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FIRST SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

Common Course

ENG 1A 02—MODERN PROSE AND DRAMA

(2014 Admissions)

(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

Time : 15 Minutes

Total No. of Questions : 20

Maximum : 20 Marks

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. This Question Paper carries Multiple Choice Questions from 1 to 20.
2. The candidate should check that the question paper supplied to him/her contains all the 20 questions in serial order.
3. Each question is provided with choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) having one correct answer. Choose the correct answer and enter it in the main answer-book.
4. The MCQ question paper will be supplied after the completion of the descriptive examination.

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1. Gandhi's autobiography *The Story of My Experiments with Truth* is translated by :
(A) Mr. Kallenbach. (B) Mahadev Desai.
(C) Sjt. Pragji Desai. (D) None of these.
2. What was the art that almost all the youngsters knew in the farm ?
(A) Horseriding. (B) Carpentry.
(C) Cooking. (D) Felling trees.
3. Indian Independence league was held in ————
(A) Calcutta. (B) Bombay.
(C) Singapore. (D) Japan.
4. To drive the British people out of Singapore, they took :
(A) Seven Days. (B) One Day.
(C) Three Months. (D) Twenty Years.
5. Expand the abbreviation of INA :
(A) Indian National Army. (B) Inter National Army.
(C) Indian Naval Army. (D) None of these.
6. How old was King, when he visited Ghana ?
(A) 28. (B) 38.
(C) 24. (D) None of these.
7. Who has been described as uncompromisingly brilliant and clear eyed ?
(A) King. (B) James Baldwin.
(C) Achebe. (D) Albert Luthuli.

8. When did Government of India award Ambedkar with Bharath Ratna ?

- (A) 1990. (B) 1980.
(C) 1999. (D) 1900.

9. How many amendments were moved in the house ?

- (A) 4234. (B) 1475.
(C) 2473. (D) 3421.

10. Who did describe the drafting committee as 'Drifting Committee' ?

- (A) Rajaji. (B) Nehru.
(C) B. N. Rau. (D) Nazruddin Ahmed.

11. Who was the Constitution Advisor ?

- (A) B. N. Rau. (B) S. N. Mukherjee.
(C) Jaichand. (D) None of these.

12. Ambedkar urges Indians to demand ——— Democracy.

- (A) Social democracy. (B) Political democracy.
(C) Parliamentary Democracy. (D) None of these.

13. Judy Brady belongs to which classification of people ?

- (A) Husband. (B) Wife.
(C) Son. (D) Daughter.

14. Which among the following is not a work by Judy Brady ?

- (A) Women and Cancer.
(B) Why I Want a Wife.
(C) One in Three : Women with cancer.
(D) Second Sex.

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15. Where did Prem find the blossomed sweetpeas ?
- (A) California. (B) Dehra.
(C) Canada. (D) None of the above.
16. Buddha favoured ——— tree to meditate under.
- (A) Peepal tree. (B) Cedar.
(C) Banyan. (D) None of these.
17. Jane is the ——— of Jack and Jill.
- (A) Mother. (B) Aunt.
(C) Neighbor. (D) None of these.
18. What was the final present given by Aunt Jane to the Couple ?
- (A) Ten pounds. (B) Twelve pounds.
(C) Eight pounds. (D) Eleven pounds.
19. Who did suggest the idea of refund to Wasserkopf ?
- (A) His father. (B) His friend.
(C) Leaderer. (D) None of these.
20. Identify the speaker "I wish I wasn't dead, so could I speak to you".
- (A) The mother. (B) The son.
(C) The two men. (D) None of these.

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- 1 Which among the following is not a work by Chinua Achebe ?
(a) The Untouchable. (b) No Longer at Ease.
(c) Arrow of God. (d) A Man of the People.
- 2 How many days did the Assembly spend for drafting the Constitution of India ?
(a) 111. (b) 112.
(c) 113. (d) 114.
- 3 Martin Luther King sponsored the "Appeal for Action Against Apartheid" with whom ?
(a) Eleanor Roosevelt. (b) Bishop James Pike.
(c) Albert Luthuli. (d) Ahmed Ben Bella.
- 4 Which among the following is Ruskin Bond's historical novella ?
(a) Rain in the Mountains. (b) The Room of the Road.
(c) The Blue Umbrella. (d) A Flighty of Pigeons.
- 5 Who gave the name 'Drifting Committee' to the Drafting Committee ?
(a) S.N. Rau. (b) Naziruddin Ahmed.
(c) S.N. Mukherjee. (d) Benegal Narsing Rau.
- 6 Who was the Constitution Advisor ?
(a) Moulana Azad. (b) S.N. Mukherjee.
(c) Naziruddin Ahmed. (d) Benegal Narsing Rau.

Turn over

7 "Why I Want a Wife" focuses on the stereotypical roles imposed upon :

- (a) A writer. (b) A queen.
- (c) A nurse. (d) A woman.

8 Fritz Karinthy is a/an ———— playwright.

- (a) Hungarian. (b) British.
- (c) American. (d) Indian.

9 Bond was given the Padma Bhushan in :

- (a) 2014. (b) 2009.
- (c) 2006. (d) 2000.

10 Who commented that 'A house divided against itself cannot stand very long' ?

- (a) Gandhi. (b) Nehru.
- (c) Jefferson. (d) Lincoln.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

II. Answer in a sentence or two any *ten* questions :—

- 11 Who were the inmates of Tolstoy Farm ?
- 12 What was the final campaign according to S.C. Bose ?
- 13 Why it is important to celebrate Martin Luther King according to Achebe ?
- 14 Which constitution does Ambedkar mention in terms of time spent for their preparation ?
- 15 What house hold duties does a wife have to accomplish ?
- 16 How was the author Ruskin Bond welcomed by the guard ?
- 17 Who is Mr. Tenant ?
- 18 How does the servant know that Wasserkopf is not a student ?
- 19 How does Wasserkopf look ?
- 20 How does the mother react when her dead son speak to her ?
- 21 How did the son die ?
- 22 Why did Aunt Jane finally refuse to sit on the furniture ?

(10 × 2 = 20 marks)

III. Answer any *four* of the following questions in a *paragraph* of 100 words :

- 23 Why does the son think that his mother hasn't done anything for him ?
- 24 Why does Wasserkopf want his money back ?
- 25 Who are the real owners of the house and house hold items until the installment scheme is over ?
- 26 Comment on the style and expression of Judy Brady.
- 27 Who was Rani of Jhansi ? What was her contribution to India's struggle for freedom ?
- 28 Describe the meeting between Achebe and Baldwin ?

(4 × 5 = 20 marks)

IV. Answer any *two* of the following questions in 300 words :

- 29 *The Refund* is a biting satire on the modern education system.
- 30 "There was a time when almost every Indian village had its spreading banyan tree..."
Is the author nostalgic ? Discuss.
- 31 The challenges and future of Indian democracy.
- 32 Why is Martin Luther King worthy of being remembered today ?

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)