



KU-1001

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B. A. (Sem. II) Examination

April/May - 2013

Foundation English

(Fantasy : A Collection of Short Stories)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- 1 Discuss the title of the story "Marriage is a Private Affair". 15

OR

Describe Guddavva's story about the Sun and the Moon.

- 2 Give answer to any five of the following : 20

- (i) What did Datta do when he couldn't find a tool? In what way was this habit important in the story ?
- (ii) In Dutta's long experience he had met three kinds of customers. What were they ? To which kind did the young customer belong ?
- (iii) How did Mr. McMaster help Henty recover ?
- (iv) Why did Mr. McMaster want to listen to Dickens' books again and again ?
- (v) What, according to Guddavva's story, is the rainbow ?

- (vi) Why would Naemeka's father be unhappy if the son wrote to him about the engagement? Why would it be worse in Nene's case ?
- (vii) Why does Foreman resign his place as Verger?
- (viii) Who do you think in the narrator of the story "Moon in the Earthen Pot" ? Who is the main character of the story ? How is the narrator related to him/her ?

3 (a) Match "A" with appropriate meaning in "B". 5

A

B

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| - reverential | - Clarity |
| - lucidity | - complaining |
| - remorse | - respectful |
| - nagging | - suffering |
| - anguish | - deep regret |

(b) Make meaningful sentences from the words given below : (any five) 5

Distinction, consent, retreat, homage, jauntily, remorse, latitude, contented

4 (a) Choose the correct pronoun from the bracket and fill in the blanks : 5

- (i) Where are _____ friends now ?
(your/yours)
- (ii) I met Priyam _____ had just returned from America ? (whom/who)

- (iii) The boy _____ achieved success.
(hisself/himself)
- (iv) Each one of these girls must complete
_____ work now. (her/their)
- (v) Please, look at _____ beautiful painting
here. (this/that)
- (b) Choose the correct preposition from the _____ 5
bracket and fill in the blanks :
- (i) I found the beautiful picture _____
the wall. (in/at/on)
- (ii) The teacher asked the students to look
_____ the top of the page. (in/at/on)
- (iii) We will finish our B.A. _____2015.
(by/within/for)
- (iv) Nandini has been studying in school
_____ June 2005. (for/since)
- (v) I am looking _____ Gandhi Ashram.
Can you help me ? (after/for/to)
- (c) Choose the correct subject-verb concord from _____ 5
the bracket and fill in the blanks :
- (i) There _____ time to prepare for exam.
(is/are)
- (ii) Every one of those kids _____ beautiful.
(look/looks)

- (iii) Both you and your brother _____ completed the work nicely. (has/have)
- (iv) None of my friends _____ in the canteen. (was/were)
- (v) 50 kilometers _____ a long distance. (is/are)

5 Write an essay on any one of the following : 10

- (i) My College
- (ii) Visit to Kankaria
- (iii) Village life: do you like or dislike ?
- (iv) My Favourite Game.
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