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7BEN1C1

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

First Semester

English

SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. How were the Latin and Greek classics made available at a cheap price during the Elizabethan Age?
2. Who decided to pull down the old medieval church of St. Peter and construct a grand new Basilica?
3. Write about Whigs and Tories.
4. Mention the divine right of Kings.
5. What was the main causes for the prosperity during Queen Anne?
6. What was the main advantage of the enclosure system?
7. Name two humanitarians who worked for the improvement of the lot of the prisoners.
8. Why were the boroughs called "Rotten boroughs"?
9. Explain the Royal Commission of 1867.
10. What are the various measures taken by the labour Government to become a welfare state?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) What are the social causes and the effects of Reformation?

Or

- (b) Explain Puritanism and its influence on Literature.

12. (a) Account for the growth of the English colonies during the seventeenth century.

Or

- (b) Give an account of the Cromwellian revolution and its effects on the political parties in England.

13. (a) What is "Enclosure Movement" and state the result of the Agrarian Revolution?

Or

- (b) Write a paragraph on the Industrial Revolution in the Cotton, Coal and Iron Industries.

14. (a) What is the impact of the French Revolution on the social life and England?

Or

- (b) Write in detail on "Prison Reform".

15. (a) Give an account of the "Trade Union" movements in England.

Or

- (b) How did the world war affect England?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write an essay on the Reformation in Europe.
 17. Discuss the causes of the civil war and its impact on England.
 18. Write in detail about the results of the Industrial Revolution.
 19. Write an essay on Humanitarian movements that arose in the eighteenth century England.
 20. Illustrate world wars and social security.
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F-0070

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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

First Semester

English

POETRY - I

(CBCS - 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What qualities should his daughter cultivate according to yeats?
2. What is the theme of the poem 'Anthem for Doomed Youth'?
3. Why is the 'Knight palely loitering'?
4. What was engraved on the pedestal of the statue?
5. What is the cause for discontentment of Ulysses?
6. What is the theme of the poem 'Dover Beach'?
7. How did the enemy die?
8. What is the mood expressed in the poem 'Ared, red, rose'?
9. What Message does wordsworth convey in the poem 'Leech Gatherer'?
10. What is the significance of the 'Storm'?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Describe the anxiety of the father in the poem 'A Prayer for My Daughter'.

Or

- (b) Discuss Wilfred Owen as a war Poet.

12. (a) Attempt a critical appreciation of the poem 'La Bella Dame Sans Merci'.

Or

- (b) Bring out the irony in the poem 'Ozymandias'

13. (a) Briefly write a note on theme of power in the poem 'My Last Duchess'.

Or

- (b) Discuss the theme of religious uncertainty in the Poem 'Dover Beach'.

14. (a) How does William Blake illustrates the evil caused by anger?

Or

- (b) What Memories does William Cooper recall on seeing his mother's Picture?

15. (a) How does Coleridge describe his grief?

Or

- (b) How does Southey bring out the importance of reading great writers?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Describe how Hopkins's praises the Magnificence and glory of God.
 17. Bring out the autobiographical element in the Poem 'When We Two Parted'.
 18. Compare and Contrast Ulysses Present and Past and the reason behind his resentment.
 19. Discuss 'On the Receipt of My Mother's Picture' as a tribute to motherhood.
 20. Explain in detail the theme of the poem 'Leech Gatherer'.
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Second Semester

English

HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. Name Marlow's only historical play.
2. Who is the dark lady in Shakespearean sonnets?
3. Write a short note on heroic couplet.
4. Which is Deyden's best known political satire?
5. Which was an age of poetry?
6. Name two women novelist in Romantic age.
7. How is Victorian age called?
8. In whose memory Tennyson wrote "In Memorium"?
9. Who wrote the poems the waste land?
10. Write a note on absurdist play?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Discuss the achievement of Ben Johnson as a Dramatist.

Or

- (b) Write about the features of metaphysical poetry.

12. (a) Comment on Joseph Addison as a prose writer.

Or

- (b) Write a paragraph on Jonathan swift.

13. (a) Comment on the development of drama in the age of Dr. Johnson.

Or

- (b) What are the salient features of Roman fiction?

14. (a) Discuss briefly dickens as a novelist.

Or

- (b) Comment briefly on Browning's Act of dramatic Monologue.

15. (a) Explain stream of consciousness technique with reference to Virginia Woolf.

Or

- (b) Explain the general characteristics of Pinter's play.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Assess the contribution of William Shakespeare to the world of literature.

17. Write a detail essay on Dryden as a prose writer.

18. William Wordsworth is a unique figure in the history of English literature – Justify.
 19. Elaborate on the contributions of Oscarwild in revival of drama.
 20. “T.S. Eliot is regarded such an important writer because he captured the feeling and attitudes of the early twentieth century” – Elucidate.
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Second Semester

English

POETRY – II

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What are some of the places where the knight has fought?
2. What is the meaning of 'epithalamion'?
3. How did the serpent appear before Eve?
4. When did Adam and Eve come out?
5. What kind of poem is 'Valediction Forbidding Mourning'?
6. What would happen if God gave rest also?
7. What is meant by 'Old proud parent of man'?
8. How does the poem "The Highway Man" end with a touching note that love is eternal?
9. Explain the reference to the "Hampden" in the elegy?
10. Why did father William refuse to answer the last question?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Write a paragraph of the character of 'The Knight'.

Or

- (b) Write a note on Spenser's Platonism with special reference to "Epithalamion".

12. (a) Describe about 'The Garden of Eden and Paradise'.

Or

- (b) Sketch the character of 'Adam' in Paradise Lost – IX.

