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EXAMINATION FEBRUARY -MARCH 2024
BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (THIRD SEMESTER)
CORE COMPULSORY COURSE IN ENGLISH
LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE - III

[Time: As Per Schedule]

[Max. Marks: 50]

Instructions:

1. Fill up strictly the following details on your answer book

- a. Name of the Examination: **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (THIRD SEMESTER)**
 - b. Name of the Subject: **CORE COMPULSORY COURSE IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE - III**
 - c. Subject Code No: **1908000103010001**
2. Sketch neat and labelled diagram wherever necessary.
 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks of the question.
 4. All questions are compulsory.
 5. Clearly mention the option you choose.

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Student's Signature

Q.1 Select the correct answer from the options given below.

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1. Name the two countries mentioned by the poet while talking about world peace in the poem Very Indian Poem in Indian English?
 - a. Afghanistan and Bangladesh
 - b. Burma and Nepal
 - c. Pakistan and China
 - d. Sri Lanka and China
2. What according to the poet in the poem, Very Indian Poem in Indian English does the new generation prefer?
 - a. Ancient Indian wisdom
 - b. Student Unrest
 - c. Peace
 - d. Fashion
3. What does Nissim Ezekiel suggest as a substitute for wine?
 - a. Soda
 - b. Lassi
 - c. Milk
 - d. Water
4. Which machine is referred to in the line, "would you call a friend from half across the world", in the poem The Secret of the Machines?
 - a. Aeroplane
 - b. Television
 - c. Telephone
 - d. Train

5. What can machines bring from the cisterns?
 a. Mills
 b. Tramways
 c. Snow
 d. Water
6. 'For all our power and weight and size, / We are nothing more than children of your brain!' This statement shows that the machines are
 a. Humble
 b. Dangerous
 c. God-like
 d. Harmless
7. What does the word leisure mean in the poem Leisure?
 a. Spend free time with nature
 b. Spend spare time to pursue one's passion
 c. Both A and B
 d. None of the above
8. The poem Leisure criticises which lifestyle?
 a. Old human lifestyle
 b. Modern human life
 c. Both A and B
 d. None of the above
9. How do streams look in broad daylight in the poem Leisure?
 a. Like glitters
 b. Like stars in the sky
 c. Like Shining substance
 d. None of the above
10. W.H. Davies was _____ poet.
 a. a Welsh
 b. an Irish
 c. an Indian
 d. an American

Q.2 (A) Justify the title of the story 'The boy who broke the Bank' 12

OR

(B) Elaborate the essay 'Humanities Vs Science'.

Q.3 (A) 1. Prepare a dialogue between two teachers about New Education Policy. 8

OR

2. Write a letter to your Principal to arrange an annual function in your college.

- (B) 1. Prepare a resume with a cover letter for the post of a manager in Bank of Baroda. **10**

OR

2. Prepare a resume for the post of an assistant lecturer in English in a college.

Q.4 Do as directed in the bracket. (Any 10) **10**

1. Option (Give the adjectival form)
2. The author says, 'Only nature can save mankind.'(Change into indirect speech)
3. Nature has to be respected by man. (Change into Active Voice)
4. Squirrel hide their nuts in the grass. (Change into Passive Voice)
5. Laugh (Give the adverbial form)
6. Consume (Give the noun form)
7. There was some agreement over the bill. (Add suitable Prefix to the underline word.)
8. This magazine can be revamped by new blood. (Identify metonymy in the sentence)
9. Blood is thicker than water. (Identify metonymy in the sentence)
10. He couldn't hide his disappoint at his low grades. (Add suitable suffix to the underlined word)
11. Man's belief in machines is increasing gradually. (Add suitable negative prefix to the underlined word.)
12. Watch (Make a compound word)
