

P. S. Science & H. D. Patel Arts College, Kadi

B.A. Semester: IV

Preliminary test
Foundation English

Total Marks: 40

Date: 18-03-2016

Time: 11:00 to 12:30

Q. 1 a) Justify the title of the story *The Diamond Necklace* 10

Or

b) Narrate the theme of the story "*Eyes Are Not Here*".

Q.2 Answer in short: (any three) 10

1. How did Mathilda and her husband replace the lost necklace?

2. What is the situation in Mini's home when the Cabuliwallah returns from jail?

3. What is the last minute election campaign in Umuofla.

4. What is the significance of the title of the story *The Eyes are not here*.

5. Attempt a personality sketch of Roof.

Q.3 A) Fill in the blanks with non-finite verbs given in the brackets: 10

1. I always miss _____ cartoons on TV. (to watch/ watching)

2. Students ought _____ hard for good career. (to work/work)

3. Car _____ on Express Highway is a fun. (to drive/ driving)

4. _____ by the kids, the kitchen looked horrible.

(messed up / messing up)

5. We should agree _____ our elders in life. (follow/to follow)

B) Identify the clause and name it: 10

1. The boy whose pen is lost is sad.

2. My teacher always says that hard-work brings success.

3. Priyam will get 1st class if he does not waste time.

4. Nandini paints well though she cannot spend much time.

5. Yesterday I met a person who had won the Nobel Prize.