13. (a) Describe the behaviour of various people towards death.

Or

- (b) What is the jewel of God's blessings? Why does God decide not to bestow it on man?

14. (a) Why is the poet's attitude to life important? How does the poem "Laugh and be Merry" help acquire positive attitude to life?

Or

- (b) Sketch the appearance and secret dealing of Tim.

15. (a) How did Goldsmith sketch the character of the village school master?

Or

- (b) What are the classical and Romantic elements present in the poem "Elegy written in a country Churchyard"?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. 'The prologue' as a portrait gallery. Discuss.
 17. Write a detail essay on Milton's 'Grand Style' with reference to "Paradise Lost-IX".
 18. Write a critical appreciation of the poem "Valediction Forbidding Mourning".
 19. Write an appreciation of the poem "The Highwayman".
 20. Enumerate the merits and demerits of Gray with reference to "Elegy written in a country Churchyard".
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Third Semester

English

PROSE

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What are the three important uses of studies according to Bacon?
2. Is revenge justified?
3. What is the second vision of Mirza?
4. Who were the members of the 'Spectator Club'?
5. Who is Bobo?
6. What kind of a person is the man in black?
7. Who attacks Abraham Cowley?
8. What did the moderns demand from the ancients?
9. How can one obtain wisdom according to R.L. Stevenson?
10. What does Chesterton tell the old gentleman in Hyde Park?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Describe Bacon's views on education with reference to 'Of Studies'.

Or

- (b) Discuss the demerits of taking revenge as expressed by Bacon.

12. (a) What is the interpretation of the visions seen by Mirza?

Or

- (b) Write a short note on 'Captain Sentry' in the Spectator Club.

13. (a) What light does the essay throw on the behaviour of married people?

Or

- (b) Briefly narrate the events that led to discovering roasted pig.

14. (a) Explain the Spider and the Bee allegory.

Or

- (b) Narrate the episode of Bentley and Wotton.

15. (a) What are the pleasures given by an idle man?

Or

- (b) Explain inconvenience is only an adventure wrongly considered.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write an essay describing Bacon's views 'On Friendship'.
17. 'The Spectator Club represents the social, cultural and political views of the 18th cent'. Discuss.
18. 'Lamb's essays are filled with Wit and humour'. Illustrate with reference to the 'Dissertation upon Roast Pig'.
19. Describe in detail the conflict between the ancients and moderns and its consequences.
20. Discuss in detail R.L. Stevenson's opinion 'education of the streets us even better than education in the classroom'.

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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Third Semester

English

DRAMA - I

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What is the dramatic significance of good angel and evil angel in “Dr. Faustus”?
2. What are the various stages of Dr. Faustus’s deamination?
3. What are the elements of a revenge tragedy?
4. Who was killed by Balthazar in “The Spanish Tragedy”?
5. What does face claim to do with the profits from the con in “The Alchemist”?
6. What is Druggier in the play “The Alchemist”?
7. What according to Sir Anthony, has made Lydia disobedient and insolent in “The Rivals”?
8. Explain Satiric humour.
9. What does Rufio defy Caesar in “Caesar and Cleopatra”?
10. Who was Ptolemy Dionysus in “Caesar and Cleopatra”?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) “Dr. Faustus” as an allegory – Discuss.

Or

- (b) What are the five conditions Dr. Faustus lists in his agreement?

12. (a) State whether Hieronimo’s Madness is real or feigned in “The Spanish Tragedy”.

Or

- (b) Sketch the character of Bel-imperia in “The Spanish Tragedy”.

13. (a) Analyze the role played by Dol Comman in “The Alchemist”.

Or

- (b) Explore the use of female figures in “The Alchemist” by Jonson.

14. (a) “The Rivals” is an excellent example of a Comedy of Manner – Discuss.

Or

- (b) How is Lucy responsible for conflicts in “The Rivals”?

15. (a) Bring out the differences between the principles of Rufio and Caesar’s in “Caesar and Cleopatra”.

Or

- (b) How did Cleopatra impress Caesar?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write an essay on the Appreciation of the last scene of “Dr. Faustus”.
 17. Comment on the role of the Chorus of the ghost of Andrea and the Revenge in “The Spanish Tragedy”.
 18. Illustrate the main idea of “The Alchemist” by Ben Jonson.
 19. Explain Sheridan’s Satiric humour in “The Rivals”.
 20. Discuss in detail about Cleopatra’s greatest accomplishment.
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7BEN4C1

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fourth Semester

English

DRAMA - II

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What is the text about which Becket reads on the day of Christmas while preaching?
2. What is the nature of people's love towards God?
3. Who is George Rous in "Strife"?
4. What are the defects of problem play?
5. Mention the salient features of Pintee's Style.
6. Examine any two comic elements in Pintee's "The Brithday Party".
7. What is the central idea in "The Admirable Crichton"?
8. Who are all become the island natural leaders?
9. What is the affection for Estragon?
10. Who are the two tramps in "Waiting for Godot"?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) How does Sir Huge de Morville, the second knight justify the murder of the Archbishop?

Or

- (b) What is 'martyrdom' according to T.S. Eliot?

12. (a) Sketch the character and principles of John Anthony.

Or

- (b) Write a note on Galsworthy's tragic appeal.

13. (a) Examine the comic elements in Pintee's "The Birthday Party".

Or

- (b) Bringout Meg and Stanley's relationship in the play "The Birthday Party"

14. (a) Who is best entitled to be called the heroine of the play "The Admirable Crichton"?

Or

- (b) Point out the element of 'realism' in "The Admirable Crichton".

