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SECOND SEMESTER B.C.A./ B.Sc.(CS) DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2019

(Revised)

ENGLISH (Basic)

(New)

Time : 3 Hours]   [Max. Marks : 80

Text : Timeless Wisdom

I. Answer the following questions in a word/a phrase/a sentence each as required:

10 × 1 = 10

1) What did Rahim Khan carry on his shoulders when he returned from his fields?

2) Why did Rahim Khan beat Ramoo's child?

3) How long had Rahim Khan been married?

4) What happens to the author of "On Getting Off to Sleep" when he intends to write an essay?

5) Who is Mr. H?

6) Who wrote the Poem, "The World is Too Much With Us"?

7) Name the figure of speech in the line, 'Busy old fool, unruly Sun'?

8) Who is the Speaker in the poem, "Prayer Before Birth"?

9) How could the lover eclipse the Sun?

10) What would Gandhi have given to his critics to quench their thirst?

II. Portray the character of the astrologer.   10

Or

Comment on J. Krishnamurti's views on the functions of education.

III. Analyse the subject of the poem, "The Sun Rising".   10

Or

Examine the themes of fear and anxiety in the poem, "Prayer Before Birth".

IV. Write short notes on any two choosing one from prose and one from poetry.

2 × 5 = 10

1) The villagers in the story, "Sparrows".

2) The author's views on 'Iron-willed folks'.

3) Wordsworth's love of Nature.

4) Wit and humour in "The Sun Rising".

5) The ship sailed across Pacific.

6) A lot of tourists visits Hampi every day.

7) He has talked to me on the phone yesterday.

8) Do you know to repair a bike?

9) The gold cannot be cheaper than silver.

10) I hoped she will keep her promise.

VI. A) Combine the following pairs of sentences with appropriate conjunctions given in the brackets below: 5 × 1 = 5

    1) Sheela works at home. She works in the office.

    2) Raju didn't take the exam. He was down with fever.

    3) It was a cold night. We went out for a stroll.

    4) Mother cooked dishes. Her children were playing video-games.

    5) The bell rang. The teacher arrived.
    [While, Yet, because, both... and before, whereas, since]

B) Fill in the blanks with appropriate adverb or adjective forms of the words given in brackets: https://www.karnatakastudy.com 5 × 1 = 5

    1) The hare runs................. than the tortoise. [fastlier/faster]

    2) There is a .... crowd outside the hall. [noisy/noisily]

    3) She spoke .... [wonderful/wonderfully]

    4) The Chairman gave them an .... nod. [approvingly/approving]

    5) They organized the programme .... [smooth/smoothly]

VII. A) Write an imaginary dialogue between the shopkeeper and his customer. 5

    B) Write a short speech for the Republic Day function in your college. 5

VIII. A) Write one-word substitutes for the following : 5 × 1 = 5

    1) exact copy.

    2) occurring every two years.

    3) one who deals in flowers.

    4) a dog house.

    5) one who has lost his/her parents.

B) Match the following: 5 × 1 = 5

A		B	
i)	book	1)	clear
ii)	commit	2)	for a job
iii)	crystal	3)	a ticket
iv)	come	4)	suicide
v)	apply	5)	to an end