two hours late.
- b) The jar is made of clay.

18) Change into the comparative.

- a) Nothing else travels as fast as light.
- b) Jim is not so generous as John.

19) Add suitable question tag.

- a) You know Mary, _____ ?
- b) Every one was present, _____ ?

20) Rearrange the jumbled words in to a meaningful sentence.

- a) sights/not/such/very/are/common
- b) efforts/crowned/his/were/with/success

21) Insert the given words in the proper places.

- a) I reach office early. (usually)
- b) The house is big for all of us. (enough)

22) Rewrite the following sentences replacing the underlined words with an adverb.

- a) He hasn't arrived so far
- b) She spoke in an arrogant manner

(8x2=16 Marks)

III. Answer any six of the following as directed.

23) Complete the following sentences using the correct form of the verbs.

When I (finish) my lunch I asked the waiter,

"Do you know the girl who (sit) over there ?"

"No sir, I do not know her to speak of. I notice she has lunch here on Saturdays"

"(Do) she come any other day ?"

"I never (see) her on other days"

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Career Related 2(a) (EN 1211.3)
MODERN ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE
(2013 Admission Onwards)

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24) Use the correct tens of the verbs given in brackets.

What (go) on in your house when I (call) on you last night ? I (ring) the bell three times but you (not answer) the door.

25) Rewrite the following sentences inserting appropriate prepositions.

- 1) They will be busy _____ the next three days.
- 2) Your membership will expire _____ 30 April.
- 3) Your application should reach the Secretary _____ 30 June.
- 4) My mother works _____ the Health Department.
- 5) She left _____ Mumbai yesterday.
- 6) We don't go to school _____ Sundays.
- 7) The house was reduced _____ ashes.
- 8) She is _____ the Committee for Women's Welfare.

26) Rewrite the following in indirect speech.

A : May I come in, sir ?

B : Come in please. How can I Help you ?

A : My son has passed the SSLC exam. I would like to know when the certificates are issued

B : On Monday. The student himself should come and collect the certificate.

27) Correct the following sentences.

- 1) She tried hardly for a first class.
- 2) I am having an uncle in Madras.
- 3) I dislike to eat meat.
- 4) Mary only eats fish on Fridays.

28) Complete the following sentences using suitable modal.

- 1) "_____ you come at once, please ?" requested the nurse.
- 2) "It _____ rain to night; look at the dark clouds." said Sreelakshmi.
- 3) You _____ not advice me what to do.
- 4) They _____ pay penalty for late payment.

29) Rewrite as directed.

- 1) They started before sunrise (Change into complex sentence)
- 2) On seeing the dog, the children began to cry (Change into complex sentence)
- 3) In spite of illness, he look cheerful (Change into compound sentence)
- 4) He is a businessman who is reliable (Change into simple sentence)

30) Fill up using articles.

There was _____ ugly scar on _____ face of _____ man who slept on _____ floor.



31) Rewrite the following passage providing correct punctuation.

ashoka the greatest king of india in ancient times converted to buddhism
after the kalinga war.

(4×6=24 Marks)

IV. Answer any two of the following.

32) "Self-help is the best help".

33) Write a short essay "Kerala – The God's Own Country".

34) Write a précis of the following passage.

There are hundreds of superstitions which survive in various parts of the country, and the study of them is rather amusing. We are told for example that it is unlucky to point to the new moon or to look at it through glass but if we bow nine times to it, we shall have a lucky month. Nearly all superstitions are concerned with "luck". Good luck is associated with black cats, horse shoes, the finding of a pin etc. Ill luck is associated with the howling of dogs, spilling of salt, crossing of knives, walking under a ladder and scores of other things.

Now suppose you tell a scientist that you believe in a certain superstition ____
Let us say, howling of a dog is a sign of death. The scientist will immediately require evidence before he can accept your belief. He will want figures to prove it. It will be useless quote two or three cases; he will want hundreds. He will want to know (i) if it ever happens that the howling of a dog is not followed by death; (ii) if ever a person's death is predicted by the howling of dogs. The answer to the former question is in the affirmative and the latter in the negative. Your superstition will not bear investigation. It may impress an ignorant person; but it cannot face the light of facts. Your case could not carry conviction in a court of law. Apart from this process of testing by results, any intelligent man will want to know "the reason why". Is there a cause-effect relation between the howling of a dog and a person's death ?

35) Arrange the given sentences in the proper order.

(Hint: Sentence 1 and sentence 10 are in the correct order. The rest of the sentences have to be rearranged as so as to give logical sense to the whole passage)

Once upon a time it was difficult to decide whether the royal swan or peacock was the king of the universe. Nor are there any royal swans that swim in the shimmering waters of Mansarovar. And the princesses used to scatter pearls across palace courtyards to tempt their swan lovers. Now, no one knows where Mansarovar is. In those days royal swans used to swim in the lakes that were translucent as white pearls. In our time there are no swan lovers who can be seduced by pearls. They exist only in the world of fables and myths. The lakes are dry, the rivers polluted and the air thick with the dust and smoke of bombs. The royal swans have flown away in search of clear air and pure water. Only the poor ducks and geese have been left behind to bear the burden of our times.