15. (a) Describe the attempt of Vladimir and Estragon to commit suicide.

Or

- (b) What is an Absurd Drama?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Bring out the arguments of the different knights in justification of the murder.
 17. Write in detail about Roberts as a leader of Strength and Weakness in "Strife".
 18. Consider Pinter as a playwright of the theatre of the Absurd with reference to "The Birthday Party".
 19. Justify and explain the title of the play "The Admirable Crichton".
 20. Bring out the comic element in 'Waiting for Godot'.
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fourth Semester

English

LITERARY FORMS

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What is a Lyric?
2. Explain an Ode.
3. What is Tragic Drama?
4. Which is called as the dramatic equivalent of a short story?
5. What is Epistle?
6. What is a diary?
7. Mention the difference between Novella and Novel.
8. What is Burlesque?
9. What is Biography?
10. Explain Verisimilitude.

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Mention the kinds of Odes.

Or

- (b) Explain the types of Sonnets.

12. (a) Explain the theory of three unities.

Or

- (b) Explain the sentimental comedy.

13. (a) What is Epistolary Novel?

Or

- (b) Explain briefly about Diary.

14. (a) What is short story?

Or

- (b) Mention the types of satires.

15. (a) What does historical verisimilitude aim at?

Or

- (b) What are the salient features of an Autobiography?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Explain Lyric and its kinds with essential features with a few illustrations.
 17. Analyze the types of Comedy.
 18. Discuss the brief history of essay and its types.
 19. Explain in detail about Detective fiction and Science fiction with examples.
 20. What are the chief traits of a biography?
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B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What is the central theme of the poem 'The Fear of Life and Death'?
2. How should the mind be according to Tagore?
3. What kind of a person is Miss.Pushpa T.S?
4. What is the theme of the poem 'A Hot Noon in Malabar'?
5. Which Book of Tolstoy influenced Gandhi?
6. Why did C.V. Raman call water the elixir of life?
7. Why is Kamala murdered?
8. Who is Uma Rao?
9. Who is Ali?
10. What shop do the three friends start?

Part B

(5 × 5 =25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Describe how Aurobindo attempts to reconcile Life and Death.

Or

- (b) What is the prayer put forward by Tagore?

12. (a) Bring out the humor in the poem 'A Goodbye Party for Miss.Pushpa .T.S.

Or

- (b) Discuss 'A Hot noon in Malabar as a personal poem.

13. (a) What did Gandhi learn from Tolstoy?

Or

- (b) Why is it important to conserve water according to Raman.

14. (a) Describe the events that lead to Subbu's suicide.

Or

- (b) Briefly write a note on the theme of 'Powerful always exploit the weak'.

15. (a) Briefly sketch the Character of Ishaan.

Or

- (b) Discuss the relationship between Govind and Vidhya and its consequence.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Describe how Sarojini Naidu talks about making the beloved immortal by love.
 17. Narrate in detail the Conversation between Lakshmana and Sita.
 18. Discuss how C.V.Raman illustrates that water is essential for survival.
 19. How does Mahesh Dattani project the situation of the marginalised in the society?
 20. Describe how Chetan Bhagat fuses historical events into the fiction in 'The Three mistakes of my Life'.
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B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

WOMEN'S WRITING IN ENGLISH

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum :75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **All** questions.

1. Why Sylvia had always been afraid of her father?
2. What is the mood of the poem "Still I Rise"?
3. What problems, according to Woolf, confront women artists?
4. To what does Woolf compare her lost idea after being interrupted on the riverbank by the Beadle?
5. How does Manjula Padmanaban bring about feminist context of Harvest?
6. Who is Jeetu in the play "Harvest"?
7. Why is Celie so confused and shocked in "The Colour Purple"?
8. How is Sofia unjustly imprisoned in "The Colour Purple"?
9. Where does Juliet go to see her daughter Penelope in "Silence".
10. What made Rosemary decide to take the beggar-girl home in "A Cup of Tea"?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Write a Paragraph on the Technique of the poem "Daddy".

Or

- (b) What does the black ocean represent in the poem "Still I Rise"?

12. (a) What thoughts passed through the mind of Woolf after she had her driver in "Room of one's own"?

Or

- (b) What comments does Woolf make on the books that she comes across at the British Museum?

13. (a) What was the theme of the playwriting contest for which Padmanabhan wrote "Harvest"?

Or

- (b) Sketch the character of Sayer in "Harvest".

14. (a) What is the significance of the Nettie's life in Africa?

Or

- (b) Why was the novel titled as "The Colour Purple"?-justify.

15. (a) Comment on the most Conspicuous traits of Rosemary's character in "A Cup of Tea".

Or

- (b) Explain how Joseph came to Trinidad and Tobago in "The Lost Shore Wait".

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **Three** questions.

16. Write an essay on The Biographical and Autobiographical Elements in the poem "Daddy".
 17. What Comments does Virginia Woolf make on the women novelists of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries?
 18. Critically analyze Manjula Padmanabhan's "Harvest" as a Post Colonial and post modern play.
 19. How do the male Characters in the novel shape, break or have other influence over females in the novel "The Colour Purple"?-Explain.
 20. Describe in detail the events that prompted Rosemary to take the beggar girl home in "The Cup of Tea".
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

COMMON WEALTH LITERATURE

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. Mention the animal imageries in the poem “A Far Cry From Africa”.
2. How does Razia Khan brings the Emotions of the mother in “My Daughter's Boy Friend”?
3. Explain the reference to the dog in “House and Land”.
4. Write a note on negritude movement.
5. What is the literary conception of Achebe?
6. What are Radhakrishnan’s view on idealism?
7. What does Sidi say when Lakunle presses his claim of marriage with her?
8. What are the two interest’s of Lakunle in “The Lion and the Jewel”?
9. Explain the use of allegory in “The Edible Woman”.
10. Discuss the role that Duncan plays in “The Edible Woman”.

