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LANGUAGE ENGLISH - II

Resonance - II

(CBCS Scheme Repeaters 2019-2020)

Paper : II

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Instructions to Candidates:*

1. Answer **all** the questions.
2. Write the question number correctly.

**PART - I**

**(Grammar Section)**

**(30)**

**I. A.** Fill in the blanks with appropriate forms of auxiliary verbs : **(2)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ you beat his brother yesterday? (Do)
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ teaching English long ago. (BC)

**B.** State whether the underlined verbs are transitive or Intransitive. **(2)**

1. My mother is cooking.
2. Vishakha completed the project.

**II. A.** Underline the phrases in the following sentences: **(2)**

1. They rented a beautiful house.
2. He has taken his annual exam.

**III. A.** Frame sentences using any two of the following phrasal verbs. **(2)**

1. Get up
2. Look after
3. Pass away.

**IV. A.** Complete the following sentences with appropriate clauses. **(2)**

1. I reached the station .....
2. He is the man .....

**[P.T.O.]**



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V. A. Change the following dialogue into a narrative.

(5)

Rohit : How is your preparation for the exam going on?

Mahesh : Not too bad, overall, I'm worried about english and chemistry, though. How is yours going on?

Rohit : Mine is alright, I'm also finding chemistry to be a bit challenging because of its vast syllabus and too much memorization in organic chemistry.

Mahesh : Organic chemistry has been a problem for me too. Can we study chemistry together, at least the organic part?

Rohit : Sure, I think its good idea. Can you help me with English?

Mahesh : Yes, I can, where exactly in english are you facing problem?

Rohit : Thanks, preposition and reading comprehension are the main problem areas for me.

Mahesh : As far as prepositions are concerned, I can help you in understanding the rules, but for reading comprehension you need to put in lots of practice to get better at it.

Rohit : OK. will do. Thanks, All the best to you as well.

(OR)

B. Rearrange the following sentences into Narrative.

(5)

1. As a dramatist Rabindarnath was not what might be called success.
2. His dramas were moulded on the line of the traditional Indian village dramas than the dramas of modern world.
3. His plays were more a catalogue of ideas than a vehicle of the expression of action.
4. Actually the drama has always been the life of Indian people as it deals with legends of gods and goddesses.
5. Although in his short stories and novels he was able to create living and well defined characters. He did not seem to be able to do so in dramas.
6. Therefore drama forms the essential part of the traditional Indian culture.

VI. A. Change the following sentences into passive voice.

(3×1=3)

1. She reads a novel.
2. The farmers are reaping the harvest.
3. The gardener had watered the plants last week.

- B. Fill in the correct passive form of the verb in brackets. (2×1=2)
1. Pencillin \_\_\_\_\_ by Alexander Fleming in 1928 (discover).
  2. Statements \_\_\_\_\_ from all the witnesses at this moment (take).
- A. Write a letter to the B.B.M.P. office complaining about the garbage not being collected regularly. (10)

### PART - II

#### (Literary Section)

Answer any **FIVE** of the following questions in a sentence or Two Each. (5×2=10)

1. How were olden day shops described in 'Shut down the shop'?
2. Where did Mr. Oliver find the boy? How was the boy?
3. What dims the poet's life in the poem 'Give all to love'?
4. Where were the six men trapped in 'The cold within'?
5. Who were the family members of Parmeela Dutta in California?
6. Where does woodfield go every Tuesday and why?
7. What are the biggest pros of social media?
8. Who is Bhagavath? What is he doing at the beginning of the play?

Answer any **FOUR** of the following questions in about a page each. (4×5=20)

1. Describe the condition of the petty shops in the poem "Shut down the shop"
2. How was Mr. Oliver's encounter with the boy? Explain.
3. How does the poet bring out the lack of warmth and compassion in human beings in the poem "The cold within"?
4. Why is Mrs. Dutta disappointed in her grand children?
5. Give an account of the grief of the boss over his son's death in the lesson "The Fly".
6. Social media is a blessing for people with mental health issues. Discuss.
7. Narrate the story of Hayavadana's parents.

Answer any **ONE** of the following questions in about two pages. (1×10=10)

1. How successful is Ruskin Bond in creating an eerie atmosphere and suspense in the story? Explain.
2. What are the adverse effects of social media?
3. 'Hayavadana represents the imperfections and incompleteness in human beings'. Discuss.

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