

B.S.W. CBCS Pattern Semester-II
BSW111 / 001 - Compulsory English Paper-I

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

- Notes : 1. All questions are compulsory.
2. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Answer the following questions in about 175 words. 16
How does the story “The Eyes Are Not Here” convey the pathos and irony? Describe.

OR

Describe the impact of ‘Raja Harishchandra’ on the Indian film industry and its reception.

2. Answer the following questions in 100 words each **any two**. 16

- i) What themes are explored in the poem “My Grandmother’s House,” and how do they contribute to the tone of the poem?
- ii) How does the poem “Ozymandias” by Percy Bysshe Shelley explore the themes of power, time, and the transience of human achievements? Provide examples from the poem to support your analysis.
- iii) How does the speaker in the poem “Sonnet- To Science” by Edgar Allan Poe depict the conflict between science and poetry.

3. a) Answer the following questions. 16

- i) Complete the dialogue given below.
(Lakshmi and Ansar were classmates in school and are meeting each other outside a shopping mall after a long time).

Lakshmi: -----, Ansar! How wonderful to run into you here!

Ansar: ----- Lakshmi! It’s been ages!

Lakshmi: ----- you? Nita told me that you have moved to Mumbai.

Ansar: I’m ----- Thanks. I moved to Mumbai a couple of months ago.

Lakshmi: How ----- are you going to be here?

Do come home tomorrow if you can.

Ansar: I will, -----!

Lakshmi: So, see you ----- then -----!

Ansar: See you, -----!

- ii) Complete the dialogue given below.
(Suresh meets his lecturer, Mr Iyer, to submit his assignment. It’s ten o’clock in the morning).

Suresh: -----, sir.

Mr Iyer: -----, Suresh. Are you here to submit your assignment?

Suresh: ----- Here it is.

Mr. Iyer: Suresh. I will return it to you in a day or two.

Suresh: ----- sir. Have a nice day.

Mr Iyer ----- Suresh.

iii) State whether the following words and expressions are used in formal or informal situations.

- a) I'm pleased to meet you -----
- b) Nice meeting you -----
- c) Let me introduce myself -----
- d) Hi, I'm -----

iv) Prepare a dialogue.

(Mahesh Mathur from JBL Communications, Mumbai meets the company's Chartered Accountant at Delhi office. He introduces himself to the CA's secretary.)

4. a) Write a paragraph of about eight to ten lines on "Democracy".

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OR

Describe the fundamental components required for a well-constructed paragraph.

b) Imagine your name as James Williams. Write a job application letter for the post of a coordinator at Child Line NGO, Nagpur. Highlight your relevant skills, experiences, and qualifications.

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OR

Write a letter of complaint to the Deputy Police Commissioner regarding the nuisance created by some unethical elements near your college.

5. a) Match the pairs of Synonyms.

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| i) Brave | Fertilizer |
| ii) Advance | Courageous |
| iii) Dessert | Progress |
| iv) Manure | Sweet- dish |

b) For each set of words, identify the word on the right that is the closest antonym of the word on the left.

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| i) Abundant | Unexciting |
| ii) Prolific | Timid |
| iii) Confident | Barren |
| iv) Exhilarating | Scarce |

c) Fill in the blanks with correct tense form of the verbs given in brackets.

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- i) Every morning Lila ----- (wake) up early and ----- (make) breakfast for her family.
- ii) John ----- (complete) has assignment and ----- (visit) the new museum exhibit.
- iii) We ----- (have) a house in Bhopal, but we ----- (sell) it last year.
- iv) The children ----- (play) in the park, and the birds ----- (sing) in the trees.