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Describe the symbols used in the poem “A Far Cry From Africa”.

Or

- (b) What is the theme of the poem “The City Planners” by Margaret Atwood?

12. (a) Write a short note on the part played by the woman in “House and Land”.

Or

- (b) How does E. J. Pratt personifies an Eagle?

13. (a) What is Achebe’s advice to his fellow artist of Africa in “The Novelist as a Teacher”?

Or

- (b) What is the fascist system of democracy according to Dr. Radhakrishnan?

14. (a) Write a paragraph about the role of 'Camera' in the play “The Lion and the Jewel”.

Or

- (b) Describe the mime to explain ‘How did Baroka prevent the laying of rail road through Ilujinle.

15. (a) What are the recurrent motifs Atwood user in “The Edible Woman”?

Or

- (b) How does food played a important role in developing relationship in “The Edible Woman”?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Discuss in detail the conflicting loyalties in “A Far Cry from Africa”.
 17. Analyse, why E.J.Pratt chose Eagle for his poem “The Dying Eagle”.
 18. What is the role given by Chinua Achebe to the African novelist?
 19. How Wole Soyinka uses Dance, mime and song in “The Lion and the Jewel”? Explain in detail.
 20. Explain, why Margaret Atwood switch her narrative modes in this novel “The Edible Woman”.
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023.

Fifth Semester

English

**Elective : TRANSLATION STUDIES, THEORY AND
PRACTICE**

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. Define oral translation.
2. What is machine translation?
3. What do you mean by recoding?
4. What is connotative equivalence?
5. What is untranslatability?
6. Comment on the cultural translatability.
7. Name the honour received for the novel Chemmeen.
8. Write a short note on Bharathiyar.
9. Translate into English-
பிடிவாதம் பிடிக்காதே.
10. Translate into Tamil- The young lawyer argues that life on any terms is better than death.

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Explain the importance of Translation.

Or

- (b) What should translation do? What should translation not do?

12. (a) Write a paragraph on decoding.

Or

- (b) What are the four types of equivalence according to Popovic?

13. (a) What are the barriers in translating a poetry?

Or

- (b) Write about the problems in translating idioms.

14. (a) Write about the translation of G.U. Pope's translation of Translation.

Or

- (b) Write about how did the translator used 'myths and symbols' in his translation in the novel.

15. (a) Translate the passage from English into Tamil:

Nature is what we see around us all the time, the green trees and plants, the blue sky with the white clouds, the dark soil, the river, or the pond, and the animals together make up nature. Whether we realize or not, nature plays an enormous and inevitable role in our life. Nature is our provider; it gives us almost all the basic things we need. Everything that we use has its roots in nature.

Or

(b) Translate the Thirukkural into English

(i) மலர்மிசை யேகினான் மாண்டி சேர்ந்தார்
நிலமிசை நீடு வாழ்வார்.

(ii) கற்றதனாலாய பயனென் கொல் வாலறிவ
ன்றா டொழா அரெனின்.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Narrate critically the history of Translation.
17. Discuss the contribution of the Romans to the Translation Theory.
18. Write an essay on the various obstacles to translating verse and verse to prose.
19. Bring out the impact of Bharathiar's Translation of 'Our Mother Land'.
20. Translate the following passage into Tamil:

Pollution is defined as the intermixing of harmful substances in the atmosphere that can adversely affect the Earth. The different types of pollution are: air, soil, water and noise pollution. One of the causes of pollution is man's intervention in nature. The increase in industries and urban livelihood is one reason for an increase in pollution. Factories emit harmful gases that pollute the air. Waste is dumped in water and land causing; both water and soil pollution. These pollutants do not affect us at once but gradually. Drinking Polluted water can cause diseases like; diarrhoea, jaundice, etc. Poor quality air or polluted air can cause severe respiratory ailments and affect our breathing. Noise pollution affects our hearing and can cause severe damage in the long run.

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7BENE1B

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

**Elective – ENGLISH FOR COMPETITIVE
EXAMINATION**

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.
 - (a) Aluminum is ————— useful metal.
 - (b) Would you open ————— window, please?
2. Fill in the blanks with correct form of verb.
 - (a) Every one of those books —————(is, are) fiction.
 - (b) Nobody —————(know, knows) the trouble I've seen.
3. Use two of the phrasal verbs in sentence of your own.
 - (a) Break down
 - (b) Look forward to
4. Give One word substitution for the following.
 - (a) Things which cannot be read
 - (b) A person who sacrifices his life for a cause

5. Correct the Error in use of Adverbs.
- (a) He is very much sorry.
 - (b) Aeroplanes reach America soon.
6. Correct the Error in use of prepositions.
- (a) This resembles to that.
 - (b) My friend suggested me this.
7. What is a business letter?
8. How would you address the recipient of an informal letter?
9. Match the following of proverbs with the meaning.
- (a) A cat has nine lives- Actions are a better reflection of one's character because it's easy to say things, but difficult to act on them and follow through.
 - (b) Actions speak louder than words–Cat can survive seemingly fatal events.
10. Give the meaning for the proverbs.
- (a) Blood is thicker than water
 - (b) Cowards die many times before their deaths

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Add a question tag for the following.
- (i) Cars pollute the environment, _____?
 - (ii) Mr. Sharma has been to Scotland recently, _____?
 - (iii) The trip is very expensive, _____?
 - (iv) He won't tell her, _____?
 - (v) Ravi had a red car, _____?

