

AH-1036 CV-19
B.A. (Part-II)
(Private)
Term End Examination, 2019-20
FOUNDATION COURSE
Paper-II

Time: Three Hours

[Maximum Marks: 75]

Note : Answer all questions. All question carry equal marks.

Unit-I

1. Answer any five of the following questions in short:
 - a. What do you mean by the phrase:
"All men are scientists"
 - b. How were wounds sterilized in ancient India?
 - c. Sum up the discoveries made by Susruta.
 - d. Describe the features that are common between Plants and Animals.
 - e. What sort of temperament Ramanujan possessed since his childhood?
 - f. How will lack of computer proficiency affect human life?
 - g. On which two fronts are changes perceptible in the computer industry?
 - h. How can you say that a plastic surgeon is a sculptor?
 - i. In how many ways does pollution enter the waterways?
 - j. What was the immediate effect of atomic bombing on Hiroshima?

Unit-II

2. [A] Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below:
Man is the most paradoxical of all animals. On the one hand, he is the most Imaginative and creative creature on the other hand, he is the most dangerous and destructive of all animals. He has destroyed much of his creation. Toxic chemicals are still poisoning the world around us although we know about the dangers. Man's greed has brought the great whales to the verge of extinction. Plants and animals which share the earth with mankind are current products of an endless process of evolution. They were shaped by their environment. All animals are products of their habitats. They are our heritage, the natural part of our environment and we have a simple duty to look after them for the generation they will follow us.

Questions:

- a. Why is man called the most paradoxical of all animals?
- b. What has led to the near extinction of the great whales?
- c. What factor has given the plants and animals the shape they have today?
- d. What is our simple duty towards our heritage?
- e. Give a suitable title to the passage.

[B] Vocabulary:

Match the words in column A with their meaning in Column B:

A	B
(i) Paralyse	(a) make clear
(ii) Elucidate	(b) Explain interpret
(iii) Appraise	(c) Evaluate
(iv) Expound	(d) Make powerless
(v) Flourish	(e) Give
(vi) Endow	(f) Feeding on the flesh of its own species
(vii) Spasms	(g) Muscular contraction
(viii) Cannibal	(h) Grow health, prosper
(ix) Stammer	(i) Make a strong, shaking movement
(a) Shudder	(j) Speak with sudden pause repeating the same sound or syllable

Unit-III

3. Write a report on any one of the following topics:
 - a. Write a report on 'problem of plastic bags'.
 - b. Write a report on 'cleanliness drive in your college'.
 - c. Write a report on NSS camp attended by you.
 - d. Write a report on 'The annual function/prize distribution of your college'.

Unit-IV

4. Expand any one of the following ideas in about 200 words:
 - a. 'Necessity is the mother of invention'
 - b. 'Where there is will there is a way'
 - c. 'He who follows two hares catches neither'

d. 'The crown and glory of life is character

Unit-V

5. Do as directed: (any twenty)

a. Insert suitable article:

- i. Vinay is engineer
- ii. They come to India twice..... Year.
- iii. Kolkata islargest city of India.
- iv. There is.....hourly bus service on this route.

b. Fill in the blank with proper form of "be":

- i. They foreigners.
- ii. They..... honest people.

c. Fill in the blanks using correct form of "have":

Vii. She..... nothing to declare.

Viii. Dithi.....no time.

d. Fill in the blank spaces with possessive or self-forms:

ix. Karan has made..... very unpopular.

x. She cut..... while cutting vegetables.

Xi. Your must do your work.....

e. Complete the following sentence using Comparative' or Superlative degree where necessary:

xii. My bed is not very comfortable. Your bed is.....

xiii. The temple is very old. It is the _____ temple of Raipur.

f. Fill in the blanks with the present Indefinite or Present Continuous forms of verbs provided in the brackets:

xiv. He usually(spend) his vacation here.

xv. Radhaleave for Jaipur tomorrow.

g. Fill in the blanks with "will" or "shall" in order to complete the sentences:

xvi. It.....be evening by the time we reach home.

xvii. When..... the book arrive ?

h. Change the voice:

xviii. They kept us waiting.

xix. Who did this?

i. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with the proper form (gerund or infinitive) of the verbs given in the brackets:

xx. Seeing is..... (believe)

xxi. You should try.....her. (understand)

xxii. We saw him.....a bicycle. (ride)

xxiii. He stayed at home.

He studied English.

(Combine the above pair of sentences by using "and". If possible, reduce the sentence using reduction rules)

xxiv. Rhea is learning French.

She wants to study in Paris.

(Combine the pair of sentences by using "so that" making necessary changes)

xxv. You shall not go out today.

It is raining.

(Combine the pair of sentences by using because)