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# Second Semester B.Sc./B.C.A. Degree Examination, July 2016 Career Related FDP under CBCSS Group 2(b) : COMPUTER SCIENCE/BCA CS 1221/CP 1241 : Environmental Studies (2015 Admn.) 

Time: 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 80

## SECTION-A <br> (Very Short Answer Type)

(One word to maximum of one sentences. Answer all questions.) (10×1=10 Marks)

1. What is Montreal protocol?
2. What do you mean by invasive species ?
3. Who led the Narmada Bachao Andolan?
4. What is a food web ?
5. Name the disease caused by mercury pollution.
6. The first Earth Summit held at $\qquad$ on $\qquad$
7. World Biodiversity Day is celebrating on $\qquad$ of every year.
8. Expand:
a) MoEFCC
b) CBD .
9. What is National Green Tribunal (NGT) ?
10. Name any two National Parks in Kerala.

## SECTION - B

(Short Answer)
(Not to exceed one paragraph, answer any eight questions. Each question carries two marks.)
( $8 \times 2=16$ Marks)
11. What is biodiversity?
12. Write a note on the waste land reclamation.
13. Write a note on renewable resources with suitable examples.
14. What is role of scavengers in ecosystem?
15. What is an ecological footprint?
16. Briefly explain about the sustainable development.
17. Write a note on rooftop rainwater harvesting.
18. Which are the natural causes of water pollution?
19. Briefly explain the social issues related to sea level rise.
20. What do you mean by acid rain?
21. What is biodiversity hotspot?
22. Explain about pyramid of productivity.

SECTION-C
(Short essay)
(Not to exceed 120 words, answer any six questions. Each question carries four marks.)
( $6 \times 4=24$ Marks)
23. Write a note on nuclear accidents.
24. Write a note on the EPA Act, 1986.
25. Briefly explain about the relevance of wildlife sanctuaries.
26. Write a note on watershed management.
27. Explain how Family Welfare Programme helps in the control of population?
28. Describe the impacts of soil pollution.
29. Briefly explain about the bio-geographical regions of india.
30. Write a note on wetlands of Kerala.
31. Write a note on Western Ghats.

SECTION-D
(Long essay)
(Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.)
(2×15=30 Marks)
32. Conservation of biodiversity is very significant for the sustenance of earth. Explain.
33. Write an essay on Global warming and its impacts.
34. Explain about the water pollution and its control measures.
35. Briefly explain about succession with suitable illustrations.

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# Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2016 First Degree Programme under CBCS System ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE Core Course - II <br> EN 1241 : Reading Drama (2015 Admissions) 

## Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80
I. Answer all questions each in a word or sentence :

1) Define 'Tragedy'.
2) What is 'Heroic Drama'?
3) Name the body of actors in classical drama.
4) Identify the speaker : "He was my friend, faithful and just to me."
5) What does the Soothsayer call out to Caesar?
6) When did Antony offer crown to Caesar?
7) Identify the nationality of Sergius.
8) What vision does Maurya, have while returning home?
9) Name a play which is a Dramatic Monologue.
10) In which play is the Sun pictured as a ball of fire ?
II. Give very brief description of any eight of the following :
11) Miracle Plays
12) Comedy of Manners
13) Heroic Drama
14) Fate in Julius Caesar
15) Symbols in Julius Caesar
16) Comment on : The Chocolate Cream Soldier
17) The language of 'The Riders to the Sea'
18) Sea and sharks in 'The Thirst'
19) Special significance in the name 'Satyavathi'
20) Bartley's departure
21) Human variety in 'Swan Song'
22) Wives and women in Julius Caesar.
( $8 \times 2=16$ Marks)
III. Write paragraphs of $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ words on any six of the following :
23) Comedy
24) Comedy of Humours
25) Soliloquy and Aside
26) Tragi-Comedy
27) Inflexibility and compromise in Julius Caesar.
28) Omens and Portents in Julius Caesar.
29) The shattered view of war in Arms and the Man
30) Life and Death in 'Riders to the Sea'
31) Chekhov, the dramatist of "Swan Song".
IV. Write on any two of the following, each in about 300 words :
32) Comment on Julius Caesar as a play of Politics and History.
33) Write an essay on Mystery, Miracle and Morality Plays and Interludes.
34) Arms and the Man represents the New Drama. Discuss.
35) 'Swan Song' is a literary, personal and social play. Do you agree?