Or

(b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions.

- (i) The man went ————— the library.
- (ii) The man fell ————— the stairs.
- (iii) I shall come ————— Friday.
- (iv) What is the time ————— your watch.
- (v) I have been waiting ————— your.

12. (a) Use the Homophones and make sentence of your own.

- (i) Rode ————— Road
- (ii) See ————— Sea
- (iii) Tail ————— Tale
- (iv) Buy-Bye
- (v) Check - cheque

Or

(b) Use the following idiom and form a sentence on your own.

- (i) Have mixed feelings
- (ii) Cool as a cucumber
- (iii) Out of the blue
- (iv) Read between the lines
- (v) Pass with flying colors

13. (a) Correct the sentence if necessary.
- (i) I look forward to meet you.
 - (ii) Where I can find a bank?
 - (iii) I live in United States.
 - (iv) I've been here since three months.
 - (v) You speak English good.

Or

- (b) Correct the Error in the use of Tenses.
- (i) He met me tomorrow
 - (ii) Visited him next month.
 - (iii) He is playing for two hours.
 - (iv) She talks as if she is mad.
 - (v) Aruna replied that she will not come
14. (a) You have inherited a big fortune. Write about it to a friend telling him how you intend to make use of it.

Or

- (b) Make notes of the following.

Good communication calls for good listening skills. A good speaker must necessarily be a good listener. Listening starts with hearing but goes beyond. Hearing, in other words is necessary, but is not a sufficient condition for listening. Listening involves hearing with attention. Listening is , a process that calls for concentration. While listening, one should also be observant. In other words, listening has to do with the ears, as well as with the eyes and the mind. Listening is to be understood as the total process that involves hearing with attention, being observant and making interpretations. Good communication is essentially an interactive process. It calls for participation and involvement. It is quite often a dialogue rather than a monologue. It is necessary to be interested and also show or make it abundantly clear that one is interested in knowing what the other person has to say. Good listening is an art that can be cultivated. It relates to skills that can be developed.

15. (a) Write a paragraph on the proverb: Don't judge a book by its cover.

Or

- (b) Write a paragraph on the given topic: Memories of School to College.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles:

_____ old shopkeeper works too hard in _____ shop. He is _____ his feet _____ whole day long, serving _____ customers, and climbing up and down _____ stepladder to get _____ things they want. What he needs is _____ long rest and _____ assistant to help him in _____ shop.

17. Read the following passage carefully and answer the following questions:

This is the story of a man who thought that he had the right to do whatever he liked. One day, this gentleman was walking along a busy road, spinning his walking-stick round and round in his hand, and was trying to look important. A man walking behind him objected.

“You ought not to spin your walking-stick round and round like that!” he said.

“I am free to do what I like with my walking-stick,” argued the gentleman.

“Of course, you are,” said the other man, “but you ought to know that your freedom ends where my nose begins.”

The story tells us that we can enjoy our rights and our freedom only if they do not interfere with other people's rights and freedom.

Questions:

- (a) Why was the gentleman on the road moving his walking stick round and round?
 - (b) Who objected to his behaviour?
 - (c) What argument did the gentleman give?
 - (d) Was the other satisfied with argument?
 - (e) What did he say in reply?
18. Correct the sentence if necessary.
- (a) Priyanka and Kajal was going there.
 - (b) The Principal and Secretary are going there.
 - (c) Every girl and boy were ready to go there.
 - (d) Either of two girls are diligent.
 - (e) The men and her pet dog and came yesterday, have come again today.
 - (f) Neither the Assistant Master nor the Headmaster was going to the meeting.
 - (g) Neither he nor I is mistaken.
 - (h) He as well as his friends were going for picking.
 - (i) Billiards are an interesting game.
 - (j) He as well as his friends were going for picking.
19. Write a letter to an English bookseller ordering some books and seeking information about subscribing to some journals.
20. Write a essay on the topic 'Importance of good manners'.

F-0082

Sub. Code

7BENE2A

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

Elective – ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. Write a short note on English as second language?
2. What is ESP according to Hutchinson?
3. What are the drawbacks of communicative approach?
4. What is 'approach'?
5. What are the three phases of listening?
6. What are the steps involved in teaching vocabulary?
7. Define 'Testing'.
8. What are the different types of tests?
9. What are the various audio-Visual aids?
10. Write a short note on Flash Cards.

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Write a paragraph on importance of learning English.

Or

- (b) Write about the interference of mother tongue learning English.

12. (a) Elaborate on the benefits of Natural approach.

Or

- (b) How one can develop their language skills by using 'Content based Instruction'?

13. (a) How is appreciation of poetry taught in the class?

Or

- (b) What are the barriers of speaking and hoe one can improve it?

14. (a) What are the various types of test that are in use?

Or

- (b) What are the characteristics of a good test?

15. (a) Write a paragraph on the usefulness of various visual aids in language teaching.

Or

- (b) How can computers are used for language teaching and the use of language lab?

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write a detail essay on the uses of English for specific purpose in the present scenario.
 17. Discuss in detail about Grammar translation method.
 18. Evaluate the importance of teaching LSRW Skills.
 19. What is an essay question? What are the merits and demerits of essay questions? Suggest some ways to make the essay questions more valid.
 20. Explain in detail about using technology for teaching English.
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F-0083

Sub. Code

7BENE2B

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Fifth Semester

English

Elective – JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What is meant by 'Soft news'?
2. Who is supposed to be the father of Indian Journalism?
3. Write a short note on 'Film Festival'.
4. Brief on 'The Lasswell Model of Communication'.
5. What are the principles of conducting an interview?
6. Who are crime reporters?
7. Define 'Libel'.
8. Write a short note on 'The Copy Act of 1957'.
9. Brief on the 'Use of Art in Advertisement'.
10. What is meant by 'Oral Press Briefings'?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Define the various functions of Journalism.

