4361 – B01 – IISBSC (CS) – A – 18

SECOND SEMESTER B.SC.(CS) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018
ENGLISH
Paper : (Basic) (New)
Text : Timeless Wisdom

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 80

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

(10×1=10)

1) How old was Rahim Khan ?

2) Why was Rahim Khan hated in his village ?

3) Where did the astrologer do his business ?

4) What, according to the author, is the true function of education ?

5) Who wrote the essay, "On Getting off to Sleep" ?

6) How could the lover eclipse the sun ?

7) Who are Proteus and Triton ?

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

9) Name the animals of which the unborn child is afraid.

10) Who wrote the poem, "Gandhi" ?

II. Narrate in your words the tragic end of Rahim Khan.   10

OR

Comment on the aspects of sleep and sleeplessness as analysed by J. B. Priestley.

III. Discuss the theme and structure of Donne's " The Sun Rising".   10

OR

What does the child pray for in the poem, "Prayer Before Birth" ?

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IV. Write short notes on **any two** of the following choosing **one** from prose and **one** from poetry.   (2×5=10)

   1) Radha

   2) Iron-Willed Men and Snorers

   3) The Lover in " The Sun Rising"

   4) Gandhi's Sacrifices.

V. Correct the following sentences :   (10×1=10)

   1) They have bought some new furnitures.

   2) He climbed a ten feet wall.

   3) He goes to college by walk.

   4) Smitha is my cousin sister.

   5) The gold is a precious metal.

   6) You may either have tea or coffee.

   7) Never I have witnessed such an event.

   8) The little boy didn't know to reach his house.

   9) One of his friend is visiting him today.

   10) His batting was exhibition of pure class.

VI. A) Combine the following pairs of sentences with appropriate conjunctions given in brackets :   (5×1=5)
   1) Alice has not come.Mary has not come.
   2) We love Ramesh. He is kind to us.
   3) She is poor. She is content.
   4) He works at home. He works in a factory.
   5) You finish your work quickly. You will be late to the party.
   [but, neither ... nor, because, both ... and, since, otherwise]

   B) Fill in the blanks with suitable form of adjective or adverb given in the brackets :   (5×1=5)
   1) Mahesh is our _____ customer. (regular/regularly)
   2) He did his job _____. (honest/honestly)
   3) Don't press the glass _____. (hard/hardly)
   4) There are some _____ learners in the class. (slow/slowly)
   5) She looks _____. (cheerful/cheerfully)

VII. A) Write an imaginary dialogue between Ramesh and Sonu about their plan for a picnic. (1×5=5)

B) Write a short speech on Republic Day. (1×5=5)

VIII. A) Write **one-word** substitutes for the following : (5×1=5)
1) One who compiles a dictionary.
2) Animals that give birth to their off springs.
3) One who hates mankind.
4) One who fights for women's rights.
5) One who believes in fate.

B) Match the following collocations : (5×1=5)

A	B
i) Keep	a) shift
ii) Night	b) a ticket
iii) Breaking	c) in mind
iv) Crystal	d) news
v) Book	e) clear