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B. A. (Sem. I) Examination
November / December - 2018
Foundation Course in English - I
(*New Course*)

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

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions : (1) Figures to the right indicate marks.
(2) Mention clearly the options you attempt.

- 1** Answer in brief : (any **four**) **14**
- (1) What are the steps that Sue takes to prevent Johnsy from watching the leaves on the ivy vine ?
 - (2) Why was the narrator's grandmother displeased with his trip ?
 - (3) Did Dasa actually catch the snake ? How do you know ?
 - (4) Briefly outline in your own words the changes made to the boss office.
 - (5) What strange thing did the workmen in the foundry notice ? What do you think is the reason ?
 - (6) Describe Johnsy's recovery.
 - (7) How did the girl appear to the narrator the first time he saw her ?
- 2** Attempt short notes : (any **two**) **14**
- (1) The symbolism of the fly in the story.
 - (2) The narrator's reasoning about not trying to meet the girl at the end.
 - (3) The love of the prince and the swallow.
 - (4) Sue and Johnsy's friendship.
- 3** Answer in detail : (any **one**) **14**
- (1) Discuss Johnsy's psychological state of mind during her illness and recovery.
 - (2) Narrate the incidents at Deoli station from the point of view of the basket-seller.
 - (3) What is the purpose of story 'A snake in the Grass' ?

- 4 (a) Identify the underlined parts of speech from the following sentences : 7
- (1) I never heard of such nonsense.
 - (2) Her simplicity is her strength.
 - (3) Let's see exactly what he said.
 - (4) The ruby shall be redder.
 - (5) He is a handsome man.
 - (6) He has been there recently.
 - (7) He is a poor man.
- (b) Fill in the blanks with proper forms of verbs given in the brackets : 7
- (1) He ____ a letter yesterday. (write)
 - (2) ____ they ____ to college daily ? (go)
 - (3) He ____ this movie already. (See)
 - (4) Hema ____ the topic before I did it. (explain)
 - (5) They ____ books now. (read)
 - (6) Water ____ at zero degrees. (freeze)
 - (7) If she calls me, I ____ to meet her. (go)
- 5 Do as directed : 14
- (a) Make nouns of the following :
- (1) Calm
 - (2) different
 - (3) tragic
 - (4) decide
 - (5) enjoy
- (b) Make adjectives of the following :
- (1) danger
 - (2) India
 - (3) possess
 - (4) ambition
 - (5) bravery
- (c) Make verbs of the following :
- (1) advice
 - (2) effect
 - (3) description
 - (4) false