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# Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2016 First Degree Programme Under CBCSS English Language and Literature (Core Course - II) EN 1241 : READING DRAMA (For 2013 and 2014 Admissions) 

## Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

1. Answer all questions, each in a word or a sentence :
1) What happens to Banquo's son?
2) Why did Bluntschli hide in Raina's bedroom?
3) Who is the last rider to the sea?
4) Who is the person who sympathises the actor in Swan Song?
5) What is the attitude of the dancer towards the sailor in Thirst?
6) Whose life is depicted in the play Matsyagandhi?
7) Epic Drama.
8) Function of aside in a play.
9) What is a farce?
10) Tragi-Comedy.
II. Answer any eight, each in a short paragraph not exceeding 50 words :
11) Absurdist drama.
12) Which are the types of Comedies?
13) Morality Plays.
14) The role of the witches in Macbeth.
15) How does Svettovidov describe the younger days of his life?
16) What is termed as the 'angry eye of God' in the play Thirst?
17) Story behind the title of the play Matsyagandhi.
18) Shakespearean comedies.
19) Who is Catherine in Arms and the Man?
20) Political situation in Arms and the Man?
21) What does the doctor tell about Lady Macbeth's condition?
22) Second meeting of Macbeth with witches.
( $8 \times 2=16$ Marks)
III. Answer any six, each in a paragraph not exceeding 100 words :
23) Mystery plays.
24) Character sketch of Svetlovidov.
25) Arms and the Man as a 'Drama of Ideas'.
26) How does Svetlovidov prove to Nikita that his histrionic talents have not been exhausted?
27) Role of fate in Riders to the Sea.
28) What are the predictions about the death of Macbeth?
29) Thirst as an absurd drama.
30) Life of the fishermen as depicted in Riders to the Sea.
31) Masque.
( $6 \times 4=24$ Marks)
IV. Answer any two, each in about two to three pages:
32). Macbeth as a modern psychological drama.
32) Matsyagandhi as a post colonial drama.
33) Dramatic devices.
34) Elements of social criticism in Swan Song.

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# Second Semester B.A./B.Sc. Degree Examination, July 2016 First Degree Programme under CBCS System Language Course - III (English - II) <br> EN 1211.1 : READING SKILLS <br> (2013 and 2014 Admissions) 

Time: 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 80
I. Answer all questions in one word or a maximum of two sentences each.

1) What are the four skills required to master a language?
2) What is the average speed of reading of a college student?
3) Put the letters in the correct order to form a word: ryphia rtac.
4) What is the meaning of the underlined word in the sentence?
"The extreme cold affected his health."
5) Find the odd one out: Happy, Grumpy, Joy, Excited.
6) "Resolve to edge in a little reading everyday, if it is but a single sentence.

If you gain fifteen minutes a day, it will make itself felt at the end of the year".
Whose words are these?
7) Write the difference between the words 'ingenuous' and 'ingenious'.
8) Who popularized the SPE method?
9) What is an Orthographical Dictionary?
10) Correct the sentence:

I wouldn't mind your coming late if you do not wake me on. (10x1=10 Marks)
II. Read the following passages and answer any four questions fromeach passage in a maximum of one paragraph each not exceeding 50 words.