(2×15 = 30 Marks)

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Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, August 2018
First Degree Programme Under CBCSS
Journalism – Complementary Course for English
CJ 1231 : HISTORY OF INDIA MEDIA
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

Write answers in one word to maximum two sentences to the following :

(10×1=10 Marks)

1. James Silk Buckingham.
2. Serampore Missionaries.
3. Mathrubhoomi.
4. Gnana Nikshepam.
5. Swadeshibimani Ramakrishna Pillai.
6. K. P. Kesava Menon.
7. Dadasaheb Phalke.
8. Adoor Bhasi.
9. Chengulathu Kunhirama Menon.
10. Herman Gundert.

SECTION - B

Write short notes, each not exceeding 60 words, on any eight of the following :
(8x2=16 Marks)

11. Indian Opinion.

12. Rajyasamacharam.

13. Kerala Kaumudi.

14. Satyajit Ray.

15. Kesari Balakrishna Pillai.

16. Kandathil Varghese Mappilai.

17. Asianet.

18. Deepika.

19. Deepika.

20. Malayalam Community Radio.

21. Vigathakumaran.

22. Dileesh Pothan.

SECTION - C

Write short essay, each not exceeding 120 words, on any six of the following :
(6x4=24 Marks)

23. Write a brief note on Kerala Patrika.

24. Write a note on Kerala Kaumudi.

25. Summarize Gandhi's contributions to Indian independence as a journalist.

26. Write a note on the origin of Indian Cinema.

27. Summarize on the origin of Malayalam FM.

28. Comment briefly on Al-Ameen.

29. Write a note on major developments of Malayala Manorama.
30. Comment on Freedom of Press with relevance to recent events.
31. Critically analyse the discussions during the news bulletin in Malayalam News Channels.

SECTION - D

Write any two long essays from the following :

(2×15=30 Marks)

32. Write a detailed note on the contributions of Christian Missionaries to Malayalam Journalism.
 33. Discuss the contributions of Raja Ram Mohan Roy as a journalist.
 34. Analyze in detail any one of the radio programmes of AIR.
 35. Elaborate on Vakkom Abdul Khader Moulavi.
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English Language and Literature
and
Career Related First Degree Programme under CBCS System
Group 2(a) : English and Communicative English
Complementary Course – III
EN 1231 and CG 1231 : HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE – II
(2013 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer **all** questions, **each** in a word or sentence.

- 1) Who wrote *A Vindication of Natural Society* ?
- 2) Jonathan Swift's _____ is both a delightful children's book and a scathing satire on mankind.
- 3) Which work of the Caroline Age is regarded an allegory about faith and salvation ?
- 4) The last novel of Henry Fielding.
- 5) Which great man of letters can be placed between Alexander Pope and William Wordsworth ?
- 6) In which poem does William Blake express his views on the Trans Atlantic slave trade ?
- 7) Name Milton's first poem.
- 8) Who wrote *The Hind and Panther* ?
- 9) Author of *Frankenstein*.
- 10) Mention Coleridge's most valuable prose work. **(10×1=10 Marks)**

II. Answer **any eight**, **each** in a short paragraph **not** exceeding **50** words.

- 11) Scandalous club.
- 12) Why was the Glorious Revolution of 1688 known so ?
- 13) Characteristics of Gothic novel.



- 14) *Lycidas*.
- 15) Significance of Will's Coffee House.
- 16) Wordsworth's pantheism.
- 17) Heroic Couplet.
- 18) How did the English develop a 'taste' for coffee ?
- 19) Mention the two aspects of Pope's personal life that influenced his poetic career.
- 20) Comedy of Manners.
- 21) Civil War of 1642.
- 22) Characteristics of Richardson's novels. **(8×2=16 Marks)**

III. Answer **any six, each** in a paragraph **not exceeding 100 words**.

- 23) Neo Classical poetry
- 24) Cromwellian Interregnum
- 25) Metaphysical poets
- 26) Bunyan's *Pilgrim's Progress*
- 27) Younger Romantics
- 28) Laurence Sterne
- 29) Cavalier Poets
- 30) Rise of satire in the 18th century
- 31) Jane Austen. **(6×4=24 Marks)**

IV. Answer **any two, each** in about **two to three pages**.

- 32) Elucidate how the English novel blossomed in the hands of Samuel Richardson, Henry Fielding, Laurence Sterne and Tobias Smollett.
 - 33) Explain why the Romantic period of England was also called the 'Age of Revolution'.
 - 34) Clearly distinguish the characteristics of 'Age of Pope' and 'Age of Johnson'.
 - 35) List out the salient features of literature in the Restoration Age. **(2×15=30 marks)**
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