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ENGLISH COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Paper-VI

Semester-II

Time allowed : 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks : 60

Note: The candidates are required to attempt two questions each from section A and section B carrying 10 marks each and the entire section C consisting of 10 questions carrying 2 marks each.

SECTION-A

1. Discuss the theme of the Story 'How Much Land Does a Man Need?'

OR

Write the narrative of the story 'The Ant and the Grasshopper.'

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2. Answer any five of the following : 5×2 = 10

- (i) What is the theme of the story 'The Gateman's Gift?'
- (ii) Which hobby Govind discovered suddenly?
- (iii) Explain the element of greed in Pahom.
- (iv) How did Kadambini die?
- (v) Discuss the central idea of the story 'The Reaping Race.'
- (vi) Which story has impressed you? Give two reasons.
- (vii) Explain the message of the story 'The Ant and the Grasshopper.'
- (viii) Discuss the title of the story 'Living or Dead?'

3. Attempt any ten. Do as directed : 10×1 = 10

- (a) Put the following into the possessive :

- (i) The father of James.

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(ii) The clothes of the boys.

(iii) The club of the women.

(iv) The poems of Keats.

(v) The war of a hundred years.

(b) Add a question word to the following questions :

(vi) is your name ?

(vii) is that pretty girl?

(viii) is coming to tea?

(ix) colour is it?

(x) Wants a piece of bread?

(c) Remake the following sentences, using too :

(xi) It's very cold; we can't go out.

(xii) The music is very soft; we can't hear it.

(xiii) It's very small painting; this is a big room.

(xiv) The dress is very old; I can't wear it any more.

(xv) It's very good; it can't be true.

SECTION-B

4. Substitute any ten of the following with one word each : 1×10=10

A woman with the dark hair, one who feeds on fruits, a hater of marriage, one who kills political figures, an unthankful person, one who can use both hands, an expert at story telling, one who journeys on foot, one sent out on a mission, government by the nobility, a radical change of government, government by a military class, facts and figures, the wife or husband of a king or queen, government by a few, the science of government, one who has only one wife or husband at a time, a bride's outfit, engaged to be married, proclamation of intended marriage, a man whose wife is dead, the property which a new

wife brings to her husband, a woman whose husband is dead, to run away with a lover in order to get married.

5. Make negatives of any ten of the following and use in sentences : $1 \times 10 = 10$

Right, help, hope, freedom, sacred, height, agree, victory, rural, hell, slim, attract, lawful, genuine, hostile, friend, polite, prosperity, superior, regular, prose, caution.

6. Write opposites of any ten and use in sentences :

Buy, spend, increase, graceful, cloudy, help, miser, within, truth, danger, asleep, morning, youth, child, wife, front, bright, top, win, inside, clean, this, summer. $1 \times 10 = 10$

SECTION-C

7. Write short answers : $10 \times 2 = 20$

(i) Write two qualities of a good short story.

- (ii) Why was George Ramsay in deep gloom?
- (iii) How did Govind spend his time after retirement?
- (iv) Where did Kadambini decide to go and why?
- (v) Comment on the character of McDara.
- (vi) Write the central idea of the Story 'How Much Land Does a Man Need?'
- (vii) Write one word for any two of the following:
One who journeys to a holy place, the right of self-government, women who has more than one husband at a time.
- (viii) Write negatives to any two of the following:
Educated, healthy, fast.
- (ix) Write opposite of any two :
Winter, earth, married.
- (x) Choose the right pronoun : we are much stronger than they / them at football.