

**S.D.E.**  
**F. Y. B. Com. Sem - I (CBCS 2018 Course) : WINTER - 2018**  
**SUBJECT: COMPULSORY ENGLISH – I**

Day : Wednesday  
Date : 28/11/2018

**W-2018-4315**

Time: 02.00 PM TO 05.00 PM  
Max. Marks: 70

**N.B.**

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

**Q.1** Attempt **ANY TWO** of the following : **(14)**

- a) Title of the story 'The Romance of the Busy Broker'
- b) Discuss the life story of Gautam Buddha.
- c) Write a note on Kalpana's career as an astronaut

**Q.2** Critically appreciate **ANY TWO** of the following poems : **(14)**

- a) 'Where the Mind is Without Fear'
- b) 'A Psalm of Life' by H. W. Longfellow
- c) 'Mirror' by Sylvia Plath

**Q.3** Write short-notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: **(14)**

- a) Shaw's views on 'Accumulation of wealth & Men Decay'
- b) Tukdoji Maharaj on Universal Brotherhood
- c) 'Curious Mishaps' by Vikaram Seth

**Q.4** A) Rewrite the following sentence using proper Article – a, an, the. (**ANY SEVEN**) **(07)**

- i) I watched the dog helping \_\_\_\_\_ old woman.
- ii) He received \_\_\_\_\_ medal for creating an effective network.
- iii) I saw \_\_\_\_\_ snake, the snake was poisonous.
- iv) Dr. John was \_\_\_\_\_ elderly man.
- v) The girl wanted to be \_\_\_\_\_ fastest woman on the track.
- vi) I went to the railway station and found \_\_\_\_\_ long queue there.
- vii) That woman plays \_\_\_\_\_ important role in the Society.
- viii) \_\_\_\_\_ Sun sets in west.

B) Attempt **ANY SEVEN** of the following : **(07)**

- i) He usually \_\_\_\_\_ his holiday by the sea.(Use Proper verb form – spent, spends)
- ii) I \_\_\_\_\_ the news two hours ago. (Use Proper verb form – hear, heard)
- iii) It's 11 am. I \_\_\_\_\_ plenty of exercise this morning. (Use Proper verb form do, does, have done)
- iv) We \_\_\_\_\_ TV when it started to rain. (Use Proper verb form – was watching, were watching)
- v) He was an actor who was outstanding. (Make it a Simple Sentence)
- vi) With Kapil Dev's entry, there started a new inning. (Make it a Complex Sentence)
- vii) By kicking the door, I opened it. (Make it a Compound Sentence)
- viii) If you study well, you will pass. (Make it a Simple Sentence)

**P.T.O.**

**Q.5 A)** Use proper preposition in the following sentence. (**ANY SEVEN**) **(07)**

- i) The Royal Umbrella was held \_\_\_\_\_ the King's head.
- ii) Rakesh took photograph \_\_\_\_\_ the Statue.
- iii) The drama *Hamlet* is written \_\_\_\_\_ Shakespeare.
- iv) John is a student \_\_\_\_\_ Bharati Vidyapeeth.
- v) Can you translate this from English \_\_\_\_\_ French?
- vi) There were a lot of people \_\_\_\_\_ our party.
- vii) We live \_\_\_\_\_ the main road, so it is always very loud.
- viii) English is important language \_\_\_\_\_ communication.

**B)** Attempt **ANY SEVEN** of the following. **(07)**

- i) The Violet open her blue lips. (Change the Voice)
- ii) It's raining heavily. (Add question tag)
- iii) He was late for the interview. (Make it Negative)
- iv) Our route took us to Jaipur. (Make Wh-question)
- v) Shivaji was brave. He was kind hearted. (Use Not only .... but also)
- vi) Suhas doesn't like Chocolate. Sudhir doesn't either. (Use neither .... or)
- vii) I am very unfortunate. (Make Exclamatory Sentence)
- viii) As soon as the Shower came, the children began to dance in the rain. (Use No sooner .... than)

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