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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (SIXTH SEMESTER)
LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE – LEVEL 1
FOUNDATION COURSE IN ENGLISH**

[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 SCIENCE (SIXTH SEMESTER)**
- b. Name of the Subject : **LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE LEVEL 1 FOUNDATION COURSE IN ENGLISH**
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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. Indicate clearly the options you attempt.

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Q.1 Choose the correct answer from among the choices given below:

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- 1) Insert the missing word in the following lines of the poem 'O Captain! My Captain!'.
"Exult, O shores, and ring, O bells!
But I with _____ tread,
Walk the deck my Captain lies
Fallen cold and dead."
a. mournful
b. wild
c. heavy
d. bleeding
- 2) The lips of the dead Captain are
a. cold and pale
b. dry and still
c. pale and still
d. cold and red
- 3) Whitman was "Ahead of all poets, pioneering into the wildness of empowered life. Beyond him, none." Who said this?
a. D.H. Lawrence
b. G.B. Shaw

- c. P.B. Shally
d. Lord Byron
- 4) The woman finds Upagupta
a. lying in his bed
b. talking to his disciples
c. sleeping on the bare earth
d. waiting for dawn to break
- 5) Upagupta's reply to the dancing girl is
a. "Graciously come to your house."
b. "When the time is ripe I will come to you."
c. "I will come to your house tomorrow."
d. "I won't come to your house."
- 6) What did Upagupta apply on the woman's sores?
a. ointment
b. sandal balm
c. water
d. neem paste
- 7) The woman had been removed from the town because
a. she was a prostitute
b. she was suffering from a contagious disease
c. there was no one to take care of her
d. she did not want to participate in the celebrations
- 8) Insert the missing word in the following lines of the poem 'My Grandmother's House'.
"How often I think of going
There, to peer through blind eyes of windows or
Just listen to the _____ air..."
a. fresh
b. dark
c. windy
d. frozen
- 9) When the grandmother died, the house withdrew into _____.
a. discomfort
b. silence
c. darkness
d. none of the above
- 10) The poet wants to pick _____ of darkness from her grandmother's house.
a. a spoonful
b. a pinch
c. an armful
d. a handful

Q.2 (A) Analyse Rudyard Kipling’s speech as narrated in the lesson ‘Values in Life’. What is his final advice to his listeners? **12**

OR

(B) Show how efficiently G.B. Shaw points out, in the lesson ‘Spoken English and Broken English’, that regardless of who the person is, everyone pronounces words in English in their own unique way and nobody speaks perfect English. **12**

Q.3 (A) Develop a dialogue on any ONE of the following: **8**

- 1) Lubna requests her neighbour, Madhu, to lend her a suitcase.
- 2) Annie is at the birthday party of a friend, Smita. She has not met Smita's father, so she introduces herself and tells him a little about herself.

(B) Answer any ONE of the following in detail: **10**

- 1) What are the qualities of an efficient leader? How can he establish positive work culture among his staff members?
- 2) Explain the Teamwork Skills. Discuss the qualities you need to develop to work effectively in a team.

Q.4 Do as directed: (Any TEN) **10**

- 1) Have a _____ (spoon) of honey in the morning.
(Insert a suitable suffix of the word given in the bracket)
- 2) The discussion was completely _____ (productive).
(Insert a suitable prefix of the word given in the bracket)
- 3) Add suffix to the word ‘comic’ and make adjective.
- 4) Add suffix to the word ‘free’ and make noun.
- 5) Add prefix to the word ‘violent’ and make opposite.
- 6) Add suffix to the word ‘beauty’ and make verb.

- 7) Give the antonym of 'demand'.
- 8) Give the antonym of 'feeble'.
- 9) Give the synonym of 'equity'.
- 10) Give the synonym of 'mingle'.
- 11) The crowd got very _____ (agitated) as they saw the home team lose the match.
(Fill in the blank using a synonym of the bracketed word)
- 12) Choose the closest antonym of the word 'paucity' from the options given below:
('wealth', 'abundance', 'distance')
