

2016

(2nd Semester)

ELECTIVE ENGLISH

Paper No. : El Eng-202

(Poetry and Applied Language Skills)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 54)

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions : 10×4=40

(a) (i) *Sailing to Byzantium* is about the state of the poet's soul. Discuss.

Or

(ii) Do you agree with the view that *The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock* is a record of broken dreams and 'might-have-beens'? Give reasons.

(2)

- (b) (i) Analyze the poem, *September 1, 1939* as an expression of despair and a sense of personal bewilderment.

Or

- (ii) Dylan Thomas makes an adult interpretation of his childhood experiences in the poem, *Fern Hill*. Elucidate.

- (c) (i) Examine the poem, *An Introduction* as a critique of gender inequality.

Or

- (ii) Study the theme of 'self-conflict' in the poem, *Still Another View of Grace*.

- (d) (i) In the poem, *In Paths Untrodden*, Walt Whitman is determined to break free from the traditional social norms. Comment.

Or

- (ii) Give a critical appreciation of the poem, *Spring Pools*.

(3)

2. Read the following passage and paraphrase it in your own words :

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The flow of water has undoubtedly played a great part in geological processes. The same agency, however, under appropriate conditions, can also play a destructive part and wash away the soil. The problem of soil erosion is of major significance in various countries and especially in many parts of India. Soil erosion occurs in successive steps, the earliest of which may easily pass unnoticed. In the later stages, the cutting up and washing away of the earth is only too painfully apparent in the formation of deep gullies and ravines which make all agriculture impossible. Sudden bursts of excessively heavy rain resulting in a large run of surplus water are the principal factors in causing soil erosion. The slope of the land, removal of the natural protective coat of vegetation, the existences of ruts along which the water can flow rapidly gathering momentum, and the absence of any checks of such flow are also causes for soil erosion.

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 16)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer the following questions :

2×8=16

1. How does W. H. Auden describe the atmosphere of the September night?

(2)

2. What does Kamala Das say about the language she speaks?

3. "Let them think twice before they use their powers."
Who are 'them'? What does the line indicate?

(3)

4. How has Dylan Thomas lived for forty-one years?
How does he plan to live?

5. Briefly sketch the farm at night time in *Fern Hill*.

(4)

6. Once he is out of his body what form will Yeats take?
What will he do in his new form?

7. In what way does the image of the fog as cat resemble
Prufrock's mental state?

(5)

8. What does the line, 'and took her behind the laws of my land' mean?

Ba/Pol-202

2016

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper No. : Pol-202

(**Western Political Thought**)

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) "Plato's Republic is not a work on politics but the finest treatise on education that has ever been written." Elucidate. 14

Or

- (b) Examine Aristotle's classification of Constitutions. Explain his arguments in favour of polity as the best form of government. 7+7=14

(2)

2. (a) Critically examine St. Augustine's theory of two cities. 14
Or
(b) Examine various techniques of statecraft given in *The Prince*. 14
3. (a) Discuss critically Thomas Hobbes' social contract theory. 14
Or
(b) Critically examine Rousseau's concept of popular sovereignty. 14
4. (a) Give a critical evaluation of Bentham's utilitarianism. 14
Or
(b) What are J. S. Mill's views on democracy and representative government? 14
5. (a) Briefly discuss Hegel's Dialectic. 14
Or
(b) Examine Marx's theory of surplus value. 14

Ba/Soc-202

2016

(2nd Semester)

SOCIOLOGY

(Honours)

Paper No. : Soc-202

(Social Research Methods—II)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. What are quantitative research and qualitative research? Explain the differences between the two. 4+10=14

Or

What is ethnography? Discuss its advantages and disadvantages. 4+10=14

(2)

2. What is case study? Explain the steps involved in conducting a case study. 4+10=14

Or

Surveys are the most commonly used tool in social research. Explain its significance. 14

3. What are different types of research? 14

Or

Distinguish between historical research and empirical research. 14

4. What are data processing methods? Explain the steps involved in data processing method. 4+10=14

Or

Explain the process of data analysis in social research. 14

5. Describe the precautions that the researcher should take while interpreting his findings. 14

Or

Explain various steps involved in report writing. 14

Ba/His-202 (A)

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(2nd Semester)

HISTORY

(Honours)

Paper No. : HIS-202 (A)

[**East Asia (1840-1950)**]

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Give a brief account on the political and economic changes that led to the rise of Japan in the 19th century. 7+7=14

Or

Discuss, in brief, the political and economic conditions of Korea in the middle of the 19th century. 14

2. What were the causes of the Opium Wars? Discuss their consequences. 7+7=14

Or

Give a brief account on the Boxer Rebellion of 1900. 14

(2)

3. "The Revolution of 1911 paved way for the birth of the republic in China." Discuss. 14

Or

Briefly explain the origin and growth of the Chinese Communist Party. 14

4. Briefly analyze the causes of Japanese militarism. What was its impact on the future of Japan? 14

Or

How did the Western powers influence Japan in becoming a major participant in the international system? 14

5. Briefly analyze the factors that led to the Japanese supremacy over Korea. 14

Or

Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 7×2=14

(a) Treaty of Nanking

(b) Chiang Kai-shek

(c) Warlordism

(d) Russo-Japanese War

Ba/Edn-202

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(2nd Semester)

EDUCATION

(Honours)

Paper No. : EDN-202

(**Educational Management**)

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. What is management? Explain the need of educational management. Discuss its scopes. 2+5+7=14

Or

What are different types of educational management? Discuss centralized management and decentralized management. 4+10=14

2. Who is a leader? Suggest the measures for developing effective leadership. 7+7=14

(2)

Or

What do you mean by personal management? Discuss the social and cultural factors affecting managerial behaviour. 7+7=14

3. Write the concept of teaching-learning process. Explain any two steps involved in managing teaching-learning. 6+8=14

Or

'Teacher as a manager'— illustrate. 14

4. What is institutional planning? Discuss the importance of discipline in an institution. 5+9=14

Or

Explain different curricular and cocurricular programmes conducted in your college. Why? 10+4=14

5. Determine the concept of educational planning. Why do we need it in the present era? 5+9=14

Or

Define educational planning. What are different steps in educational planning? 5+9=14

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ENGLISH

(Honours)

Paper No. : ENG (H)-203

(**History of English Language
and Literary Terms**)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Discuss the aspects of Old English. 10
2. (a) Give an estimate of the Latin influence
in the English language. 10
- Or
- (b) Show the French elements in English. 10
3. (a) What is word-making? Discuss the
processes of word-making with suitable
examples. 10

(2)

Or

(b) Trace the historical development of English grammar. 10

4. Answer any *three* of the following questions :
4×3=12

- (a) What is standard English?
- (b) Give a brief history of the development of meaning in English.
- (c) Briefly distinguish between British English and American English.
- (d) Comment on the Indian elements in English.
- (e) Write a brief note on the changes in spelling during the Middle English period.

5. Write notes on any *two* of the following :
7×2=14

- (a) Blank verse
- (b) Comedy of humours
- (c) Symbolism
- (d) Surrealism
- (e) Personification
- (f) Dramatic monologue

(3)

6. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 4×2=8

- (a) Phonetics and phonology
- (b) Cardinal vowels
- (c) Speech mechanism

7. Give the phonetic transcriptions of any *six* of the following words : 1×6=6

- (a) Paper
- (b) Father
- (c) Pen
- (d) Girl
- (e) Check
- (f) Cover
- (g) Report
- (h) Thank
- (i) Missing
- (j) Honour
