

IV Semester B.Com. Examination, May/June 2018
(Fresh + Repeaters) (CBCS)
(2015-16 and Onwards)
LANGUAGE ENGLISH – IV

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : 1) Sections **A, B** and **C** are **compulsory**.

2) Write the question numbers correctly for **each** Section.

SECTION – A

(Course Book)

(Drama : Where there is a Will)

I. Answer **any three** of the following in about a page **each** : **(3×5=15)**

- 1) What kind of relationship did the members of Hasmukh's family have with each other ?
- 2) How do the family members react after reading Hasmukh Mehta's 'Will' ?
- 3) How does Sonal's interaction with Kiran change the perception of Kiran ?
- 4) Who is Kiran Jhaveri ? What was her role in the execution of the 'Will' ?
- 5) How does Hasmukh's ghost get a different picture of himself after observing his family ?

II. Answer **any one** in about **two** pages : **(1×10=10)**

- 1) In the play 'Where there is a Will', compare the way in which the three main women characters deal with the circumstances they are in.
- 2) The "generation gap" is clearly seen in the relationships of Hasmukh Mehta, his father and his son Ajit. Elaborate.
- 3) "Where there is a Will" is both humourous and realistic. Discuss.



SECTION - B (Poetry)

III. Answer **any three** of the following in about **a page each** : (3×5=15)

- 1) What were the two choices the children had in the ethics classroom every fall ? Was it a difficult choice for them ?
- 2) Why was the poet confused at the station exit in the poem 'No More Hiroshimas' ?
- 3) How does the 'rough beast slouching towards Bethlehem' become a symbol of the new age ?
- 4) Why did the poet feel that the chopping of the wood is a need and not a passion in the poem "Two Tramps at Mud Time" ?
- 5) Why does Prospero curse Caliban ?

IV. Answer **any one** in about **two pages** : (1×10=10)

- 1) How does the painting in the museum help Linda arrive at the answer to her teacher's question in the poem 'Ethics' ?
- 2) 'No More Hiroshimas' is a critical comment on the commercialization of death and destruction in Hiroshima. Discuss.
- 3) Comment on the nature of relationship between Caliban and Prospero.

SECTION - C (Work Book)

V. 1) Complete the following dialogue between the two students in a classroom by filling up the blanks.

Ramu : Hey, Shamu, what are you doing ? Why are you texting in the class ?

Shamu : -----

Ramu : Why aren't you listening to the teacher ? Where is your book ?

Shamu : -----

Ramu : You can understand only if you concentrate and not if you play with the mobile.

Shamu : -----

Ramu : Isn't this an important chapter ?

Shamu : -----

Ramu : Why should you go for tuitions ? If you just listen properly in the class, you can score well. Why waste money ?

Shamu : -----

OR



2) Write the following dialogue in the form of a narrative :

Teacher : Ravi, please read the poem "Daffodils".

Ravi : Madam, I do not have a text book.

Teacher : Then which book are you holding in your hand ?

Ravi : Madam, this is a guide.

Teacher : Ravi, you cannot replace a text book with a guide.

Please put that book aside.

You should not come to class without a text book.

Ravi : But Madam, it has a translation.

Teacher : How will you learn the language without the original text ?

How can you learn spellings and pronunciation if you do not have a book ?

Ravi : I am sorry madam. I now understand the importance of carrying the text book to class.

VI. The Director of Health Department has decided to conduct a study on the rise of dengue cases in certain pockets of Bangalore Rural district. The Department wants to conduct a survey that includes the reasons, consequences and solutions to this problem. Imagine that you have been asked to conduct a survey and present a report in accordance with the procedure of project report. (5+5=10)

Prepare :

A) An outline of the objectives of the study

B) Suggest the scope of study.

You could use the following hints :

- 1) • Dengue spreads due to mosquito bites
- It has affected people of all age groups
- 2) • Cleanliness and hygiene should be maintained.
- More than 100 people have died in Bangalore and Rural Bangalore.
- 3) • Solutions include creating awareness about mosquito free environment.



VII. 1) Answer **any three** of the following on **one** or **two** sentences : (3×1=3)

1) Define Bibliography.

2) The kind of acknowledgements needed and its format vary according to the nature and form in a book. **True/False**

3) Give two examples of search engines.

4) Expand APA System.

5) What is Plagiarism ?

2) Write a bibliography of the following book in MLA format :

Title : Living English Structure

Publisher : Orient Longman Limited

Year : 1997

Author : W. Standard Allen

Place of publication : Patna.

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OR