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B.Com. (Sem.- VI) Examination March - 2026

Core Compulsory Course In English

Language Through Literature

Time: 2 Hours]

[Total Marks: 50

સૂચના : / Instructions

- (1) ઉપરોક્ત દર્શાવેલ વિગતો ઉત્તરવહી પર અવશ્ય લખવી.
Fill up strictly the above details on your answer book
- (2) Figures to the right indicate marks.
- (3) Indicate clearly the options you choose.

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Q.1. Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(10)

- The confessional elements in Kamala Das's works have invited comparisons with _____.
 - Anita Desai
 - Sylvia Plath
 - Emily Dickinson
 - Maya Angelou
- What does the speaker beg for at the stranger's doors?
 - Money
 - Clothes
 - Food
 - Love
- What kind of the poem 'O Captain! My Captain!' is?
 - Sonnet
 - Ode
 - Elegy
 - Ballad
- The 'ship' in the poem 'O Captain! My Captain!' symbolizes _____.
 - Titanic
 - World War I
 - American Civil War
 - World War II
- Lord Byron was an immensely popular poet of the _____ period.
 - Elizabethan
 - Puritan
 - Romantic
 - Restoration
- What kind of beauty does Byron describe in the poem?
 - Outward appearance
 - Inner goodness
 - Both the above
 - None of the above
- The poem 'She Walks in Beauty' expresses Byron's concept of a _____.
 - Perfect woman
 - Passionate woman
 - Beautiful woman
 - All the above
- The woman mentioned in the poem 'Upagupta' was drunk with _____.
 - Red wine
 - Wine of Youth
 - Wine of power
 - Wine of wealth
- The citizens have gone to the woods to celebrate _____.
 - Festival of flowers
 - Festival of spring
 - Festival of kites
 - Festival of wine
- What made Upagupta wake up startled?
 - He was thirsty
 - He saw a nightmare
 - Rain started falling
 - A woman stumbled over his body

- Q.2.** Elaborate how Rudyard Kipling explores the themes of greed, honesty, conflict, and acceptance in his speech "Values in Life". (12)
- OR**
- Q.2.** How does Shaw convince the readers that there is no such thing as 'correct English'. (12)
- Q.3. (A) Develop a dialogue on any ONE of the following:** (08)
- 1) Prerna and Prem meet at a multiplex. They live in the same locality but do not know each other very well. It's three o'clock in the afternoon.
 - 2) Avni is at the birthday party of her friend, Anamika. She has not met Anamika's father. So, she introduces herself and tells him a little about herself.
- (B) Write a paragraph on any ONE of the following:** (10)
- 1) Teamwork Skills
 - 2) Research Methodology
- Q.4. Do as directed: (Any Ten)** (10)
- 1) They _____ (rarely) plays cricket these days.
(Fill in the blank using a word that means the same as the one in the brackets)
 - 2) She was asked to quit the job as she was very _____ (sincere) in her work.
(Fill in the blank using a word that is the antonym of the word in the brackets)
 - 3) Give synonym: Remote
 - 4) Give antonym: Host
 - 5) Amicable: negative, surprise, unfriendly
(Tick the word that is the closest antonym of the word on left)
 - 6) I want some _____ flowers in this vase.
(Fill in the blank using a word that means the same as one in the brackets)
 - 7) Add a suitable prefix to form a new word: Sense
 - 8) Add a suitable suffix to form a new word: Create
 - 9) Form a word using a prefix: Dis-
 - 10) Form a word using a suffix: -al
 - 11) Let us stop this _____ (meaning) discussion.
(Fill in the blank with a word formed by adding a suitable suffix to the word in the brackets)
 - 12) The discussion was completely _____ (productive).
(Fill in the blank with a word formed by adding a suitable prefix to the word in the brackets)