

C 2131

B.A. (Three Year) DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH/APRIL 2018.

(End Semester Examination)

Second Semester

PART II

(Regular/Supplementary)

COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Answer ALL the following questions.

1. Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles. **(5 × 1 = 5)**
 - (a) ——— higher you go, ——— clearer you see.
 - (b) Spain is ——— European Country.
 - (c) ——— Godavari is ——— longest river in the South.

2. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. **(5 × 1 = 5)**
 - (a) She came ——— a musical instrument.
 - (b) He walked ——— his house.
 - (c) She works ——— the factory ——— morning ——— evening.

3. Fill in the blanks with suitable verb forms in the bracket. **(5 × 1 = 5)**
 - (a) He is always ——— with his brothers. (differ)
 - (b) He ——— the letter before he ———. Write, arrive.
 - (c) These ——— (be) divinity that ——— (shape) our ends.

4. Add questions tags to the sentences. **(5 × 1 = 5)**
 - (a) He is an engineer.
 - (b) Please do me this favour.
 - (c) He used to swim daily.
 - (d) Lets solve the problem.
 - (e) You have received the parcel.

Turn Over

5. Supply suitable adjectives. (5 × 1 = 5)
- (a) He is _____ than his sister.
 - (b) Nehru was the _____ prime minister of India.
 - (c) This is he _____ answer.
 - (d) Bhima was a _____ man.
 - (e) This is a _____ temple.
6. Insert the given adverbs in their normal position. (5 × 1 = 5)
- (a) did you manage? (how)
 - (b) He left. (certainly)
 - (c) The landlord called. (again)
 - (d) He helps others. (often)
 - (e) the child glanced at the stranger. (sideways)
7. Change the voice in the following sentences. (5 × 1 = 5)
- (a) The team won the match.
 - (b) Speak the truth.
 - (c) Let the door be shut.
 - (d) Circumstances obliged me to go.
 - (e) One should keep one's promises.
8. Put the following in Indirect speech. (5 × 1 = 5)
- (a) He said to his friends, I shall go home during the holidays.
 - (b) Ulysses said, 'I have seen life to the leses'.
 - (c) He said to me, 'You can bring my watch tomorrow'.
 - (d) I said, 'Students, write down what I dictate.
 - (e) I said to him, 'Come again'.
9. Put the following in Direct speech. (5 × 1 = 5)
- (a) Sekhar said that he was very busy then.
 - (b) He told me that he was happy to be here this evening.
 - (c) He told me that he would pay my fee the next day.
 - (d) He wondered if he would ever see her again.
 - (e) He asked we how my father was.

10. Answer any FIVE of the following.

(5 × 5 = 25)

- (a) State the uses of Present Tenses.
 - (b) Explain Concord with examples.
 - (c) What is a preposition? Give the rules regarding its usage.
 - (d) What are linking verbs? Give examples.
 - (e) Explain direct and indirect speech.
 - (f) Give the rules to be followed using question tags.
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