

**F.Y.B.A. SEM – II (CBCS 2018 Course) : SUMMER - 2019**  
**SUBJECT : COMPULSORY ENGLISH – II**

Day : Wednesday  
Date : 10/04/2019

Time : 11.00 A.M. TO 02.00 P.M.  
Max. Marks : 60

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**N.B.:**

- 1) All questions are **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate **FULL** marks.

**Q.1** Attempt **ANY TWO** of the following: **[12]**

- a) What are Mahatma Gandhi's views on equal distribution?
- b) Present the details of Wasserkopf's examination by his teachers.
- c) What did the prisoner write in his letter?

**Q.2** Critically appreciate **ANY TWO** of the following poems: **[12]**

- a) 'The Golden Pitcher' by Acharya Vidyasagar Maharaj.
- b) 'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening' by Robert Frost.
- c) 'No Men are Foreign' by James Kirkup.

**Q.3** Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: **[12]**

- a) Vinoba Bhave's opinion about education and defence
- b) William Hazlitt's advice to his son
- c) Polonius' advice to his son Laertes

**Q.4 A)** Match the words with their **Synonyms** in the columns given below: **[06]**

**'A'**

- a) Lament
- b) Notorious
- c) Vigilance
- d) Weary
- e) Wild
- f) Zeal
- g) Thin
- h) Static

**'B'**

- i) Fixed
- ii) Slim
- iii) Mourn
- iv) Passion
- v) Infamous
- vi) Savage
- vii) Tired
- viii) Watchfulness

**P.T.O.**

B) Match the words with the **Antonyms** in the columns given below: [06]

‘A’		‘B’	
a)	Barren	i)	Increase
b)	Belief	ii)	Near
c)	Descend	iii)	Superior
d)	Cruel	iv)	Sane
e)	Distant	v)	Ascend
f)	Decrease	vi)	Fertile
g)	Inferior	vii)	Disbelief
h)	Mad	viii)	Kind

Q.5 A) Attempt **ANY ONE** of the following: [06]

- i) Write a paragraph on “Democracy”.
- ii) Write a paragraph on “Save Girl Child”.

B) Read the following passage and summarize it in your own words: [06]

There is nothing which a man of strong will cannot achieve. Will power is the sure hypnotism that overcomes all obstacles that check our progress. A man of strong will is always successful, while one who is weak in will has to face many failures. Those who have a wavering mind are often cowed down by dangers. “Nothing venture, nothing have” may be an excellent rule of conduct, but “no strong will, no success” is the greatest principle of life. All difficulties melt away before a heroic mind. Very often we attribute our failure to chance, fate or stars. We blame our luck, but rarely do we examine our own minds, the weakness of which is really responsible for our failures. Chance and accident do play a part, rather an important part in our lives, but they fade away before a determined will. Henley states a fact which is difficult to challenge”. Man is the master of his fate and the captain of his soul”.

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