

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Final Examination
COMPULSORY ENGLISH (OLD)
Compulsory Language

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 100

N.B. :— ALL questions are compulsory.

1. (A) You are a student of N.K. College, Nasik. You attended a seminar on “The importance of Technical Education” at N.J. College, Aurangabad, on 10 January 2019. Write a report to your Principal about the seminar.

OR

You are the office superintendent of N.H. College, Brahmpuri. Prepare an inventory report of the furniture of your college and submit it to your Principal. 10

- (B) Write a newspaper report on Adult Education Camp organised by Dinanath Mahavidyalaya, Lakhani.

OR

Write a journalistic report on a road accident caused due to collision of truck and bus on Nagpur-Raipur highway. 10

2. (A) You want to sell your 10 acres of agricultural land on Nagpur-Katol road. Write an advertisement copy with all details.

OR

Write an advertisement copy for the post of computer operator in Pankaj Motors, Balapur. 10

- (B) You are going to visit Mumbai. You want to book a room at Taj Hotel. E-mail your request to the Manager giving details.

OR

You are at Hyderabad preparing for UPSC exam. E-mail your father about your preparation for the same. 10

3. Answer the following questions in about **150** words each :

- (A) What, according to J. Krishnamurti, is the function of education ?

OR

What does Hill say about presentation in good writing ? 10

- (B) Justify the title, ‘The Luncheon’.

OR

Summarize the views expressed by Robert Lynd about man’s love for pomp and show in the essay, ‘Pockets and Buttons’. 10

4. Answer the following questions in about **150** words each :

(A) Justify the title of the play, “The Stepmother”.

OR

Sketch the character of Natalya.

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(B) Discuss the various emotions evoked in the poet when he recollects his mother’s song in the poem ‘Piano’.

OR

Describe how the poem ‘Voice of the Unwanted Girl’ is a heart-rending cry for a girl’s right to live.

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5. Answer the following questions in about **75** words each :

(A) (i) What role does inspiration play in writing ?

OR

How can a person enrich his vocabulary ?

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(ii) Describe the physical appearance and attitude of the lady on the basis of the story ‘The Luncheon’.

OR

How did Madame Forester help Mathilde ?

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(B) (i) Why can’t the urban man see the morning skies ?

OR

What legacy did the father leave behind in the poem ‘Obituary’ ?

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(ii) What kind of welcome had been planned for the captain ? What does it indicate about the popularity of the captain ?

OR

What is the attitude of the doctor and the mother towards the unborn girl child ?

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