

B.Com. New CBCS Pattern Semester-I  
**UCA1C02 - Compulsory English-I**

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



**GUG/S/24/10632C**

Max. Marks : 80

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1. a) Answer **any one** of the following questions in about 150 words. **10**
- i) Describe Phatik's experiences at school in Calcutta.
- ii) How does vegetarianism influence Gandhi's life in England?
- b) Answer **any one** of the following questions in about 150 words. **10**
- i) Describe the school master as depicted in the poem "The Village Schoolmaster".
- ii) Compare and contrast the speaker as a child with the speaker as an adult.
2. a) Answer **any three** of the following questions in 75 words. **15**
- i) Why did Phatik decide to leave his uncle's house?
- ii) Why did Gandhi begin to experiment with a vegetarian diet?
- iii) What according to Ambedkar is 'graded inequality'?
- iv) What were the three rules Nooyi followed to rise to the top of the Pepsico ladder?
- b) Answer **any one** of the following questions in 75 words. **5**
- i) What does the expression losing theirs' imply?
- ii) How has the poet used animals to establish atmosphere?
3. a) Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles. **3**
- i) ----- rich are rarely happy.
- ii) He was seriously ill, so he went to----- hospital.
- iii) Twelve inches make----- foot.
- b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. **3**
- i) They are sorry----- having disturbed you.
- ii) The man ----- the car is my neighbour.
- iii) This clients are happy----- Mani's work.

- c) Fill in the blanks with appropriate tense form of verbs. 4
- i) Computers----- (store) large amount of data.
  - ii) So far I----- (learn) eight languages.
  - iii) Kalidas----- (be) a great poet.
  - iv) Don't phone me before six in the morning because I----- (sleep).
- d) Rewrite the following sentences by removing the errors. 4
- i) I reads the book yesterday.
  - ii) Where is the scissors?
  - iii) Harsha don't know Hindi.
  - iv) The child is having a hearing problem.
- e) i) Write the synonyms for following words. 3
- a) Broad b) Appear
  - c) Futile
- ii) Write antonyms for following words. 3
- a) Legal b) Clockwise
  - c) Barren

**4. Write a paragraph with the help of given points. 10**

No Shame in failure-----everyone fails-----from infant trying to stand to conqueror attempting conquest----- fail many times-----no mistake, no worthwhile achievements----- attitude to failure important-----demoralized by failure, no gain ---- bold resolution leads to victory----- be confident, optimistic.

**5. Answer the following questions. 10**

- i) Write a few important leadership skills.

**OR**

What are the qualities of effective teamwork.

- ii) Write a paragraph on the quotation from Shakespeare 'Make use of time, let not advantage slip'.

**OR**

What are the different things required for setting a goal in education area.

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