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**B. Com. (Sem.-V) Examination**

**May - 2023**

**English Language-5**

**(Foundation Course in English-5)**

**(New Course)**

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours / Total Marks : 70

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

- 1** (a) Answer any **five** questions in two-three sentences : **10**
- (1) What does Sitaram tell Mrs. Srivastava ?
  - (2) How does Mrs. Bhusan interpret Mrs. Srivastava's statement ?
  - (3) Explain the term "Soft Skills".
  - (4) What happened when Jim started to whitewash the fence?
  - (5) What makes the narrator feel nervous in a bank ?
  - (6) What is Albert Edward's attitude to the new vicar ?
  - (7) What does the king want to know ?
- (b) Answer the following questions in eight-ten sentences **15**  
(any **three**)
- (1) The Hermit
  - (2) Describe the end of the story "The Verger".
  - (3) Humour in 'My Financial Career.'
  - (4) Explain Teamwork skills from the story "Whitewashing the fence".
  - (5) Explain the title "The boy who broke the bank".
- 2** Write short notes : (any **two**) **15**
- (1) "My Financial Career explains the importance of Emotional Intelligence skills." Explain.
  - (2) Albert Edward Foreman.
  - (3) Describe the events of the king's day with the hermit.

- 3** Supply suitable modal auxiliaries in the sentences given below: **10**  
(might, can, must, should, ought to, may, dare, used to, would, need)

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_ you like to come with me ?
- (2) How \_\_\_\_\_ you ride a bike without brakes ?
- (3) She \_\_\_\_\_ play chess before her marriage.
- (4) Rehana \_\_\_\_\_ a little rest.
- (5) We \_\_\_\_\_ love our neighbours.
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_ you have a long and happy life!
- (7) We \_\_\_\_\_ keep promises.
- (8) You \_\_\_\_\_ come to college in time.
- (9) \_\_\_\_\_ Joseph speak English ?
- (10) You \_\_\_\_\_ tell the truth.

- 4** Draft a press release : (any **one**) **10**

- (a) Draft a press release on behalf of Jessica Publishing House giving details of a recently published book on management.

**OR**

- (b) Draft a press release on behalf of Venus Event Management Company giving highlight of its unique services.

- 5** (a) Write a letter to the collector of Rajkot appreciating him **10**  
for his demolition drive against illegal constructions.

**OR**

- (b) Draft a mail addressed to the Post Master General, Jamnagar, making enquiry about various postal savings schemes.

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