

B.A. F. Y. (New CBCS Pattern) Semester-II
BA12A1 - Compulsory English

P. Pages : 3

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

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1. a) Add a question tag. 4
- 1) Kumar sells furniture.
 - 2) The shopkeeper allows customer to pay the bill online.
 - 3) It is very hot.
 - 4) Shut the door.
- b) 1) Write the synonyms of 3
- i) Peril
 - ii) Lucid
 - iii) Success
- 2) Write the antonym of 3
- i) Dislike
 - ii) Compulsory
 - iii) Happy
- c) Prefixes, Suffixes, Infixes and Zero suffixes. 3
- 1) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with words formed by combining the right prefixes and words given in the box.
 - i) A large number of NGO in India work for the people. They are not concerned with politics. They are ----- (political).
 - ii) The discussion was completely ----- (productive).
 - iii) Studies show that a large number of children in rural areas of India suffer from ----- (nutrition)
- 2) Fill in the blanks with word formed by adding suitable suffixes to the words in brackets. 3
- i) Let us stop this ----- discussion. (meaning)
 - ii) Have a ----- of honey in the morning. (Spoon)
 - iii) We need the director's ----- for the project. (approve)
- d) Homophones 4
- a) Fill in the blanks with homophones of the words in brackets.
- 1) Did the ----- wing the race? (hair)
 - 2) Farida has gone to visit her ----- (sun)
 - 3) His heart ----- for her daughter (pen)
 - 4) She is feeling ----- (week)

2. a) I) Complete / prepare a dialogue on the given outline. 5
 (Uma thanks her neighbor Tina for taking care of her baby for a while)
 Uma : Tina, I'm back from the market ----- of Neha while I was away.
 Tina : Oh, it -----
 Uma : Hope she -----
 Tina : Not at all. She had lunch, played with Rahul and has had a nap too.
 Uma : -----, Tina.
 Tina : You're -----

OR

(Bindu thanks her boss before leaving a party at his house)
 Bindu : I think I should be leaving now, Mr. Mohite ----- It was a lovely evening.
 Mr. Mohite : I'm glad -----, Bindu. Do come again.
 Bindu : I'd love to ----- Good night.
 Mr. Mohite : -----

- II) Vinu asks his friend Pravin to take care of his dog for two days while he is out for town (Prepare a dialogue) 5

OR

Complete the dialogue.
 (Manju asks a junior colleague to help her with a project report)
 Manju : Amir, ----- draft my project report this evening?
 Amir : ----- I'm leaving after lunch. I have to meet my mother at the station.
 Manju : -----

- b) Paragraph writing. 5
 Develop a paragraph from the following outline.
 The Book I Enjoy Reading

I enjoy reading fiction ----- these includes ----- can spend ----- no interest in science fiction ----- dull characters ----- nonfiction enjoy travelogues ----- biographies of explorers ----- sportsperson ----- also read newspapers and magazines ----- help informed me, ----- help to pass time.

OR

Internet : biggest communication network ----- millions of network ----- short form 'net' ----- WWW biggest service ----- used by millions people ----- send information ----- Facebook privacy problem ----- Used for many things ----- receive mails ----- online chat ----- file transfer ----- allows more people to chat.

- c) Sounds of English. **5x1**
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Do as directed.
- 1) Identify the number of phones in: examination
 - 2) Give the minimal pairs for : /e/ and / ei /
 - 3) Identify the structure of the following word in terms of C and V : disease
 - 4) Identify the number of syllables in the following words : start
 - 5) Transcribe the following words according to British RP : bus
- 3. a)** Answer the following questions in about 150 words **any one.** **10**
- 1) How does the story 'The Thief' bring out change in the narrator's character?
 - 2) Describe the way the Native Americans lived close to Nature. Contrast this with the white people's attitude towards nature.
 - 3) What, according to A. G. Gardiner, is the 'Rule of the road' ?
- b)** Answer the following questions in about 75 words **any two.** **10**
- 1) What reasons does the old lady give for walking in the middle of the road? Why do you think the author uses this story to start the essay?
 - 2) Why does the chief set a condition for accepting the President's offer?
 - 3) List all points the narrator uses to convince himself that he should rob Arun.
- 4. a)** Answer the following questions in about 150 words **any one.** **10**
- 1) Summarize the poem "The World is Too Much With Us".
 - 2) What is the theme of the poem 'Money Madness'?
 - 3) Comment! on the poem 'Success is Counted Sweetest'.
- b)** Answer the following questions in about 75 words **any two.** **10**
- 1) What does the poet mean by 'collective madness'?
 - 2) Bring out the idea of success as argued by Emily Dickinson in the poem Success is Counted Sweetest.
 - 3) Summarize the poem 'Love's Philosophy' in your words.
 - 4) What are we 'Out Of tune' with according to the poet in the poem 'The World is Too Much with Us'?
