



HCL-002-001501

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Third Year B. Com. (Sem. V) (CBCS) Examination

October – 2017

Foundation Course in English

(New Course)

Faculty Code : 002

Subject Code : 001501

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (1) All questions are compulsory.
- (2) Figures to the right indicate marks.

1 Answer any two of the following questions in detail : 20

- (1) Explain the desire that is expressed in the first stanza of 'The Great Invocation.'
- (2) Describe the role of the United Nations in establishing freedom of the press.
- (3) Why is time management essential for a successful and efficient career ?
- (4) Devy believes that 'development is not possible by imitating others'. How far do you agree with him ?

2 Answer any two of the following questions in brief : 15

- (1) What does the term 'Holy Masters' mean ? What are they supposed to know and serve ?
- (2) With regard to the nature of a task, what are the three points one has to keep in mind while creating a schedule ?
- (3) Where has the real issue of development got lost according to the author ?
- (4) What was Sher Singh Bahadur's occupation ? Why and when was he generally sought after ?

3 (A) Draft a questionnaire on any one of the following : 15

- (1) A survey on oral communication and public speaking skills of Saurashtra University college students.
- (2) A survey on the rising prices and the remedial steps to control them.

OR

- 3 (B) Prepare a press release on any **one** of the following :
- (1) As a principal draft a press release on a visit of a scholar of international concern to your college.
 - (2) As a secretary of an industrial association, draft a press release on the concerns of small scale industries of a particular region.

- 4 (A) Translate the following paragraph into Gujarati : 10

Education is a dynamic process. A sound educational system is one that is responsive to the challenges of a fast changing society. Those who are engaged in educational process must constantly re-examine the academic machinery so that it can prepare the young generation to discharge their obligations towards the community. Text books are an integral part of our academic apparatus; they shape the minds of the readers and mould their personalities. They should bring the young student in integrated contact with the latest developments in thought and help them develop integrated personalities.

- (B) Translate the following paragraph into English : 10

જ્યારે અશોક તેના મહેલમાં પાછો ફર્યો ત્યારે તેણે પોતાના પ્રધાનો અને સેનાપતિને તેમજ શાશા દરબારીઓને બોલાવ્યા અને કહ્યું, “મેં જીતની કમકમાટી જોઈ છે. મારા રાજ્યના રક્ષણ સિવાય હું મારી તલવાર મ્યાનમાંથી બહાર નહિ કાઢું. હું મારી પ્રજાને આરામ અને સુખ આપીશ. વિજયના ઉન્માદની ચિચિયારીઓ અને ગીતોને બદલે હું તેમને નાના બાળકોનું હાસ્ય અને ખુશખુશાલ માતાઓનાં ગીતો આપીશ. હું રુદન, આંસુઓ અને રક્તપાત નથી ઈચ્છતો. હું મારી પ્રજાને સુખ, શાંતિ અને સ્મૃદ્ધિ આપવા ઈચ્છું છું.”