



NS – 043

III Semester B.A./B.S.W. Examination, Nov./Dec. 2016
(Freshers + Repeaters) (CBCS)
(2015-16 and Onwards)
LANGUAGE ENGLISH – B

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : 1) Answer **all** the questions.
2) Write the **correct** question number.

SECTION – A

(Course Book)

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I. Answer **any five** in **two** or **three** sentences **each** :

(5×2=10)

- 1) How did the mother-in-law keep up her dignity in the lesson 'The Clay Mother-in-Law' ?
- 2) What had Sarada's veena teacher told her ?
- 3) Whom did Kunti see every day when she went to the forest ?
- 4) Why was there a crowd in front of the bulletin board of the town hall in 'The Last Lesson' ?
- 5) Why was Elizabeth not allowed to enter the school ?
- 6) Chinese use roads for thrashing grain because they
 - a) do not have a separate place like thrashing floor
 - b) do not have much traffic on roads
 - c) think roads are meant only for thrashing
 - d) don't have a sense of differentiation
- 7) Who or what do the words "lilies" and "the weed" refer to in sonnet 94 ?



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II. Answer **any four** in about **80 to 100** words :

(4×5=20)

- 1) Explain why the daughter-in-law went to the forest in 'The Clay Mother-in-law'.
- 2) How was Ramulu Babai exploiting Narayana ?
- 3) How did Grace Lorch help Elizabeth ?
- 4) What were the reasons for Franz not learning French ?
- 5) What are the different ways of classification ? Mention one example as given in the lesson 'What's in a Name' ?
- 6) How does Sonnet 94 bring out the contrast between honesty and hypocrisy in friendship ?

III. Answer **any one** in about **2** pages :

(1×10=10)

- 1) Explain the circumstances of attack on Elizabeth in 'She Walked Alone'.
- 2) Describe the daughter-in-law's experience in the forest and how did she benefit from it.
- 3) Narrate the conversation between Kunti and the Nishadin.

SECTION - B

(Work book)

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IV. Write an application for relevant information under RTI in a suitable format with regard to the following :

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Your father's provident fund has not been credited even after one year of his last employment.

OR

Answer the following questions :

- 1) The RTI is associated with the Fundamental Right to _____
- 2) What is the fee for filing RTI ?
- 3) What are the objectives of RTI ?
- 4) Can a Government employee get information through RTI from his own department ?
- 5) You can request for more than one piece of information in a single application.
(True/False)





V. Combine the following sets of sentences to frame shorter and more effective sentences :

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- 1) Radha does not work. She is lazy.
- 2) Hari has cold. He has cough.
- 3) Govind is a good singer. He did not perform well.
- 4) You will be healthy. You exercise regularly.
- 5) The bird is small. It flies fast.

VI. Read the following passage and answer the questions set on it.

It is breakfast time. You have been looking forward to eating a nice ripe banana ever since you woke up. Just when you reach for the delicious piece of fruit on your counter, you see something that makes you much less hungry : a swarm of fruit flies ! Fruit flies are tiny insects that are attracted to ripe or rotting fruits and vegetables. The flies not only eat the fruit, they also lay their eggs there. A single fruit fly can lay upto 500 eggs on the surface of a piece of fruit. Within eight days, the fruit flies that hatch from these eggs are full adults that can then lay their own eggs. As you can see, what might start out as a small fruit fly problem can become very large very quickly. Although there is a chance fruit flies can carry germs on to your food, this is not very likely. Fruit flies are annoying, but they probably will not hurt you. Because they are such a nuisance, however, most people want to get rid of these pesky bugs as quickly as possible. Some people use pesticide sprays on the fruit flies. Although this will kill the flies, it will also spread harmful poison all over your kitchen. Luckily, there is also a completely safe way for you to get rid of fruit flies in your house. The first step is for you to remove all fruits or vegetables from your counter. Store these items in the refrigerator or in sealed containers. Clean up any spilled juice or bits of food that might be on the floor. Take out the trash and empty the recycling bin. Wash any dirty dishes that are in your sink. Doing all of these things will stop new fruit flies from finding food or places to lay their eggs.

Questions :

(5×1=5)

- 1) What have you been looking forward to ?
 - 2) What makes you less hungry ?
 - 3) Fruit flies are
 - a) Bacteria
 - b) birds
 - c) tiny insects
 - d) worms
 - 4) A single fruit fly can lay upto _____ eggs on the surface of a piece of fruit.
 - 5) How can you prevent fruit flies on food ?
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- VII. Write a report to your college magazine regarding the celebration of Engineer's Day using the following hints. 5

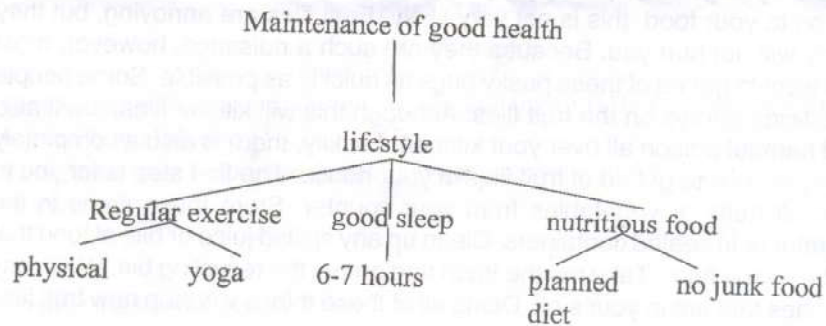
Engineer's Day-Welcome by the Principal-Felicitation to a noted Engineer-Speech on Sir M. Vishveshwaraiah by the students-PPT on Sir M.V's contribution to society-Vote of thanks.

OR

You are the superintendent from BBMP in charge of relaying footpath in a locality. Write a status report in the prescribed format to

- The Commissioner, BBMP
- Supply of tiles and cement has arrived
- Materials for laying purchased
- Delay due to rains
- Work to be completed in 2 months time.

- VIII. Develop a narrative using the tree diagram given below, using suitable cohesive devices. 5



- IX. You have received a parcel from an online purchase. But the product is damaged. Write a letter to the manager of the company. 5

- Explaining the reason for writing
- Return of the product
- Replacement with a better product.