

TKN/KS/16-7184

**First Semester B.A. LL. B. (Five Years
Course) Examination**

(Credit Based System)

Course Code – 1.1

ENGLISH – I

Time : Three Hours]

[Max. Marks : 80

- N. B. : (1) Attempt all questions.
(2) Follow the instructions given in each question.
(3) Marks are indicated against each questions.

1. Choose the right answer from the options given under each question.

(i) The background of the story 'The Gifts' is ____

- (a) Diwali (b) Id.
(c) Christmas (d) Pongal

(ii) 'Ulysses' is written by

- (a) Tennyson (b) Yeats
(c) Frost (d) Auden

(iii) What is the point of view in the poem, 'The road Not taken' ?

- (a) Poverty.
(b) Unemployment.
(c) Taking a decision in life.
(d) None of the above.

(iv) The 'rhyming scheme' of 'Do not go gentle into that good night' is ____

- (a) aba (b) abb
(c) aab (d) None of the above.

(v) The 'Bet' is written by ____

- (a) Tagore (b) R. K. Narayan
(c) A. Chekhov. (d) None of the above

(vi) Tom raced and gambled for ____

- (a) 10 years (b) 20 years
(c) 30 years (d) None of the above

(vii) The postmaster belonged to ____

- (a) Calcutta (b) Ulapur
(c) Bombay (d) Patna

(viii) The appropriate question Tag for 'Let's play' is ____

- (a) shall we ? (b) shall not we ?
(c) will you ? (d) None of the above

(ix) Who among the following is a character in 'The Postmaster' ?

- (a) Tom (b) Jim
(c) Ratan (d) None of the above

(x) The proper question tag for 'He is not here' is ____

- (a) is he? (b) is not he?
(c) did he? (d) didn't he?

1x10=10

2. (A) Answer any **two** of the following :—

- (i) Give a character sketch of Della.
- (ii) How did Tom blackmail his brother ?
- (iii) How did Gopal recover from his illness ?
- (iv) Describe how Ratan nursed the postmaster when he fell ill. $10 \times 2 = 20$

(B) Answer any **two** of the following :—

- (i) How did Shakespeare consider this world as a stage ?
- (ii) Explain the theme of 'Ulysses'
- (iii) What different approaches to death does Dylan thomas describe ?
- (iv) Attempt a critical appreciation of 'The Unknown citizen'. $10 \times 2 = 20$

3. Attempt any **two** of the following :—

- (i) Draft a notice inviting students to take part in the debate competition organized by your college.
- (ii) Write a letter to the Vice-chancellor of your University requesting him to be the Guest speaker at the literary function organized by your college
- (iii) Write a letter to your friend describing an important incident. $5 \times 2 = 10$

4. Write one word substitute for any **Ten** of the following :—

- (i) Crime of killing a king.

- (ii) Government by one person with unlimited powers.
- (iii) Right to vote at elections.
- (iv) A person who opposes established customs and beliefs.
- (v) Social organization where mothers are heads of families.
- (vi) Scientific study of birds.
- (vii) one who believes in the existence of God.
- (viii) A hater of mankind.
- (ix) A speech without preparation.
- (x) One who is unable to pay his debts.
- (xi) A member of the middle class.
- (xii) Absence of Government.
- (xiii) The science of animal life.
- (xiv) one who cannot read or write.
- (xv) State of growth between boyhood and youth. $1 \times 10 = 10$

5. Do as directed (any **Ten**)

- (i) Save petrol. (change the voice)
- (ii) Check your answers. (change the voice)
- (iii) Can you do this work now ? (change the voice)
- (iv) Calcutta is the biggest city in India. (Change the degree)
- (v) English is not as difficult as Maths. (Use comparative degree)

- (vi) I said, "I am speaking the truth" (Rewrite into indirect speech)
- (vii) He is sure of his success.
(Rewrite as complex sentence)
- (viii) He is alive (Make negative)
- (ix) Do not tell a lie (make affirmative)
- (x) Who did not know Swami Vivekananda ?
(make Assertive sentence)
- (xi) We eat so that we live (make it a simple sentence)
- (xii) He loves fishing. (Add a Question Tag)
- (xiii) I am your friend. (Add a Question Tag)
- (xiv) He can help you. (Adda Question Tag)
- (xv) She was too angry to say anything.
(Remove 'too') 1x10=10