AB-2722-23
Third Year B. Com. (Sem. V) Examination
March/April – 2015
Foundation Course in English
AB-2722 : Written & Spoken Communication Skills
AB-2723 : Language Through Literature

Time : Hours] [Total Marks : 50

AB-2722 : Written & Spoken Communication Skills

Instructions :
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(2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
(3) Indicate clearly the options you attempt.

1 Answer briefly any five of the following : 10
(1) Why did the husband suspect ?
(2) Describe the atmosphere at the toddy house.
(3) How does Ghisu try to justify that the shroud is not necessary ?
(4) What do you think John S. whispered in the narrator's ears ?
(5) Who got out of the tunnel first ?
(6) What does Ghisu remember about Thakur's wedding ?
(7) How did the narrator avoid the man on the ship ?

2 What is the purpose of the visit of Mr. John S. and his wife to America ? 14

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2 Describe in your own words how Peter and his friends escaped from German prison.

3 Draft a questionnaire on peoples attitude towards viewing TV serials in Surat.

OR

3 Draft a questionnaire on the voting patterns of Indian Electorate.

4 (a) Write an essay on any one of the following:
(1) Gandhiji - Father of the Nation
(2) E. Commerce
(3) Internet and Students.

(b) Imagine that you want to buy a pair of jeans and talking to a sales person in a Shopping Mall. Write down appropriate dialogue.

OR

(b) You want to buy an insurance policy and visit an insurance agent to get information. Write down appropriate dialogue of your meeting.

AB-2723 : Language Through Literature

Instructions:
(1) Fill up strictly the details of signs on your answer book.
(2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
(3) Indicate clearly the options you choose.

1 Answer in short : (any five)
(1) What were Jhonsy's chances of recovery ? Why ?
(2) How did the speaker in ' On His Blindness' expect to serve god ?
(3) What was Schatz afraid of ? Were his fears justified ?
(4) What are the different themes the poet imagines about the reaper's song?
(5) Kali decides to henceforth leave children alone. Why?
(6) What do you understand by 'light' mentioned in the poem by Milton?
(7) What instructions did the girls parents give her while entering the train compartment?

2 'Art never dies' - How does the 'Solitary Reaper' express this thought? OR

2 Trace the events of the story that made the blind beggar warn Kali to leave children alone.

3 Write a questionnaire on: (any one)
(1) Library going habits of college students
(2) Socio-economic conditions of college students.

4 (a) Write an essay on: (any one)
(1) Importance of outdoor games
(2) Television a boom or bane?
(b) Do as directed: (any six)
(1) Pneumonia stalked____ the colony of young artists
    (use 'upon/over/about')
(2) Give antonym of 'silly'.
(3) The engine's whistle shrieked, the carriage wheels _____ their sound and rhythm
    (use 'change/changes/changing')
(4) Give the verb of 'existence'.
(5) Give the antonym of 'Enable' used in the poem.
(6) Which word(s) in the 'Solitary Reaper' indicate she was singing a sad song?
    (a) Melancholic  (b) Plaintive
    (c) Unhappy  (d) All of these.
(7) I met _____ traveller from _____ antique land
    (use appropriate articles)
(8) Give synonym of 'tiny'.