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B.A. (Part-III) Supplementary/Special Examination, 2021

(Foundation Course)

Paper - II

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Minimum Pass Marks : 25

Note : Attempt all five questions. Internal choice is given in each unit. Marks are indicated against each question.

UNIT-I

Q. 1. Attempt any three of the following in about 200 words :

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- (a) Write brief summary of the poem "Three Years She Grew."
- (b) Write a brief summary of the essay "Bores".

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- (c) Write a brief summary of the essay "The New Economics".
- (d) Write a brief note on "Globalisation."
- (e) What do you understand by quality of life ?

UNIT-II

Q. 2. Write an essay on any one of the following topics :

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- (a) Digital India
- (b) Terrorism
- (c) Importance of cleanliness
- (d) Unemployment Problem

UNIT-III

Q. 3. Write a precis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title of it :

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Tea is perhaps the most popular and most widely used drink in the world. Many millions of people drink tea every day. In Europe, In China, in

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Australia, and in many other well-known countries of the world, tea is drunk every day by everybody. It is the one of necessities of life. Tea, as far as we know, first came from China, In India, too, tea is now drunk very much. Even in villages people are fond of it.

UNIT-IV

- Q. 4.** (a) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below : **10**

The place of women in our society is of great importance and plays a vital role in its construction and development. The most important task which our women perform is upbringing of children. Children are the real wealth of our nation on whose shoulders the future responsibility of guarding the interest

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of nation lies. Unless mothers are truly well-educated the upbringing of our children both male and female, must suffer in the most important early stages. This must be so whatever progress is to be made in the organization of our schools and colleges. This is enough to induce us to pay much greater and more scientific attention to the education of our girls than we are doing now.

Questions :

- (1) What role do the women play in our society ?
- (2) What is the most important task our women perform ?
- (3) On whose shoulders the future responsibility of guarding the interest of a nation lies ?

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(4) Why does the upbringing of our children suffer in the early stages of their development ?

(5) Why should we pay greater attention to the education of our girls ?

(b) Give synonyms of (any three) : **6**

WARRIOR, Greed, Secret, Crafty, Discourse

(c) Give antonyms of (any two) : **4**

(1) Guilty

(2) Precious

(3) Human

(4) Superiority

(5) Sorrow

UNIT-V

Q. 5. Do as directed (answer any twenty five) : **20**

(a) Use the correct word in each of the following sentences :

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(1) There _____ no differences in opinion. (is/are)

(2) Let _____ go there. (us/me)

(3) A Tale of Two Cities _____ an excellent novel of Charles Dickens. (is/are)

(4) All conditions of the atmosphere _____ 'weather'. (is/are)

(5) This scissors _____ blunt; give me another. (is/are)

(b) Use the correct form of the verbs given in the brackets :

(6) It happened a few weeks ago as I _____ home from abroad. (walked/ was walking)

(7) Weather _____ all the time. (change/ changes)

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- (8) The news at last _____ ground for a better future. (give/gives)
- (9) Do you think the new tax laws will _____ you very much. (effect/affect)
- (10) Traffic patholes _____ roads extremely dangerous even for the pedestrians. (make/makes)
- (c) Use the correct form of question tag given below :
- (11) Students went home early owing to rain, _____ ?
- (12) The giant was very selfish, _____ ?
- (13) The king was not perfectly pure of heart, _____ ?
- (14) Come and see me tomorrow, _____ ?
- (15) We rarely go to picnic on Sundays, _____ ?

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- (d) Change the voice given below :
- (16) She was dismissed from service.
- (17) Our action was justified by the facts.
- (18) Did the noise frighten you ?
- (19) By whom was that letter written ?
- (20) All my belongings have been stolen.
- (e) Turn into assertive sentences given below :
- (21) Oh! How delightful it is !
- (22) How selfish I have been !
- (f) Change the narration given below :
- (23) He said, "He is sitting over there ?"
- (24) He said, "Do not stand there doing nothing ?"
- (25) He said, "Shut the door."
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