

B.A. (NEW CBCS Pattern) Sem-I
BA12A1 - Compulsory English

P. Pages : 4

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

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1. A) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with appropriate articles. 4
- i) He has seen ----- accident of car.
 - ii) Our library has three copies of ----- Mahabharata.
 - iii) She purchased ----- one mobile for her brother.
 - iv) Mr. Bajaj reads ----- Indian Express newspaper.
- B) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with appropriate prepositions. 4
- i) Guests are coming ----- six o'clock.
 - ii) I have confidence ----- his ability of painting a good picture.
 - iii) He will come ----- Sunday.
 - iv) This is the house ----- Mr. Tripathi.
- C) Change the tense of the following sentences. 4
- i) He makes a painting of Monalisa. (Make simple past)
 - ii) She went for a walk. (Make present perfect tense).
 - iii) They were running to catch the bus. (Make present continuous tense).
 - iv) Boys are playing table tennis. (Make simple future tense).
- D) Use appropriate form of verb in the following sentences. 4
- i) The quality of their books ----- good. (to be (simple present tense))
 - ii) A black cat ----- sleeping on the ledge. (to be (past continuous tense))
 - iii) He ----- to live in Nagpur for study. (want (simple past tense))
 - iv) They ----- gone to Mumbai for employment (to have (present perfect tense)).
- E) Punctuate the following sentences. 4
- i) Rahul played several sports hockey basketball kho and volleyball.
 - ii) When will he go to market.
2. A) Complete / Prepare a dialogue on the given situation. 10
- i) (Two scientists meet at a seminar. Time : afternoon)
Dr. Pratap : ----- from NIT Rourkee.
Dr. Rahman : ----- I'm Amir Rahman from IIT Bhubhaneshwar.
Dr. Pratap : ----- Will you be presenting a paper today?
Dr. Rahman : Yes it's a report on my latest project.
Dr. Pratap : That's interesting. I'm looking forward to your paper.
Dr. Rahman : Thank you.

OR

- Exchange greetings.
- Ask your partner why he/she did not come to your party.
- Your partner apologises for not being at the party and says that he/she could not make it because some visitors suddenly turned up.
- You say that he/she could have brought them along.
- Your partner says the visitors wanted to go shopping
- You say you hope he/she will be able to come to the party new week.
- Your partner says he/she certainly will. Take leave of each other.

- ii) (Sahil Khan meets Rajesh Jain, who has recently moved in as his neighbour).

Sahil Khan : Good morning , Mr. Jain. How ----- ?
Rajesh Jain : Very well, ----- How ----- you. Mr. Khan?
Sahil Khan : I' am ----- We're happy to have you as our neighbour. Do
come home sometime.
Rajesh Jain : We certainly will. Thank ----- see you then.
Sahil Khan : -----

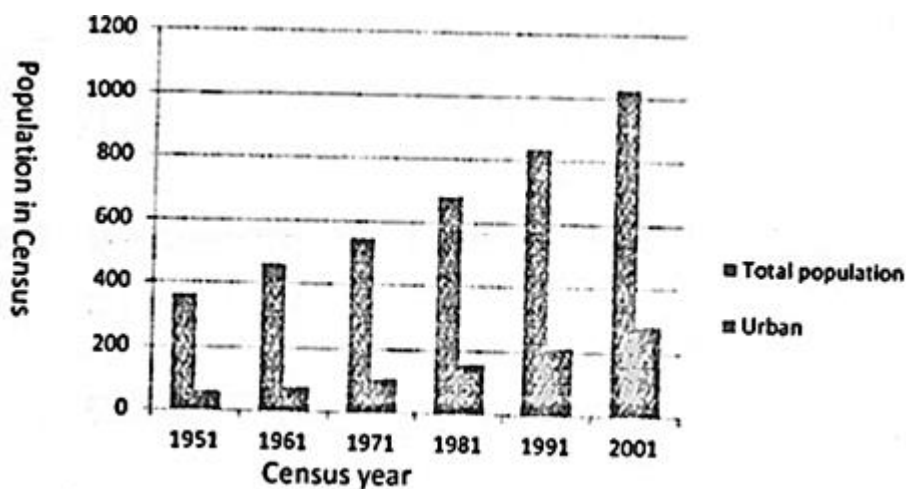
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Self-introduction 1 (formal) (It is the first day of college for the first year BSc students. Each student has been asked to introduce herself/himself to the teacher and the class and to give personal information).

