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**B. P. A. (Sem. II) (Vocal / Tabla / Kathak)
(CBCS) Examination**

March / April - 2018

**English
(Core)**

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

[Total Marks : 70

1 Answer any 7 of the following questions in one or two sentences each : **14**

- (1) What conclusion did Ali come to after his daughter's marriage?
- (2) What do Agarwal shopkeepers believe in? "
- (3) What did Sripati tell Jogmaya after returning from Ranihat?
- (4) What happened to the old governess after Christmas?
- (5) What is the name of the elder girl in the story "Little girls wiser than men's?"
- (6) Why Mr. Ratnam employed the narrator?
- (7) Why did Ali not come to the post office for several days?
- (8) Who was Conrad?
- (9) Where was the burning ground of Ranihat?
- (10) What advice did old woman give to the quarrelling men and women?

2 Answer any 4 of the following questions in brief : **16**

- (1) What is the rational explanation of the legend of Cernogratz?
- (2) Describe in brief the location of the post office.
- (3) What happened to Kadambini at her friend Jogmaya's home?
- (4) Write in brief about the narrator's encounter with the first lady customer.

- (5) What made men forgot their quarrel and calm down?
- (6) How did Ali pass his days immediately after Miriam's separation?

3 Write short-notes on any **Two** of the following : **12**

- (1) Character of Amalie
- (2) The irony of the story 'Lemon-yellow and Fig'
- (3) Summary of the story 'Living or Dead?'

4 (A) Do as directed : (Any **Eight**) **8**

- (1) He was so overjoyed. He could not speak. (Use coordinating conjunction to make a compound sentence.)
- (2) Sandip is an excellent student. He received a scholarship. (Use coordinating conjunction to make a compound sentence.)
- (3) I went out with my parents to a temple.
(Write the sentence in simple future tense)
- (4) My sister _____ (to listen) to music now.
(Use the present continuous form of verb)
- (5) Do you know who _____ (come) to visit us yesterday? (Use the past perfect form of verb)
- (6) He was watching a movie yesterday.
(Write the sentence in future continuous tense)
- (7) The principal congratulated him. He won the gold medal. (Use coordinating conjunction to make a compound sentence.)
- (8) Wear your seatbelt. You might be injured.
(Use coordinating conjunction to make a compound sentence.)
- (9) Look! The train _____ to arrive).
(Use the perfect form of verb)
- (10) By next November, I _____ my promotion.
(Use future perfect tense.)

(B) Give one word for the following group of words : **6**
(Any **Six**)

- (1) To talk foolishly
- (2) To move aimlessly in a dreamlike state
- (3) A vehicle used for transportation on icy surface
- (4) A steep face of rock
- (5) To be destroyed
- (6) Not completely transparent
- (7) To be angry at unfair treatment

5 (A) Fill in the blanks with the use of proper Modal Auxiliaries : (Any **Six**) **6**

- (1) You _____ not surf till late at night.
- (2) This book _____ to be very useful.
- (3) Students _____ have a holiday tomorrow.
- (4) The road is rough. The driver _____ drive the car slowly.
- (5) He helped me so I _____ reach here.
- (6) I _____ not be able to come to your party.
- (7) _____ you speak correct English?
- (8) She _____ not ask her father for money.

(B) Give synonyms : (Any **Four**) **4**

- (1) Glad
- (2) Oral
- (3) Sleepy
- (4) Accountable
- (5) Murmur

(C) Give antonyms : (Any **Four**) **4**

- (1) Narrow
- (2) Combine
- (3) Former
- (4) Revenge
- (5) Honest