Or

- (b) Write a paragraph on 'Elements of News'.

12. (a) Describe in detail about 'All India Radio'.

Or

- (b) Write about the 'Models of Communication'.

13. (a) What is the role of the news agencies?

Or

- (b) Explain the basic principles of editing.

14. (a) Write a short note on

- (i) The official Secrets Act, 1923 and
- (ii) The Contempt of Court Act of 1952.

Or

- (b) Discuss about the Freedom of Press.

15. (a) What are different types of Advertising?

Or

- (b) Explain how public relations are important for the growth of any business.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write a detailed essay on 'History and the Development of Journalism'.
 17. Write an essay on the functions of mass media.
 18. F.J. Mansfield said "A good sub-editor is a creative artist". Discuss.
 19. Discuss the codes and ethics in press.
 20. Discuss in detail about 'Press and Public Relations'.
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F-0084

Sub. Code

7BEN6C1

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Sixth Semester

English

SHAKESPEARE

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. Where were the 'groundlings' while watching the play?
2. What was the purpose of using 'soliloquy'?
3. What is a sonnet? How did Shakespeare's sonnet differ from other sonnet forms?
4. What does the poet mean by 'you never can be old'?
5. Why is Cordelia banished by her father?
6. Where does Gloucester ask Edgar to take him?
7. Who is Hippolyta?
8. Why is Egeus unhappy with Hermia?
9. What is the reason for Shylock's hatred towards Antonio?
10. Who is Nerrissa?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Briefly write about Shakespeare's audience.

Or

- (b) Write a note on the use of Supernatural elements by Shakespeare in his plays.

12. (a) Briefly write a note on the autobiographical element of Shakespeare's sonnets.

Or

- (b) Describe the typical Shakespearean sonnet form and structure from the prescribed sonnets.

13. (a) Write a note on theme of old age and death in 'King Lear'.

Or

- (b) Goneril, Regan and Edmund of the three who is more wicked? Why? Give reasons.

14. (a) Discuss the reason behind Lysander and Hermia elopement.

Or

- (b) Write a note on the role played by 'Puck'.

15. (a) Briefly describe the casket scene in the play 'The Merchant of Venice'.

Or

- (b) Bring out the character sketch of Antonio.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Compare and contrast the women in Shakespeare's comedies and tragedies.
 17. Write an essay on Shakespeare's use of imagery in his sonnets.
 18. Discuss in detail the various themes in the play 'King Lear'.
 19. 'A Mid – Summer Night's Dream is a poem – a dream, rather than a play'. Discuss.
 20. Describe in detail the correct scene in 'Merchant of Venice'.
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F-0085

Sub. Code

7BEN6C2

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Sixth Semester

English

AMERICAN LITERATURE

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. Who is Lenore?
2. What is the theme of the poem 'On the Beach' at Night Alone?
3. What is the ice-cream cart compared to in the poem?
4. What does 'lead boots' signify in Dickenson's poem 'I felt a Funeral in My Brain'?
5. What does Emerson mean by 'Self-Reliance'?
6. What is the purpose of 'Gettysburgh Address'?
7. How does Mitch verify the stories Stanley tells about Blanche?
8. Who is Bernard?
9. What is the disease that Ralph Suffers?
10. Why is Hester Prynne punished?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) How does Emerson show the Universality of 'Brahma'?

Or

- (b) Write a brief note on the theme of grief and hopelessness in the poem 'The Raven'.

12. (a) How does Stevens juxtapose life and death in his poem?

Or

- (b) Was the poet remorseful about the choice made by him in 'The Road not Taken'?

13. (a) Briefly write about Emerson's views in 'Non-Conformity'.

Or

- (b) Describe the sacrifice made by the forefather's in Gettysburgh.

14. (a) Compare and contrast the characters of Blanche and Stella.

Or

- (b) Discuss the character of Charley in the play 'Death of a Salesman'.

15. (a) Describe the role played by Counters Gemini in the novel 'The Portrait of a Lady'.

Or

- (b) Discuss the theme of guilt and punishment in 'The Scarlet Letter'.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Describe how Whitman portrays the relationship between a parent and his child.
 17. Attempt a critical appreciation of a poem 'I felt a Funeral in My Brain' which presents a number of enigmas to the reader.
 18. Discuss Emerson's concept of 'Self-reliance' and the importance attached to it.
 19. Give a detailed analysis of the character of Willy Loman.
 20. Describe the characters of Isabel Archer.
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F-0086

Sub. Code

7BEN6C3

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Sixth Semester

English

LITERARY CRITICISM

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** questions.

1. What does Tradition involves according to TS Eliot?
2. What is the difficulty of our reading?
3. Why do we need best poetry?
4. What is 'Reason'?
5. Who is a critic according to Dr. Johnson?
6. How many characters are there in an essay of dramatic poesy?
7. How the modes of imitation differ from one another according to Aristotle?
8. Write short notes on tragic-comedy.
9. Define moralistic approach.
10. What is formalist approach in literary text?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) What according to TS Eliot is the relationship between the past and the present?

Or

- (b) What are the functions assigned to a political speech?

12. (a) What are the three broad functions to a critic of literature ascribed by Arnold?

