



K-0094
Third Year B. A. Examination
September / October – 2012
English Compulsory (L. L.)

Time : Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

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<p>નીચે દર્શાવેલ નિશાનીવાળી વિગતો ઉત્તરવહી પર અવશ્ય લખવી. Fillup strictly the details of signs on your answer book.</p> <p>Name of the Examination : T. Y. B. A.</p> <p>Name of the Subject : ENGLISH COMPULSORY (L. L.)</p> <p>Subject Code No. : 0 0 9 4 Section No. (1, 2,.....): Nil</p>	<p>Seat No. : □ □ □ □ □ □</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Student's Signature</p>
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(2) Figures to the right indicate marks.

(3) Indicate clearly the options you choose.

1 Answer the following questions in four-five sentences : 8

(any two)

- (a) How does Woodifield describe the girls' visit to Reggies grave ?
- (b) What does the term 'Umbrella-morals' mean ?
- (c) They looked accusingly at Dasa. Who are 'they' and why did 'they' look at him accusingly ?
- (d) What happened when Pakistani soldiers found the dog in their camp the next day ?

2 Tell the story explaining the symbol of Veil and show the prejudices the story brings out. 12

OR

2 Discuss the theme of 'stigma-shame and silence. 12

- 3 Short notes : (any two) 12
- (a) Goribi
 - (b) The efforts to catch the snake
 - (c) Laju
 - (d) Appreciation of the story 'Lajwanti'.

- 4 Write a precis of the following passage and give it a suitable title : 7

Interdependence is and ought to be as much the ideal of man as self-sufficiency. Man is a social being. Without inter-relation with society, he cannot realize his oneness with the universe or suppress his egotism. If man were so placed or could so place himself as to be absolutely above all dependence on his fellow-beings, he would become so proud and arrogant as to be a veritable burden and nuisance to the world. Dependence on society teaches him the lesson of humanity. That man ought to be able to satisfy most of his essential needs himself is obvious; but it is no less obvious that when self-sufficiency is carried to the length of isolating oneself from society, it almost amounts to sin. A man cannot become self-sufficient in respect of all the various operations from the growing of cotton to the spinning of the yarn. He has at some stage or other to take the aid of the members of his family. And if one may take the help from one's own family, why not from one's neighbours ? Or otherwise what is the significance of the great saying 'The World is my family' ?

- 5 Write a paragraph on any one of the following : 8
- (a) The Role of Women Today
 - (b) Patriotism
 - (c) Education Through Television
 - (d) Books : My Best Friend

6 (a) Draft an application for the post of a teacher. 8

OR

(b) Assume that you are an accountant in an MNC. 8
Draft a letter of resignation stating reasons.

7 Do as directed : 15

(i) Mr and Mrs. Prasad came _____ of their house
in a hurry.

(Fill in the blank with suitable preposition)

(ii) Have you got _____ box of lux soap ?

(Insert an appropriate article)

(iii) I met him accidentally at the post office.

(Rewrite the sentence substituting adverb phrases for
the adverb underlined)

(iv) _____ had the speaker begun his speech than a man
stood up to ask a question.

(Use the proper conjunction)

(v) Spread this carpet _____ the flour (on, over)

(vi) 'The roof has caught fire, I am afraid it _____ .
Stand back. (fall)

(Fill in the blank, using the correct form of the verb
given in bracket)

(vii) I was writing a novel.

(Turn into present perfect tense)

(viii) Vina reminded Banu _____ their appointment this
evening.

(Put the proper preposition)

(ix) A thief broke into my neighbour's house. He has been
caught.

(Make one sentence)

(x) Before the telecast, five minutes, the television room, they go to.

(Rewrite the units to make a meaningful sentence)

(xi) You are likely to be punished, if you don't regret.

(Rewrite the sentence using 'unless' in place of 'if')

(xii) A life of discipline, I will lead, hence, and self-control.

(Rewrite the units to make a meaningful sentence)

(xiii) A friend of mine is coming to see me today. I worked with him in the secretariat.

(Combine these sentences)

(xiv) The students writes their suggestions to the All India Radio.

(Correct the sentence)

(xv) The students _____ work hard to make progress.

(Use 'must' or 'can')