----- to all of you ----- Surya Kumar ----- eighteen ----- a small village in Gadchiroli district. Most of the people in the village are farmers ----- a farmer ----- looks after the home ----- two elder sisters and one elder brother ----- the youngest in the family ----- are both married ----- Hyderabad and the other in Pune ----- is doing his engineering ----- government school in Gadchiroli and passed the Intermediate examination with a first class ----- to do my MBA after graduation ----- playing kho kho and football.

- B) Study the bar graph below and answer the following questions.

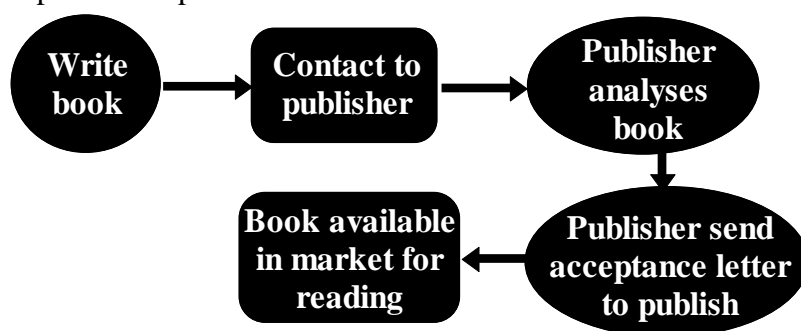
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- Was the population growth more in rural areas or urban areas between 1951 and 2001?
- What was the total rural population in India in the year 1981?
- By how much did the urban population in the country increase between 1961 and 1971?
- What was the difference between India's rural and urban populations in 2001?
- What was the total urban population in India in the year 2001?

OR

Write a detail report of the procedures written in the flow chart below.



C) Say whether the following statements are true or false.

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- i) Phonetics is the systematic study of speech sounds.
- ii) Phonology refers to the study of sounds of human language general.
- iii) There is one to one equation between English letters and sounds.
- iv) The number of sounds in English is 65.
- v) There are no silent letters in English words.

OR

- i) Write down the word that begin with the following sounds
 - i) tʃ-----
 - ii) dʒ-----
- ii) Mark the consonants of the word and write them using the correct IPA symbol
 - i) Seek -----
- iii) Write down the correct vowels IPA symbols of the following words.
 - i) First -----
 - ii) rude -----

3. A) Answer **any one** of the following question in about 150 words.

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- i) Sketch the character of Phatik's experiences at school..
- ii) Trace the development of Shaw as a public speaker.

B) Answer **any two** of the following questions in about 75 words each.

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- i) What advice does Shaw give with regard to elocution lessons?
- ii) What principle helped Kalam to succeed and at the same time feel a sense of rightful achievement?
- iii) Describe the relationship between Phatik and Bishamber's wife?
- iv) Write a note on Phatik's experiences at school.

4. A) Answer **any one** of the following question in about 150 words. **10**
- i) Explain the relationship between the poet and death? How does poet explore this relationship in the poem, *When I Have Fears*?
 - ii) Comments on Emerson's view of the world through the arguments between the mountain and squirrel.
- B) Answer **any two** of the following questions in about 75 words each. **10**
- i) How does the poet make a distinction between mercy and justice in the poem *The Quality of Mercy*?
 - ii) What does the poet fear in the poem *When I Have Fears*?
 - iii) Write a note on the moral lesson in the poem, *Mountain and Squirrel*.
 - iv) What type of strength does the poet pray for in the poem, *Where the Mind is Without Fear*?