## Passage-I

The Alaska pipeline starts at the frozen edge of the Arctic Ocean. It stretches southward across the largest and northernmost state in the United States, ending at a remote ice-free seaport village nearly 800 miles from where it begins. It is massive in size and extremely complicated to operate. The steel pipe crosses windswept plains and endless miles of delicate tundra that tops the frozen ground. It weaves through crooked canyons, climbs sheer mountains, plunges over rocky
crags, makes its way through thick forests, and passes over or under hundreds of rivers and streams. The pipe is 4 feet in diameter, and up to 2 million barrels (or 84 million gallons) of crude oil can be pumped through it daily. Resting on H-shaped steel racks called "bents" long sections of the pipeline follow a zigzag course high above the frozen earth. Other long sections drop out of sight beneath spongy or rocky ground and return to the surface later on. The pattern of the pipeline's up-and-down route is determined by the often harsh demands of the arctic and sub-arctic climate, the tortuous lay of the land, and the varied compositions of soil, rock, or permafrost. A little more than half of the pipeline is elevated above the ground. The remainder is buried anywhere from 3 to 12 feet, depending largely upon the type of terrain and the properties of the soil. One of the largest in the world, the pipeline cost approximately $\$ 8$ billion and is by far the biggest and most expensive construction project ever undertaken by private industry. In fact, no single business could raise that much money, so 8 major oil companies formed a consortium in order to share the costs. Each company controlled oil rights to particular shares of land in the oil fields and paid into the pipeline-construction fund according to the size of its holdings. Today, despite enormous problems of climate, supply shortages, equipment breakdowns, labor disagreements, treacherous terrain; a certain amount of mismanagement, and even theft, the Alaska pipeline has been completed and is operating:
11) What does this passage primarily discuss about?
12) What volume of oil can travel through the pipeline each day? Write your answers in both barrels and gallons.
13) What does the phrase "Resting on" refer to ?
14) According to the author what are the important factors in determining the pipeline's route?
15) How many companies shared the costs of constructing the pipeline and what determined the percentage of the construction costs each member of the consortium would pay?
16) What is the term which the author uses for referring to earth covering that always remains frozen?

## Passage - Il

Let me not to the marriage of true minds
Admit impediments. Love is not love Which alters when it alteration finds,

Or bends with the remover to remove : O, no ! it is an ever-fixed mark,
That looks on tempests and is-never shaken;
It is the star to every wandering bark, Whose worth's unknown, although his height be taken.
Love's not time's fool, though rosy lips and cheeks
Within his bending sickle's compass come;
Love alters not with his brief hours and weeks,
But bears it out even to the edge of doom.
If this be error and upon me proved,
I never writ, nor no man ever loved.
17) What kind of love, according to the poet is not true love?
18) How does the poet compare true love to a star?
19) Why does the poet say that love is not, 'time's fool'?
20) Why does the poet say that marriage of true minds admits no impediments?
21) Explain the line, "bears it out even to the edge of doom".
22) What does, "rosy lips and cheeks" stand for?
III. Answer any six of the following questions in a maximum of 100 words each.
23) How does effective reading help us?
24) Explain eye fixation.
25) Mention some tips for reading newspapers and magazine articles.
26) What are the ways to identify the central idea of a passage?
27) What do you mean by discourse features and how can you figure out the discourse features of a passage?
28) Explain intensive reading.
29) Attempt a critical appreciation of the following poem:
(TO JS/07 M378 This Marble Monument Is Erected by the State)
He was found by the Bureau of Statistics to be
One against whom there was no official complaint,
And all the reports on his conduct agree
That, in the modern sense of an old-fashioned word, he was a saint,
For in everything he did he served the Greater Community..
Except for the War till the day he retired
He worked in a factory and never got fired,
But satisfied his employers, Fudge Motors Inc.
Yet he wasn't a scab or odd in his views,
For his Union reports that he paid his dues, (Our report on his Union shows it was sound)
And our Social Psychology workers found
That he was popular with his mates and liked a drink.
The Press are convinced that he bought a paper every day
And that his reactions to advertisements were normal in every way.
Policies taken out in his name prove that he was fully insured,
And his Health-card shows he was once in a hospital but left it cured.
Both Producers Research andHigh-Grade Living declare
He was fully sensible to the advantages of the Instalment Plan
And had everything necessary to the Modern Man,
A phonograph, a radio, a car and a frigidaire.
Our researchers into Public Opinion are content
That he held the proper opinions for the time of year,
When there was peace, he was for peace : when there was war, he went.
He was married and added five children to the population,
Which our Eugenist says was the right number for a parent of his generation.
And our teachers report that he never interfered with their education.
Was he free? Was he happy? The question is absurd:
Had anything been wrong, we should certainly have heard.
30) Write a book or movie review of your own choice.
31) Write a critical note on R.W. Emerson.
( $6 \times 4=24$ Marks)
IV. Answer any two of the following questions in two to threepages each.
32) Explain in detail the major obstacles in developing efficient reading.
33) While reading a passage, why should you try to understand the Author's point of view? Discuss in detail.
34) Write your thoughts on An Ideal Family?
35) Explain dramatic monologue with reference to My Last Duchess. ( $2 \times 15=30$ Marks)

