



PP-441

Seat No. _____

B. Sc. (Sem. VI) Examination

April / May - 2016

Foundation Compulsory English

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- 1 (a) Describe the dispute and its solution in the story 'Between the Mosque and the Temple'. 15

OR

- (b) Write a critical appreciation the poem 'The World is Too Much with Us'. 15

- 2 Answer any five of the following : 20

- (a) Where was the dust-bin finally placed ?
- (b) What made the bank manager think that Stephen Leacock was a detective ?
- (c) What does the service of India mean ?
- (d) What made the narrator nervous in the bank ?
- (e) What does Nehru refer to when he mentions 'clouds' that surround India on the eve of independence ?
- (f) Why does the poet mean by the word 'nectar' ?
- (g) What are the different strains of triumph that the defeated soldier hears ?
- (h) What hopes does the poet have for the future ?

- 3 Develop a story with the help of the following points : 10

An old lady becomes blind ---- calls in a doctor ---- agrees to pay large fees if cured --- but nothing if not --- doctor visits her daily --- long for lady's furniture --- at last cures her --- doctor demands fees --- lady refuses to pay saying cure not complete --- doctor files a court case --- judge asks the lady why she will not pay --- she says sight not properly restored --- she cannot see all her furniture --- verdict in her favour --- moral.

- 4 (a) Do as directed : (any six) 6
- (a) They are not social workers but they behave like that.
(use 'as though')
 - (b) The knife is sharp.
(change into negative)
 - (c) Don't talk nonsense things.
(change the voice)
 - (d) Very few rivers are as long as Ganga.
(change the degree)
 - (e) He is too negative to take anything positively.
(remove 'too')
 - (f) No sooner did he see the snake than he jumped with fear.
(use 'scarcely')
 - (g) He is not a singer so he cannot sing.
(use 'if')

(b) Correct the following sentences : (any six) 6

(a) If she will be here today, we shall meet her.

(b) They will talk to a person whom you have sent here.

(c) He is a M. Sc. from our college.

(d) He has been playing football since two hours.

(e) He jumped in a pond.

(f) He is one of the singers who is going abroad.

(g) They have seen this movie last week.

(c) Join the following sentences : (any six) 6

(a) I am not politician. I am not a businessman.

(b) They have worked hard. They will pass.

(c) He knows to sing. He knows to play.

(d) She talked about a man. I don't like him.

(e) He is a hardworking man. Nobody like him.

(f) They want to win the match. They are practicing day and night.

(g) India is a big country. People of different religions live here.

5 Prepare a speech on any **one** of the following : 7 .

- (a) Draft a welcome speech to be given by you at the 'fresher's party' of your college.
- (b) Write a speech to be delivered as 'a vote of thanks' on the annual function to be held in your college.

