

FACULTIES OF ARTS/SCIENCE/COMMERCE/SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.A./B.A.(L)/B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.A. (III Semester) Examination

GENERAL ENGLISH

Paper III

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 80

Answer the following questions in the serial order from 1 to 5.

Section A – (Marks : 4 × 5 = 20)

1. Answer any four of the following questions:

(A) Find out the errors in the parts of the given sentences labelled A/B/C/D:

(5 × 1 = 5)

1. He (A) / went (B) / to the market, (C) / doesn't he? (D)
2. The four (A) / thieves (B) / shared the money (C) / between themselves. (D)
3. The students (A) / go (B) / on a picnic (C) / yesterday. (D)
4. The scissors (A) / is (B) / very sharp (C) / and shiny. (D)
5. My mother (A) / gives (B) / me (C) / many advices. (D)

(B) Rewrite the following sentences by correcting the underlined part: (5 × 1 = 5)

1. The furniture are not suitable to this room.
2. She knows English beside Telugu.
3. My friend is poor in Mathematics.
4. If we will run fast, we will reach the station.
5. She has been working hard since one hour.

(C) Write a Dialogue between the clerk and customer at the post office. (5 × 1 = 5)

(D) Write the prefix or suffix word given in the bracket:

(5 × 1 = 5)

1. locate
2. accomplish
3. continue
4. complete
5. happy

(un, in, ment, dis, tion)

(E) Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow: (5 × 1 = 5)

Truthfulness is the master key. Do not lie under any circumstances whatsoever. Keep nothing secret, take your teachers and your elders into your confidence and make a clean breast of everything to them. Bear ill-will to none, do not say an

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evil thing of anyone behind his back; above all, 'to thine ownself be true' so that you are false to no one else. Truthful dealing, even in the least little things of life is the only secret of life.

1. What is considered as the master key?
2. What should not we do under any circumstances whatsoever?
3. Whom do we take into our confidence in explaining everything?
4. How can one remain false to no one else?
5. Who is the author of the above passage.

(F) Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow: (5×1= 5)

One of the most significant developments in recent years has been the increased importance of interpersonal skills in almost every type of work setting. For many employers, interpersonal skills represent an important category of transferable skills a worker is expected to bring to the job. Technical ability only is usually not enough to achieve career success. Studies indicate that many people who have difficulty in obtaining or holding a job possess the needed technical competence but lack interpersonal competence.

1. What is the most significant development in recent years?
2. How do interpersonal skills represent for many employers?
3. What is only not enough to achieve career success?
4. What does the study indicate in obtaining or holding a job?
5. Find out the word from the passage, which means 'proficiency or ability'.

Section B – (Marks : 60)

Answer all the questions.

2. Attempt either A or B of the following: (1 × 10 = 10)

A. Write a letter to the District Collector requesting to conduct a job fair at your college.

Or

B. Write a paragraph based on the following hints:

Discipline - law of nature - man's best interest - all walks of life - backbone of character - great achievement - without discipline - life has to suffer - disliked by all - does not get success - does not win - in army - discipline is utmost - compulsory element - student's life.

3. Attempt either A or B of the following:

(1 × 10 = 10)

A. Make notes on the following paragraph:

Educational technology is the use of both physical hardware, software and educational theoretic to facilitate learning and improving performance by creating, using and managing appropriate technological processes and resources. It encompasses several domains including learning theory, computer-based training, online learning and where mobile technologies are used, m-learning. Accordingly, there are several discrete aspects to describing the intellectual and technical development of educational technology. Educational technology as technological tools and media, for instance massive online courses, assist in the communication of knowledge and its development and exchange. This is usually what people are referring to when they use educational technology.

Or

- B. Expand the following proverb in about 125 words.

“Time and tide waits for none”.

4. Attempt any two of the following Essay Questions in about 125 words each.

(2 × 10 = 20)

- A. Give an account of helplessness experienced by the old father in the story *The Touch*. <http://www.telanganastudy.com>
- B. How does the narrator feel about her father’s affection in her childhood.
- C. What does Gandhi advocate to students about truthfulness?
- D. What are the defects of rural civilisation, according to Gandhi?

5. Attempt any two of the following annotations in about 125 words each.

(2 × 10 = 20)

- A. “The anti-goddess Poverty
Sucks his blood for pleasure”
- B. “Could you ask god to show me
What my karma was?”
- C. “The rules are there but in this controversy, we will end up harming mathematics,
Ramanujan and ourselves.”
- D. “Very right ... He is another visionary born in India.”