

AE-1312

B.C.A. (Part - II)

Term End Examination, 2016-17

FOUNDATION COURSE

Paper - II

English Language

Time : Three Hours] [Maximum Marks : 75

[Minimum Pass Marks : 26

Note : Answer **all** questions. The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

1. Answer any **five** of the following questions in about 100 words each : 3×5
- (a) What is the basic difference between the working of a scientist and that of an ordinary people ?
- (b) Which epoch making discoveries were made in the field of mathematics in Ancient India ?
- (c) Describe ‘Kanada’s atomic theory’.

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- (d) Describe what happened after Hardy had put away Ramanujan's letters ?
 - (e) How will lack of computer proficiency effect human life ?
 - (f) Why is the method of plastic surgery known as the Hindu method ?
 - (g) How can we defend ourselves against diseases ?
 - (h) In how many ways does pollution enter the waterways ?
 - (i) What was the immediate effect of atomic bombing on Hiroshima ?
 - (j) Why did William Thomas take his family to that planet ?
2. (A) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below :

The place of women in our society is of great importance and plays a vital role in its construction and development. The most important task which our women perform is upbringing of our children. Children are the real wealth of nation on whose shoulders the future responsibility of guarding the interest of a nation lies. Unless mothers are truly well-educated the upbringing of our children both male

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and female, must suffer the most in the early stages. This must be so whatever progress is to be made in the organization of our schools and colleges. This is enough to induce us to pay much greater and more scientific attention to the education of our girls than we are doing now.

Questions :

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- (i) What role do the women play in our society ?
- (ii) What is the most important task our women perform ?
- (iii) On whose shoulders future responsibility of guarding the interest of a nation lies ?
- (iv) Why does the upbringing of our children suffer in the early stages of their development ?
- (v) Why should we pay greater attention to the education of our girls ?

(B) Vocabulary Test :

- (i) Give Synonyms of any *two* of the following :
 - (a) Harm
 - (b) Swallow

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(c) Attack

(d) Cure

(ii) Give Antonyms of any *two* of the following : 2

(a) Increase

(b) Major

(c) Against

(d) Presence

(iii) Make any *two* of the following words negative by using prefixes : 2

(a) Forest

(b) Pure

(c) Fold

(d) Control

(iv) Use any *two* of the following phrases to make meaningful sentences : 2

(a) Get through

(b) At all

(c) Look for

(d) Take off

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- (v) Differentiate the meaning of any *two* pairs of the following : 2
- (a) Goods – Good
- (b) Right – Write
- (c) Human – Humane
- (d) One – Won
3. Write a report on any **one** of the following in about 200 words : 10
- (a) The Oath taking ceremony of Students' Union of your college
- (b) Environmental pollution in your city
- (c) 'Computer Literacy' or 'The bad conditions of the roads in your city'
4. Expand any **one** of the following ideas in about 200 words : 10
- (a) 'Practice makes a man perfect'
- (b) 'As you sow, so shall you reap'
- (c) 'Look before you jump' or 'Save the Trees'
5. Do as directed any **twenty five** of the following : 25
- (a) Insert 'a', 'an' or 'the' where necessary :
- (i) She is little Hitler.

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- (ii) She is educated lady.
- (iii) May is hottest month.
- (b) Insert prepositions where necessary :
 - (iv) There is a mark your shirt.
 - (v) I am very sorry being late.
 - (vi) What are you doing the week end ?
- (c) Use correct possessives :
 - (vii) I have to blame for this error.
 - (viii) They generally solve the problems by
 - (ix) He has made very unpopular.
- (d) Use suitable relative pronouns :
 - (x) Tell me the name of the student won the prize in the painting competition.
 - (xi) The greedy man killed the goose laid the golden eggs.
- (e) Change into Indefinite or Continuous form of the tense :
 - (xii) The sound of the horn (wake) the baby.
 - (xiii) We (not go) out as it (rain).

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- (f) Correct the following sentences :
- (xiv) Here they are coming.
- (xv) I smelling something burning.
- (g) Use the comparative degree :
- (xvi) Your plan is not very good. My plan is
- (xvii) Bhopal is not beautiful. Raipur is
- (h) Use the correct participles :
- (xviii) the door, he found his parents waiting. (Open)
- (xix) We have a few chairs in the college. (Break)
- (xx) studied, she went to play. (Have)
- (i) Underline the adjectives in the following :
- (xxi) The weather is too hot.
- (xxii) We had a nice holiday.
- (j) Use the suitable modals :
- (xxiii) It is raining. I take my rain coat. (compulsion)
- (xxiv) you prosper and live long! (Blessing)
- (xxv) We aim at noble goals. (Desirability)

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(k) Change into Passive voice / Active voice :

(xxvi) Who did this ?

(xxvii) Open the door.

(xxviii) The Minister was welcomed by
the people.

(l) Combine the pairs of sentences using
suitable conjunctions :

(xxix) She is beautiful. She is
intelligent.

(xxx) It is a nice house. It has not got
garden.
