

III Semester B.Com. Examination, Nov./Dec. 2017 (CBCS) (Freshers + Repeaters) (2015-16 and Onwards) LANGUAGE ENGLISH - III

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Instructions: 1) Answerall questions.
 - 2) Write the correct questions number.

SECTION - A

(Course Book)

I. Answer any five of the following in one or two sentences each:

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

- 1) What was the problem faced by Monsieur Seguin with his little goat?
- 2) What made Mrs. and Mr. Shyamnath anxious about the dinner?
- 3) Where did Gandhari lead Dhritharashtra at the end of the story?
- 4) What made the writer unhappy after the dinner in the story 'The Night I met Einstein'?
- 5) Why did Karlie sit on the 'European's only' bench?
- 6) In what respect Hitler's dictatorship is different according to Albert Speer, Hitler's minister for armament?
- 7) Mention any two rights that are included in the Right to Information Act.
- II. Answer any four in about 80 to 100 words:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

1) Describe the great fight of Monsieur Seguin's goat with the wolf all through the night.



- 2) Briefly explain how Mr. Shyamanath put his mother into great discomfort in the lesson 'Dinner for the Boss'.
- 3) Explain as to why Gandhari preferred to blindfold her eyes in the story 'Gandhari'.
- 4) Describe how Einstein taught the young writer to appreciate music.
- 5) How does the bench with "Europeans only" symbolize the misery of the Blacks in African society?
- 6) How is Theory X different from Theory Z with reference to the attitude of employees in the poem 'Managing the Common Herd'?

III. Answer any two of the following in a page and a half each:

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

- 1) "The little goat had all the opportunity to avoid its fight with the wolf, yet it decides to fight". What aspect of its personality is shown here? Discuss.
- 2) The story 'The Bench' is a depiction of the Blacks' fight for their rights against the White. Discuss with reference to Karlie's fight for his rights.
- 3) Comment on the indifferent attitude of employees described in the poem, "Managing the Common Herd".

SECTION - B

(Workbook)

IV. In the present scenario using an Eco-friendly Ganesha Idol is a necessity. Write a report on how such awareness is brought in your place.

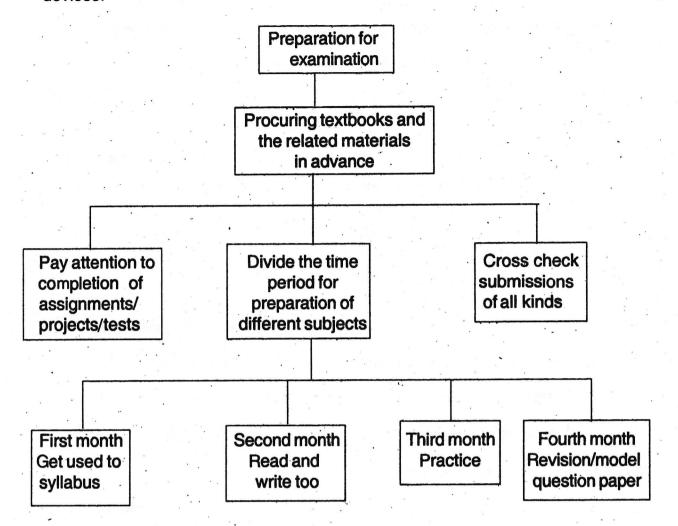
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Hints – Spread news across through media – harm due to synthetic paints – affecting water bodies – avoid the preparation of large idols.

 V. Develop a narrative using the tree diagram given below using suitable cohesive devices.

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- VI. The recent heavy rains has affected the power supply in your city. Write a letter to the local corporation authorities demanding immediate action using following hints.
 - Overflow of drainage.
 - Examination time.
 - · Closure of roads.
 - Provision of temporary relief.