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B.C.A/B.Sc. (Fc. Sc) Examination, April/May - 2018

(Semester Scheme) (2013 onwards)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE - II

Prose and Language Component (Illuminations - II)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer two of the following : [2 × 10 = 20]

- Describe how Chandu's strike taught a lesson to the village elders.
- Discuss Goldsmith's opinion about National Prejudices.
- Comment on the character of Rosemary Fell, in 'A cup of Tea'.

II. Answer two of the following : [2 × 10 = 20]

- What did Jade wong learn in mill's college?
- Describe the changed circumstances in the life of the Verger.
- Summarise the thoughts/ideas of Dr. B.R Ambedkar, on how to destroy the caste system in India.

III. Answer two of the following : [2 × 10 = 20]

- How does vera play mischief on Mr. Nuttel?
- What are Gardener's views on superstitions?
- Summarise the tragic story of phatik chakravorti.

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Language Component

IV. a) Fill in the blanks with appropriate Articles : [5 × 1 = 5]

- i) He is _____ intelligent boy.
- ii) I met _____ European.
- iii) Rosemary gave her _____ cup of Tea.
- iv) _____ ideal society must have equality.
- v) _____ darkest cloud has a silver lining.

b) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions : [5 × 1 = 5]

- i) He went _____ Bangalore.
- ii) Radium was discovered _____ Marie Curie.
- iii) The bird is _____ the cage.
- iv) She looked _____ the picture.
- v) I am going _____ a walk.

c) Answer the following according to the instructions given in the brackets : [5 × 1 = 5]

- i) He went some where. (Identify the adverb)
- ii) Janaki came late. (Identify the adverb)
- iii) This is an old book. (Identify the adjective)
- iv) He is the tallest boy in the class. (Change into comparative degree)
- v) China is bigger than other countries. (Change into superlative degree)

d) Choose the correct form of the verb and complete the sentence : [5 × 1 = 5]

- i) The shop _____ closed. (is/are)
- ii) He _____ to the temple. (go/goes)
- iii) One of them _____ done it. (has/have)
- iv) She _____ tasty biscuits. (make/makes)
- v) Students _____ read books, now a days. (don't/does't)

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Prose and Language Component (Reflections - II)

Time : 3 Hours

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I. Answer two of the following :

[2 × 10 = 20]

- a) How did 'Unto this last' influence Gandhi?
- b) Summarize the story of the life of the man with the scar.
- c) Narrate how Martin sees God through his kindness to fellow creatures.

II. Answer two of the following :

[2 × 10 = 20]

- a) Give an account of Iona Potapov's lonely and sorrowful condition.
- b) How did Martin Luther King portray the sufferings of the Black people in his address?
- c) What is the significance of the white chalk according to G.K Chesterton?

III. Answer two of the following :

[2 × 10 = 20]

- a) What does Robert Lynd say about the pleasures of ignorance?
- b) How does Lord Krishna persuade Arjun to fight against the Kauravas?
- c) 'A self portrait' is an essay about Nehrus personality. Discuss.

Language Component

- IV. a) Write a letter to the Municipal Commissioner regarding the unhygienic conditions in your area. [1 × 6 = 6]

OR

Write a letter to the Principal asking him to grant 3 days leave to attend your brother's wedding.

- b) Rewrite as directed : [3 × 1 = 3]
- i) Children like ice Creams (Frame a question. So as to get the underlined word as answer)
 - ii) Some politicians are dishonest (Frame a question, so as to get the underlined words as answer)
 - iii) The minister did not turn up for the function, _____? (Add a question tag)
- c) Punctuate the following : [2 × 1½ = 3]
- i) Japan and America formed an alliance.
 - ii) He said I am writing a letter.
- d) Use four of the following idioms and phrases in your own Sentences : [4 × 1 = 4]
- i) Now and then
 - ii) To give up
 - iii) To root out
 - iv) To take care
 - v) Fond of
 - vi) To bring about
 - vii) To make up
 - viii) To take over
- e) Identify the adjective : [2 × 1 = 2]
- i) It was a dark night.
 - ii) She sang a melodious song.
- f) Rewrite as directed. [2 × 1 = 2]
- i) He is more intelligent than any other boy in the class. (Change into superlative Degree)
 - ii) No other river is as long as the Nile. (Change into Comparative Degree)