

**F. Y. P. B. B. SC. (NURSING) : SUMMER - 2018**

**SUBJECT : ENGLISH**

Day : **Tuesday**  
Date : **24/04/2018**

**S-2018-3894**

Time : **10.00 AM TO 01.00 PM**  
Max. Marks : 75

**N.B.:**

- 1) All questions are **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate **FULL** marks.
- 3) Answers to both the sections should be written in **SEPARATE** answer books.

**SECTION – I**

(Passage for comprehension, proverbs, dialogue writing, speech, short notes and essay)

**Q.1 a)** Answer the following questions based on the passage below: **[07]**

Cancer is a classic example of a terminal disease, almost every patient of which has the need for relief from distressing symptoms and comfort from anxieties during the course of its treatment. The physical and emotional burdens on patients and their families affect their quality of life drastically. The worst thing a person can be told at this stage is that there is nothing more that can be done. That is directly contrary to the philosophy of palliative care which focuses on the patient as a person rather than on the disease. When a cure is not possible, there is still so much that can be done for these patients to provide them relief and improve their quality of life by offering palliative care. There is thus no need for anyone to suffer terrible pain simply because there is no hope of a cure for their illness.

Palliative medicine is a medical specialty, which deals with the management of patients who are in the advanced stage of a disease, when cure is almost, impossible. The word 'palliate' means 'to reduce the bad effects of something or to reduce pain and suffering'. When patients feel helpless and insecure, they go to a palliative care unit wondering if anything can be done at all to relieve their pain and other symptoms, which cause them acute distress. The specialists there do not do anything extraordinary for them straight away. They make them comfortable in a home or hospital environment, and after listening attentively to all they have to say, show empathy and provide appropriate care. Palliative care doctors combine compassion with science and give expert medical care to relieve the distressing symptoms of an advanced stage of disease.

**Questions:**

- i) What does the cancer patient go through, during the course of treatment? **[01]**
  - ii) What does palliative care focus on? How it can be done? **[02]**
  - iii) What is palliative medicine? **[01]**
  - iv) Which word means to reduce the bad effects of something? **[01]**
  - v) How do the specialists and palliative care doctors treat the patient? **[02]**
- b)** Expand **ANY ONE** of the following proverbs: **[05]**
- i) A stitch in time saves nine.
  - ii) As you sow, so shall you reap.
- Q.2 a)** i) Write a dialogue of about 10 lines, between a doctor and a patient, who has come for follow up, after being operated on leg, which was broken. **[05]**
- OR**
- ii) Imagine you have to interview an old woman, who has come for eye check-up camp. Write a set of 10 questions for the interview.
- b)** Write a speech on **ANY ONE** of the following: **[05]**
- i) Prepare a 'Vote of thanks' speech on the occasion of camp lighting ceremony.
  - ii) Imagine you are the Principal of the college. Prepare a speech to welcome the students on the first day of college and emphasize on the important qualities of a Nurse.

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- Q.3 a)** Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: [08]  
i) Importance of Exercise  
ii) Oral Cancer  
iii) Operation Theatre  
iv) Duty in ICU
- b)** Write an essay on **ANY ONE** of the following, in about 250 words: [10]  
i) Terrorism  
ii) Use of mobile – A blessing or curse  
iii) Balanced Diet

**SECTION – II**

- Q.4 a)** Write a letter to the Deputy Commissioner Municipal Corporation of Sangli, complaining about the poor sanitary conditions and mosquito menace in your locality. [06]

**OR**

Write a letter to the Manager, Central Railway asking for reservation of a coach / bogie for fifty students from Miraj to Mumbai and back.

- b)** Report writing **ANY ONE** of the following: [06]  
i) Write a report on the nutrition exhibition held in community.  
ii) Write a report on the Youth Festival held in your college.
- Q.5 a)** Write a paragraph on **ANY ONE** of the following topics: [06]  
i) Terrorism  
ii) Ragging in college
- b)** Note making: [06]  
Read the following text and draw a tree diagram that contains main points and important supporting details:

“Speech is a great blessing, but it can also be a great curse, for, while it helps us to make our intentions and desires known to our fellows, it can also, if we use it carelessly, make our attitude completely misunderstood. A slip of the tongue, the use of an unusual or of an ambiguous word, and so on, may create an enemy where we had hoped to win a friend. Again different classes of people use different vocabularies, and the ordinary speech of an educated man may strike an uneducated listener as showing pride; unwittingly we may use a word which bears a different meaning to our listener from what it does to men of our own class. Thus speech is not a gift to use lightly without thought, but one which demands careful handling: only a fool will express himself alike to all kinds and conditions of men.

- Q.6 a)** Grammar: [05]  
i) He is too proud to beg. (Remove too)  
ii) Write the synonyms of the following words:  
a) Admiration      b) Hamper  
iii) what are you doing here he shouted in a very harsh voice and the children ran away (Punctuate the sentence)  
iv) Write the feminine gender of following words:  
a) Host              b) Drake  
v) We were all very excited. (Make it exclamatory)
- b)** Write a short story based on the following points: [06]

An old lady becomes blind – calls in doctor – agrees to pay large fee of cured, but nothing if not – doctor calls daily – covets lady furniture – delays the cure every day takes away some of her furniture – at last cures her – demands his fees – lady refuses to pay. Saying cure is not complete – doctor brings a court case – judge asks lady why she will not pay – she says sight not properly restored – she cannot see all her furniture – judge gives verdict in her favour – moral.