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

March - 2019

Foundation Course in English - V

Faculty Code : 002

Subject Code : 001501

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

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :**
1. Attempt all questions.
 2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1 Write a detailed note on any two of the following : **20**

1. Describe why freedom of the press is important to the betterment of the society.
2. Why is time management essential for a successful and efficient career ?
3. What are the challenges in the path of development? Explain them in detail by providing suitable examples from the text.
4. Describe hurdles and challenges Sher Singh faced during the journey from his house to the hospital

2 Answer in short any two of the following : **15**

1. Who are invoked in the poem "The Great Invocation" ?
2. How are freedom of the press and democracy are essential for progress ?
3. Name the two variables that can influence one's work output.
4. How did Sher Singh Bahadur get a big scar? What did it suggest ?

- 3 A Draft a press release on any one of the following : 15
1. Annual Day celebration of your college.
 2. Mega Medical Camp organized by Rotary Club, Rajkot in collaboration with the local government hospital and leading doctors of the city.

OR

- B Attempt any one of the following :
1. Draft a questionnaire leading to a survey of investors and brokers' responses to imposition of 10 % Long Term Capital Gain (LTCG) tax by the Central government in its last budget.
 2. Draft a questionnaire leading to a survey of common people's reactions to ever increasing fuel prices.

- 4 A. Translate the following paragraph into Gujarati : 10

As a young man M. K. Gandhi went to England to study law. Before leaving he had promised his mother that he would not eat meat. He found this promise very difficult to keep. From the time he sailed from Bombay, a friend in the ship, advised him to eat meat. He told Gandhi that he would not be able to live in England without meat. The climate would not permit it. He tried his best to convince Gandhi that his promise was a foolish one. But, Gandhi was firm. On no account would he eat meat He said, "If it be found impossible to get on without it, I would rather go back to India than eat meat in order to remain in England."

- B. Translate the following paragraph into English : 10

જીવનમાં અને વ્યવહારમાં વિશ્વાસ ઉપર વધુ ભાર મુકવામાં આવ્યો છે. વિશ્વાસ કોનો કરવો અને કેટલો કરવો એ બધું વિચારવા જેવું છે.

ખરાબ મિત્રોનો તો વિશ્વાસ ન જ થાય. સારા મિત્ર ઉપર પણ એકધારો અને આંધળો વિશ્વાસ ન મુકાય, કારણ કે ઘણીવાર મિત્રતાના તંતુને તુટતા વાર નથી લાગતી. ચિંતકો તો એમ કહે છે કે કોઈ કોઈનો જન્મજાત મિત્ર કે શત્રુ નથી હોતો. સારા વ્યવહારથી મિત્રતા બંધાય અને વ્યવહાર બગડે તો મિત્રતા, શત્રુતામાં ફેરવાય જાય છે. અને મિત્ર જ્યારે શત્રુ થાય ત્યારે એ ખતરનાક બને છે. અંગ્રેજીમાં કહેવત છે; “તારા મિત્રોથી સાવધાન રહેજે.”