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BENGALURU – 560004 SEMESTER END EXAMINATION – MARCH/APRIL- 2023

B.Com./B.B.A./B.VOC. RM – III Semester GENERIC ENGLISH: LANGUAGE ENGLISH-III (ENVISIONS-III)

Course Code: COM3AECEN03

QP Code:3117

Duration: 2 ½ Hours

Max. Marks: 60

Instructions: 1. Read the instructions carefully before writing the answer.

2. Write the correct question number.

SECTION-A (40 marks)

I. Answer any two of the following in about a page each.

(2X5=10)

- 1. How does Mahesh Dattani bring out the element of humour through Viswas in the *Dance like a Man*?
- 2. What kind of a pact does Ratna make with Amritlal? How does it affect their lives?
- 3. Sketch the character of Ratna in the play *Dance like a Man*.

II. Answer any two of the following in about two pages each.

(2X10=20)

- 1. *Dance like a Man* portrays the aching truth of gender discrimination and patriarchy, victimising both men and women in Indian society. Substantiate.
- 2. Amritlal Parekh is an agent of patriarchy and also the representative of the societal norms. Elucidate.
- 3. The marriage between Viswas and Lata is a conditional marriage. Explain.

III. Answer any two of the following in about a page each.

(2X5=10)

- 1. Why does Steve Job's consider getting fired from Apple as a true blessing?
- 2. What role does Subroto's mother play in his life?
- 3. What are the injustices and cruelties suffered by women according to Hillary Clinton?

SECTION-B (20 marks)

IV. Presentation skills (any one)

(1X5=5)

- 1. Write five slides for a presentation on Covid 19.
- 2. Prepare slides on advantage and disadvantages of online learning.

V. Paragraph writing (any one)

(1X5=5)

- 1. Write a paragraph on advantages of watching movies. Use the following hints.
 - Improves Communication skills listening and speaking skills, improves pronunciation
 - Inspire social and cultural reflection
 - Boosts mood, reduces stress and motivates
- 2. Write a paragraph expanding the outline given in the box.

Morning walk – good for young and old – refresh mind – makes one active – light exercise – improves heart health – beneficial for mental health – reduces the risk of diabetes – keeps laziness at bay – helps in weight loss – walk your way to good health – develop it as your habit – stay consistent.

VI. Business correspondence (any one)

(1X5=5)

- Draft an enquiry seeking information regarding computer course at NIIT institute.
 Enquire about its fee structure, duration of the course, syllabus and books required, job placement etc.
- 2. You are disappointed with your stay at Prestige Hotel for two days. Write a letter of complaint about the poor service provided at the hotel.

VII. Commercial writing (any one)

(1X5=5)

- 1. Your college is organizing cleanliness drive in and around the campus. Design a poster on cleanliness.
- 2. You have started a bakery.design a brochure with the necessary details for the baking classes that you want to start.