Or

- (b) What is the difference between Coleridge and Shelley in the concept of Imagination?

13. (a) What defects does Dr. Johnson find in Shakespeare?

Or

- (b) What are the main issues discussed in Dryden's essay of dramatic poesy?

14. (a) Write a paragraph on plot and character in Tragedy according to Aristotle.

Or

- (b) Bring out Sidney's views about the antiquity of Poetry.

15. (a) Write a paragraph on psychological approach.

Or

- (b) Elaborate on the purpose of an Archetypical approach.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Elucidate TS Eliot's views on relationship between Traditional and Individual Talent.
 17. Discuss the grounds on which Arnold establishes the greatness of poetry in his essay, "the Study of Poetry".
 18. Critically estimate Johnson's critical position as revealed in his preface to Shakespeare.
 19. Analyse and discuss Sidney's observations on comedy.
 20. Explain in detail about Formalistic approach to literature.
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F-0087

Sub. Code

7BEN6C4

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Sixth Semester

English

PHONETICS AND SPOKEN ENGLISH

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. What is the most active organ of speech?
2. Write a short note on tongue position.
3. Brief on post-aveolar.
4. Comment on 'lip-rounding'.
5. Write a short on 'disyllabic' words.
6. What are the four factors to be considered while using English in connected speech?
7. Expand- IPA.
8. Transcribe the following words-
 - (a) pin,
 - (b) mouse
9. How can English best be improved?

10. Complete the dialogue.

Sanjay : how is your new job?

Vijay : _____

Sanjay : It takes time to come to terms with.

Vijay : _____

Sanjay : In a rented house?

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) What are the major organs of speech and how are they important in the production of speech sounds?

Or

(b) What is sound change? How has it affected the English Language?

12. (a) How vowels can be studied in three dimensions?

Or

(b) Write a paragraph on 'The nature of structure'.

13. (a) Write a paragraph on 'Rhythm'.

Or

(b) What are the main functions of Intonation?

14. (a) Transcribe the following-

(i) absolute

(ii) sarcasm

(iii) laboratory

(iv) Controversy

(v) uncomfortable

Or

(b) Transcribe the following sentences.

(i) I want her to think about it.

(ii) There's nothing to be done about it.

15. (a) Complete the following dialogue between a girl and her mother.

Mother : I want you to learn to prepare a few dishes during these vacations.

Daughter : Is it really necessary?

Mother : (i) _____

Daughter : (ii) _____

Mother : (iii) _____

Daughter : (iv) _____

Mother : (v) _____

Or

(b) Write a dialogue between passenger and booking Clerk.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Attempt a classification of speech sounds with special reference to English.

17. Discuss in detail about the sound in English vowels. Explain it with drawings.

18. Describe and Differentiate between Stress and Accent.

19. Transcribe the following passage :

“A friend in need is a friend indeed, that is the definition of true friend who will never leave you during your hardships, success, and failure. We can choose our friends. Real friends always share and support each other. They feel joyful when we are happy, and during our sadness, they also share sadness with us. True friendship is all about sharing things, making mistakes, fighting for silly things, but again hugging to support each other. Friendship is an essential thing for a happy life. Whenever you are in worry, a chat with a friend takes out all problems away. That is the strength of friendship.

20. Write a dialogue between two friends about the impact of ‘Covid 19’ in their business.

F-0088

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7BENE3A

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023.

Sixth Semester

English

ELECTIVE : REMEDIAL ENGLISH GRAMMAR

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. Define noun.
2. Point out the nouns in the following sentence and state its type
 - (a) George bought a bat.
 - (b) He is a peon in the office.
3. Underline the auxiliary verb.
 - (a) He might have eaten it.
 - (b) Leela could have won the game.
4. Fill in the blanks with appropriate conjunctions.
 - (a) Birds fly ————— fish swim.
 - (b) I don't know ————— he was punished.

5. Identify the kind of sentence.
- (a) Ravi is a doctor.
 - (b) Although she is sick, she went to the office.
6. Punctuate the following.
- the bear in the zoo was a big one
7. Give the Synonyms of the following words.
- (a) clever –
 - (b) absurd –
8. Fill in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions.
- (a) Sheela is good ————— music.
 - (b) We must attend ————— our work sincerely.
9. What is meant by cohesion in a paragraph?
10. How many parts are in a letter?

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer the following questions in about 150 words by choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Fill in the blanks with suitable 'Articles'..
- (i) ————— Ganges is a holy river.
 - (ii) ————— European met me yesterday.
 - (iii) I got ————— Application form for scholarship.

(iv) March is _____ third month of the year.

(v) They had _____ Costly car.

Or

(b) Write a paragraph on reflective pronouns.

12. (a) Distinguish between transitive and intransitive verb.

Or

(b) Rewrite the following Passage in the present tense.

Cricket is a very famous game. It can be played by men, women and children of all ages. It is an outdoor game which requires a bat, ball and stumps. It is usually played on a field by two teams and the team that scores more runs, wins the game. Umpires are also present to give a fair decision and stop arguments. Cricket is the national game of England. It is played in many other countries too. In India, children and adults enjoy playing and watching cricket on television. Playing cricket helps to keep us healthy and teaches us many important lessons.

13. (a) Turn the following into indirect speech.

(i) *"I'm seeing my brother tomorrow."*

(ii) *"Where do they live?"*

(iii) *He said, "I go to school every day."*

(iv) They said, "We may go to Canada."

(v) Kanika said, "I ought to avoid junk food."

Or

(b) Transformation of sentences.

(i) complex-Since he was, weak, he could not work hard.