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# Second Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Degree Examination, July 2016 First Degree Programme under CBCS System Language Course - IV (ENGLISH II) <br> Common For B.A./B.Sc.(EN 1212.1), B.Com. (EN 1211.2) \& Career Related 2 (a) <br> (EN 1211.3) <br> MODERN ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE (2013 Admissions Onwards) 

## Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80
I. Answer all questions.

1) People living in glass houses must not throw stones (Identify the predicate)
2) He is not a talented student. (change into affirmative)
3) We are not late. (add a suitable question tag)
4) We have done enough to satisty them. (Identify the adverb)
5) Of my two sons, David is the eldest. (correct the sentence)
6) The flood victims were provided shelter. (correct the sentence)
7) Birds of $\qquad$ same feather flock together. (use appropriate article)
8) That she is an idiot is confirmed. (begin with 'it')
9) There is not $\qquad$ sugar in the packet (use the correct form-many/much)
10) Neither of them $\qquad$ given the correct answer. (use the correct form-has/have).
II. Answer any eight of the following.
11) Change the following into compound sentence:
a) Unless you practise regularly you cannot become a good athlete.
b) Besides being lazy, he is indifferent.
12) Change into complex sentence:
a) He wishes to become rich, so he works hard.
b) He was very strong, so he could beat all his opponents.
13) Change into a question:
a) Smoking is injurious to health.
b) They speak French.
14) Correct the following sentences:
a) This is a five pounds note.
b) The old man is so weak to walk.
15) Change the voice :
a) Were you frightened by the noise?
b) How are you taught grammar?
16) Frame a question to get the underlined word/words as answer:
a) The English defeated the French.
b) Gopal's uncle works in this office.
17) Change into superlative:
a) Panini is a great grammarian of India.
b) Tom is cleverer than the other boys in the class.
18) Add the correct question tag:
a) Sita is an honest girl, $\qquad$ ?
b) Everybody in the room was questioned, $\qquad$ ?
19) Convert the following sentences to the plural form:
a) The hero rode on his favourite horse.
b) A child ofter has a bad tooth.
20) Rearrange the jumbled words into a meaningful sentence:
a) Companion $\mid$ is $\mid$ a $\mid$ he $\mid$ good
b) really | his | is | plight | pitiable
21) Use the adverbial form of the adjectives:
a) He is a sincere worker.
b) He does things in an efficient manner.
22) Use the appropriate article:
a) He was $\qquad$ first person to arrive.
b) $\qquad$ water in the well is unfit for drinking.
III. Answer any six of the following as directed:
23) Complete the following sentences using the correct form of the tenses:
Rajan : Can I (get) a copy of the 2003 edition of the advanced

Shop boy: Sorry Sir. 2003 edition hasn't $\qquad$ (reach) yet.
Rajan : I want this edition. How can I get one?
Shop boy: You may please speak to the manager.
He $\qquad$ (come) in the evening.
Rajan : Then I $\qquad$ (wait) in the shop.
Shop boy : Allright Sir.
24) Use the correct forms of the words given in brackets:

