



GAB-201

Seat No. _____

B. A. (Sem. VI) Examination

March / April - 2017

English : FC-603

(Text : *The Joy of Reading*)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instruction : Indicate your options clearly.

- 1 (a) Bring out the humour in the story 15
'My Financial Career'.

OR

- (b) Appreciate critically Wordsworth's poem 15
'The World is Too Much with Us'.

- 2 Answer in brief any **five** of the following 20
questions :

- (1) What did Banu do to overcome her anxiety about the day's outcome ?
- (2) What are Nehru's views about the citizens of India ?
- (3) What is the ambition of the greatest man of every generation ?
- (4) How has the dispute regarding the dustbin finally been settled ?

- (5) Who can best define victory ?
- (6) Why does the poet refer to himself as the 'darker brother' ?
- (7) What does the poet expect to happen in future in 'I Too, sing America' ?
- (8) When will India awake to 'life and freedom' ?

3 Develop a story using the following points : **10**

Cap seller - going to market - felt tired - slept under a tree - a basket - caps for sale - monkeys on the tree - came down - opened the basket - took the caps - wore them - started making noise - Cap seller woke up - no cap in the basket - looked up in wonder - monkeys wearing caps - tried several methods to collect the caps - failed - out of frustration threw his cap - monkeys also threw the caps - Cap seller collected the caps and went away happily.

4 (a) Do as directed : (any six) **6**

- (1) This tree is too high to climb on it.
(Remove 'too')
- (2) What a memorable day it was for me !
(Make it Assertive)
- (3) Light travels faster than sound.
(Change the degree)
- (4) Harsha is not a model but she dresses like that. (Use 'as if')

- (5) Our teacher always inspire us to work sincerely. (Make it Negative)
- (6) If you eat junk food, you will spoil your health. (Use 'Unless')
- (7) Nervi is clever but proud. (Use 'though')
- (b) Correct any **six** of the following sentences. **6**
- (1) Geeta is the holy book of the hindus.
- (2) Two and two make four.
- (3) Kavya wore a untidy dress.
- (4) The agent sold all the tickets before I applied.
- (5) My mother went to temple every day.
- (6) Nirmala cut an apple by a knife.
- (7) I usually read my lessons in night.
- (c) Combine each of the following pairs of sentences into a single sentence. (any **six**) **6**
- (1) Mr. Patel was driving his car. He saw an accident then.
- (2) Don't be a lender. Don't be a borrower too.
- (3) Dainisha doesn't know the reason. The teacher punished her.

- (4) I met the girl. Her mother is an I.A.S. officer.
- (5) Brinda knows this. She has been selected for the school cricket team.
- (6) Khayati could not go on tour. She was ill.
- (7) Satish doesn't work hard. He gets good result in all exams.

- 5 (a) Prepare a welcome speech to be delivered in annual function at your college. 7

OR

- (b) Prepare a speech of mourning on the death of a great social worker. 7