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B.Sc Degree (CBCS) Examinations

OCTOBER 2021

EXAMINATION AT THE END OF II SEMESTER

PART I ENGLISH

A COURSE IN READING & WRITING SKILLS

TIME: Three hours Maximum 60 Marks

Answer any FIVE of the following: 5X4=20

1. Make adjectives out of the following using -al, -ent, -ful, -able.
   a. Differences are common. My brother is ..... from me.
   b. Beauty attracts the eye. Therefore, everything ..... is attractive.
   c. He takes part in politics. He is a ..... leader.
   d. The poem offers easy reading. It is a ..... poem.

2. **Fill in the blanks with appropriate one word substitute for the following:**
   a. Medical study of skin diseases
      i. Nephrology
      ii. Dermatology
      iii. Gynecology
      iv. Ornithology
   b. Words with same meaning
      i. Antonyms
      ii. Pairs
      iii. Substitutes
      iv. Synonyms
   c. One who talks in sleep
      i. Somniloquy
      ii. Eloquent
      iii. Alacrity
      iv. Agility
   d. People who work together
      i. Worker
      ii. Staff
      iii. Colleague
      iv. Coordinators

3. **Fill in the blanks using appropriate verbs that complete the collocation:**
   a. The Prime Minister ..... a speech at the UN. (made, said, spoke)
   b. If you park your car here, you will have to .....the fine. (remit, pay, send)
   c. Few people can ..... a promise (keep, reserve, preserve)
   d. They ..... close to hitting each other. (took, brought, came,)

4. **Define scanning and explain its advantages.**

5. **What is skimming and what care do you take while skimming passages?**

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6. Develop the given hints into a paragraph

Rich farmer – lot of land – cattle and servants – two sons – happy – some time – young son unhappy – asked for separation – didn't listen to father – received share – sold – another country – fell into bad habits – money gone – no one to help – realizes.

7. Make notes of the following passage

There was a boy. His name was Mohandas. He was studying in a school at Rajkot. He was not bright at studies, but was very fond of reading. Once he read the story of Shravana. Shravana used to carry his old and blind parents in two baskets slung on a bamboo yoke. Mohandas was deeply touched by his devotion to his old parents. He resolved to be like Shravana and serve his parents. Once, Mohan saw a play depicting the life of King Harishchandra who lost his kingdom and suffered much for truth. Mohandas was so deeply moved by this play that he was in tears. He decided never to swerve from the path of truth and be ever truthful and honest like Hrishchandra. In his childhood the young Gandhi was very timid. He feared to step in darkness, even in his own house. He feared ghosts and thieves and snakes. Rambha was a maid servant in his house. Once she said to Mohandas: `Why are you so much fearful? Remember Rama! Rama will always protect you. Fear never encounters him who remembers Rama.' Mohan was deeply impressed by these words.

8. Write a resume/CV responding to the following advertisement

Wanted Science graduate teachers preferably women with English medium background and at least 2 years' experience in Montessori System to teach lower classes. Apply immediately to the Principal, Adarsha English Medium Public School, Port Road, Visakhapatnam – 531 022

9. Write an official letter to the Coordinator, National Green Life Federation, Rajahmundry to donate 500 saplings to undertake a mega plantation campaign in slum localities of your town.

10. You sent back your recently purchased mobile phone 15 days ago for replacement of a guaranteed spare part. So far, you haven't heard anything from them. Write a mail to the servicemanager@gmail.com as a reminder to complete the repair and return your mobile.

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Section – B

Answer all the questions:

5X8=40

11. A.How were the Kelvey's children discriminated by other children?

Or

B. Describe the significance of "The Doll's House"

12. A. What was the narrator's perception about the Deoli station?

Or

B. Narrate the story of the Night Train at Deoli from the girl's point of view.

13. A. Justify the title of the poem "West Wind"

Or

B. How does the West Wind act as both the destroyer and the preserver?

14. A. How does Sarojini Naidu describe the life of the Coromandel fishers?

Or

B. Write the summary of Sarojini Naidu's poem "Coromandel Fishers."

5. A. How does Guru Nayak manage to save his skin at the end?

Or

B. Summarize the story of "The Astrologer's Day"?

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