When I $\qquad$ (reach) the station, the train $\qquad$ (leave).
Sol $\qquad$ (hire) a taxi and $\qquad$ (reach) Cochin in time for the meeting.
25) Rewrite the following sentences with correct propositions:

1) The accident took place $\qquad$ Friday.
2) Reading is a hobby that 1 am very fond $\qquad$
3) Who are you referring $\qquad$ ?
4) The train reached Chennai $\qquad$ 7.15 a.m.
5) I have been sleeping $\qquad$ 3 hours.
6) The Mediterranean Sea is $\qquad$ Europe and Africa.
7) He wrote the letter $\qquad$ a pencil.
8) She is a doctor $\qquad$ a private hospital.
9) Rewrite the following conversation in indirect speech:

Sudha: "Are you going to the party tonight?"
Dimple: Yes
Sudha: "Will you have some tea ?"
Dimple: No, thanks.
27) Correct the following sentences:
a) I dislike to eat meat.
b) I am having an uncle in Madras.
c) Let there be no dispute between You and I .
d) A judicious enquiry was ordered by the government.
28) Complete the following sentences using suitable models:
a) 1 $\qquad$ rather read a story than learn a poem. (can / could/would)
b) We $\qquad$ register our names for the competition. (shall / can / could)
c) There was a time when I $\qquad$ drive a truck. (should / could / might)
d) Anything $\qquad$ happen when the mob is furious. (need / can/shall)
29) Rewrite the following/ underlining the determiners, quantifiers and possessives in it :
a) Here are a few facts and figures.
b) Probably, few people are aware of this tradition.
c) I have corrected many spelling mistakes in your report.
d) I haven't seen my sisters for several years.
30) Fill up using articles:
a) It was $\qquad$ unanimous decision.
b) They live in $\qquad$ one room hut.
c) There was $\qquad$ accident near $\qquad$ postoffice. $\qquad$ lorry hit $\qquad$ car and several persons in $\qquad$ car were injured.
d) $\qquad$ Aryans invaded India.
31) Rewrite providing the correct punctuations: mahatma gandhis autobiography is titled the story of my experiments with truth
IV. Answerany two of the following:
32) Expand the proverb "Necessity is the mother of invention". (Answer in about two to three pages)
33) Write a short essay on 'Cinema : Uses and Abuses'. (Answer in about two to three pages)
34) Write a precis of the following passage :

Our present cities are growing every year... This growth will almost certainly continue and the cities of the future will be much bigger and far more complicated than those of today. Many problems will arise which will have to be solved. The solutions will undoubtedly change the face of the city and the life of the inhabitants... It is quite possible that the future city will have no traffic at all. H.G. Wells in his book The Sleep Awakes, tells of a man who slept for hundreds of years, and awoke to a very different world from that which he knew before. In the streets of that future London there were no animals, carriages, motor-cars, or tramcars. The city was provided with moving roads, and therefore no longer needed the vehicles to which we are accustomed. One side of the road travelled in one direction; the other side moved the opposite way. Anyone who wanted to go to another part of the city stepped on the moving 'way' and sat on one of the seats until he arrived. He did not need to wait for a tramcar or a bus... The moving way was always at his service, always moving silently along, always ready to take him to his destination. That city of the future had no traffic problems. ( 217 words).
35) Arrange the given sentences in the proper order:
(First and last sentences are in the correct order. The rest of the sentences have to be rearranged so as to give logical sense to the whole passage]. Manners are patterns of behaviour. We have to exercise self-control in order to learn good manners. People respect those who know how to behave well in society. A man of good manners is often considered to be a man of good character with the help of good manners a person can establish lasting friendship with others. A person who is polite, sweet-tempered, and softspoken is liked by everybody. By observing small curtsies and acts of politeness, we can encourage others as well as ourselves to be kind in all our dealings.

