A-2105-06
Second Year B. A. (Sem. III) Examination
March/April - 2015
Foundation Course in English
A-2105 : Language Through Literature
A-2106 : Written & Spoken Communication Skills-III

Time : 3 Hours] [Total Marks : 70

A-2105 : Language Through Literature

Instructions :

(1) Fill in strictly the details of ☐ signs on your answer book.
Name of the Examination : ☐
S.Y. B.A. (SEM. 3)
Name of the Subject :
Found. Course in Eng. - Language Through Literature
Subject Code No. : 2 1 0 5 ☐ Section No. (1, 2,.....) : NIL

(2) Figures to the right indicate marks.
(3) Clearly mention the options you attempt.

1 Answer the following questions briefly : (Any Five) (10)
   (a) How did Nicola and Jacopo become extremely useful for the author ?
   (b) What were some things Jainulabdeen used to do to help others ?
   (c) What is body language ?
   (d) How was the attitude of the sales-girl at ice-cream store towards Sam Horn ?
   (e) How was Remeshwaram affected by the World War II ?
   (f) What should we do to understand body language ?
2 (a) Describe Sudha Murthy's visit to Sahayadri Hills.

OR

(b) Explain how the narrator finally got rid of the troubles caused by road engine.

3 (a) Draft a dialogue between two friends who met in a book fair.

OR

(b) As a wholesaler, write a reply to a complaint from a customer who is annoyed because of damaged goods.

4 (a) Write a paragraph describing the scene outside your classroom window.

OR

(a) Narrate briefly your long train journey with your friends.

(b) Do as directed: (any six)

(1) Make a sentence using the phrasal verb 'give away'.
(2) Give synonym of the word 'convince'.
(3) Add a suitable adjective to the noun 'trees'.
(4) The work was _______ completed.
   (use a suitable adverb)
(5) I know the man _______
   (Add a relative clause)
(6) Passengers ________ not bring in inflammable materials into the train.
   (Use a proper modal verb)
(7) All the water ________ dried up.
   (Fill in the blank using the right form of the verb)
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Found. Course in Eng. - Written & Spoken Communi. Skills - III

Subject Code No.: 2 1 0 6

(2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

(3) Indicate clearly the options you attempt.

1  Answer the following questions briefly : (any five)  10
   (i) What happened to Uncle Podger's coat ?
   (ii) Did Mother Teresa get any help from municipal authorities? If yes, how?
   (iii) What special possession did the Cabuliwallah carry in his pocket?
   (iv) What is the base of good manners when speaking to others?
   (v) Why do only small cars stop for hitch-hikers?
   (vi) Does Gopal find anything useful in Indian Education?
   (vii) What did the youngman's illness teach him?

2  (a) Compare and contrast the Indian and the American education system.  14

   OR

   (b) Does the hitch-hiker deserve the epithet 'finger smith'? Explain providing reasons and giving examples from the story.
3. (a) Shalimar Electronics Ltd. has launched a new DVD Player in the market. Prepare a presentation consisting of five slides promoting the product.

OR

(b) Assume that you are going to attend an interview for the post of Purchase Officer. Think of five questions that you could be asked and write them down along with your possible responses.

4. (a) As a manager of Ravi Chemicals Company Ltd., Vapi, draft an appointment letter to be sent to Mr. Mohit Dave intimating him that he has been selected by the interview committee on the post of Accountant in your company.

OR

(a) You are Mr. Durgesh Patel and you work for Durga Travel Agency. Write an e-mail letter to id agt130@gmail.com in response to a request you have received from a party for information about the packages you offer for holidays in North India.

(b) Rewrite the following text making corrections in spelling and the use of capitals and punctuation:

Open a map of India the pattern of rivers is like the lines in the palm of a hand there are hundreds of rivers but most of them at some point join the thicker lines to form the major rivers as in any other country all our rivers large or small are like close relatives of the people who depend on their waters but here in India they are something more too gifts from Mother India herself like her they too are all woman again like her they too have links with gods and goddesses.