

Bc/ALTE (BCM/BBA)–404

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(4th Semester)

ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH–II (COMMERCE)

Paper : ALTE (BCM/BBA)–404

(Short Stories, Prose, Communication Skills and Grammar)

(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 26)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—I

(Short Stories and Prose)

1. Answer the following questions : 2×6=12

- (a) How did Captain Forestier meet Eleanor?
- (b) Why do you think Katherine Mansfield is criticising the social inequality?
- (c) Why was Henry Adams chosen for the bet?
- (d) What was Mr. Behrman's masterpiece?

(2)

- (e) How does the writer assess the love of money among the Hindus?
- (f) Write the difference between inductive logic and deductive logic.

SECTION—II

(Grammar)

2. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prefixes to the words in the brackets : 1×7=7

- (a) I think you should _____ (consider) it before taking a final decision.
- (b) It is very _____ (economy) to run air-conditioning with the door open.
- (c) Narendra Modi said that the information given by Rahul Gandhi was _____ (leading).
- (d) A senior scout master _____ (tied) the knots in few seconds.
- (e) Ato loves his classmates but they _____ (like) him due to his rude behaviour.

(3)

(f) I don't like him at all, he is so ____ (reason).

(g) Members of a community must ____ (operate) with each other for a better living.

3. Fill in the blanks with appropriate suffixes to the words in the brackets : 1×7=7

(a) A ____ (virtue) man is known by his deeds.

(b) The ____ (friend) between the two boys is indeed very strong.

(c) He was sitting ____ (comfort).

(d) There was only a ____ (hand) of people at the match.

(e) He is just a ____ (teenage) that behaves like an adult.

(f) Some of the shanty towns are dreadfully ____ (crowd).

(g) After all the tough years, the family lived ____ (happy) ever after.

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Full Marks : 70 Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 44)

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for the questions*

SECTION—I

(Short Stories and Prose)

1. Answer the following questions : 10×3=30

- (a) (i) Captain Robert Forestier longed to prove himself a gentleman. Did he succeed? Give a reasoned answer.

Or

- (ii) Comment on the theme of social discrimination by comparing the Burnell and the Kelvey sisters.

- (b) (i) “I’ve been a bad girl, ... It is a sin to want to die.” How did Sudie help her friend, Johnsy to realise this?

Or

- (ii) At the end of the month, how was Henry Adams rewarded for his honesty and resourcefulness?

- (c) (i) Write a detailed description of the author Nirad C. Chaudhuri’s point of view with regard to the English and their way of life.

Or

- (ii) Elaborate some of the hypotheses that Thomas Henry Huxley employed to prove that a ‘man of science’ and an ‘ordinary person’ use logic to arrive at conclusions.

(3)

SECTION—II

(**Communication Skills**)

2. Answer the following questions : $7 \times 2 = 14$

- (a) Assume yourself as the Sales Manager/Marketing Manager and you need bumper sale to boost your organization. Taking any product, draft an advertisement to be published in newspapers.
- (b) In response to an advertisement for the post of an Accountant, write a letter to the Manager of the institution, furnishing your detailed bio data.

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