

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (CBCS - 2018 COURSE)

F. Y. B. Com. Sem-I : WINTER :- 2021

SUBJECT: COMPULSORY ENGLISH-I

**Day : Monday
Date 17-01-2022**

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**Time : 10:00 AM-01:00 PM
Max. Marks: 60**

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

Q.1 Attempt **ANY TWO** of the following: **(12)**

- a) What according to Tukdoji Maharaj is the true religion to achieve peace, progress and perfection?
- b) Write a note on Buddha's Enlightenment and Middle-way.'
- c) Comment on Shaw's views on 'Accumulation of Wealth and Men Decay.'

Q.2 Critically appreciate **ANY TWO** of the following: **(12)**

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

Q.3 Write a short note on **ANY TWO** of the following: **(12)**

- a) Kalpana as a rare combination of brilliant mind and human spirit
- b) Ending of the story "Romance of a Busy Broker"
- c) 'Curious Mishaps' by Vikram Seth
- d) Central idea of the poem 'Lord Ullin's Daughter'

Q.4 A) Fill in the blanks with articles a, an, the and No article **ANY SIX:** **(06)**

- 1) Kate is __ best student in the class.
- 2) She went on to become ____ successful playback singer.
- 3) Look at _____ woman over there! She is a famous actress.
- 4) I do not like __ basketball.
- 5) She is ____ untidy girl.
- 6) Alice loves walking in _____ rain. She likes rainy days rather than sunny ones.
- 7) _____ camel is the ship of the desert.
- 8) This book was won _____ booker prize.

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B) Use the correct tense from and rewrite the sentences **ANY SIX:**

(06)

- 1) Dave and Pat **has visited/have visited** the museum.
- 2) I **has been/ have been** at the pet shop.
- 3) They have already **pack/packed** their rucksacks.
- 4) Marcus **have had/has had** an accident.
- 5) We **have done/ has done** the shopping for our grandmother.
- 6) I have just **cleaned/clean** my bike.
- 7) My friend **has given up/have given up** smoking.
- 8) I **was talking/ were talked** to my friend.

Q.5 A) Fill in the blanks with appropriate preposition **ANY SIX:**

(06)

- 1) _____ thousand people participated in the program.
- 2) The boy jumped _____ the stream.
- 3) She was silent all _____ the journey.
- 4) Could you pass these leaflets _____?
- 5) He spends much of his time doing odd jobs _____ the house.
- 6) 'Where is John?' He must be somewhere _____?
- 7) There were under twenty people at the lecture.
- 8) They killed the snake _____ hitting it.

B) Do as directed **ANY SIX:**

(06)

- 1) I like this wine very much. (Make it negative)
- 2) Peter knows the answer. (Make it interrogative)
- 3) I do not like to read science fiction. (Make it affirmative)
- 4) He is very rude man. (Make it exclamatory)
- 5) The company offers freebies. It wants to attract customer. (Make it simple)
- 6) Batman is a hero. He is successful in catching the criminal in his city. (Make it compound)
- 7) I am going to the bank. I need some money. (Make it complex)
- 8) She is very generous. (Make it exclamatory)

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