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# Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2016 Firșt Degree Programme under CBCSS Journalism - Complementary Course for English CJ 1231 : HISTORY OF INDIAN MEDIA (2014 Admn. Onwards) 

Time : 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 80
Answer the following in 1-2 sentences:
(10×1=10 Marks)

1. William Bolts
2. James Augustus Hicky
3. Serampose Missionaries
4. Young India
5. Gagging act
6. The Hindu
7. Kerala Kaumudi
8. Vivid Bharathi
9. Hermann Gundert
10. Raja Ram Mohan Roy.

Write short notes, each not exceeding 60 words, on any eight of the following.
11. Navjivan
12. K. C. Mammen Mappila
13. K. P. Kesava Menan
14. Prasar Bharathi
15. Regular TV service in India
16. Paschimodayam
17. Swadeshabhimani Ramakrishna Pillai
18. Nasrani Deepika
19. P. K. Nair's contribution to Indian Cinema
20. Analyse the reasons for the closure of Maiayala Manorama during the preindependence period.
21. Is the time of small budget films over? Why?
22. Documentaries lack audience in India. Comment.

Write short essay, each not exceeding 120 words, on any six of the following.
( $6 \times 4=24$ Marks)
23. Prabhatabhesi was instrumental in starting narrow casting in Kerala. Discuss.
24. What was the role played by S. Sadanand in the history of Indian Journalism?
25. Briefly trace the origin of Indian cinema.
26. Satellite/Cable TV channels provide ample infotainment. Do you agree? Explain.
27. Why is Raja Ram Mohan Roy called father of Indian journalism?
28. Is the trend of Malayalam newspapers launching TV channels good? Explain.
29. Explicit portrayal of crime in TV channels is not good for teenager and youngster. Discuss.
30. Sketch the history and growth of news agencies in India.
31. Malayalam dailies were ahead in ushering social program, community development, education and creating political awareness even before independence. Substantiate.

Write essays on any two of the following.
(2×15=30 Marks)
32. Trace the history and role played by any one Malayalam daily which began publication before independence.
33. Mahatma Gandhi had a definite aim in starting and publishing newspapers. Discuss.
34. All India Radio has made significant contributions to the growth of man media in India. Explain:
35. Satellite Instructional Television Experiment (SITE) played a key role in the development of education, agriculture and creating social awareness. Elucidate.

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## Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2016 First Degree Programme Under CBCS System (Common for English Language and Literature and English and Communicative English) Complementary Course - III

 EN 1231 and CG 1231: HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE - II (2013 Admission Onwards)I. Answer all questions, each in a word or a sentence:

1) What does the term Carpe diem mean?
2) Principia Mathematica is a work by whom?
3) Who was the king brought to power during the Restoration?
4) Name the periodicals launched in the years 1709 and 1711 ?
5) Name the work in which Milton appealed for the liberty of press.
6) Who is the author of the work Grace Abounding?
7) Whom does Neander support?
8) What kind of work is Pilgrim's progress ?
9) Which is a famous work by Aphra Behn?
10) In which year was the lyrical Ballads published?
II. Answer any eight, each in a short paragraph not exceeding 50 words :
11) Heroic plays of John Dryden.
12) Writers of Restoration Comedy.
13) Works of Jane Austen.
14) Robinson Crusoe.
15) Theme of Richardson's Pamela.
16) Orientalism and $18^{\text {th }}$ century.
17) Influence of French Revolution on Romanticism.
18) The Vicar of Wakefield.
19) Significance of Reliques of Ancient English Poetry.
20) Thomas de Quincey.
21) Tales from Shakespeare.
22) Fanny Burney.
III. Answer any six, each in a paragraph of 100 words :
23) Issues in Frankenstein.
24) Historical romance of Walter Scott.
25). Features of Romantic poetry.
25) The Songs of Innocence.
26) Poetry of Wordsworth.
27) Theme of 'Deserted Village'.
28) Cavalier poets.
29) Features of Restoration non-fiction.
30) Features of Restoration fiction.
IV. Answer any two, each in about two to three pages:
31) Restoration Comedy.
32) Eighteenth century fiction.
33) Augustan poetry.
34) Keats' poetry.
