

**AH -1142 C.V.-19**  
**B.Sc. (Part-II)**  
**(Private)**  
**Term End Examination, 2019-20**  
**FOUNDATION COURSE**  
**Paper-II**  
**English Language**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 75  
[Minimum Pass Marks : 26

Note : Answer all questions. Answer all the parts of a question at one place.

**Unit-I**

1. Answer any five of the following questions:
  - (a) What do you mean by the phrase- "All men are scientists"?
  - (b) What had Patanjali to say about the effect of yoga on human mind?
  - (c) How did Ramanujan lose his scholarship?
  - (d) What role do the Satellites play in communication?
  - (e) How can you say that a plastic surgeon is a Sculptor?
  - (f) Which situation is worse than illiteracy?
  - (g) Which is the most disturbing aspect of the water pollution problem?
  - (h) Why did William Thomas take his family to that planet?

**Unit-II**

2. (a) Read the following passage carefully and answer the question given below:-

Man is the most paradoxical of all animals, On the one hand he is the most imaginative and creative of the world has ever known. He was evolved a conscience. His creative record is awe inspiring from the earliest cave painting to Picasso from Caxton's printing press to the computer. On the other hand, he is the most dangerous and destructive of all animals, this destructive record is terrifying. He has destroyed much of his own creation. Toxic chemicals are still poisoning the World around us, although we know of the dangers, man's greed has brought the whales to the verge of extinction. Vast herds of antelope wandered over the plain of Africa before the advent of the "While Hater" and the number still continues to dwindle. In his destructiveness way lie the seeds of his own destruction.

**Question:-**

- (i) Why is man called the most paradoxical of all animals?
  - (ii) Who was the inventor of Printing Press?
  - (iii) What are the dangers to which toxic chemicals expose us?
  - (iv) What is his destructive record?
  - (v) Give a suitable title to the passage.
- (b) Give the Antonyms of any four of the following words:-
    - (i) Triumph (ii) Wild (iii) War (iv) Zenith (v) Sour
  - (c) Give the Synonyms of any four of the following words :-
    - (i) Disease (ii) Rapid (iii) Concept (iv) Employ (v) Influence
  - (d) Use the following idiomatic expression in sentences of your own (any three)-
    - (i) Run off (ii) Put off (iii) Bring about (iv) Bring out (v) Turn on
  - (e) Add prefixes to any four of the following words to make negative words :-
    - (i) Ascent (ii) Lock (iii) Cover (iv) Aware (v) Pure

**Unit-III**

3. Write an report on any one of the following topics in not less than 200 words.
  - (a) Blood Donation Camp by NCC/NSS unit of your college.
  - (b) A report on "A Road Accident".
  - (c) Impact of Lockdown due to COVID-19 on the environment.
  - (d) Computer Literacy.
  - (e) Oath taking ceremony of Students' Union.

**Unit-IV**

4. Expand anyone of the following ideas in not less than 200 words.
  - (a) Necessity is the mother of Invention.
  - (b) Practice makes a man perfect.
  - (c) Rome was not built in a day.
  - (d) Health is Wealth.

### Unit-V

5. Do as directed any twenty of the following :-

(a) Apply suitable articles where necessary:-

- (i) There is a fly in \_\_\_\_\_ lemonade.
- (ii) She was born on \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday.
- (iii) Prachi will surely come if she gets \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity.
- (iv) Mumbai is \_\_\_\_\_ Indian city.

(b) Fill in the blank of the following sentences with suitable form of verb:-

- (v) \_\_\_\_\_ I right this time?
- (vi) It \_\_\_\_\_ a good book of Grammer.
- (vii) He \_\_\_\_\_ an American.

(c) Fill in the blank using the correct form of "have"

- (viii) We \_\_\_\_\_ much luggage.
- (ix) He \_\_\_\_\_ many houses in Raipur.
- (x) May I \_\_\_\_\_ your book?

(d) Fill in the blank spaces with possessives or self-form.

- (xi) They found \_\_\_\_\_ in great difficulties.
- (xii) She made \_\_\_\_\_ popular in her office.
- (xiii) I have to blame \_\_\_\_\_ for this error.

(e) Fill in the blanks with the past indefinite or past perfect form of the verbs given in brackets:-

- (xiv) By the time the ambulance \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) the patient \_\_\_\_\_ (die).
- (xv) Mother \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very tired. She \_\_\_\_\_ (work) the whole day.
- (xvi) It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) everyday this week.

(f) Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with appropriate prepositions.

- (xvii) Kalidas lived \_\_\_\_\_ the reign of Vikramaditya.
- (xviii) Christmas day is \_\_\_\_\_ 25<sup>th</sup> December.
- (xix) we must hope \_\_\_\_\_ the best.

(g) put the following sentences into the passive form:-

- (xx) Who killed the tiger?
- (xxi) A stone struck him on the head.
- (xxii) Manners make character.
- (xxiii) The mason is building the house.

(h) Fill in the blanks with proper forms of gerund or infinitive form of the word given in the bracket-

- (xxiv) I am afraid of \_\_\_\_\_ the rules. (Violate)
- (xxv) You should try \_\_\_\_\_ her. (Understand)