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# ED–2022

## B. Com. (Part II) EXAMINATION, 2021

(Foundation Course)

Paper Second

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

*Time : Three Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 75*

*Minimum Pass Marks : 26*

**Note :** Attempt all questions.

1. (A) Answer any *three* of the following questions : 15
  - (i) What may be the reason for science to prey upon the poets heart ?
  - (ii) What do you mean by the phrase “All men are scientists” ?
  - (iii) What is information technology ?
  - (iv) Which situation is worse than illiteracy ?
  - (v) Who persuaded Ramanujan to get in touch with Prof. C. H. theory ?

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**Unit—II**

2. (A) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below : 5

The most important feature of the Indian climate is the monsoon, or “The Rains”, Except along the west coast, and in parts of cyclone, rain rarely falls from october to may, when cultivation can only be carried on by irrigation. By the end of April growth has practically ceased. the temperature of the plain rises as high as 110°F or over, and an intensely hot wind blows. Trees shed their leaves, grass is almost completely parches, mild animals of ten die in large numbers for want to water work is reduced to a minimum, and the word seems asleep.

*Questions :*

- (i) What is the most important feature of Indian climate ?
  - (ii) How is the winter crop raised in most of India ?
  - (iii) How does the suffer heat effort the vegetation, animals and human beings ?
  - (iv) What is the temper in the plains ?
  - (v) Suggest a suitable title to the above passage.
- (B) Give antonyms of (any *five*) of the following : 5
- (i) eternal
  - (ii) prosperity
  - (iii) alien
  - (iv) rapid
  - (v) important

- (vi) huge
- (C) Provide synonyms (any *five*) of the following : 2
- (i) imitate
- (ii) arrangement
- (iii) ordinary
- (iv) contribute
- (v) stream
- (vi) sorrow
3. Write a part on any *one* of the following topics in about **150** words : 10
- (i) NSS camp
- (ii) Oath taking ceremony of your college
- (iii) Annual function organized by your college.
4. Explain the idea (any *one*) 150 words : 10
- (i) Honesty is the best policy
- (ii) Unity is strength
- (iii) Knowledge is power
5. Do as directed (any *twenty five*) : 25
- (A) Insert articles in the blank :
- (i) Is there ..... FM radio channel in your city ?
- (ii) He is ..... Bradman of Indian cricket.
- (iii) There is a fly in ..... Lemonade.
- (iv) Vinay is ..... engineer.

- (v) Calcutta is ..... largest city of India
- (B) Fill in the blanks spaces with suitable prepositions :
- (vi) They arrive late ..... the airport.
- (vii) There is mark ..... your shirt.
- (viii) ..... their advice I applied for the job.
- (ix) Prachi turned her back ..... us.
- (x) Is the television still ..... guarantee ?
- (C) Fill in the blanks with conjunction :
- (xi) Prachi ..... I left early.
- (xii) I had no choice ..... to sign the contract.
- (xiii) She says she cannot decide wether to marry ..... him.
- (xiv) Maruti is a small car ..... it is surprisingly spacious.
- (xv) She not only wrote the text ..... selection the illustrations.
- (D) Put the following sentences in passive forms :
- (xvi) Animals cannot make tools.
- (xvii) Mannars make character.
- (xviii) They kept as waiting.
- (xix) Put this picture on the wall.
- (xx) Our team scored one goal.
- (E) Fill in the blanks with 'modals' :
- (xxi) We ..... aim at noble goals. (desirability)
- (xxii) How ..... you insult him ?  
(presence of course)
- (xxiii) They .....slowly accept two offer.

(willingness)

(xxiv) Its rainy. I ..... take my rain coat.

(compulsion)

(xxv) You ..... leave the office early today.

(permission)

(F) Fill in the blanks with self forms :

(xxvi) I was given this award by the king .....

(xxvii) They found ..... in great difficulty.

(xxviii) I will clean the room .....

(xxix) Why is Dith sitting in that corner all  
by ..... ?

(xxx) Have we got to do this work all by ..... ?