Simple –

Compound –

(ii) simple – The weather being foul, we did not go out.

Compound-

Complex-

(iii) complex-When it is spring, the cuckoo sings.

Simple-

14. (a) Fill in the blanks with suitable prefix.

(i) _____able

(ii) _____ial

(iii) _____ed

(iv) _____tion

(v) _____ment

Or

(b) Give the 'Antonym' of the following.

(i) famous

(ii) violent

(iii) beautiful

(iv) optimistic

(v) direct

15. (a) Write a paragraph on rainy season in tamilnadu.

Or

(b) Write a letter to your father who has been posted in the U.S.A. telling him why you want to join N.C.C.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. What are the types of adjectives? Explain it with examples.

17. Explain verb and its types.

18. Write a essay on sentences and its different forms with examples.

19. Give the meaning of homophones and frame a sentence.

(a) affect/effect

(b) hair/heir

(c) check/cheque

(d) weather/whether

(e) blue/blew

20. Write the précis of the following.

‘All about a Dog’ by Gardiner is a story that gives birth to some questions related to our society and social rules and regulations. It was a very cold winter night. The passengers were all eager to reach home early. A young lady carrying a little dog boarded the bus. Immediately, the conductor asked the lady to go up to the uncovered top with the dog. But the other passengers were quite sympathetic towards the lady with the dog, considering

the weather. Moreover, the lady was suffering from cough and cold. So they did not object to carrying the dog inside the bus. But the bus conductor would not disobey the rule so easily. He forced the lady to go to the top of the bus on cold night. Initially the lady was reluctant to do that and persisted on staying inside. She also argued with the conductor. But the conductor was strict in his decision. So he stopped the bus in the midway, creating trouble to everyone in the bus. Ultimately the lady have to obey the order of the conductor.

After sometime when the bus developed some engine trouble, the passengers had to bear with the delay. But the conductor refused to compromise. All through the journey, the lady had to travel on the top of the bus. At the end the narrator of the story fly to advise to the conductor that rules should be modified according to the circumstances and should be tempered with goodwill.

F-0089

Sub. Code

7BENE3B

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

Sixth Semester

English

Elective – WRITTEN COMMUNICATION

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 2 = 20)

Answer **all** the questions.

1. How important is listening in communication?
2. Write a short note on 'complimentary close' in a letter.
3. What is the purpose of a presentation?
4. What is meant by narration?-
5. Define Note Making.
6. What is the format for note-making?
7. What are five things you would include in a meeting agenda?
8. What is a report?
9. What questions do you ask yourself every day?
10. Introduce yourself to your neighbour.

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Write a paragraph on different types of letters.

Or

- (b) Write a letter to a friend telling him something about the life of tribal's and asking him to accompany you to one of their welfare centers.

12. (a) Write about the important presentation techniques.

Or

- (b) You have seen an accident in a high way narrate about it with your mother.

13. (a) Write a paragraph on the characteristics of Note Making.

Or

- (b) Make notes of the following.

Colour Therapy is a totally holistic and non-invasive therapy and, really, colour should be a part of our everyday life, not just something we experience for an hour or two with a therapist. Colour is all around us everywhere. This wonderful planet does not contain all the beautiful colours of the rainbow for no reason. Nothing on this earth is here just by chance; everything in nature is here for a purpose. Colour is no exception. All we need to do is to heighten our awareness of the energy of colour, absorb it and see how it can transform our lives.

14. (a) Write a paragraph on 'Crime Reporting'.

Or

- (b) Explain about different types of arguments.

15. (a) What are the different kinds of self expression?

Or

- (b) You are angry that your friend had ditched your express your concern about it with your mother.

Part C

(3 × 10 = 30)

Answer any **three** questions.

16. Write a letter to the Municipal Commissioner regarding the heaps of garbage lying in your area not cleaned for along time.
17. Elaborate in detail about the recent floods and how it affected the people of Tamilnadu.
18. Makes notes of the following with using abbreviations :

In life, you'll always come across situations where there will be someone else who's better than you, especially there is no one quality or standard that people can be judged on. There will always be someone who looks better, has more money or is more intelligent than you. How you choose to approach these situations, of course, depends on the perspective you take. People in themselves aren't intimidating, it's the opinions you form about them that make you feel so. Rather than judging people on a single attribute and getting intimidated, be comfortable with whom you are and approach other people as complete individuals rather than a bundle of good or bad attributes. The key to not letting others intimidate you is to know your own worth. Don't let your sense of self be defined by what others think of you or how you compare yourself to them. Know what you are, and be comfortable in your skin. Instead of feeling threatened and letting your ego in the way, you could benefit a great deal by being around people who might be better than you in some ways. Respect others for what they are and

use these opportunities to learn from the strengths and virtues of others. Don't get bogged down by what you don't have or can't do. We all have limitations. learn to accept them and focus on your strengths. A lot of times, we come under pressure from what people we believe to be more popular and influential than us, in a bid to fit with them. However, at times like these, it's important for you to stay true to yourself and say 'no' when you're expected to do something that makes you uncomfortable. Your first response to an intimidating person or situation would probably be to avoid them altogether. However, avoidance only goes on to increase your anxiety. Confront these situations easier to deal with. Always keep in mind that everybody has flaws and everyone has his/her own share of struggles, even if you aren't able to spot them. Our self-esteem gets lowered when we focus too much on our weaknesses and neglect what we get right. Change this pattern and start giving yourself credit for your strengths and success.

19. You are the student secretary of your college. Give a report on Fresher's day to your committee in charge.
20. Imagine yourself as a sports personality with you hard work you are selected in the national team. Narrate your journey to success.